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PRAYER OF CYRUS BROWN.

"The proper way for a man to pray,"
Said Deacon Lemuel Keys, "And the only proper attitude, Is down upon his knees."

"No, I should say the way to pray,"
Said Reverend Doctor Wise,
"Is standing straight withoutstretched

And rapt and upturned eyes."

"Oh, no, no, no," said Elder Slow.
"Such posture is too proud;
A man should pray with eyes fast closed
And head contritely bowed."

"It seems to me his hands should be Austerely clasped in front, With both thumbs pointing toward the ground," Said Reverend Doctor Blunt.

"Las' year I fell in Hodgkin's well Head first," said Cyrus Brown, "With both my heels a sticking up, My head a-pinting down.

"An' I made prayer right then an' there-

Best prayer I ever said, The prayinest prayer I ever prayed, A-standing on my head."

BROWARD WILL BE A CANDIDATE.

States Pesitively That He Will Oppose Re-Election of Senator Taliaferro.

That former Governor Napoleon B. Broward is a candidate for United States senator is assured in an interview which he gave in St. Augustine.

Broward is a factor and an important one in the politics of the State, and it is generally conceded that the race will be between him and United States Senator James P. Taliaferro. The St. Augus-tine Record, in speaking of the matter

says: 'Ex-Gov. Broward will be a candidate for United States senator at the next primary. This question, which has been discussed by the State press frequently of late is answered.

MADE DIRECT ANSWER.

"Mr. Broward spent yesterday in the city and was interviewed by a Record representative. He was asked the question direct and he answered it as straight as it was asked, without quib-bling or beating about the bush. He said that he intended to become a candidate, but that is very early to make an announcement or to launch the campaign. He will be found a very active factor when the campaign opens, being a hard fighter and a tireless worker.

"His business here yesterday was of a private nature, and he had no inten-

a private nature, and he had no intention whatever of announcing his candidacy until he was accested by the Record representative, but he did not hesitate to state his position when asked.

'In speaking of the drainage work in the Everglades he said the dredges are doing very effective work and that an immense area will be reclaimed. He has not changed his opinion as to the advisability of draining the Everglades and still believes that the State will greatly profit by the reclammation of the overflowed land.'

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Mr. John Costa, of Tallahassee, is the guest of his relatives, the Austins. Mr. Costa has many friends in Apalachicola, and they are always glad of an opportunity to meet him. * * Mr. A. Short, land agent for Mr. G. W. Saxon, was in the city during the week. It is rumored that recently he sold for the Camp Lumber Company, 132,000 acres of land for colonization purposes. Price equivalent to \$2 an acre. — Apalachicola Times.

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