

IN THE SOCIAL WORLD

Items of Interest Concerning Society People.

POINTS PURELY PERSONAL

How Celery City Vanity Fair While Away the Golden Hours—Social Gossip.

NO one seems to be caring about Lent this year. Here we are just in the beginning of the quiet season, and you do not hear any groans. The past week was a busy time with its dances, cake walks, weddings, musical receptions and parties, and after this "spurt" the gay ones appear to be ready to settle down to the forty days' rest and meditation.

The last week was something like the Sanford of other years. There was something doing socially every day, and many dress suits were pressed—many evening gowns overhauled—many times, two or three entertainments for the same evening, in addition to the many theatrical parties. Lent for Sanford people, and her tourist guests, holds no terror, and the season will go on, and merriment and gaiety reign supreme.

Bridge Party

Mrs. Forrest Lake entertained at bridge last Friday afternoon. There were four tables of bridge, and the games were filled with pleasurable excitement. Miss Winchester won the first prize, a beautiful hand-painted china plate, Mrs. H. P. Driver won the second prize, a dainty hand-painted candlestick holder.

Elaborate refreshments were served, and Mrs. Lake's reputation as a hostess was fully sustained.

Among those present were Mrs. Derry, Mrs. Driver, Mrs. Keelor, Miss Keelor, Miss Winchester, Miss Schumpert, Mrs. Puleston, Mrs. Compropt, Miss Caldwell, Mrs. Herndon, Mrs. Holst, Mrs. Maxwell, Mrs. D. L. Thrasher, Miss Morrison, Mrs. King, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Brown.

Washington Birthday Party

Generally speaking Sanford did not observe the natal day of the great Washington to any extent. It remained for Mrs. B. W. Herndon to impress the occasion upon the minds of a large number of guests who assembled at her home last Monday afternoon pursuant to a dainty invitation painted in regular hatchet and George Washington style.

Mrs. Herndon met the guests in the reception hall and escorted them to the tables where progressive euchre was indulged in for several hours. The parlors were beautifully draped, the windows with large flags and the chandeliers and mantles with small flags and red, white and blue effects. In the dining room the same color scheme was carried out. Hanging from the chandelier was a large American eagle in silver, with pinions stretched over the table. In the center of the table was a small tree the branches of which bore candied cherries and looked enticing enough to cause any youngster to cut it down with a hatchet.

Mrs. D. L. Thrasher and Mrs. B. F. Whitner dressed in colonial style presided at the luncheon table and dispensed delicious punch and fruit and lobster salad at intervals during the games.

The guests of honor were Mrs. F. E. Lane and Miss Guernsey.

Miss Parramore won the first prize, a beautiful hand painted china bowl. Mrs. Puleston and Mrs. Gonzalez were even for the booby prize and in the drawing, Mrs. Puleston won receiving a little red hatchet.

The affair was one of the most delightful of the many social successes that have marked Sanford's winter season and aside from the social aspect demonstrated the patriotism of Mrs. Herndon to so faithfully portray and befittingly celebrate Washington's birthday.

Among those present were:

Mrs. Derry	Mrs. Driver	Mrs. Keelor	Mrs. Puleston
Mrs. Compropt	Mrs. Herndon	Mrs. Holst	Mrs. Maxwell
Mrs. D. L. Thrasher	Mrs. King	Mrs. Smith	Mrs. Brown
Mrs. F. E. Lane	Miss Guernsey		

In Honor of Miss Parramore

Mrs. Deane Turner gave a bridge luncheon at her home last Tuesday, in honor of Miss Annie Parramore of Jacksonville.

Bridge luncheon, always delightful affairs, was made more popular by Mrs. Turner, and a dainty luncheon added zest to the games that followed.

Mrs. Keelor was the lucky one for first prize, receiving a hand-painted bon-bon dish. Miss Parramore received the guest prize, a dainty fan.

Those present were Mrs. Keelor, Miss Keelor, Miss Schumpert, Mrs. Driver, Mrs. Lanneau, Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. Derry, Mrs. Stryker, Mrs. Herndon, Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. Neal,

Mrs. Keely, Miss Parramore and Mrs. Robinson.

Musical At High School

One of the events of the season was the musicale given by the Irving Literary Society at the High School Auditorium on last Monday evening.

The program numbered some very fine selections and demonstrated the scope and musical ability of those taking part. 'Tis seldom that a high school of a city double the size of Sanford contains so many musicians among the pupils and the musicale on Monday night was a revelation to the large number of people present.

The program below demonstrates that the musical education of the High School pupils has not been neglected:

"Invocation"	Milo Deyo
Duet, "King of the Carnival"	Martha Fox
"Soldier's Farewell"	Hoskins Jones and Blanche Johns
"Remembrance"	Charles Reber
"He Was a Prince"	Frank Lynes
"Carrissima" Flute Solo	Arthur A. Penn
"Music On The Water"	A. P. Wyman
Duet	Clarence Mahoney and Leon Ringnet
"Mary"	Saidee Williams and Ruth Mettinger
Mazurka	Miss Herrick
"Afterwards"	Ruth Abbott
	Cornet Solo, John W. Mullen
	Miss Stumon

Cake Walk At Sanford House

The waiters and hotel help of the Sanford House gave a cake walk on Monday night. A large crowd witnessed the event and it was enjoyed by every one. The cake walks given by the colored employees of the Florida hotels are becoming very popular and these affairs always afford much amusement for the guests of the hotels and the people who attend. Those who attended the cake walk at the Sanford House were amply repaid as there was great doings in "colored sassety" and the gyrations of the participants were all that could be desired.

Birthday Party

Little May Thrasher was nine years of age on Thursday and in order to properly observe this momentous event gave her little friends a party. Quite a number responded to the invitation as May in spite of her tender years has gained quite a reputation as a hostess. The little folks enjoyed this occasion to the fullest extent with games and amusements of various kinds. Dainty refreshments were served and the children departed wishing Miss May many many more happy birthdays.

Launch Party

Col. Andrew Johnson gave a launch party on Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. J. E. Gelston Columbia, S. C., and Miss Annie Arey of Salisbury, N. C., the guests of Miss Biggers. The trip over to Enterprise was enjoyed by the party to the fullest and the trip voted a grand success.

Those participating were Mrs. Gelston, Miss Arey, Miss Biggers and Mrs. Biggers and Messrs. Andre Johnson, LaRue Johnson and Mr. Seaton of Jacksonville.

At Five Hundred

Mrs. W. A. Fitts, Jr., gave a progressive five hundred party at her beautiful home on Second street last Thursday. So many guests were present that seven tables were filled with the players and the occasion was one long to be remembered. The rooms were artistically decorated in hearts and the problem of guessing their number was one of the features of the afternoon. On this Mrs. J. W. Dickens was nearest to the total number and was rewarded accordingly. Miss Winchester carried off first honors in the progressive five hundred.

Dainty refreshments aided in the enjoyment of the occasion.

PURCHASED PASTIME THEATRE

Will be Greatly Augmented by New Material

Hon. Geo. De Cottes has purchased the Pastime Theatre, and hereafter this well-known place of amusement will be in charge of A. A. Preston. The vaudeville attractions, which were objectionable to many of the patrons, will be eliminated, and only the moving pictures and illustrated songs will be given. The new management will have three reels of new pictures every day, instead of two, and for the benefit of tourists who come in on the boat, a reel will be shown at 11 o'clock every morning. The same hours for the afternoon and evening performances will be observed, and a fine electric piano will be installed, adding greatly to the popularity of the Pastime, a good, clean amusement place where you can take your family and enjoy an hour.

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The Sanford Machine and Foundry Works have added to their plant a complete outfit for repairing automobiles of all kinds. This will be found of great convenience to the many people in Sanford who have automobiles, and it is no longer necessary to go to Orlando with machines for repairs.

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ST. FRANCIS HOME DESTROYED

Magnificent Residence Was Burned on Sunday Morning

Early Sunday morning the magnificent home of Mr. John E. Harris at St. Francis was completely destroyed by fire.

The family was awakened by Miss Laura Francis Harris, who discovered the blaze in the two-story laundry house, which was then burning fiercely in the rear.

Members of the family immediately put fire extinguishers in use, but the fire could not be checked and soon spread rapidly. Seeing that there was no chance to save the home, articles of clothing, silverware, etc., were carried from the house, the smoke then being so thick that it was almost impossible to enter the house.

The loss was total, with some insurance.

Winner Washing Machines

A few more of these still left, sold strictly on guarantee. If they do not do what we claim, money is refunded. Harry J. Wilson

Sanford On the Hustle

Sanford is on the hustle these days. Celery is beginning to move in car-load lots; strawberry shipments are giving satisfactory returns; land buyers are numerous; a driving club is to be organized; golf links are to be laid out; the Clyde Line is making extensive improvements, and a number of minor enterprises add their quota of industrial harmony to the busy hum in our sister city.—Orlando Sentinel.

County Tax Assessor's Notice

Either I or an assistant tax assessor will be at the following named places to receive tax returns for Orange county for 1909:

Sanford, February 27th and March 1st at the City Clerk's office.
Sylvan Lake March 2nd.
Lake Mary March 3rd.
Longwood March 4th.
Geneva March 11th.

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In this Department will be found the Views, Opinions and Comment of Practical Writers.

We invite correspondence on live topics from all sections of the County, also news items of interest. Brevity will insure prompt publication. Articles contrary to the views of the Editor will be published, but abusive and anonymous communications will be rejected. We will not be responsible for opinions expressed by contributors. All communications intended for current issue must be in hand not later than Tuesday p. m. 1—Eo.

Stop Agitation of Crum Matter

To the Editor of The Herald:
In its Saturday issue the Atlanta Independent, a negro paper edited by B. J. Davis, comes out squarely against further agitation of the Crum episode in Congress and declares that the appointment of negroes to Federal offices in the South is not a help but a decided hindrance to the best interests of the colored race.

Of all that has been said or written on the Crum matter nothing is more notable than this editorial. It is a new light of common sense and real patriotism thrown from rather an unexpected angle on the question of negro office-holding. It accepts Mr. Taft's position that in the South federal appointments should be made with a view of showing this section that the administration has genuine regard for it. The position is an advanced one from the standpoint of the Independent and shows that this Journal has the real welfare of the colored people at heart. Following is the editorial in part:
"The Independent loves the race, and is satisfied with its racial distinction. We are willing to go any reasonable length, or make any sane sacrifice to preserve intact our manhood rights, but there is such a philosophy as paying too dear for your whistle."
"There is as much wisdom in recognizing an actual condition, and fitting yourself in your immediate environs as there is in recognizing a cardinal principle of justice and fighting for its triumph. It is obvious, and we do not feel that the proposition will admit of controversy, that the race and the country have had enough of the 'Crum episode' and is now being gagged with an overdose of principle (1)"

"It matters not whether Senator Tillman is right or wrong, or whether a fundamental principle involving the manhood rights of the race is an issue, the effort has been overdone, and the white man has some rights in the premises in common with his colored neighbor, that deserve consideration, and it is high time that the President, the Crums and the 'principle' defenders were recognizing the actual conditions and looking the facts in the face. It is manly to stand up and fight for principle when victory will be real, but recklessness to lose your life in a futile effort to achieve a victory that in the end will only be realized in theory."

"If the fealty of the party to its negro members is involved in the 'Crum episode,' the party has proved its sincerity beyond cavil, and ought to be relieved of further embarrassment. If the principle involving the right of the negro to participate in government affairs in common with every other element of population, was up for settlement, the issue has been constructively settled in our favor by Dr. Crum's long tenure of service in the very position involved, and the country ought to be given a rest. The negro and the Republican party are hard up against the South's intense race prejudice, and we had as well meet the issue squarely, and admit that there is enough merit in the Southern white man's contention to give the question the most humane and reasonable consideration. The effort of the Republican party to thrust the negro office-holder on the South, against its expressed will, has not availed either the party or the negro anything, and it is about time to change our policy and treat the white man's prejudice from another angle. The effort has not stopped with intensifying the white man's prejudice against the race, but its persistency has lessened the negro's usefulness and opportunities in every other field of human endeavor among the people he must prove his worth to, or by his failure demonstrate that he was at his best as a slave."

"The principle involving the right of the

black man to hold office can be preserved inviolate without destroying every other helpful element of his existence, both in the economic and industrial equation of our national life. The principle ought to be exercised in those communities where its practice meets the least opposition.

The white man, taken as a part, or as a whole, in our national life or in the South, constitutes in a most eminent degree, the brains, wealth and character of every community, and it is hardly reasonable to expect him to yield without a struggle to any invasion of his right to control by any admittedly inferior element. The white man has the same right to oppose Dr. Crum that we have to support him. We support him because he is a negro, and Senator Tillman opposes him for the self-same reason. Our chief argument in support of confirmation is 'His defeat will be a constructive denial of the right of the race to hold office,' and for the 'naked' reason that Crum is a negro we insist upon his confirmation. Senator Tillman, on the other hand, insists with equal logic for the reason that he is a negro that he ought to be denied the right in common with all negroes, and thus the issue is made up. Well, the white man constitutes about 60 per cent of the people of the South, 75 per cent of the morals and intellect and 95 per cent of the wealth, and from his standpoint it seems hardly fair and just that 40 per cent of the people, 25 per cent of the respectability and five per cent of the wealth should direct the affairs of government or participate substantially against the will of the wealth, respectability and the character of the community involved.

"The negro may beat the devil around the stump as much as he pleases; he may bask in the beautiful theory of his manhood rights, but there is no getting away from the real condition he is up against—the white man's prejudice—and the wisest and most helpful way to study this element of our political economy is to reverse positions with his white neighbor and theorize what he would do if in their places under the same circumstances and conditions." —S. M. M.

WHAT THE GROWERS ARE DOING

Sanford Growers Are in the Midst of the Busy Season

The Florida Fruit and Produce News in making a summary of the vegetable and fruit shipments of this section, together with what the growers and shippers are doing, has the following to say relative to Orange county:

Celery growers at Sanford are in the midst of their busy season. Celery being the main thing about here, everybody is more or less interested in the crop. The recent cold snap just put the right crispness in it, and did more good than harm.

Among the celery men Joe Cameron has ten acres from which he will begin to ship very shortly. He also has six acres of lettuce that will begin to go forward early next week.

T. P. Compropt is another of Sanford's successful celery growers who is not complaining of hard times. J. S. Moore is another successful celery grower who has made money enough to open a store on Celery Avenue.

J. L. Wright has one acre in lettuce, three in celery and four in potatoes and beans.

H. R. and Ed Stevens have two acres in cabbage, one in lettuce and five in a variety of spring vegetables.

"D. G. Moore expects to plant ten acres in spring vegetables of various kinds.

Enery & Cooper of Richmond, Ind., have five acres which they are farming here, and Levi Binford, from the same place, has five acres which he will plant in beans and potatoes.

Henry Stevenson of DeLand has ten acres here which he will plant to tomatoes.

J. S. Moore of Oviedo expects to move to Sanford soon to grow celery.

About 4,000 boxes of oranges are yet to be shipped from Ocoee, belonging to D. O. Maguire, W. P. Blakeley, E. O. Sims and T. N. Butler.

There are about 5,000 boxes of late oranges yet to be shipped from Tildenville.

Children's Dancing Class

Miss Gelsie Butt has opened a dancing class in connection with her other class. Lessons will be given on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons at three o'clock, at the Hotel Wilton. Terms, two dollars for eight lessons.

The Herald's phone is No. 148

ALL AROUND FLORIDA

The General News of "The Land of Flowers"

CULLED FROM THE STATE PRESS

An Epitome of the Week's Most Important Happenings in the State's Domain.

Peaches are in market in limited quantity in Kissimmee.

Lieut. Commander Hutchinson I. Cone, fleet engineer of the Atlantic fleet, has been appointed chief of the bureau of steam engineering of the United States navy, with the title, rank and pay of a rear admiral of the line. Rear Admiral Cone is a son of Hon. D. N. Cone of Benton, Columbia county, Florida, and was appointed to the naval academy from this state in 1890, graduating in the class of 1894.

Last week's storm at Pensacola did considerable damage in the way of unroofing buildings and blowing down boat houses and sheds along the water front.

The winter Chautauqua at Gainesville has been in session for the past ten days, and has been largely attended.

Polk county has been redistricted, and Lakeland becomes a district by itself, with a population of 3,932.

Work on the \$150,000 public building for Gainesville is to commence the first week in April.

Will H. Stone, a blacksmith in the employ of the Edge-Dowling Lumber Co. at Taylorville, had his left leg torn from his body by being caught in the belting one day last week. He was a married man, and highly respected.

A proposition is now on foot to manufacture furniture from cabbage palmetto wood, treated by a patent process. The manufactured articles vie in beauty with those made from birch and birdseye maple. The matter is before the Jacksonville board of trade.

Two cottages in West Tampa, occupied by Cuban cigar makers, were burned last Friday. Fire was caused by Mrs. Bencomo trying to hasten her cooking by pouring kerosene on the fire. The oil ignited with a flash, setting fire to the house and to Mrs. B.'s clothing. The lady quickly put out the flames on her dress, thus saving her life, but help arrived too late to save the building—or the one next to it. Loss about \$3,500, partially covered by insurance.

Z. Phillips, who formerly operated a novelty works in Orlando, was hurt last Friday in Tampa by the explosion of a soda water bottle, a piece of flying glass hitting him on the temple and cutting an artery. He was attended by Dr. Wells and will be none the worse for the accident.

For the second time within two weeks, the store of the Tampa Hardware Co. has been burglarized. Shotgun was the plunder taken the last time.

Two brothers named Kington have been arrested in Alachua county, charged with passing counterfeit money. They are believed to be members of an organized gang of counterfeiters.

The three-masted schooner *Horace Stone* from Tampa for Norfolk, Va., has made the port of destination in a crippled condition, but without loss of any of her crew. The vessel encountered severe gales during which she lost her topmast, most of her sails and rudder-head. Her cargo was not damaged.

Aunt Dorcas Bryant, one of the old-time slave mammys, who was always doing good deeds, has passed to her reward, at the age of 86 years. She had lived in Tampa and vicinity for about 40 years. She was one of those good old souls who knew no color line when good deeds were needed, and many white people are indebted to her for charitable acts that were denied them by their own race.

Harold Mosely, an employee at the Daugherty stables in Lakeland, was shot last Saturday and died before medical aid could be had. He had driven over to the Hancock place with a couple of women, and for some reason was ordered out of the house. As he was getting into the carriage a shot was fired which entered his back. He drove hurriedly toward Mulbury, about three miles distant, but died before getting there.

There were shipped from Plant City last week 18,760 quarts of strawberries, which brought an average price of twenty cents a quart.

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CAMERON CITY, THE NEW**Another Metropolis to be Built
On Lake Jessup****MANY NEW BUILDINGS ERECTED****On the Line of The Sanford & Everglades Railway, and Borders
On the Lake**

[Reprint Sanford Herald, February 20th, 1909]
The great Celery Delta has sprung many surprises in the way of developments in the past six months, and not the least of these is the new town of Cameron which is being built upon the shores of Lake Jessup, about five miles from Sanford and on the line of the Sanford & Everglades Railway.

The new city derives its name from Joseph Cameron, who at one time owned most of the land now traversed by the new railroad and is one of the pioneers in the growing of celery and lettuce and has done much toward improving and making greater the vegetable industry.

The Howard-Packard Land Co., about one year ago, purchased 1,000 acres of land on the shores of Lake Jessup and realizing the great possibilities of the celery delta, have worked indefatigably to build up and improve this section. They have already disposed of over 300 acres in ten-acre lots in the vicinity of Cameron City. The greater part of this land is now under cultivation and the new city of Cameron will offer great inducements for people to locate and build homes. A lot is offered free to any one who will build a home upon the same. A large brick warehouse and general store will be erected at once and a small saw-mill will be established in order to work up the lumber that abounds in this vicinity and will furnish much of the material for the new houses.

Mr. Sussex of Michigan is one of the first to build a new residence in Cameron and is now erecting a fine two-story home in which he expects to reside. Several new houses have been erected upon the neighboring farms and location of the new town makes it an ideal one for a home. The town has been platted into forty-five lots and anyone wishing to purchase can get further information from the Howard-Packard Land Co. The Cameron City property was intended primarily for homes of those who had farms in the immediate vicinity, but so great has been the demand for these lots that they have been placed at the disposal of the public and in the near future will become very valuable as the tide of homeseekers sweeps southward toward Lake Jessup.

The Sanford & Everglades Railway has made possible the new city of Cameron and many other improvements in the lands which a few years ago were given over to the cattle for grazing purposes.

It is the prediction of many that in a few years the entire celery delta, from a distance of ten miles west of Sanford to Lake Jessup, will be one vast settlement and farming land will become as valuable for building purposes as it is now for the growing of vegetables. Such a prediction stands a good chance of being fulfilled if the people continue to buy property as they have in the last few months, and while there is plenty of land at the present time, the demand is constantly increasing the price and the property is becoming more valuable every day.

With the advent of the street railway from Sanford to Cameron City the eyes of the prospective settlers and our own citizens will turn to suburban homes and the City of Sanford, instead of being confined to its present narrow radius, will embrace a much larger territory and become a Greater Sanford.

MOVEMENT OF ORANGES LIGHT**So Say Chase & Co., But the Demand is Very Heavy**

Jacksonville, Feb. 22.—Chase & Co., say the movement of oranges continues light with demand heavy. Stock has been arriving in good condition and is giving excellent satisfaction. Grapefruit is in light supply with smaller sizes. Tangerines are about all shipped and pineapples are becoming scarcer. They report the movement of Sanford celery light and look for only moderate shipments the balance of the week. The trade is displaying a great deal of interest in the Sanford celery. Preference will be shown the Florida stock, Chase & Co., say, as the California celery is bound to show the effects of the heavy rains in California. Sanford celery is now at its prime and Chase & Co., are in a position to furnish fine stock, properly bleached, graded and packed.

Just Received

The largest line of sporting goods ever received in Sanford—guns, rifles, hunting clothing, etc. Harry J. Wilson.

After a service of thirty-five years, M. F. Schmittberger has been made Chief Inspector of Police of New York city.

THE PRIDE OF WINTER PARK**Description of Buildings Dedicated at Rollins College**

Following is a description of the new buildings dedicated last week at Rollins College, Winter Park:

Carnegie hall, the gift of Andrew Carnegie, is to be used for library and administration purposes. It is 88x50 feet and two stories in height. The material is Florida sand-lime brick, with cement stone trimmings and the roof is covered with red clay tiles, Spanish style of architecture. On the wall to the right of the handsome entrance is a bronze medallion of Andrew Carnegie and on the left a bronze tablet containing the name of building, the president of the college and the architects. The building faces north, and the west half of the ground floor is devoted to the reading room—50 by 37 feet—and reaches to the heavily timbered roof. An octagonal gallery extends around this room and both above and below there are alcoves reaching to the edge of the gallery, affording shelf-room for some 20,000 volumes. The floor of this room is of Indian red cement, and the room is finished throughout in natural wood. A glass partition containing a hinged window and a railing separate the reading room from the librarian's room, which is connected by a lift with the second floor. The east half of the ground floor is devoted to the offices of the president, secretary, treasurer, bursar and dean. These offices are large and commodious and are finished in natural wood, and have filled and waxed floors. The rooms on the second floor will be used ultimately for steel book stacks, which will probably provide accommodation for 100,000 volumes. Until they are needed for this purpose three of them will be used as class rooms by the professors of History and English. A large room, 38x20 feet will be set apart for the use of the Young Women's Christian Association, the Kappa Epsilon Sorority and other organizations of the young ladies.

Carnegie Hall was designed from President Blackman's sketches by Whitfield & King, 100 Fifth Avenue, New York. The contractors were W. P. Richardson & Co., of Jacksonville.

Chase Hall

Chase Hall, a dormitory for young men, was erected in memory of the late Loring A. Chase, one of the founders of the town of Winter Park, who left a bequest to the college at his death, two years ago, for this purpose.

Designed by Whitfield & King and built by W. P. Richardson & Co., of Jacksonville. Material is white sand-lime brick with stone trimmings, and the roof is of Ludowici red clay tile. It contains eighteen double and six single rooms, together with a large common room with fireplace and built in seats. On the second floor there are five toilet rooms with shower baths. The building overlooks Lake Virginia, toward which the land slopes sharply, and in this direction two porches on each floor and a large terrace give outlook—the terrace is floored with Indian red cement and affords space for potted ferns and palms. The furniture is Mission style, stained light green. A more beautiful home for young men could hardly be imagined.

Early in the week the college buildings and grounds began to wear a festive and expectant look, and everywhere were signs of busy and elaborate preparations for the dedication.

Wednesday the guests began to arrive, and the doors of Chase hall were thrown open to the visitors.

At 7 o'clock the Trustee's dinner—cooked and served by members of the cooking class of the college under the direction of Miss Elizabeth D. Burleigh—was given at President Blackman's home.

City Restaurant Changes Hands

Last Monday morning the City Restaurant, which heretofore has been conducted by R. L. Jones, was purchased by H. E. Wise, lately of the New Alexandria hotel, Jacksonville.

Mr. Wise is no stranger to Sanford people, he having conducted the Central Cafe here until the fire in the Hines block last April put him out of business. He then made a great success, although it was his first experience in the restaurant business. Judging from that success, and by the experience gained by him in Jacksonville, it is safe to say that he will be able to afford a first-class eating place for ladies and gentlemen. Besides serving regular meals, lunches and quick orders will be served. A high-grade cook has been engaged and gentlemanly waiters are in attendance.

In the conduct of the business, Mr. Wise is ably assisted by Mrs. Hicks, who was also his assistant in the Central Cafe.

Card to the Public

Being unable to see my friends and patrons before my departure, I take this occasion to express my thanks to the public for the patronage accorded me in the past, and bespeak the same for the Sanford Grocery Co. in the future.

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COUNTY HAPPENINGS

A Budget of Interesting Items From Correspondents

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CHULUOTO CHRONICLES

Special Correspondence to The Herald. We had quite a hail storm on Thursday of last week, doing some damage to the more tender plants.

Mrs. Lem. Hodges of Christmas and her sister, Miss Mattie Simmons of Ft. Taylor, spent Tuesday and Wednesday visiting Mrs. M. E. Jacobs and son, John W.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Aulin of Oviedo spent Sunday here with friends and relatives.

Rev. T. J. Bell of Kissimmee filled the appointment in the Baptist church Sunday.

Rev. E. Lee Smith of Longwood will hold services in the Baptist church next Sunday. There will be two sermons during the day. -Dunes on the grounds.

Mrs. N. C. Jacobs and little daughter, Myrtle, and Mrs. G. G. Jacobs left Saturday for the East Coast, where they will spend several weeks with relatives and friends.

A party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Raulson of Geneva, Fla., Dr. Burnes and Mrs. Spindler of Defiance, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Burries and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, of Lexington, Ky., Mrs. Fleming of Washington, D. C., Master Tommy McClain of Geneva, were guests of the "Palm" Sunday.

OVIEDO OCCURRENCES

Special correspondent to The Herald.

Mr. Pierce, one of the most popular young conductors on the Seaboard, has charge of this run for a few days, relieving Mr. Brunnon, who was called to Jacksonville for a few days on official business.

A. C. Hollinger, who has been here a week visiting his sister, Mrs. J. E. Alexander, left Tuesday morning for Tampa, where he will spend a few days, and then proceed to his northern home in Washington. He enjoyed his visit here immensely.

A pleasant party of our northern friends, and several Oviedo residents went over to Gee Hammock Tuesday morning on a picnic and fishing expedition. They report a jolly good time.

Lige Cushing left Tuesday morning for Jacksonville, where he goes for a few days on a joint business and pleasure trip.

A camping party from Oviedo was down on the creek near the river for a few days last week. Mr. and Mrs. Batts Jones visited them Sunday and reported an enjoyable time.

ENTERPRIZE ETCHINGS

Special Correspondence to The Herald:

Munday, the young people gave a surprise party to Miss Lottie Keithly at the Orphanage. They were dressed in many fancy costumes and wore masks. Miss Keithly was requested to guess who they were, and after guessing they took off their masks and spent a pleasant evening, with games, music and recitations. Dainty refreshments were served.

Munday night, in the parlor of the Epworth Inn, Rev. Dr. Henderson of Cincinnati, Ohio, gave a lecture on the lives of Grant and Lee.

Miss Clifford Hendry went to Orlando last Friday and returned Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace of Chester, Pa., leave today to return home; also Rev. E. E. Burries of Philadelphia.

Mrs. R. Darrant and daughter, Agnes, of Birmingham, Ala., are visiting her sister, Mrs. Jas. Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Parker left Saturday for Miami, Key West and Havana, thence to their home in Westfield, Mass.

APOPKA AFFAIRS

Special Correspondence to The Herald:

The new Baptist church building will be formally opened for service next Sunday morning, 28th inst., at 11 o'clock.

Much of the material has been delayed and in consequence the building will lack a great deal of being completed, but the auditorium will be ready for use, and it has been thought best to go ahead with the opening without waiting for every detail of the work to be completed.

To Rev. R. N. Cate, who has been supplying the church as pastor, and who has been the mechanic in charge of the work of construction, has been accorded the honor of preaching the opening sermon.

There will also be preaching at the evening hour by Rev. Mr. Cate or some other minister.

Prof. J. H. Newman has improvised a choir of some of the best voices in town, and is preparing special music for the occasion.

Your correspondent is authorized to invite most cordially all of the home people

and also those of contiguous communities who may find it practicable to come. It is expected that there will be a large attendance, and that the occasion will prove a most pleasant one.

Rev. Mr. Hardaway filled his appointment at the Presbyterian church Sunday and Rev. Mr. Boyd preached at the Methodist church in Ocoee.

Alfred Eldredge who returned from the Georgia Technological school a few days ago will take a partnership in his father's large mercantile business. Alfred has just attained his majority and is one of Apopka's most estimable young men.

The Epworth League will hold a social at the residence of Prof. and Mrs. J. H. Newman Friday night.

Henry Hickson, who has been visiting his uncle, Mr. J. E. Hickson has returned to his Georgia home.

Messrs. Cunningham and Byrd have returned from a southern trip which embraced Tampa, St. Petersburg and other points. Apopka is the best of all.

Mr. Willett, a kinsman of J. R. Womble who came here some time ago from North Carolina, has decided to remain and has accepted a position in W. R. McLeod's store.

J. W. Pruitt and wife, who have been spending the winter here, have returned to their home in Brevard, N. C.

C. H. Hopkins and wife and Misses Sarah Russell and Kathleen Mitchell returned recently from a trip to Palm Beach.

J. M. Bedford, a former resident of this place but now residing in Lexington, Ky., has been spending a few weeks here and visiting friends. He left this week for his present home.

Mrs. Augusta Harris and daughter, Dorothy Prevatt, have resigned as managers of the Wekiwa Springs hotel and have gone elsewhere.

Washington's birthday was celebrated here only by the school, the scholars being given a half holiday. Miss Dart, the accomplished principal and her efficient assistants, try on every occasion to instill into the minds of the children principles of patriotism. The school is progressing well along all lines and is receiving the sympathetic support of the patrons.

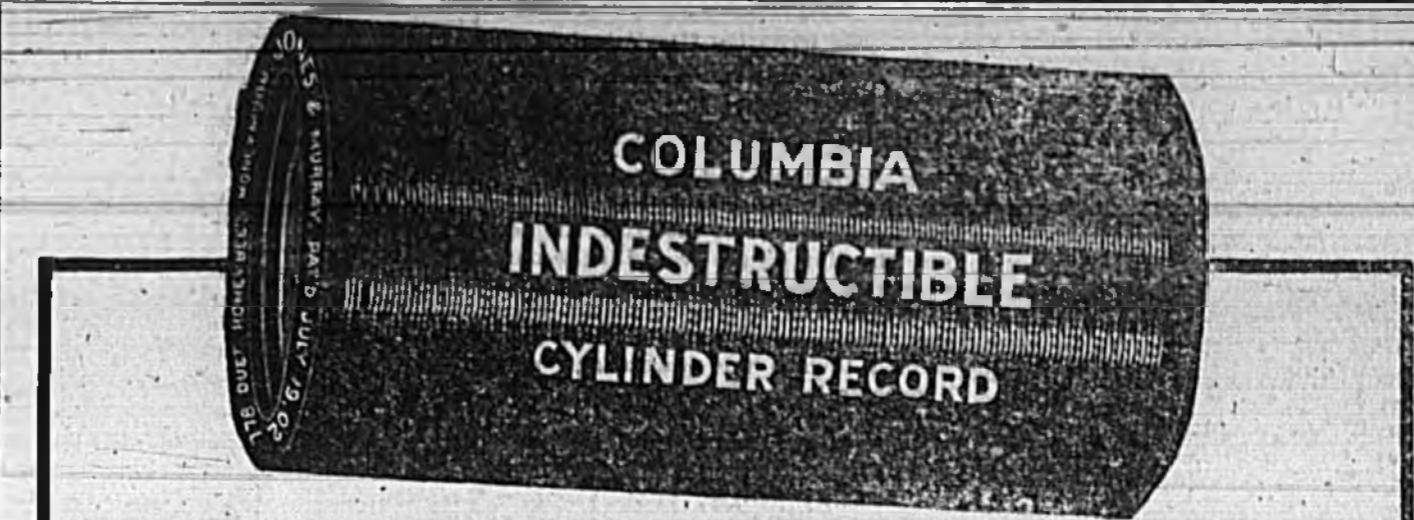
After working all day at his desk in the office of the C. L. & V. Co., E. R. Starbird has been spending several hours each night painting the pews in the old Baptist church preparatory to removing them to the new building for the opening next Sunday. He deserves a vote of thanks from all the members of the church.

The Norwell orange groves in this community were sold a few days ago. H. W. Metcalf, of Orlando, bought part of them and Messrs. Palmer, Benjamin & Beauchamp purchased the remainder. Messrs. Palmer and Beauchamp are also Orlando men. Mr. Benjamin is from Boston. T. H. Johnson has for a good many years been the efficient manager of this fine property. He has now severed his connection as manager, however, and will probably locate in Jacksonville.

Rev. R. N. Cate and family left last week for Crescent City, where Mr. Cate becomes pastor of the Baptist church. However, he has returned for a few days to assist in making the new Baptist church building here ready for occupancy next Sunday and to preach the opening sermon Sunday morning.

J. M. Kittle, a highly respected citizen, died at his residence near town on Thursday of last week and was buried Friday. The funeral services were conducted by his pastor, Rev. Mr. Boyd, of the Methodist church. Mr. Kittle was a German and was 86 years of age. He had resided in Apopka for many years and was always quiet and inoffensive. He leaves a widow and two children. Prof. Dan Kittle, who resides North, and Mrs. Bettie Kittle, a most excellent young lady who was living with her parents.

The Apopka Literary and Social Club held its regular monthly meetings in the K. of P. hall on Friday night of last week. The hostesses for the evening were Mrs. G. B. Lin and Mrs. L. D. Geiger. Miss Edith Corton and Mr. Carl Lin were guests of honor. Miss Mary Dart was the accomplished leader for the evening. The meeting was opened by Leslie Wait, president. The program consisted of sketches and readings from Henry W. Longfellow, James Whitcomb Riley and Benjamin King. Those taking part in the exercises were Messrs. Frank H. Davis and Reese Combs, Mrs. Green and Mrs. Remley, and Misses Scott and Annie Jones. All rendered their parts well. The literary program was followed by carefully planned progressive games, superintended by several ladies, in which many participated and all enjoyed. A. C. Starbird received the first prize, a beautiful little picture. E. R. Starbird received the booby prize, a George Washington hatchet. Incidentally, "something is doing" when the Starbirds are around. If they can't get in at one end of the procession they will be found at the other. The last number on the evening's program was perhaps the best



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Fasting in Japan.

From time out of mind, says the Japan Times, certain devotees of that country have visited a celebrated temple at Narita twice a year to perform the pious act of fasting within its sacred precincts. A "fasting hall" has been specially erected for their accommodation. Observations kept on 226 men and 82 women who fasted showed that of the whole number 69 fasted less than a week, 174 fasted one week, 10 continued fasting two weeks, 14 fasted three weeks, and one went without food for five weeks. Inquiry as to the motives of the fasters showed that 109 men and 25 women desired to rise in the world, 13 men and 2 women wanted to increase their business profits, 10 men prayed for the safety of their families, 13 men and 4 women sought cures of diseases and 10 men wanted general good luck. Only three persons, two men and one woman, fasted in gratitude for the fulfillment of former prayers. "It need scarcely be said," remarks the Japan Times, "that the period of their fasting was the shortest."

Snowball Showers.

More than one explorer in cold climates has noted the curious phenomenon of a "snowball shower." The balls, it is true, are not very big, the average being about the size of a hen's egg, but they are true snowballs for all that—compressed globes of snow, not little lumps of ice or hail. A fall of the kind occurred in north London in March, 1850, and at the time it was observed that the balls seemed five times as dense and compressed as ordinary snow and in no way to be told from the usual handmade missiles. They had fallen during the night and were strewn many layers thick over a very large area. No cause—except a doubtful electrical one—can be ascribed for the strange phenomenon, and mountaineers are apt to discredit the stories of snowball showers told them by the old guides till suddenly in the midst of an ordinary storm they find themselves assailed as though by myriads of mischievous schoolboys.—London Standard.

A Patient Judge.

A western judge, sitting in chambers, seeing from the piles of papers in the lawyers' hands that the first case was likely to be hotly contested, asked, "What is the amount in question?" "Two dollars," said the plaintiff's counsel. "I'll pay it," said the judge, handing over the money. "Call the next case."

He had not the patience of Sir William Grant, who, after listening for two days to the arguments of counsel as to the construction of a certain act, quietly observed when they had done, "That act has been repealed."—Argonaut.

Up Against a Hard One.

The great deliver into the secrets of nature who had accumulated a fortune and retired from active business in order to be able to give his whole time to study and experiments was observed to be cogitating profoundly.

"What are you giving your mind to now?" inquired one of his laboratory assistants.

"I am merely wondering," he answered, "what becomes of all the corks."—Chicago Tribune.

The Other Way.

"So you refuse me admittance," complained the newly arrived spirit to St. Peter. "You turn me off into the cold." "No," replied the old saint, "into the hot."—Boston Transcript.

A Suspicion.

She—How is it your sister did not sing tonight? He—Oh, the doctor has forbidden her. He says she must not sing for six months. She—Does he live near her?

An error gracefully acknowledged is a victory won.—Gascongne.

The Irritating Mississippi.

The Mississippi is the greatest irritant in the United States. Its sickliness, conscious power and taunting eddies bring oaths to the lips of the most respectable and law abiding residents along its lower course. The greatest admirers of the river, the people who sing its praises with the most emphasis, are the ones who go off on a tangent of temper quickest when they find a new caving of river bank headed toward the newest and most expensive levee, built to protect great plantations, while just across the stream rise worthless bluffs and useless sand bars. Talk to a Mississippi river man—shanty boater, pilot, raftman, plantation owner or city merchant—and he will brag about the river wonders. Its bigness charms him and makes him feel large and elated. Bring him around to his own experiences with it, and suddenly a shade of resentment crosses his face as he recalls a shanty boat wrecked by a cyclone, a steamboat snagged, a raft torn up in some bend, a plantation undercut and washed away or a season's trade spoiled by an overflow and crevasse.

"We love the river, damn it!" is a literal expression.—R. S. Spears in Atlantic.

A Queer Test.

The grocer said to the applicant: "Your references are good. Show me your style of weighing out five pounds of sugar. There's the scale."

The applicant wreathed his face in the amiable smile all salesmen wear and weighed out the sugar with dispatch and accuracy. He put on too little sugar at first; he added gently a full half pound before the scale balanced.

"You'll do," said the grocer. "You understand the scale trick. It is plain that you learned your trade in the thorough old school way."

"Yes, sir," the other answered. "I learned in the country, and almost my first lesson was that in weighing. You must add, add, add, till the beam tips, because all that adding pleases the customer—seems to him almost like a gift. But if, on the contrary, you subtract from the quantity on the scale the customer is affected in the opposite way—you seem to be robbing him. He goes away convinced that you are a stingy cheat."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Beaten at His Own Game.

"A few days since," relates a solicitor, "as I was sitting with my friend D. in his office a man came in and said: 'Mr. W., the livery stable keeper tricked me shamefully yesterday, and I want to be even with him.'"

"State your case," said D.

"I asked him how much he'd charge me for a horse to go to Richmond. He said half a sovereign. I took the horse, and when I came back he said he wanted another half sovereign for coming back and made me pay it."

"D. gave his client some legal advice, which he immediately acted upon, as follows: He went to the livery

stable keeper and said, 'How much will you charge for a horse to Windsor?'

"The man replied, 'A sovereign.' 'Client accordingly went to Windsor, came back by rail and went to the livery stable keeper, saying: 'Here is your money,' paying him a sovereign."

"Where is my horse?" said W.

"He's at Windsor," answered the client. "I hired him only to go to Windsor."—Pearson's Weekly.

One Recompense.

"That sheet iron clothing a chap had to wear during the middle ages must have been far from comfortable."

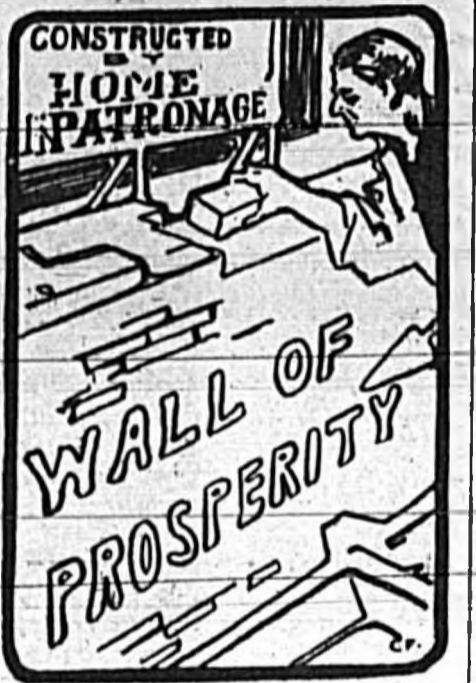
"Still, a fellow could have a permanent crease put in his trousers."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Not a Bark.

"Then you don't have any dog-watch on this craft?" inquired the anxious passenger, according to a writer in Life.

"No. This is a catboat."

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