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Key West Ought To Have A Great "Get Together" Meeting

JULY BUSIEST MONTH IN HISTORY OF THE KEY WEST BOX FACTORY

More Boxes This Month Than at Any Time Since the Factory Started

IN SPITE OF THE DULLNESS

Manager of the Factory Believes That Cigar Business Will Pick Up Now

The month of July has been the busiest month the Key West Box Factory has had since it began operations last October. This, in spite of the fact that the cigar business has been somewhat slack here for the past several months.

Norberg Thompson, general manager of the factory was seen by a Journal representative yesterday and asked to what he attributed the large demand for boxes during the month of July, considering the fact that the factories were not working the large forces which they usually do. Mr. Thompson stated that he could not reconcile the two facts, but, nevertheless it was a fact that his factory had done the largest business in its history during the month of July. He also stated that he expected to see the cigar business pick up very soon and assume its usual busy aspect.

In this connection, it is interesting to note that when the Key West Box Factory began operations last October, there were many weeks when the total output was not over 3,000 boxes for the week. They were simply up against the same proposition which all new concerns meet: They had to operate for a time at a loss in order to demonstrate to the people with whom they expected to do business that they could do the work as well, or better than their competitors, and at a lower price.

That they convinced the cigar manufacturers of this fact is shown by their increased output, they having made as many as 16,000 boxes a week many times since beginning operations.

The building of a box factory here is substantial evidence of the value of a commercial organization. The local commercial body interested itself in the building of such a factory and received an offer from an out of town concern offering to build such a factory provided certain inducements were offered. Mr. Norberg Thompson then informed the commercial body that he would build such a factory without any inducements being offered. The result was the present factory which is proving a great convenience to local manufacturers, and consequently a profitable enterprise to its owners.

MEMORIAL CHURCH.
Preaching 10:30 a. m., subject: "The Promises." 2 Cor. 7:2.
Preaching, 7:30 p. m., subject: "Education."
Sunday school 3:30 p. m., E. E. Archer, superintendent.
Epworth League, Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Thursday 7:30 p. m.
The public is cordially invited to come and worship with us.
T. H. Sistrunk, P. C.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.
William street.
Sunday school 9:30 a. m. G. Lewin, superintendent.
Church service 10:45 a. m., subject: "Bring the Tithes into the Storehouse." Music by the choir.
Afternoon Sunday school 3:30 p. m. Roberts, superintendent.
Evening service 7:30.
Everybody welcome.
S. Kay Darlington, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH.
Sunday school 9:30 a. m., F. F. Hoffman, superintendent. Preaching services 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.
Morning subject, "Hindered Prayers" Evening: "Jesus Upraising the Cities."
Come and worship with us.
C. E. W. Dobbs, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES.
First Church of Christ, Scientist, corner Division and Georgia streets.
Sunday services: Lesson sermon 11 a. m., subject: Truth. Golden text: Proverbs, 12:17. Sunday school 10 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting 8 p. m. Reading room same place, open Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 10 a. m. to 12 m. All are welcome to services and the reading room.

KEY WEST EXTENSION WAS PLANNED LONG AGO

Key West Decided on as F. E. C. Terminal Nineteen Years Ago

That the idea of extending their railroad to Key West was no new thing with the Florida East Coast Railway is indicated by a resolution passed by their board of directors in Jacksonville, in April 1893: The Miami Metropolis publishes the resolution, which is as follows:

Be it resolved: That the line of this company be changed so as to run and extend from some point on Biscayne Bay in Dade county on and across the Florida Keys to the island and city of Key West, in Monroe county, Florida, and that the line from the said point aforesaid, on Biscayne Bay westwardly at or to a point near the city of Tampa, in Hillsborough county, Florida, in said company's charter, shall be considered a branch of the main line.

HAMLIN-BUBENDORF NUPTIALS LAST NIGHT

Miss Kathleen Hamlin and Mr. Edward Bubendorf Were Married Last Night

Last night, at 7:30, Miss Kathleen Hamlin and Mr. Edward Bubendorf were united in the holy bonds of wedlock, State Senator Wm. H. Malone, Jr., performing the ceremony. The wedding was a quiet affair, only relatives and a few intimate friends being present.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hamlin who reside at 711 Southard street. Mr. Bubendorf is one of the expert boxmakers employed by the Key West Box Factory and has been in Key West about a year, during which time he has made many friends and acquaintances.

Following the ceremony a reception was held and refreshments in abundance were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Bubendorf will make their home at 711 Southard street for the present.

SUNDAY NIGHT PROGRAM.
Program for Sunday night service at Stone church under the leadership of the League.

Hymn, Congregation.
Prayer.
Responsive Reading.
Hymn.
Recitation, Jessie Hubert.
Duet, Carlton and Josephine Park.
Selected Reading.
Offering.
Solo, May Hubert.
Reading.
Solo, Mrs. Robinson.
Hymn.
Benediction.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.
Rev. C. T. Stout, rector.
Holy communion 7 a. m.
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Morning service and sermon 11 a. m.
Evening service and sermon at 7:30 p. m.
Subject: The Olympic Games.
A cordial invitation to all to these services.

ST. PETERS CHURCH.
(American Catholic)
8th Sunday after Trinity.
10:00 a. m., matins and Mass.
10:30 a. m., solemn missa cantata and sermon.
4:00 p. m., Sunday school.
7:30 p. m., solemn evensong and sermon.
A. R. E. Roe, rector

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Atkins left last night after a pleasant visit here with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Atkins. Mr. Geo. Atkins, who is a nephew of the local manager of the Western Union Telegraph Company, is assistant to the vice president of the company in New York.

The city council will be busily engaged for some time yet with the work of equalizing the tax roll.

\$30,000 VERDICT AGAINST F. E. C. RY.

Suit Grew out of Death of Young Joseph Baker in Train Collision

Jacksonville, July 27.—Yesterday the end came to the trial of the suit in the Circuit begun Tuesday of Gertrude Baker-Jackson and her husband, William O. Jackson, against the Florida East Coast Railway Company by verdict in favor of the plaintiffs reading as follows:

"We, the jury, find the defendant guilty and assess the damages in favor of the plaintiffs and against the defendants, in the sum of thirty thousand dollars. So say we all.—J. A. Bowen, foreman. This July 25, A. D. 1912, Jacksonville, Fla."

This was an action for \$70,000 damages for the death of Joseph Lee Baker, a 14-year-old son of Mrs. Jackson by a former husband. He was a passenger on a train of the defendant company, coming from South Jacksonville to Jacksonville, when another passenger train ran into the one he was on, killing him, in South Jacksonville, February 9, 1910, about noon.

This case was one for damages for the mental anxiety and grief of the mother experienced at the loss of her only child.

HOTEL WOULD PAY HERE.

Mr. J. R. Parrott, president of the Florida East Coast Railway, has subscribed one thousand dollars toward the completion of Savannah's tourist hotel. This magnificent structure is well under way, and will cost when completed something like one hundred and fifty thousand dollars. Savannah needed such a building and her business men got together and raised the amount among themselves and besides adding materially to the upbuilding of the city it is believed that it will be a paying investment for its stockholders from the start. It is a beautiful, ornamental building, and has largely increased property values in its immediate neighborhood. Savannah has set an example that other and even smaller towns may follow to advantage.—Ocala Banner.

SPANISH WAR VETS TO JACKSONVILLE

Encampment of Delegates to be Held in Metropolis on August 1

Headquarters
Department of Florida
United Spanish War Veterans
Tampa, Florida.
July 24, 1912.
Special Order No. 1:
In view of the fact that the headquarters are in receipt of a special dispensation from the national headquarters, The Department of Florida United Spanish War Veterans will convene in Jacksonville, Florida, August 1, 1912, at 10 o'clock to hold their annual encampment.
By order of
Signed: D. J. W. SHEA,
Dept. Commander
Official:
W. A. Joughin,
Dept. Assistant.

THANKS, KIND SIR.

The Key West Journal has started a Spanish page in that up-to-date daily for the benefit of its large number of Spanish speaking readers.—Miami Herald.

STORK BORE DOUBLE BURDEN.

Tallahassee, Fla., July 27.—The family of Commissioner of Agriculture W. A. McRae was increased by two members last Thursday when Mrs. McRae presented her husband with two fine boys.

The commissioner was the recipient of many congratulations when he arrived at the state house. The news of the advent of the twin boys had preceded him there.

WHAT'S GOING ON IN FLORIDA CITIES

Everywhere Seems to be Prosperity and Improvement Throughout State

Sanford.—The promoters of the new tourist hotel report that they have 80 per cent of one half the money needed for the erection of the building subscribed, and have a proposition to accept a loan for the full half when half of the money has been raised here. There will be little trouble in securing the remaining half, so the fathers of the project allege, and when this is done and a few minor details have been adjusted the dirt will then fly.

Jacksonville.—Overcome by heat while he was at work in a residence on Perry street, between Ninth and Tenth streets, yesterday at about 1 o'clock, a white paperhanger whose name is so far unknown, died last night at the Duval county hospital. Soon after being overcome he was hurried to this institution in Conant's auto ambulance.

Tampa.—The Centro Asturiano society is preparing to build a \$75,000 club house on the site of the one recently destroyed by fire. At a meeting of the membership it was decided to get plans for a handsome structure of fire proof pattern.

Miami.—Messrs. Nissen and Litts have completed arrangements for the establishing a shoe factory in this city. Mr. Nissen has returned from New York, Chicago, Providence and other eastern cities, where he purchased machinery for the manufacture of shoes, also a large lot of leather findings, etc. He also employed several expert shoemakers, who were with him when he was engaged in the business north. Messrs. Nissen and Litts will make no cheap shoes, but will confine their output to the best grades manufactured. The shop or factory will be located at 1010 Avenue D and the present building is undergoing changes that will be completed by the time that the machinery and stock arrive.

"DAMMIT TO 'ELL, NO!"

Louisville, Ky., July 27.—"Marse" Henry Watterson, editor of the Courier-Journal, appeared on the streets of heated Louisville yesterday in a new sailor straw hat, new canvas low shoes and a baby blue scarf. No one can remember having ever seen him similarly attired, at least in recent years. One of his envious friends, who asked if the Journalistic nestor was cool, got this convincing response: "Dammit to 'ell, no!"

Ernest L. Martin, one of the efficient mechanics at the plant of the Key West Electric Co., left yesterday afternoon on the Mallory steamer Lampasas for New York to spend his vacation with his mother, Mrs. Victoria Martin.

Lost.—Lady's knitted hand bag last night at San Carlos. Finder please return to Mrs. J. O. White, 607 Simonton St.

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS

Florida, Key Biscayne Bay. Temporary changes in buoys July 27.
Cape Florida swash channel buoy 2, 2nd class, found out of position, was replaced the same date.
West Point buoy, 4, 3rd class nun, found missing, will be replaced as soon as practicable, without further notice.
List of buoys, 1911, 7th district, p. 12.
By direction of the Lighthouse commissioner.
Florida, Key West harbor, Main channel, Key West entrance bay, buoy, PS., reported out July 25, will be relighted as soon as practicable, without further notice.
Buoy list 7th district, pp. 8, 14.
By direction of the Lighthouse commissioner.
W. C. Dible, Inspector.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The following civil service examinations are scheduled to take place next month.

Assistant in agricultural technology (male), August 21. Salaries range from \$1200 to \$2250 per annum.

Aid in grain standardization (male) August 21. Salaries range from \$900 to \$1200 per annum.

Plant pathologist (male) August 24. Salary \$2750 per annum.

The Mallory steamer San Marcos will arrive from Tampa and Mobile next Saturday en route to New York. The San Marcos will not carry passengers.

CHIEF OF THE WEATHER BUREAU LAUGHS AT RAIN EXPERIMENTS

PAJAMAS OR NO PAJAMAS ACITATING THE NAVY DEPT.

Are They a Necessity or a Luxury is the Question to be Decided

Washington, D. C., July 27.—"Are pajamas a necessity or a luxury?" That is the issue that has now developed between the army and navy. The navy and marine corps are going ahead supplying their enlisted personnel with pajamas, but the army declares that not until ordered by congress will it put a single soldier into pajamas.

It is contended in the army that the United States soldier now has so many clothes that he ought to be able to make some of them do for his night attire. Not that the soldier is supplied with a substitute for pajamas now; he must shift for himself when he lays down to sleep. Besides, it is said at the war department that pajamas cost money and the soldier has to spend enough for clothes as it is.

In the marine corps and the navy, however, pajamas are stoutly defended as necessities, not luxuries.

ONLY ONE MORE DAY.

Only one more day remains of Lebovitz's Inventory Sale, and if you do not get what you want there tomorrow you will be out of luck. In order to secure the public or the utter facility of this and every other experiment so far proposed for artificially producing rain. Almost exactly the same experiments as those of Mr. Post were carried out some twenty years ago in nearly the same part of the country by the late J. G. Dyrenforth, and although the results obtained were regarded as encouraging by the experimenters themselves, they were pronounced a complete fiasco by the intelligent public, as well as by scientific men. Moreover, entirely regardless of whether rain does or does not follow a particular experiment of this kind, the supposition that there is relation of cause and effect between the explosions and the rain is one that cannot be entertained for a moment by anyone familiar with the physical processes involved.

The encampment of the delegates here will include all the departments officers from Tampa and elsewhere, together with members from Merton A. Wilcox Camp No. 1, of Port Dade, General Joe Wheeler Camp No. 2, of Tampa, William M. Hussen Camp No. 3, of Palatka, B. H. McCalla Camp No. 5, of Key West, and, of course, the delegates from Major Thomas M. Woodruff Camp No. 4, of Jacksonville.

John Quinn and wife were passengers to Tampa last night on the Olivette.

The Olivette carried a total of 168 passengers to Tampa last night, 108 of whom were excursionists.

Miss Jennie Morrow left last night on the Olivette for Tampa where she will visit for a time with relatives.

H. M. Levinson and wife were passengers to Tampa last night on the Olivette.

Miss Jessie Taylor left last night on the Olivette en route to Georgia and Tennessee where she will visit with friends.

Miss Margaret Saunders and Miss Daisy Henderson, members of the Salvation Army left last night on the Olivette for Tampa.

Geo. Morris, manager of the Columbia Steam Laundry was a passenger to Tampa last night on the Olivette.

J. M. Braxton who is connected with the U. S. tugengineerwpcmf with the U. S. Engineering office in Jacksonville left last night on the Olivette for Tampa en route to Jacksonville.

Among the passengers to Tampa last night on the Olivette were Aurora Mesa, Mercedes and Susie Denedo, Caridad Mesa, Rosa Hulbert, Mrs. Corola Velasco, E. Aronovitz, M. Aronovitz, Miss Ida Serguys, Geo. E. Burrowell.

Sister Ann was an arrival from Tampa yesterday afternoon on the Mallory steamer Lampasas.

WEST POINTERS IN BAD.

Washington, July 27.—War department officials hold that the four West Point cadets who were court-martialed and expelled from the military academy on September 5, 1911, for "drinking intoxicating liquors in violation of the sixty-second article of war," will not be benefited by the senate's joint resolution of yesterday directing President Taft to reconvene the court and try them again.

Says That Theory That Explosives Produce Rain is an Absolute Force

MONEY SPENT FOR NOTHING

Rain Following All Day Battles Has Helped to Create Erroneous Relief

Relative to the proposed rain-making experiments at Battle Creek, Mich., on the 24th instant, when it is intended to bombard the skies with quantities of dynamite Prof. Willis L. Moore, chief of the weather bureau, issues the following statement:

Numerous reports have come to the weather bureau indicating that an epidemic of "rain-making" has broken out in various parts of the country, originating in some experiments of this character made by Mr. C. W. Post, near Post City, Tex., last summer. The method adopted was the familiar one of setting off powerful explosives until, as is alleged, the jarring of the atmosphere leads to the condensation and precipitation of moisture. A description of his experiments published by Mr. Post in a magazine article has been copied widely in the daily papers, and also circulated in pamphlet form.

It hardly seems necessary for the weather bureau at this late date to enter into elaborate arguments in order to convince the public or the utter facility of this and every other experiment so far proposed for artificially producing rain. Almost exactly the same experiments as those of Mr. Post were carried out some twenty years ago in nearly the same part of the country by the late J. G. Dyrenforth, and although the results obtained were regarded as encouraging by the experimenters themselves, they were pronounced a complete fiasco by the intelligent public, as well as by scientific men. Moreover, entirely regardless of whether rain does or does not follow a particular experiment of this kind, the supposition that there is relation of cause and effect between the explosions and the rain is one that cannot be entertained for a moment by anyone familiar with the physical processes involved.

I have before me a clipping of an editorial in the Evening Herald of Albuquerque, N. M., dated June 17, 1912, which states:

"The merchants of Wichita Falls, Tex., have expended \$1,000 on dynamite, sending to Dallas for the explosive, and every able-bodied citizen got out and set off the white sticks, looking skyward between times, to be the first to welcome a rain cloud."

The experiment was a failure, but had rain happened to occur just after the explosions these merchants would have been convinced of the efficacy of their effort, and many more thousands of dollars would be expended before the fallacy of this opinion became apparent.

On the 24th of this month the citizens of Battle Creek, Mich., are to make a public test of Mr. Post's method, and have advertised the fact so widely that the influx of visitors on that occasion will probably be large. This is an illustration of the only way in which rainmaking can benefit a community. It recalls the fact that the so-called "chemical" rain-makers, who are charlatans of the worst type, have frequently figured as attractions at country fairs, and have been financed for advertising purposes by the railroad companies.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Department of Agriculture. Weather Bureau. July 28, 1912.

	7 A. M.	P. M.
Barometer	29.94	29.96
Temperature	83	84
Wind Velocity	12	8
Wind Direction	S. W.	W.
State of Weather	P. Cloudy	Cloudy

	87
H. Temperature	87
L. Temperature	81
M. Temperature	84

Almanac July 28.

San Rises	4.53
Sun Sets	6.14
High Tide	9.17
Low Tide	12.54
	2.43

Coffee Retailer, Attention!

Prices of Green Coffee are steadily rising, and there is no prospect of lower figures for the present. As consequence, the price of the ground article will also be raised by the different roasters supplying it. Perhaps there are many among you who are already paying this penalty. I have secured several lots, though, at such figures as to leave the price unchanged, as long as the lots last.

THE PRICE IS 25c PER POUND

for the same good, satisfactory and reliable article which has made "EL CENTRAL" famous for over twenty five years. Think of this if you want to save dollars on the coffee which you sell.

J. F. CARBONELL,
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Our family dining room is equipped for the best and nicest family service and we make a specialty of serving families.

Our meals are always tastily prepared and we give you quick service. When you want a good meal quick come to the

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INSURANCE OFFICE OVER THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK
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In selecting an insurance agency let it be the one whose record and strength guarantee the liberal fulfillment of all its obligations.

Our success is the reward of merit and the result of nearly twenty years honorable dealing with our patrons.

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DO YOU KNOW

That our's is the coolest and largest place in town? That we carry a complete stock of fine liquors and cigars? That this is the place where the beer is "Always" cold? Drop in and see us

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Cor. Front and Fitzpatrick Sts

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THE name of these corsets is Expressive — it says snug, graceful, soft and pliable—it says beauty and comfort in the plainest kind of language.

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Next to San Carlos.

Dr. W. O. Kemp

VETERINARIAN

Georgia & Olivia Sts. Phone 518
Formerly with U. S. Q. M. Dept. in Manzanillo, Cuba after Spanish-American war as acting veterinarian for the 10th U. S. Cavalry.

JULY CLEARANCE SALE ON DRESSES AT Louis Wolfson's THE STORE OF FASHION FOR THREE DAYS

This morning brings another wave of offerings in our Ready-to-wear July Clearance Sale especially in the DRESS DEPARTMENT.

Over Three Hundred Fine Dresses including White, Lingirie, Marquissette, Pongee and etc., must be sold in order to make room for our Fall Stock.

These goods were purchased by Mr. Wolfson last month while in New York, but owing to some delay, we have just received them, and have decided to close them out for less than you can buy the material.

A Glance at the Prices Below Will Convince You That Every Article is a Bargain

WHITE DRESSES

Fine line of White Dresses in all sizes worth from \$3.50 to \$7.50, to be sold at \$1.98, \$2.48 and \$3.48.

New Marquissette in pink, blue, tan, grey, etc. These dresses are worth from \$5.00 to \$8.00. Our price during the sale is only \$3.29.

In this assortment we find a few Pongee and Foulard Dresses, the very newest fashions, these goods are worth from \$8.00 to \$18.00, but will be closed out at \$4.48.

We intend closing out our Skirts, getting ready for Fall Stocks. Skirts in Serge and Voile, worth from \$5.00 to \$18.00, will go at prices from \$1.98 to \$8.98.

During these few days, will offer at reduced prices, our Long KIMONAS, a full line to choose from, price 98c and up.

HOUSE DRESSES

A lot consisting of 75 house Dresses will be on sale at the unheard of prices ranging from 98c to 1.99c. Not one of these dresses cost less than 2.00. Some of which cost \$4.00.

Children's and Junior Dresses, we have a full line in all styles, colors and sizes at greatly reduced prices.

Children's and Junior Dresses, all colors, sizes 6 to 17 years, from 48c up.

Baby Dresses, white and colored, sizes 0 to 6 years, from 48c up.

The Ladies' Shirt Waists and Underwear our line is complete and unexcelled, our competitors are not in it. These goods will be in ciudd in this special sal for prices th at mak them ral bargains.

There is more of that quality that makes fit and style in the above articles, than in many you may buy at three times the price.

About all we need to say is that here are a profusion of pretty styles to choose from and at prices that cannot be duplicated. We specify **THREE DAYS** for we do not believe there will be many left thereafter.

Louis Wolfson STORE OF FASHION