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## **Frank's Tweets: Who's Who**

### **SEPTEMBER 1911 - FEBRUARY 1912**

**Butler** - James Butler of Deerfield

**C.** - Clare, Frank's brother who lived in Michigan

**Combs** - Burch Combs, Boca Raton farmer

**Commers** - possibly Henry Kamiya, Sakai's brother

**Demery** - William (Will Demery), one of Chesebro's African American employees. Mr. Demery and his wife Belle moved to Boca Raton with their family in 1912, becoming two of Boca's earliest African American pioneers.

**E.** - Timothy Edgecomb *or* Emory Brooks one of Chesebro's African American employees

**Emory** - Emory Brooks, one of Chesebro's African American employees

**Flood, Joe** - Floods were local family what Chesebro did business with

**Gortons** - Vermonters who lived on the Intracoastal where Silver Palm Park is today

**H.** - Harry Chesebro, Frank's son

**Hassell** - possibly John Hassall of Delray

**Henry** - one of Chesebro's African American employees

**Hicks Allen** - neighboring farmer

**Jim** - James Huntley, one of Chesebro's African American employees

**John Brooks** - unknown Chesebro employee

**Johnson** - possibly Miss Maude Johnson of Deerfield

**Lewis** - Boca Raton pioneer T.M. Rickards' absentee partner who owned land in Boca Raton

**Lib** - Libby Chesebro Everts, Frank's sister

**Lib & Elmon** - Libby Chesebro Everts, Frank's sister, and her husband Elmon Everts

**Longs** - George Long family, Boca Raton pioneer family

**Maguires** - E.J. Maguire family, owned property on Intracoastal

**Mose Brown** - unknown Chesebro employee

**Mrs. Day** - friend of Chesebro family



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**N.** - Nettie, Frank's wife (N. also used as abbreviation for "North")

**Old Mr. Raulerson** - William T. Raulerson who came with his family in 1911

**Ollie** - Ollie Brown, one of Chesebro's African American employees

**Pete** - Pete Williams, one of Chesebro's African American employee

**R.** - Probably William J. Reed, one of Chesebro's African American employees

**Raulerson** - Probably Charlie Raulerson, Burt Raulerson's nephew who arrived in 1911

**Richard** - one of Chesebro's African American employees

**Ross** - Mr. Ross is a "distant relative" of Frank Chesebro

**Sakai, Jo** - leader of the Yamato Colony

**Schunks** - Boca Raton pioneer family

**Smith** - unknown resident of Yamato colony. Some black and white pioneers resided with the Japanese there

**Sutters** - family friends from Michigan with property in Boca Raton

**Wm Demery** - William (Will Demery), one of Chesebro's African American employees.

**Yager** - farmer who arrived in Boca Raton ca. 1910