

Charlotte Harbor about four years ago. She leaves six children from seven to seventeen years.

Feb. 14, 1902 ROBERT BASSETT HUGHES, age 58, died in Punta Gorda, Feb. 8. He was born in Belfast, Ireland and came to the United States when 21 years old. At the time of his death he was manager of the San Carlos Hotel at St. James City, Pine Island. He leaves a wife and a son, EDWARD H. HUGHES and a daughter, Mrs. MEDFORD KELLUM of Miami.

Mar. 7, 1902 Born to Rev. & Mrs. H. W. JOINER, Feb. 28, a daughter. ROBERT MEACHAM a noted darkey who was at one time postmaster of Punta Gorda died in Tampa last Friday. CHARLES KRAUSE of the tugboat "Dewey" and Miss FRANCES SILCOX were married Feb. 22.

Mar. 21, 1902 THOMAS J. PEPPER died Monday at his home in Arcadia. His parents lived in Savannah and he settled in Florida about 16 years ago. He married a daughter of C. G. JOHANSON of Englewood. When Arcadia was selected the county site he went there and started a newspaper called the "Arcadian" which later became the "DeSoto News".

Mar. 28, 1902 OWEN H. DISHONG died Wednesday morning at his home at Owens, age about 50 years. He leaves a wife and five or six grown children. His widow is the sister of Mr. J. A. NEWSOME of this city. Mr. DISHONG was raised in this section of Florida and spent many of his early years in Manatee and Hillsboro Counties. He served several terms as Sheriff. ALBERT FRIES died at his home at St. Nicholas near Jacksonville, on the 20th. He was the father of Mr. C. L. FRIES and Mrs. JOSHUA MIZELL. The deceased was a noted journalist in Germany before moving to New York. LEE MULFORD, the well known Fort Ogden printer, is supposed to have drowned between Turtle Creek and Gasparilla on the night of Feb. 19. He was about 55 years old, of small stature, weighting not more than 130 pounds; wore a full beard trimmed short; hair and beard grey tinged with brown.

Apr. 4, 1902 Two men were killed by lightning about 4 P.M. Sunday three miles northeast of Calvinia in this county. They were ALONZO WHIDDEN, age 25 years, son of D. D. WHIDDEN and PETER LOWE, age about 50. The former was unmarried; the latter leaves a family. Mrs. WILLIAM McCLENITHAN died Monday morning at Arcadia of apoplexy. She was born in Alabama in 1846 and moved in infancy to Mobile. She was married in Aug. 1867 to WILLIAM McCLENITHAN and moved to Arcadia. Five children blessed this union - three which are dead, LULA a girl of 18 years, FRANK a lad of 8 and a small infant. The two left are Mrs. JOE LAMAR and son LEWIS. They raised two adopted ones, Mrs. WILL SCOTT and JOHN McCLENITHAN. The deceased was raised in the Presbyterian Church having been educated in a Presbyterian College in New Orleans, but joined the Methodist Church.

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LEE COUNTY: MARRIAGE RECORD #2

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George W. BARKER	Miss Laura TILLIS	24 Oct. 1895	L.S.WOOD
Daniel WALKER	Miss Della LEE	2 Nov. 1895	Henry MESSER
John H. MAY	Miss Nancy DRIGGERS	17 Dec. 1895	H.S.ENGLISH
William WEEKS	Miss Evelina BOEN	6 Jan. 1896	R.B.LEAK
William T. DODD	Miss Laura F. ANDRNS	29 Jan. 1896	J.D.MARTIN
John E. RENFROE of Ft. Denaud	Miss Fannie M. DANIELS	1 Mar. 1896	H.S.ENGLISH