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## Hobe Sound Beach Shop's Turtle Times

### Our History is a Treasure: Chapter Thirteen *By Jan Otten*

This time when I reached into my History Treasure Chest, I pulled up a yellowed, ragged edged, official looking document dated 1815 and entitled "Don Eusebio M. Gomez Royal Land Grant." This document was awarded by the King and Queen of Spain.

Naturally, my first thought was, "What is a Royal Land Grant?" and followed that with, "Who was Don Eusebio Gomez?". And, of course, "What does this have to do with Hobe Sound?" Well, I started doing my research and learned quite a bit about this important transaction that was a major part of Hobe Sound History.

According to Wikipedia: "A **land grant** is a gift of real estate – land or its use privileges – made by a government or other authority as an incentive, means of enabling works, or as a reward for services to an individual, especially in return for military service. Grants of land are also awarded to individuals and companies as incentives to develop unused land in relatively unpopulated countries."

Apparently, during the late 1700s and early 1800s, the Spanish territory of La Florida, was sparsely populated and considered vulnerable. Therefore, beginning in about 1783 until 1821, Spain offered land grants to anyone who settled in their colony of La Florida. Land grants were also offered to certain individuals as a reward, thereby encouraging settlement. When the United States acquired the Spanish territory in 1821 by treaty, it agreed to honor all valid land grants. The result of that agreement led to several years of litigation over the validity of many of those Land Grants. Residents had to prove the validity through documentation and testimonials. Grantees were required to provide a description of land granted; date of grant; size of grant; property boundaries; and proof of residency and cultivation. Because of these requirements, the records contain surveys and plats, copies of royal grants, testimonials, correspondence, deeds, wills, and translations of Spanish documents. Since many of the grants conflict and overlap with each other, not all of the information in the records can be considered accurate. Some of the surveys were not verified on the ground, nor was there a complete survey of Florida until the late 1820s.



There is not a lot known about Don Eusebio Maria Gomez. Apparently, he was "a merchant-shipper and defender of St. Augustine" and in 1815 received a royal grant by King Fernando VII of Spain of approximately 12,000 acres "for services to the crown." The land known as the "Gomez Grant" covered an area of approximately 8,000 acres on the mainland surrounding the Loxahatchee and Indian Rivers, and additionally the narrow strip of barrier island between the St. Lucie Inlet and the Jupiter Inlet that is now called Jupiter Island. (Yes, imagine, at one point in time one man owned all

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- Tommy Petty's band
- Alice in Wonderland's* foul-tempered monarch
- Traditional central cooking and heating area in a home
- To show one's emotions very openly
- Joseph Conrad's 1899 novella
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- King of England from 1189 to 1199
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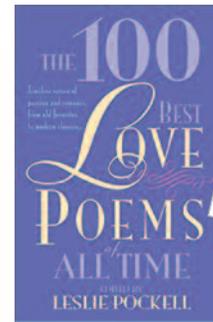


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# Chapter Thirteen

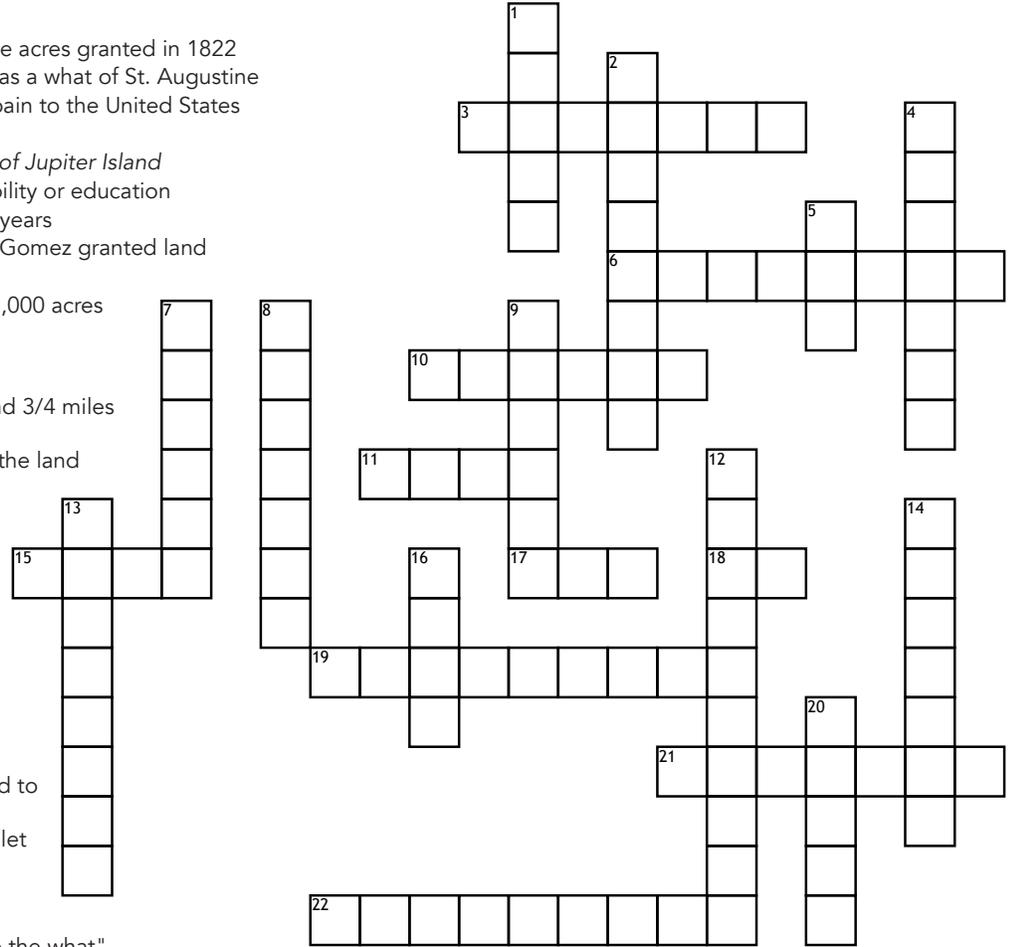
Hint: All Answers Can be Found in the *Chapter Thirteen* Article.

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- The Florida Territory was considered sparsely populated and what
- Name of the King of Spain who granted the land to Gomez
- The Gomez grant stretches from the St. Lucie Inlet to what other inlet
- What other location in the U.S. is named Hobe Sound
- The land was granted to Gomez for "services to the what"



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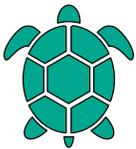


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Lead single on Bruce Springsteen’s 1980 album *The River* HUNGRY HEART  
Acid reflux HEARTBURN  
Tommy Petty’s band THE HEARTBREAKERS  
*Alice in Wonderland’s* foul-tempered monarch QUEEN OF HEARTS  
Traditional central cooking and heating area in a home HEARTH  
To show one’s emotions very openly HEART ON ONE’S SLEEVE  
Joseph Conrad’s 1899 novella HEART OF DARKNESS

Overwhelmingly frightening or emotionally gripping HEART STOPPING  
A celebrity known for his good looks HEARTTHROB  
Acting with little effort or enthusiasm HALF-HEARTED  
Dee Brown’s history of Native Americans the late nineteenth century BURY MY HEART AT WOUNDED KNEE  
Military decoration awarded to one wounded or killed while serving PURPLE HEART  
Young, romantic couple CHILDHOOD OR HIGH SCHOOL SWEETHEARTS  
King of England from 1189 to 1199 RICHARD THE LIONHEARTED  
Central core of a tree trunk HEARTWOOD  
A person considered to be dangerously softhearted BLEEDING HEART  
Popular song featured in the 1913 musical *Ziegfeld Follies* PEG O’ MY HEART  
Short story by Edgar Allan Poe, first published in 1843 THE TELL-TALE HEART



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of Jupiter Island.) The grant extended approximately three- and three-quarter miles west from the coast.

There are conflicting reports as to whether Don Eusebio Gomez ever visited the bestowed land, but possibly just considered it a hidden asset. While other reports state that he actually lived on and cultivated a portion of the land. It is known, however, that in about 1821 he sold 8,000 acres of the property to Joseph Delespine for \$1 an acre. And therein lies another conflict of reports. Some say that Jupiter Island was included in that sale while others say it was excluded. Based on the sale of his remaining land, by his heirs in 1892 it appears that Jupiter Island was not included in the original sale to Joseph Delespine.

In any event, Joseph Delespine, in about 1822, disposed of half the acreage to Michael Lazarus for \$4,000. And then just two years later, Lazarus sold all interest in his 4,000 undeveloped acres for the unbelievable sum of \$50,000. Gomez left Florida for Cuba, with 4,000 of his granted acres unsold.

Florida eventually became a territory of the United States with the Adams-Onís (Florida Purchase) Treaty, also called the Transcontinental Treaty, signed February 22, 1819, and ratified by Spain's government and the U.S. Congress in February 1821. The treaty gave the United States territorial control over both East and West Florida in return for American assumption of \$5 million in liability for damages done by Americans who had rebelled against Spain.

In addition, because so many people who were living in Florida had already obtained land from the Spanish authorities, the treaty had a unique provision. In Article VIII, it provided that: *"All the grants of land made before the 24th of January, 1818, by (the King of Spain), or by his lawful authorities, in the territories ceded by his Majesty to the United States, shall be ratified and confirmed to the persons in possession of the lands"* and that those prevented by circumstances from fulfilling the conditions of the grants *"shall complete them within the terms limited."* Grants after January 24, 1818, were declared null and void.

In 1822, the Board of Land Commissioners was established to verify titles and claims to land in East and West Florida. The board confirmed or rejected these claims, as claimants had to prove their ownership.

In spite of the Article VIII provision agreeing to honor land grants when the United States assumed control of Florida in 1821, the Gomez claim was challenged for various reasons, eventually to be settled by the U.S. Supreme Court. Gomez finally attained clear title several years later, with the properties undeveloped.

An interesting, and somewhat amusing fact was reported in *The History of Jupiter Island* written by Jupiter Island resident, Joseph V. Reed: *"At the court hearing to establish the validity of title for the land a witness asked, 'But how did the United States get possession of this land from Spain, and what right had Spain to it in the first place?'"* To answer the question, the examiner turned to an old tome on land titles and read to the court:

*"The United States acquired this land from Spain by treaty in 1820. Spain acquired possession of the land by virtue of the fact that Christopher Columbus in 1492 discovered and claimed it for Spain."*

*Columbus got his authority for making his voyage and discovery from Ferdinand and Isabella, the King and Queen of Spain.*

*Ferdinand and Isabella got their authority for sponsoring the voyage from the Pope of Rome.*

*The Pope of Rome got his authority by virtue of the fact that he said he was the vicar of Christ on Earth.*

*Christ got his authority by the fact He was the Son of God.*

*And God created the Earth."*

*"Such is the pedigree of Jupiter Island"*

In 1892, intending to develop a pineapple plantation, a group of Englishmen known as the Indian River Pineapple and Coconut Growers Association, or simply IRPCGA, purchased land from the heirs of Don Eusebio M. Gomez.

Sales of coconuts from existing palms was minimally successful on Jupiter Island. By 1895, with the construction of Flagler's railway, at least 50 individuals would have flourishing pineapple plots in Hobe Sound.

### Some Trivia of interest:

- Today we relate the name "Gomez" with a main north/south corridor – Gomez Avenue. On the southern end of Gomez Avenue, one finds the Hobe Sound Elementary School, The Hobe Sound Early Learning Center, as well as the Hobe Sound Bible Church, Academy and College. Continuing north are many lovely gated and ungated communities, some on the east side located on the Intracoastal Waterway with canals running between some of the homes. Also, just off Gomez Avenue on the north end is the Jimmy Graham Boat Launch Park and the Peck Lake Park. The east side of Gomez Avenue is referred locally as the "wet side" and the west side as the "dry side." In addition, some communities within Hobe Sound have maintained the Gomez name.
- There is no other location in the U.S. named Hobe Sound.
- Florida became the 27th State on March 3, 1845

### Word Origin for DON

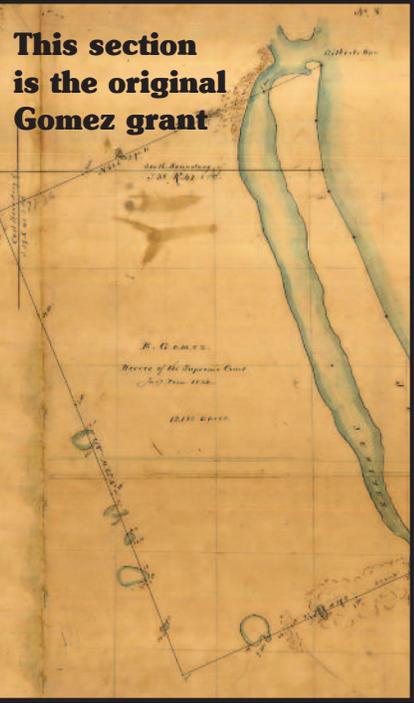
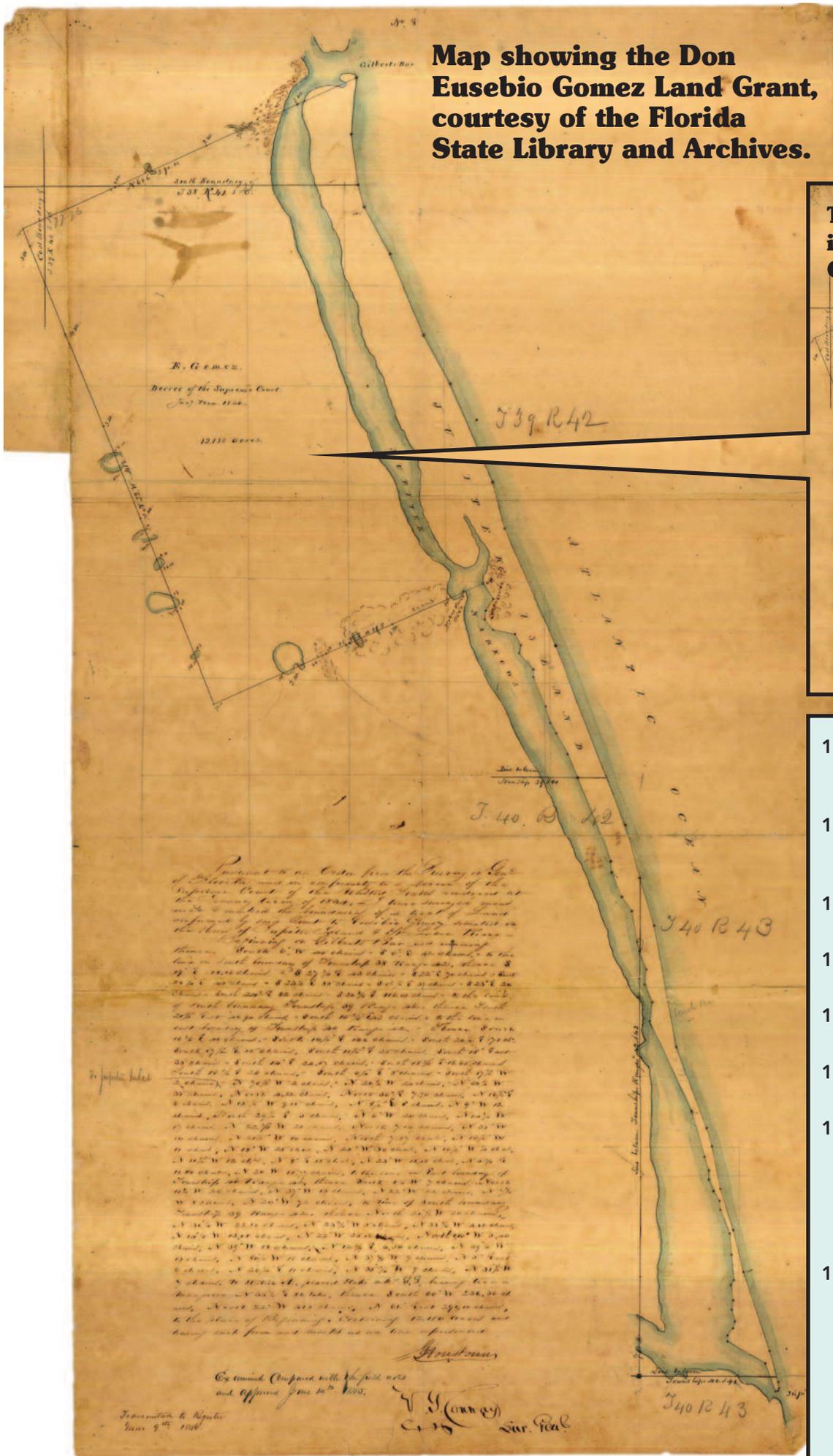
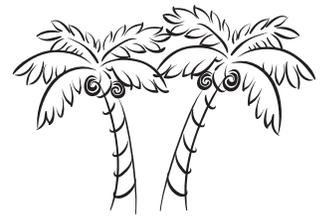
#### Noun

A Spanish title equivalent to Mr : placed before a name to indicate respect

The origin of this word comes from the Latin Dominus (which is translated as owner or Sr). In Spain, this was considered a title, reserved only for the royalty or a noble. The treatment gradually changed; at the verge of 19th century and beginning of the 20th, people with means (economically powerful) or with a recognized education level (regardless of the background) came to be addressed as Don (male) or Doña (female)

Some of the sources of information for this article include: Wikipedia; Florida State Library and Archives: Florida Memory; *History of Jupiter Island* by Joseph V. Reed; Writings of Denise K. Cummings in "New Media/New Methods"; and TC Palm, Hobe Sound Historical Vignettes

**Map showing the Don Eusebio Gomez Land Grant, courtesy of the Florida State Library and Archives.**



- 1815 Don Eusebio M. Gomez receives Land Grant Award from King of Spain
- 1821 La Florida becomes a territory of the United States by treaty
- 1821 Gomez sells 8,000 acres to Delespine for \$1 per acre
- 1822 Delespine sells 4,000 acres to Lazarus for \$1 per acre
- 1824 Lazarus sells his 4,000 acres for \$50,000
- 1845 Florida becomes the 27th State
- 1892 Gomez heirs sell the last remaining 4,000 acres, including Jupiter Island, to the Indian River Pineapple and Coconut Growers Association
- 1895 Flagler's Railway comes through Hobe Sound and greatly impacts the area



# Real Estate Corner - Happy New Year!

2022 is here already and let us all hope and pray for a better year than the past two. May the COVID-19 be history and life get back to its old social mingling as I for one am tired of watching people get vaccinated on TV and living with doom over their heads!

The Real Estate market has the lowest inventory in History. Home prices are at record breaking height! The good news is mortgage rates are still low, however that is bound to change shortly, and the rates will climb up as inflation gets higher!

What does inflation mean?

Inflation is the rate of increase in prices for a set of goods or services over a certain period of time, usually a year. According to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, the 12-month change in selected categories of consumer prices has increased by 6.2% as of October 2021, more than double the Fed's publicized inflation target of 2%.

Another way of thinking about inflation is that the purchasing power of each dollar is reduced because prices are rising.

As the Federal Reserve reports, since 1913 the average purchasing power of the consumer dollar in U.S. cities has declined by about 96.5%. In other words, \$1 a little over 100 years ago is only worth just 3 ½ cents today.

The fact that a dollar buys less as time goes on is one reason why it costs more to gas up a car, buy a gallon of milk, rent a home, or purchase a single-family rental property than it did even a few short years ago.

## How inflation affects real estate

In less than 10 years, the value of a typical middle price tier single family house in the U.S. has increased by over 90%,

according to Zillow(through Sep 30, 2021). Looking forward, the company forecasts that home prices will rise by 13.6% over the next year.

As inflation increases, interest rates also tend to rise, because central banks usually raise short-term interest rates, in an effort to "fight inflation."

Real estate prices tend to rise during periods of inflation caused by rising prices and excess money supply. To help offset the loss of purchasing power of the dollar, some investors use real estate as an inflation hedge to generate yield above the rate of inflation by locking in low long-term mortgage interest rates, exporting inflation to tenants by raising rents, and profiting from the potential increase in home prices over the longer term.

Taking into consideration inflation and rising mortgage rate perhaps now in early 2022 is the time to sell your home and purchase another more suitable home for yourself or to rent out for a long-term investment!

As a final note "PLEASE COVID BE GONE AND LET'S GET BACK TO THE GREAT LIFE HOBE SOUND HAS TO OFFER US ALL!"

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## Chapter Thirteen Answers

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16. What other location in the U.S. is named Hobe Sound NONE
20. The land was granted to Gomez for "services" to the what CROWN

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Sometimes overlooked, however, are the myriads of organisms that call the outside of a sea turtle home, who benefit by cleverly traveling the seas while their hosts do all the work! Collectively known as 'epibiota', nature is full of organisms that thrive on the exteriors of other organisms. Like it or not, your body's skin is currently inhabited by over 1000 species of bacteria, and around 80 species of fungi - on your heels alone! Though perhaps kinda gross at first, don't worry, you'll be fine...in fact, they are, collectively, partly responsible for keeping you fine. Often working together with our own skin's

immune system, this virtual army of tiny partners, known as symbionts, have evolved together with us to form a living layer of extra defense on our skin that helps protect us from non-stop invasions of harmful pathogens. Like us, sea turtles host quite a variety of symbionts, but unlike us, they are not limited to just microorganisms, they can actually host entire ecosystems right on their shells!

Recent studies have shed increasing light on the varied flora and fauna that reside on sea turtles, and the species list is growing all the time. Remember, though, that the turtles didn't start out with their passengers, which makes things all the more fascinating. Much like the gradual colonization of a freshly-created volcanic island, plant and animal species arrive over time (either actively or passively) in hopes of finding unoccupied niches. Once there, they begin to compete with one another, forming the basis of an isolated ecosystem. Some species of barnacles, for example, have become so specialized that they can only be found on certain kinds of sea turtles, making their existence fully reliant on their ability to locate these moving underwater 'islands of life' in the vastness of the oceans. Once aboard, however, those privileged enough to have found a spot may not be able to move very far themselves, but unlike island residents, allow their hosts to extend their ranges by thousands of square miles, sometimes even across entire ocean basins.

The types and quantities of epibiota the turtles carry provide life history clues concerning their past whereabouts and even their physical health; for example, it's quite common for debilitated sea turtles to present with excessive barnacle and algae loads, which is indicative of inactivity and abnormal floating. As time goes by, we look forward to unlocking more mysteries about what these diverse organisms can teach us about the turtles. Call them what you will... stowaways, maybe even freeloaders; but survival comes hard in nature, and sometimes being clever is the answer! Organisms associate in all sorts of ways, some to the harm of others, some to the benefit of others, and some mix it up a bit. There is, however, strength in cooperation, and we can turn to the study of sea turtles to help understand how such vastly different organisms can so effectively co-evolve to create these fascinating partnerships. Like the barnacle always says, 'just stick to it, you'll get there'!

**Submitted by Larry Wood, Ph.D.**

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