

FLORIDAT CITRUS EXCHANGE NOTES

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over its competitors, and also to inform its uninformed competitors of the values as they really are for citrus fruit. If its competitors, knowing actual values, haven't the business acumen, or the nerve to demand and receive the price their goods are worth, then the Exchange is helpless to aid them, as while it can furnish for them market conditions, and can furnish for them actual values, it is powerless to furnish either the desire or the nerve to ask what they are entitled to.

To those having oranges still remaining on the trees, we would say that good oranges, smooth and well colored and sweet, should bring you, if sold for delivery within the next fifteen days, \$1.50 a box on the trees; grapefruit \$2.50 to \$3.00 a box on the trees; and as we are finding buyers now sending agents all through the state to pick up bargains from the growers who are not posted, we give this information "free gratis, for nothing," so that, while you are not in a position to benefit by the high prices the Exchange is getting for its fruit, you can be in a position to make the buyers pay you for your fruit what it is worth, and if they will pay you what it is actually worth, they will not be in a position to beat down the markets all over the country, using your fruit as a club with which to sandbag your neighbor.

Funny how you will see some people watch one end of their business and pay no attention to the other; isn't it?

The Florida Citrus Exchange has made no secret of its prices, and has made no secret of what good oranges, properly packed, should bring since the opening of the season. And yet there seems to be only one dealer in the state progressive enough to take advantage of this information and work on it.

To A. B. Williford of Arcadia belongs the credit of trying to get us near the Exchange line of prices as he could. When the Exchange announced at the beginning of the season that it was going to open Parson Brown oranges at \$2.25 f. o. b., and grapefruit at \$3.50 f. o. b., Mr. Williford decided to play this tip, and quoted on his grapefruit \$3.50 f. o. b., the same price that the Exchange quoted. He didn't have quite sand enough to quote his oranges at \$2.25, but then he knew that he had no Parson Browns, and he figured probably that the early ripening oranges that he would be able to buy and would ship were worth 50 cents a box less than Parson Browns f. o. b. He therefore quoted pretty generally: "Early sweet oranges \$1.75 f. o. b. Arcadia."

Notwithstanding that the other packers were in possession of just as full information through the public press of Exchange quotations as Mr. Williford was, they opened up pretty generally with oranges at \$1.40 f. o. b. asked, with a perfect willingness to shade these prices on arrival if rejected.

Result: Mr. Williford has cleaned up all his grapefruit at \$3.50 f. o. b., and has cleaned up all his oranges at practically \$1.75 f. o. b., while his neighbors and competitors have sold at from \$1.25 to \$1.40 f. o. b. for oranges just as good as Mr. Williford's, and have not been able to make their sales stick as well as Mr. Williford's did. It therefore looks to an outside observer as though Mr. Williford's friends and neighbors have thrown away in the neighborhood 40 cents a box without getting one box additional business or getting their deliveries to stick any better than as though they had asked the \$1.75 f. o. b. What is the answer?

Provided for Burial Vault.
By the will of a French lady who died recently a farm was left to the town on condition her family vault was kept in repair; while the rest of her estate was to be divided among those attending her funeral.

How's This for a Record?
A New Jersey woman has been a cook in a family for 42 years. She has never asked for a vacation, has never found fault with anything, has always cooked on a coal range and is happy and contented.—Exchange.

Shady Character.
"There is a man whom my husband employs who openly shows a tendency toward low places, and who is noted for his dark deeds." "Why, then, does your husband employ him?" "To put coal in our cellar."

Brute, Indeed!
The Wife—I do believe I would fall dead if you were to come home early some evening. The Brute—You will have to offer a bigger bribe than that.—Indianapolis Press.

THE BUSY BIG STORE

HAS Gained its Reputation by Selling the Best for Less, and we are always jealous of this and as anxious as you are to make your Dollar go the Furthest, but even the Low Prices we sell at all times will be eclipsed on many articles for

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5th

DON'T MISS SEEING THIS WINDOW

Full of Truly Wonderful Values for Monday only. Articles that will interest everybody—from the oldest to the youngest, any and everything will go on sale Monday morning at Nine o'clock at the ridiculous low price of **12¹/₂c**

Four yards of Lace and Insertion up to Three inches wide. Just think of it for only **12¹/₂c**

Another eye opener—Four dozen Pearl Buttons while they last for **12¹/₂c**

This is a great value at the beginning of the season—a beautiful lot of Cross Barred, Striped and Fancy Figured White Lawns and Waistings, worth up to 18c a yard only **12¹/₂c**

Ladies' Hose, either Black or Tan, all sizes worth twice the price. Monday only, 2 pair **12¹/₂c**

Three Pure Linen Handkerchiefs for Ladies' Monday only, Three for **12¹/₂c**

Four Barber Towels—standard size for Monday only **12¹/₂c**

One Box Colgate's Soaps in some of the best Perfumes and Odors, special 3 cakes to box **12¹/₂c**

Another big bargain, 2 cups and 2 saucers (4 pieces in all) Monday while they last for only **12¹/₂c**

Two Standard Size Soup Plates for Monday only **12¹/₂c**

Regular Dinner Plates the Popular Size and even these will be 2 for **12¹/₂c**

SHOES SHOES

We just can't help saying something about our beautiful line of Snow's Shoes (Union Made) for men, and these two favorite lines of Shoes—Oxfords and Pumps for Ladies', one made by Selby and the other by Godman.

\$3.50 Snow Shoes \$2.98
And here is where we are strong, 3.50 Patent Leather, Gun Metal or Vici Kid Shoes in the latest lasts and toes, for Monday **\$2.98** only a pair

\$2.25 Velvet Shoes \$1.89
This is just one of our many leaders in Ladies' Shoes, Oxfords and Pumps in all sizes, a **\$1.89** 2.50 Velvet Pump for

Ladies' Tan Button Oxfords
Fashion says Tans and we have them, one of the specials, a 3.50 Tan 3 button Goodyear **\$2.87** West Oxford, a pair

1.50 All Leather Shoes 1.19
A large selection of Children's All Leather, Patent and Vici Kid, Pumps and Oxfords, **\$1.19** worth 1.50 our price

35c Mercerized Madras 24c
Full standard width and, White Mercerized Madras in neat plaids and figures, worth 35c a yard, for Monday **24c**

34-in Bookfold Amoskeag Chambray

In Blue and White, Checks, Hospital Stripes, Pink and White Stripes, also Mixed Navy, Gray. This width and quality always sell for 12½c, our price for Monday only **10c**

85c Pongee Silk 69c
We have just received this handsome piece of Pongee Silk in natural colors, a splendid value for 85c a yard, for Monday **69c** only

Ladies' Neckwear
Consisting of Silk and Velvet Bows, Dutch Collars and Jabots, special for Monday **10c**

Men's Ties
A handsome selection of Men's Silk ties, worth up to 50c, for only **25c**

\$1.25 Mens' Shirts 97c.
These Shirts are a wonder to all at the the price; plain white, pleated bosom; also neat dark stripes and patterns. Choice **97c**

Trunks and Trunks
We have them and the price. Just see them. That is enough if you want a Trunk Monday **\$2.59** from \$16.89 to

FURNITURE

This department is always being added to with large shipments of furniture in the latest designs and prices and on the easy TERMS of only \$1.00 a week with a small payment down.

Cotton Mattress Special
A forty-five pound French Rolled Edge Cotton Mattress with a genuine Art tick, worth 8.00 Monday only **\$5.39**

All-Iron Cot.
The well-known germ proof All Iron Cot worth 3.50. Our price Monday only **\$2.39**

\$10.00 Dining Table \$7.39
A genuine Oak Dining Table with a 6-foot extension and three extra leaves. Special for Monday only **\$7.39**

\$2.50 Coil Spring \$1.89
As a leader for Monday this Full Size double bed Coil Spring **\$1.89**

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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.

The shipping of oranges from Clermont has been going on at a lively rate for the past week.

Plant City has moved 16000 quarts of strawberries last week and the growers pocketed \$4,800.

Arcadia has a factory which has a daily output of 7,000 jars of twelve ounces each of grapefruit marmalade.

Ten new members have been added to the membership list of the Commercial Club in St. Petersburg, making a total of 153 members.

L. B. Brantley, one of the leading truckers in Clermont, states that his peas have been selling in the New York markets for \$10 per crate.

A new hotel is said to be badly needed in Fernandina. The News-Record is urging some one to make an effort to build one, home capital being preferred.

The state is overrun with peddlers; one-legged, one-shirted beggars; advertising fakirs and soliciting agents. It is that way each winter. If municipalities cannot or will not, put a stop to these hordes of sick gentry it is high time the state legislated against them in no gentle way. They would serve the common-wealth better by building highways.

A man who had purchased a piece of colonization land in South Florida wrote "back home" that he would take a yellow dog for his purchase and kill the dog in disgust. On careful investigation by a commercial secretary it was learned that he had paid some \$75 on his contract, which called for \$400 for 10 acres, and that he had priced it to a neighbor at \$1,000 and "would not take a cent less." Yellow dogs at \$1,000 each are a luxury.

"Steve" Brown, a lineman in the employ of the Tampa Electric company, was instantly killed, and Robert S. Thompson, his companion, was seriously, if not fatally injured this morning at the Tampa Bay athletic grounds when a transformer pole on which they were both working snapped off at the base and fell to the ground, planting them beneath its weight and that of the heavy transformer it carried.

Resolutions

To the Master, Wardens and Brethren of Sanford Lodge No. 62, F. & A. M., of Sanford, Fla.;

It is with inexpressible feelings of deepest sorrow that we record the death of our beloved brother, J. C. Ensminger, which occurred at his home Tuesday morning, Jan. 17, 1912, in Sanford, Fla.;

"Solemn strikes the funeral chime, Notes of our departing time, His remains were laid to rest with Masonic honors Wednesday, Jan. 18, 1912.

"When the sun in all his state Illumined the eastern skies, He passed through glory's morning gate, And walked in Paradise."

Our honored and beloved brother will no longer greet us here. Though his place be vacant, his memory will abide in our hearts. Never again will we hear his voice of love and wisdom in our councils, listen intently as we may, never again will we see the light of brotherly love beaming in his kindly eye or feel the warm or kindly pressure of his hand.

King Solomon said that if a man had friends he must himself be friendly. How fully the truth of this was demonstrated by our brother. He was always a friendly man, charitable and kind, and withal a firm sense of right, with the courage of his conviction, an upright man and Mason.

Whereas we so keenly feel our loss in separation from our brother, be it resolved that as an expression of our sorrow and longing for his presence our lodge room be draped for thirty days, and

Be it resolved further, that we extend to his family, the bereaved ones, our heartfelt sympathy and love in this hour of sorrow, and bereavement; and

Be it further resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be presented to the family of our late brother and that they be printed in the Sanford Herald and a copy be spread on the minutes of our lodge.

C. R. WALKER, L. R. PHILIPS, F. P. FORESTER, Committee.

EARLY HISTORY OF ORANGE COUNTY

Interesting Paper of Mrs. J. N. Whitner Read at Meeting of Pioneers at the Orange County Fair

The Following Bit of History of Orange County was Compiled by Mrs. J. N. Whitner of this City and Read at the Meeting of the Pioneers Association at the Orange County Fair

Whatever of pride and enjoyment we citizens of Orange county may feel in her present day achievements, our sentiment can not be praise worthy till we shall have paused and paid our tributes of respect and honor to those of a generation ago, who, by their Christian faith and practice, their sterling characteristics and ability, overcame primitive conditions and made possible, within a life time the civilization we now enjoy.

There is a duty—a privilege—sacred and binding, which devolves upon the few of us who are left, who have personal recollections of the real pioneers, that can only be performed by ourselves. The day is growing late when if we would be their worthy successors we must arouse and prepare for the use of those who shall write our county's history, reminds cent characteristic sketches of the men and women who laid so well the foundations upon which we have built, of their traditions and ideals their manners, social life and religious habits, with incidents anecdotes and facts relative to them.

Therefore, to postpone no longer, let our association today appoint two, interested, responsible persons in each voting precinct, whose duty it shall be to gather by careful research, items of interest connected with its local history. Let these be responsible for the whole precinct. Also, appoint two others in each community within its bounds, to assist in that connected with their own neighborhoods. Each searching for the causes of its beginning, the starting of business, churches, schools and the personnel of its settlers.

If possible let this work be done before the next annual meeting of the association, when carefully type-written statements of the result may be brought in for filing, till a paper time when all shall be compiled into a volume of county history. In no other way can be secured data that will be so minute and accurate, especially that connected with comparatively recent times, and which we perhaps, hardly yet regard, but these facts may some day become ancient history.

When the earliest of our county's shall be evolved from the shadows of the past, and recalled by patient efforts, we shall find it is a part of that story of unsurpassed tragedy and romance, the story of the Seminole wars of nearly a century ago.

For this season Orange county contains many places of interest, of which now, we have only a vague knowledge but when the work is completed of compiling the Seminole war records from the archives at Washington, for which Mr. Wm. Bauskett of Florida was commissioned by our late Legislature, we hope to obtain information which shall be reliable.

Prominent among these places are the military graveyards of two wars, familiar to many persons and for their care appropriations might be obtained from the United States Government.

Some of the localities are well known, where historic and otherwise prominent events have occurred, where earliest settlements were made (many of these are sacred to us now) and where the dead were laid to rest. Only after the utmost care should data be accepted as authentic, but when satisfactorily established the places should be marked even if at present, in very simple manner, and the sentiment which time attaches to such will suggest appropriate and enduring memorials in tablets and stone.

A peculiar pathos lingers around everything connected with the Indians and all over our county are traces of their neighborhood life, and their friends and along the St. Johns River, which they called Welaka are many burial mounds. These mounds, especially, should be preserved from the hands of vandals.

In 1750 the Creek Indians in Alabama separated and many of them emigrated to Florida under a chief name Secoffee and settled in the Western part of the peninsula, which they called Alachua.

These united with the native tribes of the peninsula and together they absorbed many run-away negro slaves from Georgia. Their descendants became the fierce Seminoles and by the end of the century had over-run the peninsula.

This remnant of the once free, proud, red men, crowded back, and driven before the march of civilization, proved a formidable foe to any who dared encroach upon the sunny strip lying between the ocean and the gulf the last left to them of all the continent which by Divine right of inheritance and possession had belonged to their people.

The record of the Seminole War of 1836 reported the establishment of Camp Monroe on the South shore of the lake which bears that name, thus opening the route by which the United States army advanced into the interior of the eastern half of the peninsula for the suppression of the Seminole Indians. The post was occupied by two companies of artillery, four companies of dragoons and some Creek Indians.

Can one imagine the indignant horror of the Indians at the sight of these forerunners of the army of their pursuers, entering the gateway of their retreat? And they would claim even this!

Leaders arose, stimulated perhaps, to a greater degree of daring, by slight trace of the blood of white men in the veins of some of them. These poor savages in their extremity arose to the white man's conception of the loftiest heights of valor for the defence of their wigwams and their hunting grounds.

Under the counsel of Ocoola, and the leadership of King Phillip and Coconochee, son and grandson of the old chief Secoffee, four hundred braves made a bold and desperate attack upon Camp Monroe on the 6th of Feb 1837 a few weeks after its establishment, and but for the greater force of artillery over simple fire arms, the story of the massacre would have been frightful to relate.

With a desperate courage the Indians fought fiercely for three hours. Captain Charles Mellen was killed. Fourteen others were wounded. The Indians loss was twenty-five. It was said afterwards that the Indians became terrified at the roar of the cannon, with twigs and limbs falling from the trees, and thinking that a thunder storm was raging, sent by the Great Spirit to aid the white men, the poor creatures gave up the attack and fled in terror to the woods.

The military records state that after this attack the name of Camp Monroe was changed to Fort Mellon and became the most important and healthful inland state in Florida; as a base for supplies and distribution for the many forts and military camps which were scattered all over Mosquito county, the territory of which extended from St. Johns County on the North southward to Monroe which then extended across the peninsula on the west from Alachua to the Atlantic.

A few of the names of these forts and camps are still perpetuated in our county as Fort Reed, Maitland, Gatlin and Christmas, all having been the scenes of military life.

At Fort Gatlin, now almost within the suburbs of our beautiful county site, Orlando, stands the bleached trunk and bare wide-spread branches of an immense dead Live-Oak. It is said that under this oak the red men and the white met to hold a council. At this late day we can easily believe that the Indians part in that council was but to listen to the arbitrary sentence which would expell them forever to the cold, bleak plains of the West, away from the fairland that they loved, from its shady hammocks of moss-draped cypress and magnolias, its winding rivers overhung with palms and willows and oaks, red hibiscus and white lilies, its grassy prairies stretching off into rolling forests of lofty pines, dotted here and there with clear blue lakes and the wide stretch of the waters in her inland seas, the happiest hunting ground that Indians ever dwelt upon, where a

variety of game roamed in abundance and the rigors of cold were scarcely felt. White men had need of this peerless land, and a council was called to inform the red men of the plans for their departure on the ships to be in waiting for them at Tampa, and our fancy suggests that what the children of the forest heard that day, broke the heart of the tree. The Indians are gone. Some went to the West, a few were permitted to remain beyond a line which the white men drew and their descendants still lodge in the swamps of the Everglades.

But the Council Oak stands, her white arms held aloft, a silent protest against the injustice of war, a ghostly presence lamenting her children, a memorial of them, which time, nor storm has expellled in all the years since then. A very beautiful picture has been painted of the Council Oak by a talented member of this association Mr. Alden of Orlando. We may find no proofs but tradition of the story of the oak and the council, but the legend is sweet and we will pass it on.

Before leaving the subjects which will be of interest to our historians, we would particularly emphasize the type of the people whom we have called Orange county's pioneers, as distinct from the adventurous spirits who usually inhabit new countries.

Orange County was populated at two distinct periods, her earliest settlements were a consequence of the Seminole Wars, and the second infusion resulted from the unsettled condition of society incident to the Civil war. A large proportion of the soldiers in the Seminole wars were volunteers. When the time came in 1857 that the regular army was withdrawn, some of the volunteer soldiers remained and many of the camps proved the nucleus of a neighborhood, and the fact must be recognized that in the main these made substantial citizens.

From that period till after the civil war few persons came to the county and few moved away. Some small orange groves were planted and the people produced from the soil mainly what they consumed for food. Large herds of cattle grazed upon the prairies and many persons (in proportion to the standards of the time) grew wealthy.

1868 ushered in the first glow of a new era. In the great readjustment which was taking place in the states north of us, as if by a simultaneous impulse attention seemed fixed upon Florida. The world heard of her orange groves and her balmy climate. Many families in other southern states, disturbed and unsettled in the plantation life in which they had been reared, turned to new scenes. Accustomed to agricultural pursuits, fruit culture seemed natural and attractive and the result was the removal from those states to this county of a class of persons who had many of them lived on the same soil since their forefathers came to America in the early colonial days. Those from the north sought health, climate or investment, each representing a more refined and cultured type than is usually found among the early settlers of a new territory.

This is a meagre outline of the causes which led to the displacing of the original inhabitants of peninsular Florida, and the rapid filling up of our county, from a period immediately after the civil war by a population so cosmopolitan that in every audience that assembled almost every state in the Union had its representatives, besides many foreign countries as well. Such conditions might reasonably have consumed a longer period in adjusting these various elements into a harmonious citizenship, but the spirit and ideals of the majority of them is attested by the public institutions for which they laid the foundations, and upon which their successors have builded, until ours is a civilization of which we may justly feel proud as being equal to, and in some respects superior to what has been achieved in many of the older states.

NEWS OF THE WORLD

Items of Interest Gleaned From Various Sources

HAPPENINGS DURING THE WEEK

Here the Readers Will Find a Brief Historical Spring Flowing For Hurried Readers

Republicans in congress caucused to-night and named the committee which will conduct the coming congressional campaign. "Insurgent" and "regular" Republican fraternized in a manner not seen since the party revolt that sheared Speaker Cannon of his power in the last season.

The fight over the \$125,000 bill for a Confederate naval monument in the Vicksburg National Military park, which caused vigorous debate at the recent extra session of congress, was renewed in the senate today. Senator Williams of Mississippi, its author, urged action. Senator Heyburn, of Idaho, vigorously opposed it and in the end his objection postponed action for the day.

Sugar universally consumed and universally taxed, is subjected to government control and regulation as to price in almost every country and to varying trade methods as well, reported Secretary of State Knox in a letter which President Taft today forward to congress.

Men and Religion Movement

The Men and Religion Forward Movement was launched in Sanford last Sunday with much enthusiasm. The Jacksonville Committee sent two men to present the facts and start the ball a rolling. Mr. I. C. Baldwin, Religious Work Director of the Y. M. C. A., Jacksonville, and Mr. E. R. Stafford a business man of the same city. Mr. Baldwin spoke in the Methodist church in the morning and Mr. Stafford in the Congregational church.

At 3:30 in the afternoon there was a meeting of the men from the five Protestant churches of the city, which was held in the Methodist church. The church was well filled with men who listened with deep attention to the addresses. Mr. Stafford spoke first on the practical turn of modern christianity and the need of co-operative work by the men of the churches to-day. He was followed by Rev. B. F. Root, of Ansonia, Conn., who is officiating this month at the Episcopal church. He told of the movement as it had come under his observation in Connecticut.

The last speaker of the afternoon was Mr. Baldwin who presented the practical and business end of the movement. Organization in Sanford calls for a central committee from all the churches composed of about thirty-five men. Twenty-five of these men are the chairman of committees in the five churches and serve in similar work on the general committee. The five lines of work carried on in each church and by organized effort throughout the city are as follows:

1. Systematic Bible study.
2. Boys' Work (Boy Scouts etc.)
3. Evangelism, to reach unconverted men.
4. Missions, the world for Christ.
5. Social Service, a clean city.

It is expected that all the Christian men of the city will be enrolled to work in one of these five departments of activity.

When the time came for action practically every Sanford man present pledged himself to the work. A committee of five was called for, one layman from each church to inaugurate the movement. These men are as follows: Messrs. W. W. Abernathy Methodist, Prof. J. N. Perkins Baptist, C. R. Walker Congregational, J. N. Whitner Presbyterian and B. F. Whitner Episcopal. This committee is to meet at the Congregational church at 7:30 Thursday night for organization.

On Sunday night a union mass meeting was held in the Baptist church. Mr. Baldwin and Mr. Stafford again spoke and to a crowded house. The evening service was strongly evangelistic and held the deep attention of the audience. That it is a men's movement is shown by the fact that the choir was composed entirely of men. Mr. C. R. Walker presided at both the afternoon and evening meetings.

The movement has already served a fine result in bringing together so many men to work for a common end. There is every promise of awakening religious interest in the city.

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How jolly to be unfettered and free,
And roam where'er I will,
No "loving" wife to give me a life
Of a dog on the old tread-mill.
So here's to the bachelor gay and free;
The bachelor's jolly life for me.
Avant, the milliner's bill!
Tis sad to state but I must relate,
The woes of the married man,
From rising sun 'til the day is done,
He earns what'er he can,
He's married now, so he buys a home,
And from that hour he may never roam.
O benedict, oh married man!
He buys her hats and he buys her rats,
And he buys her powder too;
And he buys her skirts like Kaffir shirts
That make her walk like a kangaroo.
And of other things he buys a lot,
To make her look like what she's not:
But what can the poor man do,
A man that's wed, I've heard it said,
The bold and brave 'mongst men,
Is meek as a lamb and soft as jam,
When alone with his Jenny Wren,
She tells him just what he must do,
And he must do it, or else skidoo,
He may crow, but beware of the hen!
She sets the pace in life's mad race,
And flits about the city,
She gambles too, at "bridge" 'tis true,
A fancy name, but more's the pity,
And while he eats his lunch alone,
Of crackers and cheese and cold ham-bone,
She warbles a parlor ditty,
At the close of day with his hard-earned pay
"Ah, how much a good home means,
How cozy I'll feel with a good square meal!"
Are the benedicta lot gives me a bump,
"I've had bridge tea," says his dear helpmeet,
"In the ice-box, dearie, you'll find things to eat,
So he dines on a can of beans.

Then "drink to me only with thine eyes,"
Thou lovely glimpse of paradise,
I love all women, the whole blamed bunch,
But the benedicta lot gives me a bump.
So here's to the bachelor unfettered and free,
The bachelor's jolly life for me.

The school ma'am is the guiding star
The nation. She takes the little bantling
fresh from home nest, full of his pouts,
his pets and his passions, ungovernable
in many cases, rampant, riotous little
wretch, whose own mother often adminis-
she sends him to school purposely to get
rid of him. The school ma'am takes a
whole carload of these little anarchists,
half of whom singly and alone cannot be

handled by their own mothers, and she
puts them in the way of becoming useful
citizens. She deserves not only the
sympathy of the public, but she will re-
ceive her just reward in the hereafter.
Let us take off our hats to the school
ma'am.

We rush through life in such a hurry
these days that there is little time or
thought for the refinements and courtesies
that in the good old days of our grand-
parents were considered necessary to
good manners.

The man or woman who has really good
manners nowadays we distinguish as be-
longing to the "old school."

Unfortunately the old school is passing
away, and there is no new one to take its
place.

We seem to be drifting into the idea
that good manners are an indefinable and
rather tiresome something in the way of
an affection, which we may put on with
our best clothes for weddings, funerals,
parties and such other affairs, but not to
be carried about with us on ordinary oc-
casions. Lots of us let our manners as
well as our religion hang all week with
our Sunday clothes in a closet.

We have cut good manners out of busi-
ness hours. We have come to regard
common courtesy as a time consumer and
a waste. Rapid communications have
corrupted good manners, for the speed
with which we can travel or transmit
messages has aroused a nervous impa-
tience of delay which is fatal to courtesy
and manners both in spirit and form.

We no longer write the good, long,
warm, soul satisfying letters. Formerly
letters were dignified and interesting, but
now they are neither. We imagine we
have no time to write elegantly, and in a
spirit of impatience we scribble a few
lines to some friend when there is no es-
cape from the painful necessity. And the
letters of today show that their writing is
a task, not a pleasure.

Once upon a time it was good manners
to hold old age in reverence, but it is not
so any more. Whatever we may actually
feel in the heart, our attitude toward the
old indicates that instead of regarding
them with reverence we consider age a
synonym for incapacity and boredom.
Maybe we mean all right, but our man-

ners are such that we must often cause
bitter heartache to the aged, who, bred
in a different school, can interpret our
thoughtless inattention only as downright
disrespect.

It is an age of ill manners in both men
and women.

Garish vulgarity taints what is regarded
commonly at least as the best society.

So far have we sunk that the man of
genuine courtesy and polish must polish
it with some sort of coarseness or be
damned as a "sissy."

It is ill mannered to say all this, but
the fact, no less than the ill mannered
assertion of it, fits the times.

Elks at Tampa

Dear Editor:—

In the name of the Tampa Lodge of
Elks and of the Elks throughout the state,
I request you to call attention to the
State Convention to be held in Tampa
Feb. 22-23 '12. Tampa lodge is prepar-
ing to entertain the convention in an
elegant style.

The affair falls on a very interesting
date in Tampa, the annual Gasparilla
festival. Ye Mystic Krews of Gasparilla
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geous costume, coming up the river in a
large ship and landing at the Tampa Bay
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In the evening of the 22nd, the Grand
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Very Respectfully,

D. B. MCKAY,

For the arrangement committee Tampa
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I have served the people of my county at various times as deputy tax collector, deputy clerk of the circuit court, member of the state executive committee and clerk of the circuit court, and I have shared the duties of each office I have had in a manner which I trust has met with the hearty endorsement of my people; and if elected as your state senator I will use my best efforts to promote such legislation as is needed by the people and the varied interests in this senatorial district.

In asking you to elect me as state senator I believe that I know the needs in a legislative way of this district as well, perhaps, as anyone in the district, and I believe I can represent you in the state senate in a manner that will be entirely satisfactory to you.

39 if ARTHUR E. DONEGAN.

LETTER FROM COL. THRASHER

Interesting Description of Egypt and Countries of the Nile

Luxor, Egypt, Jan. 15, 1912.
Mr. R. J. Holly, Sanford, Fla.:
Dear Sir—Friends and acquaintances in Florida, Georgia, New York and other states, as well as in Europe, have recently written to me over in Africa and I find it quite impossible to answer and correspond with all of them. I have requested my friend, Mr. Woodruff to arrange with you for the publication of my last letter from Egypt in The Herald (which by the way has followed me and reached me every week since I crossed the Atlantic in August, 1910), so that my friends may know where I am, and the reason why their letters remain unanswered, and at the same time you and they may see something in that letter which may be of interest. My address has been, is now, and will continue to be % Credit Lyonnais, Paris, France.

With good wishes for you and yours and The Herald, I remain,

Yours very truly,
A. M. THRASHER.

On this New Year's morn "A Happy New Year" for you and for yours rings and echoes over the Nile and speeds on, reverberating over smiling valleys, rolling hills, snow-crowned mountains, deep blue seas and storm-lashed Atlantic right into your home, in the town we love so well. Tho' in the land of the rising sun, at the old home of the Pharaohs, and where Moses first saw the light of day from a clump of bulrushes, my thoughts speed across the vast space that separates us

and I am in Sanford among my friends. Not one is forgotten. They are all remembered.

There are so many things I would like to tell you, and there are so many things and places I would be so pleased to describe if I could, I do not know just where to begin.

Probably it may attract your attention and interest you, if I begin by reminding you of things, some things, you already know. One writer has said that the Nile is Egypt and that Egypt is the Nile. It is a large and a long stream of water, in length almost the same as the Mississippi river, 4,000 miles, and like the St. Johns it flows north, from away down south, up in the interior of Africa and on through Egypt, and empties into the Mediterranean Sea at Alexandria. It divides before it reaches the sea and has several mouths, and steamers from New York and from European ports cannot ascend the Nile, and consequently Alexandria is a great seaport, with a population of 325,000 and where one may see many ships at all times from almost almost every part of the world. From Alexandria we went to Cairo, the capital of Egypt, and a city of 550,000, by rail. The Nile Delta extends Alexandria up to or near Cairo, and in that part of Egypt is grown the fine Egyptian cotton, also corn, sugar cane, and practically all the vegetables we grow near Sanford.

In many places along the Nile are to be seen sugar cane mills, and sugar is cheaper here than in the United States.

Fine oranges are grown here, juicy, sweet and fine flavored, and retail on the streets at one cent each. The Nile valley is very rich. In some places the rich loam

soil is from 20 to 30 feet deep, as may be seen in many places through which canals have been and are being cut, and is a deposit of or from the overflow of the Nile annually. This is a dry climate. There are no dews and practically no rainfall. The valley of the Nile is watered by and through a system of canals, and when the Nile is quite low, water is drawn up by wheels and buckets and oxen and men do the work. In some places one may see as many as ten or more of those wheels in action and of course it is surface irrigation. They grow onions, wheat, clover, alfalfa, potatoes, cabbage, and very near this hot is the finest acre of tomatoes I ever saw, loaded with fruit, green and also in bloom. They have no frost. Not a fireplace or place for a stove in this hotel, except in the kitchen. These lands have been in cultivation about 6,000 years and they are worth about \$300 per acre. This hotel is within fifty feet of the Nile.

The ancient city of these, that boasted of a population greater than New York has today, stood just here, and on both sides of the Nile, and there are many monuments and evidences of the wealth, greatness, grandeur and splendor of the great metropolis, about 4,000 years before the birth of the Saviour. It was about a thousand years older than the Babylon of which we read in our Bibles.

Luxor and Karnak, about 1 1/4 miles apart, and about 700 miles from Alexandria are on the east, and Thebes (still called Thebes) is on the west side of the Nile. Earthquake shock, storms, the action of the seasons, the ruthless tooth of time, measures by almost countless roll-

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Sanford Music Club

The members of this club enjoyed a very interesting meeting at the Comfort Cottage, Saturday afternoon. Mrs. D. L. Tarasher who had arranged an enjoyable program, was leader for the afternoon. A very good attendance of the members were present. The topic that is being considered by the club at present is "Piano-forte playing and Compositions." In this way, even though briefly, they are becoming more familiar with the lives and works of the old masters, as well as the more modern composers of the world's music.

Miss Ellen Mahoney gave a short and very interesting sketch of the "Life and Works of Czerny." Another short sketch of the "Life and Works of Moscheles" was given by Mrs. Fannie Stenbridge Hanson. Miss Mabel Bowler gave a sketch of the "Life and Works of John Fields," one of whose beautiful Nocturnes was played by Mrs. Tarasher and enjoyed very much by the club.

Mrs. Thrasher also accompanied Miss Flora M. Johnson, who charmed the ladies by her sweet interpretation of the "Voices of the Woods," of which Rubenstein's Melody in F, is the beautiful setting. The roll was next called by the secretary, Mrs. Ernest Folger; and seven new names were added to the membership of the club, three of the new members were present.

The president Mrs. Thrasher then announced the leader, topic and place, of the next meeting; after which the chorus work of the club, under leadership of Mrs. Geo. L. Hoy, with Miss Olive Hill accompanist was taken up. Another beautiful selection, was added to the two fine choruses, the club have begun to work on and a good practice was enjoyed by the members.

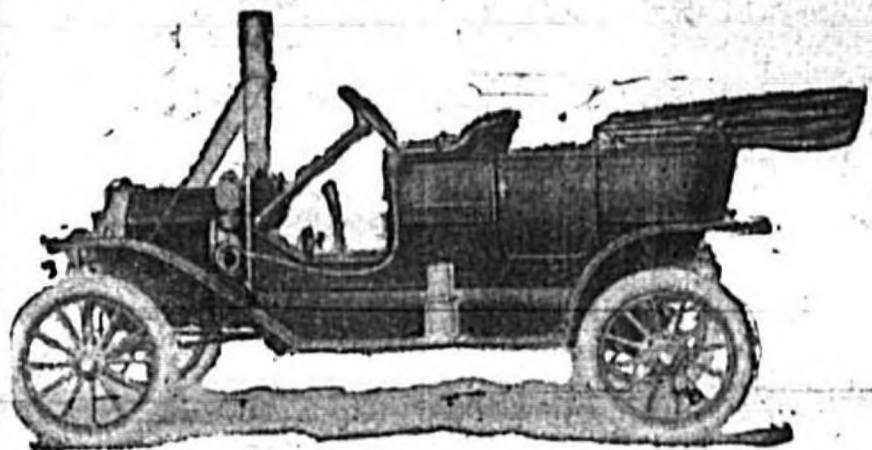
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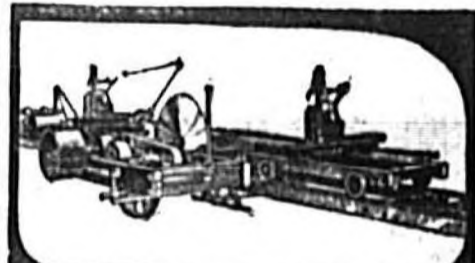
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Gov. Gilchrist and Col. T. J. L. Appleyard are both candidates for the place of delegate-at-large to the national Democratic convention at Baltimore. "How happy we could be with either if 'tother dear chapman were away.'"—Sewanee Democrat.

Adrian P. Jordan, of Punta Gorda, is a candidate for delegate from the First congressional district to the Democratic national convention and he will appreciate any support given him. He believes that the nomination of Governor Harmon for president would insure democratic success, but he will respect the wishes of Florida voters as may be expressed in the approaching primaries.

Hon. J. N. Whitner of this city would make an admirable Commissioner of Agriculture and while we have never spoken to him regarding the position and do not know whether he would accept the offer of a nomination or not we can assure the public that no man in Florida is better able to fill the position than Mr. Whitner. This is merely a suggestion relative to the office that will need to be filled later on.

In this issue is an interesting article on the early history of Orange County from the pen of Mrs. J. N. Whitner for the Pioneers Association. We hope the suggestions as to the appointment of people in each locality will be heeded and that they will prepare papers covering the details desired and send them to Mrs. J. N. Whitner who will gladly arrange and file them so that all needed data will be supplied for the future historians of Orange County.

Dante's Inferno at the Imperial yesterday gave the people a chance to see what hell is really like, although it was rather tame compared to what some of them may expect.—Sanford Herald.

Some of Brother Holly's delinquent subscribers must have been in the audience. By the way, how does Brother Holly know what "hell is really like?"—Ft. Meade Leader.

How can a man living in Ft. Meade ask such a question?

"While we are engaged in reclaiming lands subject to overflow," declares the Eau Gallie Record, "why not kill two birds with one stone and deepen the upper St. Johns river and straighten the channel from Sanford south to Lake Washington, thence by a cut of less than four miles enter Indian river?" The Record says this would reclaim many thousands of acres of fine lands and make the St. Johns the best natural waterway in the country. "It would have the richest lands along its borders and would support an immense population," concludes the Record, "and might justly be termed the Nile of America."

LADY FOR GOVERNOR

Now that it is settled that women are eligible for office in Florida, why not have a woman governor? Woman rules the roost any way, and why not let her have the title that goes with the work? For this position we nominate Mrs. Park Trammell of Tallahassee. It might be understood that Park is to have a good job of some kind—assistant governor or deputy governor, or something of the sort—these political deals are frequently made. Of course, the other candidates would be too gallant to object to such an arrangement, and everything can be settled in a perfectly lovely manner.—Lakeland Telegram.

Why not Park Trammell? He is a perfect lady in every respect.

A Millionaire Tramp

One of the government's most able sleuths will be here on Thursday, Feb. 8. This announcement should not be read with any fear or scruples of trouble on the part of the community. Honest, law-abiding people hail with pleasure a "Detective" in their midst, and the name only strikes terror to the lawless and unscrupulous criminal.

Weather Report

Fair tonight and Wednesday. Continued cold with colder weather in south and central portions tonight. Freezing temperature in north portion.

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The Horse Show is proving very popular and February 13th and 14th promises to bring out a great array of horses and equipages. Following are the entries:

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Class 2, Mules—Pair of mules to be shown to wagon or dray.

Class 3, Roadsters—Single horse, gentleman's road horse to suitable vehicle.

Class 4, Breeding Class—In the breeding class animals need not be registered, but if registered, an additional 10 points will be given. Mare, Trotter, Hackney, Cleveland Bay, German, French, American or any other recognized coaching breeds to be shown in hand.

Class 5, Saddle Ponies—Combination pony, to be shown in harness, then under saddle, each performance to count 50 per cent.

Class 6, Breeding Class—Colt, foal of 1910 or 1911, either sex. In the breeding class animals need not be registered, but if registration has been completed, an additional 10 points will be given.

Class 7, Harness Horse—Single horse, shown to runabout by lady drivers.

Class 8, Combination Horse—Combination horse to be shown first in harness then under saddle, to be ridden and driven by same person, each performance to count 50 per cent. Quickest change will be given additional 5 per cent.

Class 9, Harness Horses—Single horse shown to runabout.

Class 10, Saddle Ponies—Pony under saddle to be shown by child under 15 years of age.

Class 11, Harness Horses—Pair of horses suitable for tow or country work.

Class 12, Special—Native bred horse, any breed or sex, over 2 years old, to be shown in hand, the horse to have been foalbed and raised in the state of Florida.

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Class 14, Saddle Horses—Saddle horse, 3 gaits.

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IN AND ABOUT THE CITY

Little Happenings—Mention of Matters in Brief.

PERSONAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

Summary of the Floating Small Talk Succinctly Arranged for Hurred Herald Readers.

Miss Nell Carter of Orlando, was the guest of Mrs. W. A. Parr.

Mrs. F. J. Bell, returned Saturday from a visit to relatives in Tampa.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Crippen, Jr., on Park avenue, a boy last Tuesday.

When you want oysters get them of Roberts, first door west of postoffice.

J. N. Whitner left Monday on a business trip to Pierson and probably other points.

Miss Annie Lee Caldwell enjoyed a pleasant week end visit with friends in Orlando.

Miss Florence Atkins of Waycross, Ga., was the guest of relatives in the city, for a few days.

Miss Olive Morrow, who has been the guest of Mrs. Ray Butt has returned to her home in Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown, who have been visiting for several weeks in Astor, returned to their home Wednesday.

Plenty of dressed poultry and country sausage at J. D. Roberts, just west of postoffice.

Miss Mary Walker came up from Rollins College at Winter Park and spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. C. L. Goodhue.

J. H. Rep of Union Bridge, Md., is in the city for the winter. He will make his home with Dr. Delamater, 475 W. First St. for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Morris, Mrs. L. A. Morris, Miss Morris of Baltimore and Miss Burns of Ohio are charming guests of Comfort Cottage.

Mrs. D. A. Caldwell and little son Joe, have returned from a delightful visit in Enterprise, where they were the guest of Mrs. A. W. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Deyo of New York are in the city this week. Mr. Deyo is the head of the well known commission firm of W. C. Deyo & Co.

Rev. C. F. Blackburn accompanied by Rev. C. H. Summers went to DeLand today to attend the missionary institute, which is being held in that city.

Francis Baxter better known as "Uncle Byak Carrall" the noted trapper and guide on the upper St. Johns is in town this week the guest of Capt. Pagenhart.

The Junior Epworth League of the Methodist church, held their regular meeting, Friday afternoon, in the church, under the management of Mrs. L. R. Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Brockway of Richfield Springs, N. Y., arrived in Sanford on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 1st and are visiting their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Phillips.

Invitations are out to the marriage of Miss Alice Robbins and Mr. Harper of Jacksonville, which will occur at the Robbins' Nest, the home of her parents, Wednesday morning.

Meeting of the Woodman Circle is called off on account of Sanford Field Day. There will be no meeting of the Woodman Circle on Wednesday Feb. 14th, it being a Gam day for the benefit of Sanford Hospital. Let all sovereigns help the good work along. Mrs. J. D. Parker, Guardian.

Now that the diversion furnished by the Orange County Fair, is a thing of the past let us all, turn our attention to home affairs. Everyone, old and young, great and small, should work with the purpose and determination, to make our Field Day Celebration, a red letter day in Sanford history.

"A Millionaire Tramp" coming on Thursday, Feb. 8, at the Imperial is to amuse the patrons of wholesome and instructive amusements, as if were, holding up the mirror of nature and revealing the mysteries of the workings of crime in some of the big cities. The story is a pretty love story of heart interests, showing what disappointment will cause some unscrupulous villains to resort to, to blast and ruin the life of another, and how by the untiring efforts of the ever watchful detectives, crime finally gets its reward and justice achieves its victory over wrong doers. The management of the present Company has saved neither labor nor expense in putting forth the present Company to interpret this great play and has surrounded the same with scenic effects suitable to the action of the play, giving it the naturalness of life. Many pleasing and novel specialties will be introduced during the action of the play.

Notice The postponed annual meeting of the stockholders of the Peoples Bank of Sanford will be held in the office of the Bank on Friday, Feb. 9th, 1912, at 8 o'clock a. m. H. E. TOULAR, Cashier.

Butterine, best, 30c at Roberts' Grocery, next to postoffice. 44-4tc

Persons wanting glasses of Dr. Davis please see him at Robbins Nest before Thursday noon, Feb. 8th, as he may be called away then. 44-1tp

Try our "4 Crown Butter" at 45c. J. D. Roberts' Grocery. 44-4tc

(Mrs. L. A. Clapp of Chautauqua, New York, is the guest of Mrs. A. T. Rossetter.

A musical entertainment in Sanford, at the auditorium of the Sanford High School Wednesday evening, Feb. 7th at 8:30.

Headquarters for Sweitzer, Edam, Neufachtel, Philadelphia Cream and Roquefort cheese. J. D. Roberts, first door west of postoffice. 44-4tc

WANTS

All Local Advertisements Under This Heading, Three Cents a Line Each Issue

For Sale—Two choice corner lots on Magnolia Ave., Sanford Heights. One of the best building sites on the hill. \$650. \$150 down, balance \$10 per month. Box 1282, City. 44-2tp

For Sale—Indian Runner Dutch eggs—10 cents each. S. A. Huston, Cameron Ave. 44-3ta

Wanted—To buy safe and show cases. Write 1003, City. 44-4tp

For Sale—Lathorns and Rhode Island Red hens, pullets and cockerels. Sittings of eggs from Orange County Fair prize winners and utility stock, trap nest layers. Mammoth Pekin ducks, Maltese and Carneau pigeons. Sanford Poultry and Pigeon Farm, Route 1. fr44-4c

For Rent—Two story house, 3rd and Palmetto. A. P. Connelly. 44-1f

For Sale—Carload of mules and horses, at farm 2 miles west of town. J. E. Tybert. 44-3tp

For Exchange—Horse or mule for good one horse wagon and harness. J. E. Tybert, 2 miles west of town. 44-3tp

For Sale—Eight Room two story frame house on Union avenue. With strip of land running through to lake if desired. Inquire of owner. Lock Box 926, Sanford, Fla. 44-2tp

For Sale—Horse and buggy. Joe Saucer, Box 1218. 44-4tp

For Rent—Three rooms, bath and toilet. Furnished or unfurnished for housekeeping. W. W. Thurston, 117 East Fifth St. 44-1fc

For Sale—By owner fine five acre tract for home in southern part of city. Box 473. 44-6tp

Cottage for Rent—914 Park avenue. Address Box 843, City. 44-1f

For Sale—S. of Lot 56 Eureka Hammock or will trade for Wichita real estate. Address C. De Chandler, 203 E. 14th St. Wichita, Kans. 44-3p

Wanted—Teacher or advanced student for new kindergarten plan. Salary \$1.50 per day, advancement. Address Ambitious, care of Herald office. 44-2p

For Sale—The old Markham Farm of 160 acres. No reasonable offer refused, and satisfactory terms will be given. One hundred acres are cleared and fenced. Address all communications to J. E. Harris, Sanford, Fla. General Delivery P. O. 43-c

For Sale—Full blood English Bull Puppies. P. O. Box 1183, Sanford. Vick Zernouean. 44-18tp

For Sale—Good saddle mare and driver, new Rock Hill surrey and new saddle. Whole outfit will be sold for \$200. half cash. R. J. Holly, Herald. 44-18tp

For Sale—5 acre farm, twenty bearing orange trees, 50 peach trees, also very large bearing pear trees, modern 5-room cottage, front and back porches, faces south Golden Lake, 3 miles south east of Sanford, 5 minutes walk to street railway, also Ocala railroad. Fine drinking water, good bathing, fishing and swimming. Also 10 acre tract of the very best celery and lettuce land, well located 1/2 mile west Cameron City, less than a quarter of mile from Sanford traction carline. Land has a gentle slope from North to South End, so there will never be any danger of soured land. Guaranteed to get flowing wells on land. Reasonable price, and terms to suit. Address box 1127, City. 2-1fs

Tomato Plants—5,000,000. Livingstone a Globe for sale. Ready about Feb. 10th and later. \$1.25 per M. Also have 5,000,000 best varieties sweet potato slips ready after March 10th. J. R. Davis, B. P. town, Fla. 40-6tp

Hurry your grape vine planting, as best time is passing. Have a few on hand for immediate delivery. Plant Amor Priver for hedge and secure beautiful and ever lasting inclosure. Cut flowers and plants, nursery stock. L. H. Temple, phone 156. 32-1f

I bought five tracts of fine land three years ago. I improved and cultivated them. Well located. I want one for a home and trucking. See me for bargains on others. Levi Binford. Just south of Crystal Ice Factory. 27-1f

The Gate City House has brought down the high cost of living. Only \$1.00 per week for the finest table board in the city. See Parker. 28

Bargain—5 acres of land in Beck Hammock; best land in the county; all cleared and irrigation plant complete, with 1 acre celery, 3 acres lettuce; another acre ready for potatoes or anything. Crop and land complete, \$3,500.00. F. M. McCartney, Sanford, Fla. R. F. D. No. 3. 31-1f

Don't forget to try the dried chipped beef—chipped while you wait at W. W. Longs grocery. 15-1f

Ten acres of good land for sale at a bargain. Three acres cleared and cropped last season. All under fence. Near loading station on traction line. Almost given away. Particulars at Herald Office.

For Sale—Wholesale fresh water fish business including launches, boats and nets, doing business. Reason for selling. Box 944, Sanford. 43-3tp

For Sale—A pretty Florida home on Silver Lake. C. F. Williams, Box 923 Sanford Fla., or phone 201. 33-1f

One of the most suitable tracts of land in Florida, near the beautiful Indian River, now open for sale. If you want good land, pretty scenery, health and comfort, do not let this offer slip by. Write to J. F. Sundell, Lake Mary, Fla. 37-9tp

For Sale at a Bargain—One Improved Robbins' Iron Age Potato Planter with fertilizer attachment, practically good as new; also one dust sprayer. Write or telephone Edgar E. Brown. 38-1f

For Rent—Two nicely furnished rooms. Apply 407 Magnolia for particulars. 39-1f

For Sale—Cheap, a 2 1/2 acre truck farm best of land with flowing well. Crops and new 9-room house within 1/2 mile of station. Address Box 302 New Smyrna Fla. 39-1f

Wanted—One reliable salesman to sell Carrara House, Barn and Bridge Paints, twenty-five years the standard of quality. Salary or commission. Sample outfit free. The Carrara Paint Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 2-1-p

Wanted—Everybody to know that I have fine Tennessee mules, ranging from three to six years old. Also some fine horses ranging from four to five old. I can save you money. Stable located on West Lemon Ave., Lakeland, Fla. H. E. HALL. 43-2tc

Wanted—Intelligent lady to travel in the interest of educational work. Salary \$50 and expenses. State present employment. Address Ambitious, care of Herald office. 44-2p

Wanted—A healthy country raised white woman to help matron in the cooking, laundrying and general housework of a small orphanage. Send two or more recommendations and state amount of pay expected besides board and furnished room. Address Supt. Methodist Orphanage Enterprise, Fla. 43-2tc

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

To The Voters of Orange And Osceola Counties

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Orange County subject to the action of the Democratic Primary. I thank you sincerely for your support in the past and if you approve my legislative record, I respectfully ask of your support again. LOUIS C. MAREY.

For Sheriff James A. Kirkwood announces his candidacy for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Orange County subject to the decision of the Democratic primary to be held on April 30, 1912.

For Tax Assessor I announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor of Orange County subject to the decision of the Democratic primary to be held on April 30th, 1912. ARNOLD BERRY

For County Solicitor To the Democratic Voters of Orange County: I hereby announce my candidacy for re-appointment to the office of county solicitor of Orange County, subject to the coming Democratic primaries. Should I be so fortunate as to secure re-appointment for another term of office it will be my earnest endeavor at all times to perform the duties incumbent upon me faithfully and fearlessly to the best of my ability. Geo. A. DeCortis, County Solicitor.

To the Democratic Voters of Orange County: I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the office of County Solicitor, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, and respectfully ask for your support. W. E. SMITH

For County Treasurer I am a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Orange County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held April 30, 1912. Your support will be appreciated. PHILIP T. SZLONKA

For Tax Collector I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Tax Collector of Orange County, subject to the Democratic Primary. If elected I pledge to you my faithful service as I have endeavored to give in the past. W. E. MARTIN

For County Judge I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of County Judge of Orange County, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary to be held on April 30, 1912. WILLIAM MARTIN

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-appointment to the office of judge of the Criminal Court of Record subject to the action of the Democratic Primary. T. PETERSON WARLOW.

For State Attorney To the Democratic Voters of the Seventh Judicial Circuit of Florida: I hereby announce that I am a candidate for re-appointment as State Attorney for the Seventh Judicial Circuit of Florida, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in April, 1912. You have honored me with this office and I have endeavored to deserve your confidence in me by doing my duty to the best of my ability. If reappointed I pledge you to do all in my power to uphold law and order in our circuit, with prejudice to none and with fairness to all. Thanking you for past kindnesses, I respectfully ask your support again. JOHN C. JOEL, State Attorney.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction To the Voters of Orange County: I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Public Instruction to succeed myself, subject to the action of the approaching Democratic primary. I feel that I am peculiarly fitted for this office by educational qualification, and by experience in management of small and large schools, and in dealing with teachers by temperament and love for the work and by familiarity with the details and the general demands of the office required during my present incumbency. If elected to the office the educational interests of the county will be upon my heart, and I will endeavor in every way to be faithful to the trust imposed. J. F. McKNOWN.

For Clerk Circuit Court I announce my candidacy for the position of Clerk of the Circuit Court of Orange County subject to the decision of the Democratic primary to be held on April 30, 1912. Having served in the capacity of deputy sheriff of the county for a number of years and being familiar with the duties of the same I feel that I can leave the question of my ability entirely to the voters of Orange County. B. M. ROBINSON.

For Sheriff I am a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Orange County subject to the decision of the Democratic primary to be held April 30, 1912. Having served in the capacity of deputy sheriff of the county for a number of years and being familiar with the duties of the same I feel that I can leave the question of my ability entirely to the voters of Orange County. CHAS. M. HARRIS.

SALE AT FRANK'S THURSDAY AND FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

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Chase & Co. have the distinction of shipping the first car of the season of 1912. The car left last night and the celery was from the farms of Messrs. Hickson and Monroe. There will probably be two cars of the celery leave today it is extra fancy and brought the highest price ever paid for celery at this season of the year.

There is a steady demand for celery now and many good offers have been made but the stuff was hard to find and Chase & Co were the first ones able to get a full car. The celery will move forward now and the good prices are bound to open up business along every channel.

As there is a dearth of celery this year the price ought to be fair during the season and celery should redeem its name and fame.

Johnny and Ella Galvin With "a Bell-Boy" Musical Comedy Company

The well known "Bell Boy" musical comedy company of New York will be the attraction at the Imperial Theatre, next Monday, Feb. 12th, with the clever young comedian, Johnny Galvin and the dainty little soubrette, Ella Galvin, as the principal fun-makers, and a large number of capable actors and a chorus that can sing and dance.

Johnny and Ella Galvin present no farce comedies nor burlesques, but every production is a high class, clean cut musical comedy full of funny situations, bright dialogues, sparkling lyrics and music that is tuneful, catchy, easily remembered and more easily whistled, the kind that everyone wants to hear. They are said to be lavish in the matter of scenery, wardrobe, mechanical and electrical effects and in every way worthy of the management and the high character of the chief comedians taking part in them. They also contain more big acts and feature numbers than any musical comedy on the road today. Everything is new and up-to-date and each solo, duet, quartette number is given with a verve and a vim that show the best and the most artistic stage management.

Johnny Galvin himself is one of those pleasingly mannered boys, bubbling over with ginger who sings, dances and keeps things on the go very much as does his famous contemporary, Geo. M. Cohan, although he at no time imitates him.

Ella Galvin, the soubrette with "A Bell Boy" company is a most handsome as well as talented performer. She has in these productions the best opportunity of her entire artistic career and makes the most of it.

The company this season is carrying 25 people and a special sixty foot baggage car of scenery and effects and have spent over five thousand dollars in building up a repertoire of six musical comedies including "The Man Question," "Zira from Turkey" and the "Two Masquerades." Nothing will be repeated in any way during the entire engagement.

Had Fine Exhibit

Among the many fine exhibits in Machinery Hall at the County Fair was that of the Geo. H. Fernald Co., of this city. The exhibit comprised everything in plumber's supplies, both room fixtures and pumping and irrigating machinery and the exhibit was a revelation not only to the stranger but to Sanford people. There is an old saying that you need to leave home to find out the home news and this was true of Fernald's display. Aside from the value of the advertising to the Fernald Hardware Co., the city of Sanford was also materially helped and this enterprising firm deserves credit for the energy and enterprise shown by the exhibit.

Mrs. Puleston Hostess

The Auction Bridge Club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. Samuel Puleston Saturday afternoon. Two tables of bridge were played. Mrs. H. P. Driver, made the top score and won the first prize, a pretty fan with a braided cord, the booby prize, a Japanese pin cushion, was received by Mrs. R. S. Keeler.

After the conclusion of the games of cards, delicious oyster pates, sandwich, pickles and hot tea were served. Mrs. Puleston's guests were, Mesdames O. W. Brady, H. P. Driver, C. E. Bell, H. M. Papworth, R. S. Keeler, Robt. Newman and Frank Lane.

Quarterly Conference

Rev. C. Fred Blackburn, presiding elder of the Miami District, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church Sunday evening. Mr. Blackburn held the first quarterly conference of this charge Monday evening

PROPERTY VALUES INCREASE

Taxable Property of Florida Increased
By Nineteen Millions

Tallahassee, Fla., Feb. 5.—The comptroller's office has just completed the assessed valuation of property throughout the State for 1911 and the figures give information of great value to the State.

The total assessed valuation of all property returned for taxation in the State has reached the grand total of \$196,805,442, being an increase over last year of over \$19,000,000. In round millions this is distributed as follows: Real estate, 128 millions; personal property, 36 millions; railroad, 31 millions; telegraph lines, one-half million; Pullman company, one-quarter million.

Forty-five of the forty-seven counties show an increase over last year, only two having resorted to a decrease, and the decrease in those instances was but slight. The counties showing the greatest gains with the amount of the increase in round numbers are as follows: Dade county, \$1,212,000; Duval, \$2,312,000; Escambia, \$619,000; Manatee, \$459,000; Orange, \$726,000; Palm Beach, 1,103,000; Santa Rosa, \$1,204,000.

With the new population pouring into Florida as never before and property valuations being reported for taxation in increased amount of valuation, Florida can with all propriety boast of its growth and prosperity.

Conservative Sanford Celery Report

Sanford, Fla., Feb. 2.—One of the best posted railroad officials who keeps close tab on the celery and lettuce movement gives it as his opinion that at the best not over 850 cars of celery will be moved from Sanford district, with about 400 cars of lettuce. The celery movement may drop to 700 or 750 cars. The blight will reduce the crop somewhat, and continued unfavorable weather will also cut down the movement. So far, about 300 cars of lettuce have moved and future prospects are rather poor for this crop. The celery carlot movement will start about Feb. 7, and the heaviest part of the deal will be the last three weeks of March. Last year, Sanford put out 850 cars of celery and 500 cars of lettuce.—Produce News.

Rounds Celebrated Ladies Orchestra

In the Auditorium of the Sanford High School, Wednesday evening, at 8:30 o'clock will be given a most delightful musical treat and high class entertainment; by a company of artists, under the auspices of the Alkapest Lyceum System, and management of H. O. Rounds.

This entertainment will be the 5th number and attraction of the High School Lyceum Course. Admission 75 cents. School pupils 25 cts. All seats reserved. Seats on sale at D. L. Thrasher's store, Feby. 8th and 7th from 4 to 6 p. m.

Ladies Aid Society

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church, held their regular meeting at the residence of Mrs. D. L. Thrasher, Monday afternoon. After the business of the society was concluded the members enjoyed a social half hour together, and the hot chocolate and sandwiches served by the hostess.

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Each person sending in an answer to this puzzle will be sent a beautiful birdseye view of Jacksonville, Fla., FREE.

Don't fail to try and win one of these valuable prizes. All answers must be in our hands not later than February 17th 1912, and the decisions of the judges in awarding the prizes must be accepted by the contestants as final.

Remember this contest is FREE. We make this liberal offer to advertise Beautiful Grand Boulevard, Jacksonville's close in building addition.

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POULTRY

IN recent issues we have given you a few figures comparing Florida with the very best Northern States in the production of corn and potatoes. It is not possible to compare Florida with all of the states on all kinds of crops, because certain crops in Florida pay so much money to farmers that they do not care to give attention to some other crops which are staple in the North. In looking over the statistics on any crop that is grown both in Florida and the Northern States, we find that Florida has a decided advantage.

Owing to our wonderful climate, we have advantages along other lines—in the raising of stock, for instance. It is not necessary to protect stock from the weather, and consequently all kinds of stock run at large the year 'round and require no attention and but little feed. This is one of the most inviting fields for the cattle business in the country. We may have more to say on this subject later on.

Just now we call your attention to the raising of Poultry.

Poultry raising as an industry has made wonderful strides forward in the past few years, yet the demand for poultry products is increasing much more rapidly than the supply, and prices are advancing slightly each year. This fact is due to several reasons. Almost everybody enjoys eating poultry products. The general high cost of living along other lines undoubtedly adds to the consumption of poultry products and tends to increase prices. Still another, and we think a greater reason than any other, is due to the rapid increase of population in our cities and the decrease in population of our country districts. The census of 1910 reveals some startling facts. The State of Illinois, for instance, lost 4,000 population in the rural districts in the past ten years, while the state as a whole, including the cities, gained over 800,000. What is true of Illinois is true of practically every other state in the union. As people flock to the cities they, of course, cease to be producers, but still continue to be consumers. That this condition of affairs will continue for years to come is a practically settled fact.

For one of limited means we do not know of any field so inviting as poultry raising, and certainly if one is going into the poultry business, no place in the world offers the advantages today that Florida does.

In the Year Book of the Department of Agriculture of the United States for 1910, pages 643 and 644, are two tables giving prices in each state of eggs per dozen and chickens per hundred pounds for every month during the past two years. We have selected six representative states out of this list and figured the average price for two years on both eggs and chickens. They are as follows:

STATE	EGGS PER DOZ	CHICKENS PER 100 LBS.
South Dakota	\$.203	\$ 9.04
Illinois .....	.216	11.26
Indiana .....	.220	11.48
Iowa .....	.203	10.20
Missouri .....	.194	10.80
Kansas .....	.19	10.37
Average for the six states .....	.20	10.37

Now compare Florida from the same table: Eggs 24c and chickens \$13.34. This will show you that the price of eggs in Florida during the past two years has averaged 3½c higher than the six states above mentioned, and that the price of chickens has averaged \$2.97 per 100 pounds higher than in the six states above. This difference of itself should be an attractive margin of profit.

In the vicinity of Sanford but few people pay any attention to poultry, probably because they are engaged in truck growing, from which they make enormous returns, and consequently do not care to fool with chickens.

Being near the great resorts of the country, and having such excellent transportation by both water and rail, the demand here is much greater than in other parts of the state and the prices at Sanford are consequently considerably above the average given.

We do not know of a better place or one more adapted to poultry raising than our Volusia Farms. This land is level, excellent quality of soil, well drained, has splendid transportation facilities by both water and rail and **CAN BE BOUGHT AT FROM \$30 TO \$50 PER ACRE**, depending upon location.

One of the finest poultry farms in this part of the state is located at Enterprise, only a short distance from our Volusia Farms. The owner of this farm, Mr. Throop, has a large number of hens, and in an article written for The Sanford Herald of recent date, this gentleman states that his hens average to pay him \$2.00 per head each year above all expenses.

Mr. Throop buys all his feed and does not attempt to grow any of it, as his farm is located on a few town lots.

It is so easy to grow anything or everything in Florida that we should certainly advise one who intended trying the poultry business to buy sufficient land to grow all his own feed, especially so when our Volusia Farms can be bought at the present low price. There is no question about an advance in value later on, and besides being able to raise feed for one's poultry, one would get the benefit of the advance in value of the land itself.

Let us show you over this splendid tract of land. No matter what you want land for in Florida, you will be pleased with our Volusia Farms. Sold on easy terms with small payments.

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SANFORD, FLORIDA

LETTER FROM COL. THRASHER

(continued from page three)

ing centuries, have done their work well. So that almost everything connected with the past greatness and wealth and unparalleled splendor of the proud metropolis of the Orient has faded and fallen and crumbled into impalpable dust, except her temples, tombs, statues, obelisks and pyramids, and these mute monuments to what is admitted to be the remains of the most interesting civilization found anywhere on the face of the earth, tell us, in an impressive language, peculiarly Oriental of a remote past, of silent centuries away back and behind a point from which with strained vision we attempt to look backward down the aisles of time and through the vista of still more ancient centuries—even to near the beginning when God said, "Let there be light."

Some of these temples or rather the remains are immense. They are grand. They are the wonder and admiration of every one who sees them. Especially is this true of the temple of Ammon at Karnak. The entrance gate, or Pylon, is 370 feet wide, 142 feet high and 49 feet thick. The great court is 275x338 feet, and still an other, almost as large. There are six gates, or Pylons, and then the east and west avenues of sphinxes, the Sacred Lake, the great obelisk, and almost numberless statues, and some annexed temples, and it covers a space about 4,500 feet long by 1,900 feet wide. In it are 134 columns, 12 feet in diameter and 80 feet high. Some parts of the temple are 142 feet high.

In Thebes, west side of the river, are many wonderful things. One is the broken colossus, or statue of Ramesses II. It was destroyed by an earthquake in 27 B. C. It was made of one stone, pink granite, was 57 feet high and measured 23 feet across from shoulder to shoulder. At the elbow the arm was 17 1/4 feet in circumference. The index finger was 3 1/2 feet long. These facts are established by French scholars, and no one doubts who sees the broken parts, and they estimated the weight at two million pounds.

It was brought from Assuan, about 138 miles up the Nile, and then conveyed from the river to the place where it all may now be seen, about one mile from the river. Listen: The base or foundation stone, on which that statue stood when it was broken, was measured by a Sanford boy, and it is 34 feet long, 18 feet wide and 8 feet thick, and a mummified Pharaoh is a silent witness to the truth of this statement. That solid block of stone was also brought from Assuan to Thebes, evidently by water, and thence out to where it was lying three days ago. It is there, and ready to speak for itself, and in my opinion it will be there as long as the sun continues to rise in the east. How those huge granite blocks were transported no one knows.

This letter is too long already. Before closing I will add. A large majority of the natives are a poor, ignorant, wretched and God-forsaken lot. Many of them live within the walls of mud huts without a shelter. Some have part of the top covered with corn stalks or palm leaves. Sleep on the ground right here. Many are scantily clad. They huddle together—donkeys, goats, chickens, all in one small yard and often in the same room, and a happy family in a way. Have seen only a few black negroes. There are Turks, Nubians, Arabs, Copts, Persians, Jews, B. doums, Egyptians, Negroes and what not, and they are very much mixed by intermarriage I think. A large majority are Mohammedans. I have seen them in their mosques at prayer. Friday is their Sunday and they go to the mosques to pray—no singing—no preaching. As a tomb is the last thing I wish to have anything to do with, I leave them for another day.

I know you are tired out with all this and so close, with good wishes and kind remembrances from us all to you and all of yours, and to friends who may inquire about us.
Yours truly,
A. M. THRASHER.

After The Express Co

Prosecution of express companies for overcharging shippers was indicated by Commissioner Lane at the express rate hearing today, to be the intention of the Interstate commerce commissioner. W. A. Ryan, one of the investigators for the commission presented the examination of one month's business of the Adams Express Company, showing that \$67,000 in overcharges had been turned into the company's treasury.

Bad For The St. Johns

Washington, Feb. 2. (Special)—It was learned here today from a source believed to be entirely trustworthy that because of the wave of economy which has spread over congress this year's river and harbor bill may be held down to the old projects and that no new ones of any kind will be had.

While this would probably save the country something like \$10,000,000 after the senate amendments have been added it would be in the opinion of those familiar



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lar with such matters mean a big loss in the end. Much work now under way would stop, the forces employed would no longer be needed and the same projects would have to be taken up again some later time.

There does not seem to be any doubt that even if the cut is not carried to this extent, the bill will be so small that many new projects will not be considered. It is impossible to tell yet what will happen but the prospects are good for a very small bill.

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SORRENTO HAPPENINGS

Chatter Chatter Among The Lakes And The Lakelets

Among the annual visitors to Sorrento is an inventor and manufacturer of national reputation, Joseph Parks Delahanty, founder of the Delahanty Drying Machine Co. of Pittston, Pa. These machines are indispensable in cotton mills, and about 4,000 are now in use. For these, and also for knitting machines Mr. Delahanty has taken out twenty patents. This is the seventh winter he has spent here, stopping with his long-time friend, Walter Cooper. Although now in his 92nd year he is remarkably active and enjoys a hunting or fishing trip as well as his younger companions.

Farmer Smith has handed us an article from the San Francisco Chronicle relating to the Mediterranean fly, a small red insect which is said to have wrought great havoc to fruit and vegetables in various countries. Forewarned is forearmed, and from the vigorous measures being taken on the Pacific coast it is thought that this dreaded pest will be kept out of this country.

Miss Eva Isaacs was guest of honor at a delightful musical given by the Misses Allen at their home on Sorrento avenue Monday evening. Miss Isaacs is a musician of ability, and selections both vocal and instrumental, rendered by her, added greatly to the pleasure of the evening. Miss Tinsie gave several violin selections, accompanied by Miss Hawkins. Piano selections were also given by Miss Hawkins, Miss Gladys Moore and Miss Myrtle Reed, and vocal selections by Miss Mildred Upton. A musical romance, popular songs, a musical puzzle and dainty refreshments added to the sociability. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Malure of Providence, Misses Moore, Harter and Gladys Moore of Coadwicks, N. Y.; Miss Myrtle Reed, of Naples, Me.; Misses Edbern, Rooks, Tinsie, Hawkins, Lockwood, Upton, Christie, Kay, Royal, Battle, Wood, Isaac of Sorrento and Mr. Eggleston of Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Briggs Malone of Providence, R. I. are delightful guests at the Matlack House. They expect to be with us until June.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood and grand daughter, Miss Lillian, left here for a trip to Cuba, via the East Coast to Key West.

Mrs. C. C. Walker and little daughter, Kate of Atlanta, Ga., are the guests of Mrs. Walker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Battle.

The Ladies' Church Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. A. E. Allen Thursday last. The meeting was presided over by the new president for 1912, Mrs. J. G. Charles. Plans were made for the work of the year. A visitors' registration book was opened and some delightful social gatherings planned.

Mrs. Gladys Powell entertained the fancy work club at her beautiful Lake Lucy home. Delicious refreshments were served and the young ladies spent a delightful afternoon with their hostess.

Miss Eva Isaac, sister of our popular school teacher, A. L. Isaac, has been the charming guest of Miss Hazel Allen the past few days, returning to her home at Umatilla Tuesday.

B. C. Wilcox and family are visiting Mrs. Wilcox's father at Welborn.

A. E. Allen is attending the state Republican convention at Palatka this week.

Mrs. Berts and friend, Miss Miller of New York City were visitors at the Orange county fair at Orlando.

G. C. Richards and family have moved to Sorrento from Georgia and will occupy one of Mr. Richards' houses.

Men and Religion Movement

The committee appointed last Sunday to work out the organization of the Men and Religion Forward Movement for Sanford met in the Congregational church last Thursday night. This committee consists of Messrs. W. W. Abernathy, Methodist, Prof. N. J. Perkins, Baptist, C. E. Walker, Congregational, J. N. Whitner, Presbyterian and B. F. Whitner, Episcopalian, together with the pastors of the churches. The entire committee was present with the single exception of Mr. J. N. Whitner who is absent from the city and was represented by Mr. D. L. Thrasher.

Considerable time was spent in an informal discussion as to means and methods. Then Messrs. Walker, Perkins and B. F. Whitner were made a sub-committee to draw up the details of the plan of organization for presentation at

HORSE SHOW AND FIELD DAY WILL DRAW LARGE CROWD

The various committees are busily engaged this week in getting everything in readiness for the two great days next week, Tuesday and Wednesday, February 13th and 14th. W. T. Fields, who has the feature of the Horse Show in charge reports that he has numbers of entries in every class and that the number of animals brought out at the show will be a revelation to Sanford people and also to the visitors.

The managers of the athletic events are out daily with the young athletes and have received entries from many out of town amateurs.

The field and track events will be features of the two days meet and promise great sport for the contestants and the audience.

The ladies are busy getting the booths ready and the field promises a fine appearance for the two days. All the events will be held at Holden Park, which is already fenced and has a grand stand. Fine boxes are also being erected for the horse show and these will afford a good view of all events. So many entries were made for the horse show that only fifteen minutes will be allowed each showing. Every one is taking a great interest in the events and it will be made an annual occasion. In which Sanford will entertain the visitors and neighbors. All the business houses will decorate for the occasion, and not only will the grounds present a fine appearance but the city as well and Sanford will be in gala attire during the two days. For the benefit of the entrants the following line of march on opening day is given:

All parties that have entered their

horses and mules for the Horse Show given by the Hospital Association, Feb. 13th, are requested to meet on Second street, promptly at 11:30, between Oak and Palmetto avenue, where the parade will form, headed by the Sanford Band. Line of parade will be south on Oak Ave. to Seventh St., east on Seventh St. to Park Ave., north on Park Ave. to Second St., east on Second St. to Sanford Ave., north on Sanford Ave. to First St., west on First St. to Maple Ave., south on Maple to Holden Park, where the sports will begin promptly at 1 p. m., and different classes will be shown every fifteen minutes.

Besides the features of the horse show athletic sports, etc., for Field Day the ladies have prepared a number of attractive booths and bazaar and a list of these is given below, with the names of the committees:

Refreshment Committee—Mrs. F. E. Rountiff, Chrm.; Mesdames M. Frank, J. N. Whitner, C. E. Walker, W. T. John, W. N. Leffler, W. W. Abernathy, L. G. Stringfellow, R. L. Peck, Seligh, W. A. Minnick, E. W. Rowland and Miss Lucile Richards.

Coco Cola and Soda Water—Boy Scouts, Rev. G. B. Walfrom and Rev. C. H. Summers.

Wonderful Trees—Mrs. P. M. Keely, Chrm.; Mesdames Cecil Gabbett, A. S. Briggs, R. H. Marks, Misses Hazel Hand, Linda Connolly, Josie Stumon, Junie Stumon.

Under the Auspices of the "Lead a Hand Club," Work Basket—Miss Keeler, Chrm.; Mrs. A. W. Brown, Misses Currie Lovell, Lillian Gibson, Bessie Long, Martha Fox, Olive Hill, Hessie Tyner, Jessie Stumon.

Cigar Box—Misses Mabel Bowler, Florence Frank, Beth Mettinger, Hoskins Jones.

Candy Table—Miss Madge Ward, Chrm.; Misses Veda Ward, Mabel Hand, Lella Michael, Eamle Hill, Marjorie Lough, Saldie Glayde, Laura Lee, Nell Evans.

Confetti Stands—Miss Geala Wicker, Chrm.; Miss Annie Higgins, Annie McLaughlin, Marguerite Coffee, Gladys Morris, Lillian Herring, Linda Leffler, Belle Smith, Adelaide Higgins, Douglas Abernathy, Zoe Munson, Mercedes Munson.

Fortune Tellers—Mrs. C. E. Lewis, Misses Elizabeth McLaughlin, Bessie Schumpert, Louise Shepherd, Mrs. A. Moses.

Entertainment Committee—Mrs. Martin, Chrm.; Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Gerber, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Herndon, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Symes, Miss Olive Hill, Mr. Frank Milteer.

Mother Goose—Miss Mell Whitner, Chrm.; Miss Lucy Whitner, Ruth Mettinger, Sadie Easle, Purdon, Annie Lqs Caldwell, Vivian Yelzer.

Popcorn and Peanuts—Mrs. M. Hopson, Chrm.; Misses Irene Thurston, Martha Miller, Kate Underwood, Annie Whitner, Muriel Harold, Claire Walker, Katherine Waldron, Ethel Moulton, Igera Stout.

Tea Room—Mrs. D. L. Thrasher, Chrm.; Mesdames S. Paleston, A. H. Gerber, R. A. Newman, Misses Charissa Starling, Charlotte Hand, Helen Rowland, Margaret Davis, Lillian Higgins, Luca Chappell, Alice Whitner.

Chaperones—Mesdames M. F. Robinson, O. W. Brady, R. J. Holly, Frank Woodruff, Kent Rossetter, J. C. McDaniel, J. L. Hurt, Anna Anderson, Geo. Fox, Jr.

COMPTROLLER CROOM DEAD

Another State Officer Dies Suddenly At Ocala Wednesday

State Comptroller A. C. Croom, of Tallahassee, died suddenly at Ocala Wednesday morning at the home of County Judge Joseph Bell. Acute indigestion was the cause of his demise.

Mr. Croom arrived in Ocala Monday on a visit to Judge Joseph Bell and other friends. He seemed to be quite well and was in good spirits. Most of the day yesterday he was guest of Sheriff J. P. Galloway, at whose home he took dinner. In the evening he returned to Judge Bell's home, and after a light supper and some time spent in conversation with the Judge he retired.

Judge Bell, in company with several other young men, make their home in an apartment house belonging to the Judge, on Fort King avenue, near the center of the city. About 4 o'clock this morning the Judge was awakened by a call from Mr. Croom, who slept in the next room. Going to his bedside he found Mr. Croom in considerable pain. He immediately summoned Dr. A. L. Izlar, who came in a few minutes and at once recognized that Mr. Croom was in a serious condition. He called to his assistant, another physician, Dr. H. Dozier, but their combined efforts were unavailing. Mr. Croom soon became unconscious and died about 5:30 o'clock.

The death of Mr. Croom closely follows that of Hon. B. E. McLin, state commissioner of agriculture, who passed away at Orlando last Wednesday night, while addressing the Orlando lodge of Elks. The two men were very close friends.

Robbins-Harvey Nuptials

A very pretty wedding occurred at the Robbins Nest Hotel on Wednesday, at ten-thirty a. m., the contracting parties being Miss Alice Frances Robbins to Mr. William Lee Harvey of Jacksonville.

The beautiful marriage ceremony of the Methodist church being performed by Rev. C. H. Summers Pastor of the First Methodist church of Sanford Fla.

At the appointed time a handsome clock one of the wedding presents rang out the sweet chimes, to announce the entrance of the happy couple who advanced to the center of one of the large double parlors as Lohengrin's Wedding March was beautifully rendered by Mrs. Cecil Butt. As the solemn words that bound two hearts and hands together were uttered Mendelssohn was played sweet and low. The minister entreated the Supreme Ruler to guide them peacefully through life and pronounced them man and wife.

Mother and father Robbins, followed by the bride and groom then conducted the invited guests into the beautiful new office, where congratulations were offered and delicious fruit punch and cake was served.

Mrs. Cecil Butt and Mrs. Gerou presided at the punch bowl. The large double parlors were beautifully decorated with white chrysanthemums with trailing vines, palms and ferns.

The bride was handsomely gowned in silver gray with trimmings of silver fringe. A hat to match. The groom wore the usual suit of black. After donning her traveling suit of blue ladies cloth the happy couple left on train of two fifty-five amids showers of rice and best wishes of friends.

They go by rail to New York and sail on Sunday the Eleventh for Porto Rica, where they will spend several months. From there they will visit Havana and other parts of Cuba before returning to the United States.

The groom is a young man of sterling business qualities and is to be congratulated on winning one of Sanford's fairest daughters.

Letter From Wisconsin

The following letter from C. F. Cooley of Madison, Wisconsin ought to make Sanford people satisfied with Florida weather:

"Everybody at my house has to read the Sanford Herald as we are very anxious to know what you are doing down in that country. And I enclose you a draft on N. Y. of \$2.00 to pay for the Herald from Dec. 28-1911 to Dec. 28th, 1912. And would like to have the Semi-Weekly Times Union. It was 22 below zero at our house this morning and still we live."

Respectfully,
C. F. Cooley.

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.

One hundred new boxes have been added to the postoffice in Miami, making a total of 1,200 boxes. From now on there will be also two delivery windows at the postoffice in that city.

It is understood that the crops along the East Coast are in excellent condition and a large yield of early fruits and vegetables is expected.

The week's shipment of strawberries from Lakeland will average about 20,000 quarts, all grown within a radius of eight miles.

News comes that twenty acres of radishes have been planted by the farmers of Escambia county.

Good things in bunches are coming to Lakeland. The latest is the announcement of free delivery of mails, which we have the pleasure of making today. This is one of the many things that combine to put Lakeland in the city class. And we are only beginning. Great as has been the advancement of the past year or so, we confidently believe that the coming year will mark the greatest forward stride that has yet been made.—Lakeland News.

Church of the Holy Cross

Services next Sunday, Feb. 11th, will be as follows: Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning prayer with sermon at 11 a. m. Evening prayer with short address 7:30 p. m. Rev. B. F. Root will officiate and preach. All are cordially invited to worship with us and visitors will be welcomed.

Delightful Entertainment

The Rounds Specialty Company measured fully up to the expectations of the large audience, which greeted their return to Sanford, Wednesday evening at the auditorium of the High School.

Among the stars in the Lyceum Course, they are rightly among the brightest.

Grateful To Officials

A lady suffering with temporary aberration caused some excitement in a local hotel last week and was taken in charge by the city and placed in the care of City

Physician Robson who soon restored her to a normal condition. As soon as her reason returned her husband was wired of her plight and he came here at once and took her home to Jacksonville. He paid all of her expenses while here and expressed himself in the highest terms of the kind treatment of Dr. Robson and all the city officials.

Sewing Circle

The members of the Sewing Circle met at the residence of the Misses Whitner Thursday evening. Their fancy work occupied the busy fingers of those who were present, while Miss Mell Whitner read aloud an interesting story for their entertainment. Mrs. J. C. Bennett, Misses Emma and Estelle Beard, Miss Lillian Gibson, with the Misses Whitner were the only members of the circle who were present. Dainty refreshments were served.

Death of Mrs Pace

Mrs. J. E. Pace died at her home on Melonville Ave. last night after a lingering illness of several months duration. The funeral will occur today from the Presbyterian church at three o'clock. All the business houses will close between the hours of two and three in respect to Mrs. Pace who is universally beloved and respected. The bereaved husband and other relatives have the sympathy of the community in their great affliction.

Unitarian Service

Rev. Eleanor E. Gordon will conduct a service on Sunday afternoon, 3:30 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Fernald 500 Oak Ave. Miss Gordon's subject will be "Religion from the Near End or the Altitude of the Church toward Modern Problems." These meetings have been exceedingly interesting. Miss Gordon is an earnest and fluent speaker. Everyone invited. 500 Oak Ave. corner of 5th street.

Horse Show Admissions

General admission to the Horse Show and Field Sports given under the auspices of the Sanford Hospital Association, Feb. 13th and 14th. Adults 25 cents, children 10 cents, admission after 6 p. m. for band concerts and night sports will be 10 cents. Boxes and parking space tickets, include both days, and are on sale at Lawsons.

Boost The Show

Every one who is leaving the city for a few days can assist the Hospital by taking some printed matter relating to the Horse Show and Field Day. Come to the Herald office and take some advertising with you and talk it up in the neighboring cities. It will help along a good cause

the next meeting to be called by Mr. Walker the temporary chairman. Each committeeman was asked to make sure that five men are appointed or elected from each church. These five men are to head the local church committees among whom all the men of each church are to be divided, and they will also form the central organization of the city. These five lines of work are: 1. Systematic Bible Study, 2. Boys' Work, 3. Evangelism, 4. Missions and 5. Social Service.

Emphasis was put upon the need that as many delegates as possible go to Jacksonville for the convention week after week, and each committeeman was made responsible either to go himself or send a substitute. Mr. Waldron was made press agent for the committee pending the more complete organization.

Junior Baracas Meet

The Junior Baracas of the Baptist Sunday school held their annual election of officers last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Williams on Palmetto avenue. After several selections of vocal and instrumental music, games, etc., all were invited into the dining room for supper. When supper was ended the boys and their visitors adjourned to the parlor and proceeded with their annual election of officers, by ballot, which resulted as follows: President, Eugene Singletary; vice president, Oscar Speer; secretary, Volle Williams; treasurer, Joe Laing, Jr.; class reporter, Tom Norwood; Ass't class reporter, Clarence Barcliff. A few words to the newly elected officers and plans of work for the coming year given by their teacher, Miss Allie Trafford brought a pleasant evening to its close.

Street Car Burns

Car No. 2 of the Sanford Traction Co., caught fire in some manner Wednesday morning at Cameron City and was entirely consumed before adequate help could arrive to extinguish the blaze. Fortunately the school children had not embarked when the accident happened and none of the passengers were hurt. The loss is a serious one to the company coming as it does in the midst of the busy season and with one of the other cars in the shop. The service will be crippled for several days, but will resume again on Sunday and another car will be ordered at once from the factory.

Weather Report

Increasing cloudiness with probably rain in the north portion tonight or Saturday. Warm tonight and tomorrow. Lovely weather for the Field Day and Horse Show for the Hospital.