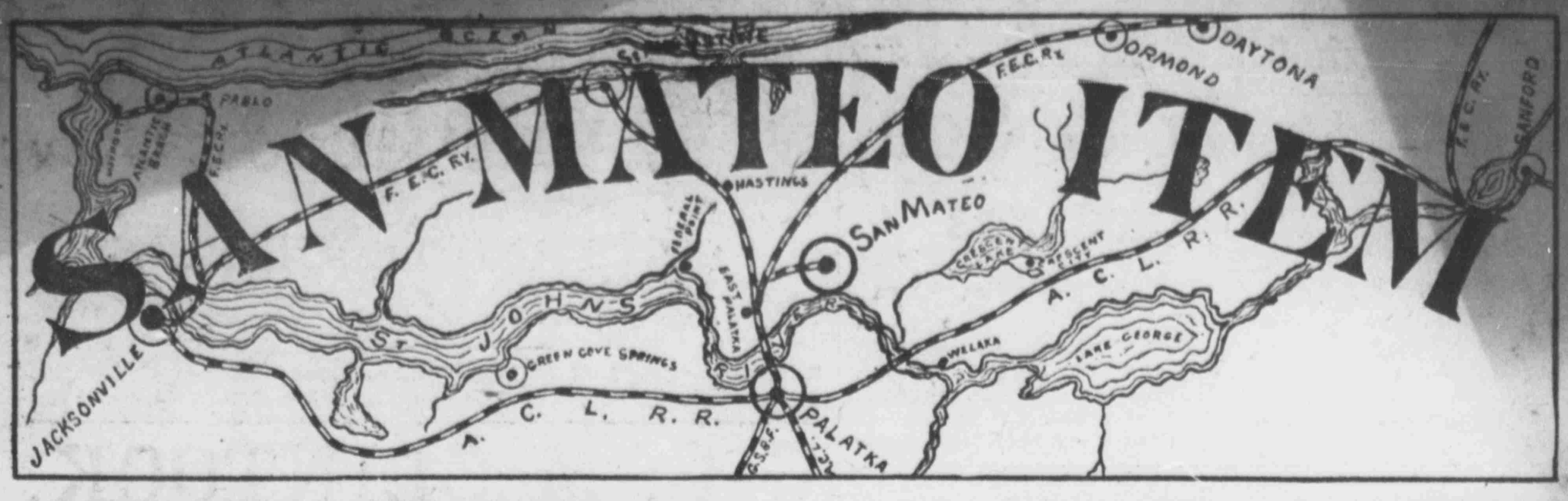

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News of the Week

Local Weather Report.

TEMPERATURE:

Nov. 27,—	"	....60.	"	....80.
" 28,—	"	....56.	"	....79.
" 29,—	"	....58.	"	....78.
" 30,—	"	....59.	"	....79.
Dec. 1,—	"	....58.	"	....80.
" 2,—	"	....58.	"	....74.
" 3,—	"	....55.	"	....62.

Mr. Chas. Hoag, Ossining, N. Y., is here again for the winter.

Dr. Schafer and son, of Belleville, Ill., were recent guests at Byrlyn Place.

Miss Johnson, cousin of Dr. Banker's, is spending a few days at the Byrlyn.

Dr. Banker is expecting his father and mother down from New York shortly.

Miss Kate Lucas, of Palatka, spent last Sunday in town a guest of Mrs. B. S. Crosby.

Byrlyn Place is receiving a fresh coat of paint which much improves the looks of things.

Miss Grace Gunn, who has been quite sick since returning from the North is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Briggs and party of six are expected down from Brooklyn about the 20th.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Acker are glad to welcome them back home again.

The Bailey Co., has moved into their new quarters at Mr. Bailey's cottage just east of his home.

W. H. Ilsley, representing W. W. & C. R. Noyes, of Boston, were registered at the Byrlyn yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace and Mr. Whitehouse, of Toronto, Canada, are guests at Byrlyn Place arriving Nov. 29th.

Mr. & Mrs. T. S. Quinby and Miss Hoose, of Gloversville, N. Y., have arrived and rented rooms for the winter of F. Carrington.

Mr. John Obry, of Aurora, Ill., is a late arrival. He will be joined later on by Mrs. Obry and they expect to locate here with the Ill., colony.

FOR CHRISTMAS.

If you want something nice to send your friends for Christmas, order of the San Mateo Fruit Company, an ASSORTED BOX, packed one-half best Oranges and the other half about a layer each of Grapefruit, Navels, Tangerines and Satsumas, with Kumquats on the leaf on top. Each variety in a different wrapper with a card distinguishing them. It makes the nicest box of fruit shipped out of Florida. The price is $5.00. We want your Christmas orders, and can supply any variety of Oranges or Grapefruit from $2.00 to $5.00 per box. Can prepay freight or express to any point and have special arrangements on single boxes to points near New York or Boston. Write SAN MATEO FRUIT CO., San Mateo, Florida.

Miss May Crosby and Master Ralph attended the lecture in Palatka Monday evening by Mr. Enos Mills, of the U. S. Forestry Service.

Mr. Chas. H. Stockwell and wife are expected from New York today. They will spend the winter in their new home recently purchased here.

Mrs. Geo. Rowland and son Clinton arrived this week from Gloversville, N. Y., and will be joined later by Mr. Rowland at their winter home here.

A V. I. A., card party was held Wednesday evening at Mrs. M. W. Crosby's. Owing to bad weather there was a small attendance, but all there enjoyed a pleasant evening.

The East Coast schedule changes on Jan. 4th. They will have four traing through each way: Leaving Jacksonville 7:30 a. m., 10 a. m., 3:20 and 9:30 p. m., and leaving Miami 4:45, 7:15, and 12:10 a. m., and 6 o'clock p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibson and children, of Phila., J. Walter Hilliard, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Haughton and daughter, Capt. Will Boyd, of Palatka, Mr. and Mrs. Husson, of New York, visited the Fruit Co.'s orange grove last Sunday.

The yacht Alameda, of S. C., tied up at the Fruit Co.'s wharf Wednesday night. On board was Senator Cameron, of Pennsylvania, owner of the yacht, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips and Mrs. McKellum, of Washington, D. C., Mr. Rutherford, and others. They were all delighted with the orange groves and carried away a few boxes of fruit for their friends.

Instruction in music in our public school was started this week. Miss Rowley will devote two hours each week to this work. This has been accomplished by the V. I. A. contributing one-half of the amount required and the patrons of the school the other half.

Mr. Grocott, of East Liverpool, Ohio, representing E. B. Redfield & Co., of Philadelphia, and Bradley Redfield, of East Liverpool, a branch of the Philadelphia house was calling on the growers here the first of the week. E. B. Redfield & Co., have and ad. on page 4.

Wm. O. Shreve & Sons, of Washington, D. C., are a concern established 47 years ago and in their many years have built up a business second to none in the fruit line in Washington. If you have not their stencil send for one and give Washington some of your shipments. Their address 921 B. St. N. W.

If one-quarter of the people who have written us they are coming down this way this winter, come to San Mateo, standing room here will be at a premium. Dr. Banker reports that reservations at the Byrlyn have already taken most of his rooms and he is making arrangements for rooms outside. The season is a good month earlier with him than last year.

Rev. Geo. Stockwell wife and three boys and Mrs. Smith are settled in the manse. Rev. Stockwell, will occupy the Presbyterian church pulpit this winter. Mr. Stockwell was a candidate in the recent election for Governor of N. Y., on the Prohibition ticket.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank the people of San Mateo and vicinity for their assistance and kindness to us during the illness and death of our little girl. F. S. BEE and WIFE.

Order your Wagons, Carriages, Fencing, Farm Machinery, etc., of Florida Purchasing Ag'cy, Palatka, and save 10 to 20%. 46 in. fencing 29c at Palatka. Write for particulars. Agents Cyphers Incubators and supplies.

A "Piano Club" has been formed with Miss Rowley Pres., Miss Houston Sec. and Treas. Their object is to raise money to pay for the piano at the Public School building. This is certainly a worthy object and it is to be hoped they will be most successful in their efforts.

Orange and Grapefruit Wraps.

Received car-load of Orange and Grapefruit Wraps, the best quality, on November 25. Will be pleased to have your orders.

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Notice.

There will be a Card Party for the benefit of the V. A. A. at the home of Mrs. M. W. Crosby on Wednesday evening, Dec. 2. Red cross stamps for sealing your Christmas purchases for sale. Admission 25c.

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