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AVON PARK LOCALS.

Beautiful moonlight nights this week.

G. L. Gunter is plowing the groves which he has in charge.

Dr. Kittle has returned from Frost-proof and is now at J. C. Burleigh's.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Farnham are at Glen St. Mary, Florida we are to'd.

Mrs. H. E. Goodwin went to Orlando on Wednesday to take treatment in the hospital there.

D. S. Kimball's naval orange grove has a fair crop of fruit. His young grove trees have made a good growth and are still growing.

The young grove trees planted last winter or spring on Mrs. Cooper's place have done fairly well and are nice, promising trees.

Mrs. Leonard, daughter of William Krause, arrived from Tampa Monday evening. Her little girls have been here for over a month past.

Look out for the occultation of aldebaran at about two o'clock a. m. of September 20th. It is said the star will be hidden from us by the moon for about two hours.

Mr. Prior had a letter last week from W. S. Butler in which the statement was made that he and Mrs. Butler expect to return here about the first of Nov. and to be accompanied by Mr. Carroll and family and Rev. M. Farris and wife.

That charivari on Thursday night of last week was doubtless intended to be a "howling success," but apparently the success was hardly worth mentioning, whatever may be thought of the character of the performances.

Mr. Shoemaker, of Jamestown N. Y. is living all alone in Charles L. Baker's house on lake Isis, there has been every since he came nearly two months ago. We met him in town on Monday and learned from him that Mrs. Baker will come after the weather gets cooler, probably some time in October. Mr. Baker does not expect to come.

It seems that our County Commissioners declined to make an appropriation for a county exhibit at the State fair, because of the indifference of the people, or the want of interest manifested, and two or more precincts voted against it. A man of Zolfo was asked why they opposed the appropriation, and bluntly replied that the reason they gave was they did not want more settlers. Whether that expresses to any great extent the feeling of the public, or whether it does not, the action, or inaction of De Soto county in this matter will be understood to mean just that, and we must suffer the consequences.

Last week there, seven teams, four in one day, and one last Sunday, with several persons in company seen passing through here going east to fish, it was claimed. That may be, but it was noted that they had dogs and guns, and our informant believes that deer and turkey are being hunted and killed contrary to the game law. If so it is unfair and wrong and ought to be stopped. But if no one can be found who can or will act as game constable here the slaughter will go on and increase and what are you going to do about it?

Thompson-Mann.

On Wednesday Sept. 8th 1905, just before sunset at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Smith, Mr. Edward Everett Thompson and Mrs. Jennie Barber Mann, were united in marriage by Rev. S. J. Townsend, who, in a very brief and simple service, and by the cheerful cooperation of the parties themselves, tied the knot that is to hold as long as the life of both shall continue. (So they promised)

A Good Girl To Tie To.

Once I was young, but now I am old, and I have never seen a girl who was so faithful to her mother that she would be worth a one-eyed button to her husband. It is the law of God; isn't it exactly in the Bible, but written large and awful in the miserable lives of unfit homes. I'm speaking for the boys, this time. If one of you chaps comes across a girl that, with a rosy face, says to you as she comes to the door, "I can't go for thirty minutes, for the dishes are not washed yet," you wait for that girl. You sit right down and wait for her, because some other fellow may come along and carry her off, and right there you lose an angel. Wait for the girl and stick to her like a bur to a woolly dog.—Kansas City Journal.

Strikes Hidden Rock.

When your ship of health strikes the hidden rocks of Consumption, Pneumonia, etc., you are lost if you don't get help from Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. J. W. McKinnon, of Talladega Springs, Ala., writes: "I had been very ill with Pneumonia, under the care of two doctors but was getting no better when I began to take Dr. King's New Discovery. The first dose was relief, and one bottle cured me." Sure cure for throat, bronchitis, coughs and colds. Guaranteed at Ed Greene's drug store, price 50c and \$1.00. Try a bottle free.

The Chicago Automobile club has abandoned its fall meet. There is no reason assigned, but it is supposed that they are trying to save funeral expenses.

The Colonel's Waterloo.

Colonel John M. Fuller, of Honey Grove, Texas, nearly met his Waterloo, from Kidney and Liver trouble. In a recent letter, he says: "I was nearly dead, of these complaints, and, although I tried my family doctor, he did me no good; so I got a 50c bottle of your great Electric Bitters, which cured me. I consider them the best medicine on earth, and thank God who gave you the knowledge to make them." Sold and guaranteed to cure, Dyspepsia, Biliousness and Kidney Disease, by Ed Greene M. D. druggist, at 50c a bottle.

A Texas contemporary is calling on the government to curb the trusts. Bless you, honey, the "Trusts" are curbing the government first.

Incredible Brutality.

It would have been incredible brutality if Chas. F. Lemberger, of Syracuse, New York, had not done the best he could for his suffering son. "My boy," she says "cut a fearful gash over his eye, so I applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, which healed it and saved his eye." Good for burns and ulcers, too. Only 25c at Ed Greene's drug store.

Many years have gone by since Capt. Webb swam across the English channel, and every effort to equal his record—and many attempts have been made—has been unsuccessful.

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Statistics show startling mortality, from appendicitis and pritonitis. To prevent and cure these awful diseases, there is just one reliable remedy, Dr. King's New Life Pills. M. Flannery, of 14 Custom House Place, Chicago, says: "They have no equal for Constipation and Biliousness." 25c at Ed Greene's drug store.

Grave Trouble Foreseen.

It needs but little foresight to tell that when your stomach and liver are badly affected grave trouble is ahead, unless you take the proper medicine for your disease, as Mrs. John Young, of Clay, N. Y., did. She says: "I had neuralgia of the liver and stomach, my heart was weakened and I could not eat. I was very bad for a long time, but in Electric Bitters I found just what I needed, for they quickly relieved and cured me." Best medicine for weak women. Sold under guarantee by Dr. Ed Greene, druggist, at 50c a bottle.

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O. R. THACHER, Avon Park, Fla.

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If your blood is impoverished your doctor will tell you what you need to fertilize it and give it the rich, red corpuscles that are lacking in it. It may be you need a tonic, but more likely you need a concentrated fat food, and fat is the element lacking in your system.

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Fraud Exposed.

A few counterfeiters have lately been making and trying to sell imitations of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, and other medicines, thereby defrauding the public. This to warn you to beware of such people, who seek to profit through stealing the reputation of remedies which have been successfully curing diseases for over 35 years. A sure protection to you is our name on the wrapper. Look for it on all of Dr. King's and Bucklen's as all others are mere imitations. H. E. Bucklin & Co., Chicago, Ill. and Windsor, Canada.

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Agonizing Burns

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Poisons in Food.

Perhaps you don't realize that many pain poisons originate in your food, but some day you may feel a twinge of dyspepsia that will convince you. Dr. King's New Life Pills are guaranteed to cure all sickness due to poisons of undigested food—or money back. 25c at Dr. Ed Green's drugstore. Try them.

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