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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Johnnie get your gun, get your gun, get your gun; The bicycle girl is coming and you'll have to shoot or run. How do you like the improved appearance of THE TIMES? Miss Lila Lea is visiting relatives in Mobile. Gasque Hall is sick of the measles. Mr. Willie Yuille left Tuesday for New Orleans. Mrs. W. E. Thompson, of Bromley, spent several days with friends in Daphne this week. James Gwinn, of Mobile, spent Sunday with friends at this place. Miss Emma Wilkins returned yesterday evening from Bay Minette, where she has been visiting friends. Miss Carrie Stokes left Sunday for a short visit to friends in Mobile. Miss Elodia Hall, who has been the guest for the past two weeks of Miss Grace Durant, has returned to her home at Loxley. Mr. Peter Baltz, wife and little daughter, of Sheboygan, Wis., are here for a few days enjoying the beautiful climate and scenery, and are stopping at Mr. R. L. Yuille's. The indications are most encouraging for a good crop year. Mr. A. Chapman, of Evergreen, was in Daphne several days this week, attracted, we presume, by some of our pretty girls. Old Mrs. Brown passed through Daphne this week, en route to Mobile, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Jones. Shrewd buyers would do well to carefully examine the advertisement of Stuart & Co. in this issue. This company is one of the largest in Mobile and for low prices they can't be headed. Louis Bethene, a butcher of Mobile, passed through Daphne yesterday with a nice drove of sheep which he had purchased of Mr. J. C. Stapleton for the Mobile market. Nothing adds so much to the readability and attractiveness of a county newspaper as good, reliable correspondents. Such THE TIMES has and will continue to have and no important items taking place in Baldwin will escape their notice. THE TIMES is under obligations to them for their valuable assistance in helping to make of it the best county paper in Alabama. W. K. Thurber, agent of the Sloss Iron and Coal Company, of Birmingham, left Daphne yesterday morning with the two negroes, Will Elmore and Press Andrews, charged with burglary and assault with intent to kill, respectively. They will work out their sentence in that company's coal mines. Elmore's sentence expires May 23, 1897, while Andrews time will expire December 5, 1895. FOR SALE.—Barred Plymouth Rock and black Langshan eggs, from best bred stock, \$1.00 for 13. Stock priced on application. CLAUDE H. SCHEFFELIN, Daphne, Ala. In another column will be seen the dissolution card of Moores and Turner by mutual agreement. Mr. Turner will continue in business at the old stand and is prepared at all times to furnish the public with every thing in the line of groceries and general merchandise at the lowest prices. At no place can you buy cheap-

"RAILROAD BILL,"

The Negro Desperado, Kills Jim Stewart at Bay Minette.

"Railroad Bill," the notorious negro car thief and desperado, had another passage at arms with a posse near Bay Minette, this county, Saturday night, and killed one of the posse, a man named Jim Stewart. The negro desperado was located at a house about two miles above Bay Minette. At 9:30 o'clock Saturday night Robert Wilkinson and Calvin Stapleton were walking along the dirt road about a half mile south of Bay Minette, twenty-five miles north of Mobile, on the Louisville and Nashville Railroad, when they saw a negro man, who accosted them and said, "Is that you, John?" They made no reply, when the negro began following them. He had followed but a few yards when Stapleton turned and told him not to follow them any further. The negro then threw his Winchester rifle to his shoulder and opened fire on the two white men, who took him to be the notorious desperado and car thief, Railroad Bill, who has been operating so extensively in that section of late. One of the bullets tore a hole through Wilkinson's coat and Stapleton received a flesh wound across the stomach. Stapleton and Wilkinson then returned to Bay Minette and told of what had occurred, when a posse, composed of the men named above, started in pursuit of the desperado. They suspected that the negro had gone in the direction of the old Stewart homestead two miles south of Bay Minette, which they reached at 11:30 o'clock Saturday night. The posse came suddenly and rather unexpectedly upon the negro desperado near the house, each member of the posse knowing the desperate character of the negro and his accurate marksmanship, instinctively jumped behind a tree. They did not take this precaution a minute too soon, for without a word of warning the negro opened fire with his Winchester. Some fifty shots were exchanged. Towards the close of the action it was noticed by the posse that Jim Stewart had ceased to fire. It was so dark he could not be seen, and repeated calls to him failed to elicit an answer, so his friends concluded that he was dead. The night was so dark that the posse were only able to judge the direction of the negro by the flashes from his gun. Soon after Stewart ceased firing the battle ended, and leaving Watts and Wilkinson in the hands of the desperado, who set out for Bay Minette, from which place he telegraphed to Brewton to Sheriff McMillan, who procured assistance and later reached Bay Minette with two bloodhounds. The Sheriff was piloted to the scene of the battle by Morgan Ashe, and there the dogs were put on the trail, which they followed for about two miles, when they lost the scent, due to the heavy rain which had fallen. When daylight came Jim Stewart was found crouched on all fours, with his gun clamped in his hands, as if he had just crawled from behind the tree and was in the act of preparing to fire when the fatal bullet sped on its deadly mission and passed clean through his body. The bullet entered on the right side, just under the arm, and came out on the left side, evidently passing through his heart, as he made no outcry, and his death must have been instantaneous. Stewart died within thirty feet of where he had been born thirty years ago. He leaves a father, mother and sister in Bay Minette, and is a brother of workman R. L. Stewart, of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad, who, on Saturday night, Jan. 26, was attacked by tramps near Bay Minette and badly wounded, it is supposed by the same negro who killed his brother Saturday night.

"Railroad Bill" is a noted desperado in that section of the county, and is charged with having killed the marshal of Bluff Springs, Fla., some six or eight months ago. He is also credited with being at the head of a gang of thieves who broke open and robbed railroad cars on the Louisville and Nashville Railroad at Bay Minette, Williams Station and other stations north. It will be remembered that on the morning of March 6 last this negro held up freight train No. 76, in charge of Conductor Carney. He was found asleep at the water tank at Hurricane bayou, two miles above Bay Minette, and was disarmed of a Winchester rifle and a big revolver. He gave his captors the slip, and pulling out of his bosom another big revolver, began shooting at them and drove them into a house. When another freight train came up he mounted the cab and made the engineer carry him past the station, after which he jumped from the cab and disappeared in the woods, firing his revolver as he went. Mr. Stewart, the deceased, was a nephew of Mr. C. E. Wilkins, of this place, and was prominently connected. He was about thirty years of age, unmarried, and was an excellent young man.

FROM CARNEY'S. We were lonely last week while you were having a lively time, it being court week, but suppose that now Daphne is once more

settled down and is pursuing the even tenor of her way.

Mrs. Carney, who was in Mobile last week visiting her sons and other relatives, has returned home. We always miss her so much, as she has been away so long in Florida visiting her relatives there. Mr. George W. Lewis, who was in Mobile last week, has returned and has about recovered from his severe cold. Mrs. Lewis' little daughter, Willie, who has been quite sick of the measles, has about recovered, as has also Mr. R. L. Dolive's little daughter, Lillie. Our popular young friend, Jas. Carney, pays us a flying visit occasionally on his "bike." We are having lovely Spring weather, which we can fully appreciate after such a severe winter, and all are busy now. With best wishes for THE TIMES, I must run back to my work, with the promise of writing you again soon, for now as THE TIMES is an all home-printed paper, I think it should have the news from every place in the county. OUIDA.

WASHINGTON CITY.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 8, 1895. The United States Supreme Court has got itself and nearly every body else in a stew over its decision of the income tax case. There was a leak somewhere, and a copy of the decision in full was sold to somebody to the Washington correspondent of the Chicago Tribune for a high price. While the members of the court are fuming about the leak and trying to locate it, nearly everybody else, except the lawyers, who look for fat pickings from the endless litigation expected to follow the decision, which exempts incomes derived from rents and from State and municipal bonds from the tax, is expressing more or less dissatisfaction. The Court was divided exactly in half on the question of the constitutionality of the law, which is expected will cause many refusals to pay the tax, because of the belief that with a full bench the ninth justice, who has been too ill to attend the present term of the court, will vote against the constitutionality of the tax when it is brought up again, as it is certain to be in the near future. Friends of the administration say that England has assured this government that it will not violate the Monroe doctrine in enforcing its demands upon Nicaragua, but it is noticeable that these same gentlemen express much satisfaction because there is a strong fleet of United States vessels in the neighborhood of Nicaragua to watch the English war vessels known to be on the way there. All of which indicates that the administration is not entirely satisfied with the decision. A diplomat, privately discussing the matter, said: "It must be remembered in considering those assurances that the English government does not put the same meaning upon the Monroe doctrine that Americans do. Consequently it may do things which it considers to be a violation of that doctrine, but which may be considered very differently by this government. It would not surprise me if there were shots exchanged by the warships of the two countries before the affair is over."

Widely mistaken ideas is prevalent concerning the duties of the three engineers just appointed by the president, under authority conferred by amendment to the Sundry Civil Appropriation Bill of 1895, to investigate the Nicaragua canal. It is not the purpose of these engineers to survey the route of the canal, as many suppose. That has been done long ago. Their duty is to go over the route as it has been surveyed and to verify or disprove the figures, both as to feasibility and cost, made by engineers in the employ of the Nicaragua canal company. It is largely because of doubt about the estimated cost, that Congress does not take on the subject at the last session. The personnel of the commission—W. J. Williams, Budlow, U. S. A., Conductor; E. T. Endicott, U. S. A., and Alfred S. Hoag, G. E., of Chicago, makes it certain that its work will be thoroughly done and that its report will be of value to the infinite Congress and to the people who are interested in the matter.

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