

ABOUT PEOPLE AND EVENTS

BEING A RESUME OF SANFORD HAPPENINGS UP-TO-DATE

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Birthday Party

Misses Adele and Gertrude Runge were the charming little hostesses of a very delightful porch party Tuesday afternoon...

In Honor of Visiting Girls

Miss Muriel Harrold was the gracious young hostess at a very charming afternoon and evening party Tuesday...

Showet for Miss Gibson

A charming affair of which Miss Lillian Gibson was the guest of honor was the miscellaneous shower at the pretty bungalow home of Mrs. W. M. McKinnon Wednesday afternoon...

Dickson-Stewart

A marriage to which romantic interest attaches is that of Miss Kate Dickson to Mr. J. R. Stewart, June 6th at Daytona. The young people intended to keep their marriage a secret until October...

Wednesday Auction Bridge

Mrs. Deane Turner was hostess to the Wednesday Club this week, with two tables of players...

Personal Mention

Miss Bessie Schumpert left the early part of the week for Atlanta and the mountains of North Georgia, for a visit of several weeks.

Busy Bees Meeting

By invitation of Mrs. Robbins, the Busy Bees will meet at the Robbins Nest Monday afternoon and enjoy the hospitality of Mrs. Robbins from 3:30 to 5:30 p. m.

Trice's Trumpeteer

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A Massachusetts' Opinion

It is the confusion of temperance with prohibition which occasions the most acrimonious contentions in the debates on this question. The no-license towns in Massachusetts, however steadfastly they may maintain that policy, all realize that it does not mean the cessation of liquor drinking...

from the center of the hoop hung a lovely bouquet of white carnations and ferns, sent by Dr. Brownlee for Miss Gibson.

Miss Gibson was blindfolded and led beneath the hoop, the ribbons were cut and it was the surprise of the afternoon when Miss Gibson found herself encircled by the hoop, the packages containing dainty and useful gifts about her.

The punch bowl stood upon a dainty white cover, with tracery of green, carrying out the pretty color scheme.

In the dining room masses of red roses and asparagus fern were used in the decoration. The table, full length was lovely with its handsome white cover, outlined with asparagus fern and a gorgeous mass of red beauty roses in the center, while from the corners drooped sprays of fern and roses, making a very effective and charming decoration.

Mrs. McKinnon's guests were Mesdames Peck, Hopson, McLaulin, Dinglee, Maxwell, J. W. Dickins, H. R. Stevens, Deane, Harold and Mrs. Bowers; Misses Mabel Bowler, Mell, Alice and Annie Whitner, Annie Lee and Lettie Caldwell, Helen Rowland, Essie Purdon, Virginia Smith, Bessie Long, May Doyle and Alice Caldwell.

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Mr. G. C. Speering

Mr. G. C. Speering, the affable

and courteous clerk of the Seminole Pharmacy left for Ft. Meade, Fla., today, where he will embark in the drug business for himself, having purchased the Ft. Meade Pharmacy. His many friends in Sanford wish him success and prosperity in his new home.

Mrs. C. E. Walker and Mrs. Hays are assisting at the Library in the absence of Mrs. May Dickens. These ladies are capable and efficient and will be of valuable assistance to those in charge of the Library and to the public who make use of it.

A congenial party going over to Daytona Beach for the day Sunday, in Mr. Thigpen's car were Mrs. Fannie Munson, Misses Mabel Bowler and Peachea Leffer, Messrs. J. D. Roberts and W. J. Thigpen.

Mrs. A. P. Connelly and two little sons, Miss Gena Maulden and Mr. B. W. Herndon motored over to Daytona Beach Sunday.

Mr. J. D. Hunter left on Thursday for Charlotte, N. C., to visit his mother and little son.

Mrs. Raymond Butt returned on Monday after several months delightfully spent in Jacksonville, Fernandina, Sefton, Palm Beach and other Florida towns.

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For Rent—Completely furnished house with piano for the summer. Few steps to postoffice, depot and steamer dock. A. W. Brown, Enterprise, Florida. 75-11

For Rent—Furnished office equipped with roll top desk, office chairs and tables. Also a roll top typewriter desk and other equipment for sale or rent. Herald office. 82-11

Cottage for Rent—918 Park Avenue. Apply to A. Trafford, city. 90-11

Wanted—Dressmaking of all kinds. Last house on East Third street, Mrs. Mattie Deigert. 93-11

Lost—Mileage book between York and Carolina sales office and factory. Book issued at Jacksonville on July 28th and numbered G 1424. Finder return to sales office in Yowell building and receive reward. 93-11

Wanted—Dressmaking of all kinds at 201 French Avenue. 93-11

Lost—Hand embroidered baby carriage robe between corner Oak and Fifth street and down Broadway section Tuesday evening. Finder will receive reward by returning to 212 Oak Avenue. 93-11

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RED WAR BLAZES HORIZON OF EUROPE

GERMANY INVADES FRANCE AND RUSSIA AT SAME TIME

Berlin, via Brussels, Aug. 4.—The cruiser Augsburg sent the following report by wireless: "Am bombard- ing naval harbor at Libau and am engaged with enemy's cruiser. Naval port Libau in flames." Libau is Russian naval arsenal on Baltic Sea.

London, Aug. 4.—Four great powers of Europe—Austria-Hungary, Russia, France and Germany, are engaged in actual warfare, but two of them, Germany and France, have not openly declared war against each other, as far as is known here; but have not even severed diplomatic relations. This is despite the fact that Germany's ultimatum to France either has been ignored or rejected.

The explanation of this would appear to be that Germany and France are each seeking to throw upon the other the onus of beginning a war that may plunge all Europe into bloodshed. In fact while the nations of Europe are flying at each other's throats, they are vying with each other in protesting their desire to maintain peace.

In this curious situation, France, according to British opinion, has the strongest justification. She was the last to mobilize and seems to have taken the greatest precautions to avoid frontier collisions.

On the other hand, Germany, in addition to invading French territory without a formal declaration of war, has violated the neutrality of Luxembourg and declines to give any promise to respect Belgian neutrality.

The efforts of the British Ambassador at Berlin to secure such a pledge have been wasted. It is difficult to see how Great Britain can avoid being drawn into the conflict should Belgium and Dutch neutrality. On this point Premier Asquith's official announcement in Parliament Monday is awaited with incipient anxiety.

Short of actual formal mobilization, the British Government is taking all necessary steps to meet a situation unprecedented in the nation's history.

There was a scene of great enthusiasm outside Buckingham Palace tonight. Five or six thousand persons gathered before the palace, sang the National Anthem and called for King George, who, with Queen Mary appeared on the balcony and bowed in response to cheers given for him and for France.

Berlin, Aug. 4.—Russia has begun the invasion of Germany. Russian forces have crossed the German frontier at Schwidnau, southeast of Biala, while last night a Russian patrol entered Germany near Elchenreid.

The Russian column which crossed the frontier at Schwidnau was accompanied by artillery.

Two squadrons of Russian Cossacks are riding in the direction of Johannesburg, in East Prussia, fifteen miles from the frontier.

The Russian patrol which entered near Elchenreid attacked the German guard at the railroad bridge over the Warthe, but was repulsed. Two Germans were slightly wounded.

The above information was given out by the imperial staff, which at the same time said that the invading Russian forces who had been actually begun.

A French aviator has been dropping bombs from an aeroplane in the neighborhood of Nuremberg, Bavaria, according to an announcement made by the military authorities today. In making this announcement, the authorities added that the action was a bluff against the rights of man, as there had been no destruction of war.

Emperor William came to Berlin in late today from Potsdam. He traveled in an open automobile and was greeted on the station by 10,000 enthusiastic cheering.

WAR MAP OF EUROPE, SHOWING STRENGTH OF ARMIES



The fighting strength of the principal European nations in time of war, as shown on this side, favoring Serbia, is the triple entente, consisting of England, Russia and France, and on the other side, supporting Austria, is the triple alliance—namely, Germany, Italy and Austria itself.

ENGLAND MAY BE DRAWN INTO WAR AT ANY MOMENT

London, Aug. 4.—The British naval reservists were called out at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

This action is taken as confirming the belief that the British government is ready to take its part in the struggle.

The naval forces of the Empire now are prepared for any contingency. The ships had just concluded their maneuvers and therefore were virtually mobilized when the war cloud appeared.

The territorial forces of England also are equally prepared without an actual mobilization order. The annual training of the territorial contingents began today and masses of men are gathering at the territorial camps.

The News of the World says it has received a wireless communication that heavy firing is proceeding in the North Sea. The newspapers presume that the French and German fleets are engaged. No confirmation of the report was received today.

According to a dispatch from Copenhagen, the German Baltic fleet was making its way from Kiel to the North Sea.

A dispatch to the Central News says the Germans have taken possession of the English steamer Castro, in the Kiel Canal, and ordered her to Hamburg.

It is also reported that the British steamer, Saxon, which left Kings Lynn, Norfolk, England, last Thursday with a cargo of coal for Brunsbüttel, Prussia, has been overtaken by the German navy and diverted to Cuxhaven.

A cablegram today from Gibraltar says a French fleet, consisting of twelve vessels, passed through the Strait of Gibraltar today, bound east.

London, Aug. 4.—The decisions of the British Cabinet, which are to be announced by Premier Asquith today, are comprehensive and deal not only with naval and military preparations, but with the whole fabric of national credit and food supply.

The Chronicle in a later edition revised the opinion it gave earlier on authority of its Parliamentary correspondent regarding the prospective action of the British Cabinet. It says it practically is certain that the Cabinet has decided in certain eventualities not to abstain from armed intervention.

Discontinuing Daily Edition. The managers of the Daily Item, in a published card yesterday have declared their intention of discontinuing the daily edition, owing to lack of patronage. The announcement came as no surprise to those who understand the cost of printing a daily edition, for it has been plainly evident for some time past that the Daily Item's receipts were not equal to the expenditures.

The managers have given Palatka a splendid paper, and the same is due to no lack of effort on their part. They have hustled early and late and have worked the city as it has never been worked before. But despite all efforts they could not secure sufficient business to keep the daily existing. And thus has the general belief that this field is too limited to maintain a daily paper been verified.

When the question of starting a daily paper was being agitated by some of our citizens about two years ago we looked into the matter carefully, and soon found that it meant nothing but hard work and steady outlay of money. Hence we respectfully declined to become a sacrifice to progress and enterprise. Palatka Herald.

Colonel Hudson while coming home from the beach on Sunday night had a smash up with one of his wheels, installing a lay over near Orange City junction until daylight. He managed to get help just about dawn and came home later by in the evening. He would rather sleep in Sanford than on the station platform at Orange City.

THE COMMERCIAL CLUB

Will Meet and Discuss Many Matters of Interest to the City

The Sanford Commercial Club will be called to order on Friday night August 14, at the city hall by President Lake and many matters of great interest to our city and county will be taken up. The question of full advertising, the new hotel, the bulkhead, a county fair for Seminole county, an information bureau, an up town ticket office, better freight rates, brick roads, the National Highway, a county board of trade and many matters of like kind that will be of great benefit to our city and county will be discussed. The summer is almost over and it behooves every man in Sanford to attend the meeting and help in the good work of boosting the best city in Florida. About \$2,000 had been subscribed for advertising purposes and all it takes to get this money is a finance committee to collect it from the business men who have agreed to pay it. This money should be collected and turned in to the proper channels and Sanford should be placed on the map at once. Already hundreds of inquiries are being sent here every month for information about our city and our section and this is the time to make hay. Every man in Sanford who does not belong to the Commercial Club should enroll his name and join in the great work of keeping Sanford in the public eye. A few active members have been doing this and keeping the club alive for years and it is high time that all of the business men of Sanford were coming forward and putting their shoulders to the wheel. The club was not formed for the benefit of a few but for the whole community and the entire history of Sanford should become active members.

Douglas Makes Abstracts

E. K. Douglas, clerk of the circuit court is now making abstracts of title on property on which the abstracts have been previously brought up to date since the division of the county last August. Considerable work in this line is now coming to Mr. Douglas on property in Seminole that is changing hands so it is very much quicker than sending to Orlando. All records being in the clerk's office greatly facilitates the deed and it is expected that a good business in this line will eventually be built up.

Mrs. J. H. Brady leaves today for a visit with Jacksonville friends.

Caught Negro Preacher

The negro preacher, Jenkins, who jumped his bond here some time ago and fled the country was apprehended in Montgomery last Friday and Sheriff Hadd went up there and brought him back. Jenkins was arrested here several months ago on a warrant of assault on a young girl of his flock and released on bond, some of his ministerial friends being lenient enough to go on his bond for \$1,000. He was ungrateful enough to skip the country shortly after and sooner than lose the thousand his bondsmen became busy and started to locate him. It was thought that he was in Birmingham and a suspect was held there and Sheriff Hadd went up to identify him but he was not the man, and not releasing their search the bondsmen kept after Jenkins with the result that he was located in Montgomery last week and now resides behind the bars awaiting trial.

Ford Makes Big Offer

The Ford company announces that beginning last Saturday and continuing for one year, it has reduced the price on each car it will sell \$60, and that in addition, if its output for the year reaches 800,000 cars it will share with each retail purchaser of a Ford car during the year to the extent of \$40 to \$60 per car purchased.

The Ford company says that an output of 300,000 cars for the next twelve months is not an abnormal increase over this year's business as evidenced by the fact that during the past twelve months the company has sold 221,888 cars, and at considerably higher prices than the new prices quoted for the coming year, which ends August 1, 1915. See their advertisement in another part of this issue.

B. Y. P. U. Notes

We had quite an interesting program at our meeting Sunday evening. The subject was "The Victorious Life," conducted by members of Group No. 2, with L. T. Bryan as leader. We had several good talks by different members of the Group and also two recitations were rendered by Mrs. E. G. Kennedy and Miss Mary Gatchell, which were very much enjoyed by all.

Our program next Sunday will be conducted by members of Group No. 1. Everybody is invited to come and enjoy these meetings with us. We had the pleasure of adding three new members to our roll Sunday and hope there will be more to follow later. L. B.

Large Audience at Baptist Church

One of the largest audiences ever present at the Baptist church was out last Sunday night. Practically every seat was taken. People began to reach the church as early as 7 o'clock in order to get a comfortable seat. The chorus of twenty-five voices rendered several beautiful selections. This chorus will be increased to 40 voices and several orchestra instruments. Mr. Chas. L. Polk is the director and Mrs. R. E. Tolson the pianist.

Mr. George Hyman, the pastor had as a subject "A Base Ball." He spoke for several minutes humorously of balls and people. He then produced a base ball and tearing the cover away found it full of Scripture, and where usually a rubber ball is found was the text, which was, "Ye must be born again." The people listened intently to every part of the service.

Mr. Hyman has four other unique subjects for the Sunday nights of this month, as follows:

- Aug. 9th—A Railroad Crossing.
Aug. 16th—A Game of Ball.
Aug. 23rd—A. C. L. Dispatchers' Orders.
Aug. 30th—The Red Light.

Equalizing Taxes

The board of county commissioners are busy today equalizing taxes and the city council met last night to equalize taxes. This means that all of those who are dissatisfied with their assessments can appear before the boards and make a kick. Sometimes the kick is right and sustained and sometimes it is not. The present system of assessing taxes is a poor one at the best and the people of Sanford and Seminole county would like to see a list of every property owner's taxes published in the paper once each year. If any individual is paying too much or too little this publicity would set him right and this procedure would do more to equalize the taxes than any other method. The city commission of Orlando have adopted this method and it would be well for Sanford and Seminole county to do this. It seems to be the idea of the majority of property owners, especially those holding property for speculation to try and dodge taxes and the publicity would show them up.

County Commissioners Hagg

McLain, Clark and Entsminger are in the city and expect to be here several days adjusting tax matters and looking after the county's interests. They had a very important session yesterday, a full amount of which will be in the Herald.

The Objects of Pre-Cooling

Mr. Lloyd S. Tenny, manager of the Florida Growers and Shippers League, has issued an article on the general subject of pre-cooling citrus fruits and vegetables. He brings out the fact that the purposes of pre-cooling are two-fold. First to check decay while the fruit is in transit. Secondly, to retard the ripening processes, and so permit the fruit to become ripe before harvesting. There are two kinds of decay which cause the shippers in Florida considerable trouble. The common blug mold decay, and a decay known as stem-end rot. Both of these are checked by pre-cooling.

Different methods of accomplishing pre-cooling are then described. First, there is pre-cooling in cars where the fruit is loaded in the usual way, then the cold air is blown through the car until the fruit is pre-cooled. In the second method of pre-cooling, which is rather favored by Mr. Tenny, the produce is placed in pre-cooling rooms, connected with the packing house, and cooled in them. A system of pre-cooling by the use of ice and salt is briefly described. Two mechanical pre-cooling plants are now being built in the state. The author lays emphasis upon the fact that pre-cooling is still an experiment, and cautions growers and shippers in Florida against going into the subject hurriedly. Mr. Tenny feels that in the course of another year we will know much more about this subject and it will be time enough then to build a large number of pre-cooling plants over the state. The railroads have given the shippers a satisfactory rate of seven dollars and a half per car for the use of the refrigerator car. The shipper has to pay all the expenses of pre-cooling and initially using the car.

Juniors Play Ball

The Sanford White Sox defeated the Highlanders from the Heights in a hard fought game of base ball last Friday afternoon at Holden Park. The game was well played by both teams. The batteries were as follows:

- White Sox: Wankburn and J. Laing.
Highlanders: M. Spencer, Muss and Pope.

Umpires: Chittenden and Peck. The City Old Bottling Works furnished free soda water for the boys, which was greatly appreciated.

G. P. Swann, the live wire real estate man of Orlando was in the city today on matters pertaining to the property in Seminole county.



# MENACE OF GREAT IN SERBIA'S BOLD

Long Smoldering Hatred Put Germany and Russia at Daggers' Points.

ANOTHER chapter, perhaps a bloody one, may be added to the tempestuous history of southeastern Europe as the result of the demands of Austria, so forcibly and peremptorily expressed in the ultimatum submitted by the Austrian representative in Belgrade. The present situation is not the outgrowth of recent complications, although recent events, particularly the murder of Archduke Francis Ferdinand, the Austrian heir to the throne, brought matters to a crisis. The real cause of the trouble lies deeper and dates back to the time when Serbia became an independent principality, when the Serbians began to dream of a great national future and of the establishment of a great Slav realm in southeastern Europe.

And yet those who have studied the history of the oriental question fully realize that behind all the countless conflicts and intrigues the efforts to arouse racial and religious strife among the countries of the Balkan peninsula and the ceaseless agitations and conspiracies which made the Balkan peninsula the hotbed of trouble in Europe primarily were due to the influence of Russia.

### Demands Amazed Germany

The unprecedented demands of Austria and the sharpness of the note addressed to Belgrade struck Berlin as a thunderclap and caused the greatest



A SERBIAN SOLDIER

amazement. A high government official declared that war or peace rested entirely with Serbia. The attitude of the Belgrade government was believed to depend entirely upon the approval or disapproval of Russia. Officials declared the gravest situation would be presented should France and Russia attempt to interfere.

In such event, it was declared, the conflict would be shifted overnight from war between Austria and Serbia to a situation menacing the peace of all Europe, although Austria demanded only a cessation of anti-Austrian agitation and punishment of the archduke's murderers.

It was pointed out that, should Russia take part against Austria, Germany was fully prepared to draw the sword on behalf of her ally, in accordance with the terms of the triple alliance between Germany, Austria and Italy. In fact, there was presented the possibility of another "battle of the nations" such as that in 1871, which accomplished the virtual overthrow of Napoleon.

### Officers Ordered to Post

Italy and Germany have approved of the Austrian program. All German officers on leave of absence were notified to be prepared to return to their posts at a moment's notice.

The attitude of the German government was outlined in a statement from the foreign office. "If war is declared," it was stated, "Germany will do everything possible to localize the conflict and keep it confined to Austria and Serbia. Germany will keep hands off, but should another power seek to interfere Germany will promptly fulfill its duty as an ally. The action of Austria in delivering the ultimatum was taken independently, Germany having nothing to do with the framing of the note."

It was the desire of Russia to gain a foothold in the Mediterranean which precipitated numerous wars between

# EUROPEAN WAR FRONT TO AUSTRIA

Comprehensive Survey of Situation of Gravest World-wide Alarm.

the powers of southeastern Europe. It was this same ambition of the great Slav nation of the north which prompted the Russian government to subsidize the governments of nearly all the so-called Danube principalities and by secret emissaries to keep up an effective pan-Slavistic agitation in these countries. It was the aim of Russia to win the friendship of the Slav peoples of the Balkan countries, with the ultimate hope of gaining their support for Russia's plans of maritime expansion.

### Balked by Powers

Once or twice during the past 300 years Russia came near realizing its hope of obtaining an outlet to the



EMPEROR FRANCIS JOSEPH OF AUSTRIA.

Mediterranean, but in every instance the western powers, particularly Austria and Germany, interfered and crushed the ambitious schemes of the northern power. The western powers clearly understood that Russia must remain hemmed in to prevent it from expanding and from gaining control over Europe, a danger called serious to the political independence of all European nations and to European civilization itself.

The present imbroglio, serious enough as its apparent causes may be, is merely another incident in the long



CROWN PRINCE ALEXANDER, ACTING REGENT OF SERBIA.

chain of events studiously prepared by Russian influences to widen the breach between the Teutonic nations of the west and the Slavs of the east and to prepare the ground for the grand coup by which Russia hopes to gain its end.

### Terms of Triple Alliance

According to the triple alliance treaty Germany is not bound to assist Austria if Austria strikes the first blow, but in case the first shot is fired by a Serbian soldier Germany is obliged, according to the treaty, to side with her ally. In that case Russia as a Slav nation would assist Serbia, and the real issue would no longer be between Austria and Serbia, but between Germany and Russia.

It is common belief that the Serbian Crown Prince Alexander, now acting regent during the king's illness, is under the influence of the war party.

Crown Prince Alexander of Serbia is the second son of King Peter, but became heir to the throne when his

brother George, repudiated his birthright owing to an unbalanced condition of the mind.

He was born in Cetinje in 1888 and was educated in Russia. He has been popular with the Serbian people and is generally regarded as a capable and serious minded young man.

The sudden accession of the prince to power caused quite a sensation in European political circles. His brother George's numerous escapades had long branded him unfit to rule over the country, and it was at the king's request that he renounced his position.

He is one of the handsomest men in the courts of Europe and has had many rumored love affairs. At different times he was reported betrothed to a Russian princess, the crown princess of Greece and the Princess Schadis, eldest daughter of former Sultan Abdul Hamid of Turkey.

During the Turkish war Prince Alexander bore the brunt of most of the fighting along the Macedonian frontier and was especially active at the battles of Kumanovo and Monastir.

Crown Prince Alexander was rescued from death in the Alpine snows last winter while training himself for service with the army in the field.

The monks of the St. Bernard monastery, Geneva, and the dogs were on watch in the St. Bernard pass, as usual on bad nights, when one of the dogs discovered two men overcome in the snow and half buried by the drifting flakes. The men were taken to the monastery and restored to consciousness, when they told the monks they were Prince Alexander and his adjutant, a Serbian captain.

The prince said that he, being a soldier and expecting early service in the field, desired to harden his body by exposure under difficult circumstances and had therefore undertaken climbing excursions in the Alps.

### Starting Point of War

Semlin, where the fleet of monitors assembled, lies on the west bank of the Danube just above the point where the Save joins it. In the intersection of the two rivers rises the lofty butte which is the core of the city of Belgrade, the Serbian capital, which thus



AUSTRIAN TYROLEAN CAVALRY.

juts out into Hungarian territory. Semlin is only two or three miles away and is easily commanded by guns placed on the heights of Belgrade, as the land lying in the neighborhood is very low. At the intersection of the two rivers is War Island, a marshy expanse formed by the silt brought down by the Save. Around this the Austrian transports are compelled to go to take troops down the river, but the guns of warships at Semlin could easily bombard the city of Belgrade itself.

Semlin has a population of about 17,000, but is a town of no special importance, except as a customs station and the starting point of military operations below the Danube. It is almost surrounded by low lying swampy ground, through which the railroad goes on to the southeast and crosses the Save into Belgrade at a point about three or four kilometers distant.

Temesvar is an important railroad center and garrison town of about 40,000 inhabitants, about fifty miles east of the Danube as it flows south through the plain of Hungary and seventy-five miles northeast of Belgrade. From it diverge several railroad lines, which could carry troops down to the Danube so as to commence an invasion all along the northern frontier of Serbia.

One of these lines, striking off to the southeast, reaches the river just after crossing the Rumanian frontier, at Verclorova. Another leads to the southwest and ends at Pancsova, on the Danube, only a few miles below Belgrade. A third, running southward, forks at Verclorova, about twenty miles from the frontier. One branch runs to Pancsova, on the southwest, another east to Badian, on the Danube, about forty miles below Belgrade, and the third to Kabin, midway between Belgrade and Badian.

Opposite Kabin is the Serbian town of Semendria, formerly a fortress of great strength. It is still a town of considerable importance and, as the end of a branch line of railroad, could be used as the starting point of maneuvers to cut off Belgrade from the rest of Serbia.

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To The City Council of Sanford, Gentlemen:

A year ago last spring, exercising the right of petition I urged upon you the necessity of destroying the mosquitoes in Sanford. Pointing out that they were only possible through artificial propagation by careless citizens, in tubs, tanks, rain barrels, tin cans and defective gutters, or anything else that held stagnant water. This statement cannot be successfully controverted.

I called your attention to the fact that mosquitoes could be kept out of Sanford for less than we now pay for screens and mosquito bars. I pointed out that mosquito infected fever had been banished from the canal zone at enormous cost and the people live there in comfort and good health. I pointed out to you the danger of fever epidemics. So in earnest was I that I volunteered my services, free, to help your health officer destroy them. My cry fell on deaf ears and last summer and fall more than a thousand of our citizens were laid on beds of sickness with dengue fever. Thanks to God, our able physicians and a healthy climate there were few fatalities; but the loss of time and necessary cost of medicine and attention were enough to keep the mosquitoes out of Sanford for many years, not to mention the suffering.

At this moment we are threatened with an epidemic of malaria, the permission of which will be a disgrace to an enlightened community. I am not coming now with a petition, to be dismissed with a pitying smile. I come with a solemn warning that if a worse thing befall us, our blood be upon your heads. I have appealed to the Mayor and city physician, but the power is with you. I challenge you or any one else to show that my position in this is wrong. Will you and the citizens wake up to the seriousness of this matter.

Respectfully,  
J. N. WHITNER.

**"Does It Pay to Train the Voice."**  
By H. Loren Clements  
It is to be feared that nine out of every ten people who read the above will immediately have a mental vision of the dollar sign glowing before their practical eyes. To reduce any proposition to a dollar and cents basis is a "hard-headed," practical thing to do; but is it not possible to be too hard-headed? too practical when you try to estimate the benefit of art? Money generally comes to him who is devoted to a broad-minded way to his art, but seldom to him who is continually blinded by the dollar sign. Shall we consider the question under the different phases of life?

**Does It Pay Physically?**  
Does high vitality resulting from deep breathing appeal to you. Do you want to banish stomach and intestinal troubles? Try diaphragmatic breathing and the inevitable kneading processes which such

breathing demands? Does a few minutes of singing or loud talking make your throat sore? Try to support your voice on your breath and to use your head as a sounding board. Do you desire a long life of happiness? Review mentally the long list of singers. Very seldom can you recall one who has died before sixty and many of them have done and are doing almost their best work at that age.

**Happy?** They are the most joyous, contented people on earth!

**Socially.** A well modulated resonant speaking voice is a tremendous force towards the realization of personal magnetism. The most commonplace platitude may demand attention when a well modulated voice is the vehicle of expression. Who holds the closest attention in a social gathering?—a good pianist or the singer whose words can be understood?

**If you have a well trained voice** win the heart of your hostess by offering it freely. Do not expect uncounted gold to be given every time you deign to sing. Volunteer your services to good choirs; organize a choral society. Give freely and you shall reap the highest of social good and do your part towards raising music to a higher standard. Forget the dollar sign.

**Does It Pay Mentally?**  
It requires a great amount of mental concentration to master the first principles of singing. To change the habits of breathing of a lifetime from shallow, gasping efforts of the chest to the deep muscular control of the diaphragm and lower ribs; to make the resonating chambers of the head act in the same capacity as the horn of a talking machine; to relax certain unnecessary muscles and still be buoyant; to change one's impure vowelization and correct one's slovenly enunciation; all this requires mental concentration. But under guidance and with patience it at last sinks into the sub-consciousness, becomes "second nature," and thus leaves the mind free to the higher efforts of proper phrasing and interpretation. Going up on the scale we come to the memorizing of recital programs and the roles of opera. Good vocal cords and the control of breath make but the beginning. The successful singer must work for mental concentration.

Lastly comes the effect on the finer, higher life of the individual. Here the results cannot be written about, they can only be felt. The hard-working man, be he in business or in professional life, testifies to the mental relaxation, the different viewpoint, the spiritual uplift which he finds in the study of song classics, or the larger form of music found in choral societies and opera.

Mothers, fathers, are you concerned over the future of your boys and girls? Try to interest them in good music. Send them to good teachers that they may learn to handle their voices and thus gain confidence. Then encourage them to join some first class church choir

or singing society. If you insist on the best in this line they will meet a class of people there whose association coupled with the music they sing cannot help but raise them into a higher spiritual life.

**Does It Pay Financially?**  
**Financially.** The dollar sign has intentionally been left out of this article. The American people are rapidly raising their standards in regard to vocal music; the American people are always willing to pay for the best they can get. Set yourself to a high standard, be willing to work as long as a doctor or a lawyer to reach this standard and you will find that the training of your voice will pay, not only physically, socially, mentally and spiritually, but financially.

**Not intended for Her.**  
The Sunday school teacher was having her class memorize a little prayer. When it was the turn of a certain shy little lad to recite he did so in a very low and faltering manner. "Could you speak a little louder, dear?" asked the teacher. "I can't hear what you say." "Well, it's a prayer isn't it?" came the unexpected if logical answer. "I wasn't speaking to you."

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**SNAPSHOTS AT CELEBRITIES**

F. W. Lehmann, American Peace Delegate.



When the A. B. C. mediators and the delegates from the United States and Mexico assembled in conference at Niagara Falls, Canada, it was significant that several diplomats from various South and Central American republics were present. They were sent by their governments to keep in touch with the proceedings and to report promptly all important developments. This is taken as an indication that the negotiations mean much more than the mere settlement of the dispute between the United States and Mexico. It was pointed out in circles close to the negotiators that their success could have no other effect than to strengthen the ties between the United States and Latin American nations.

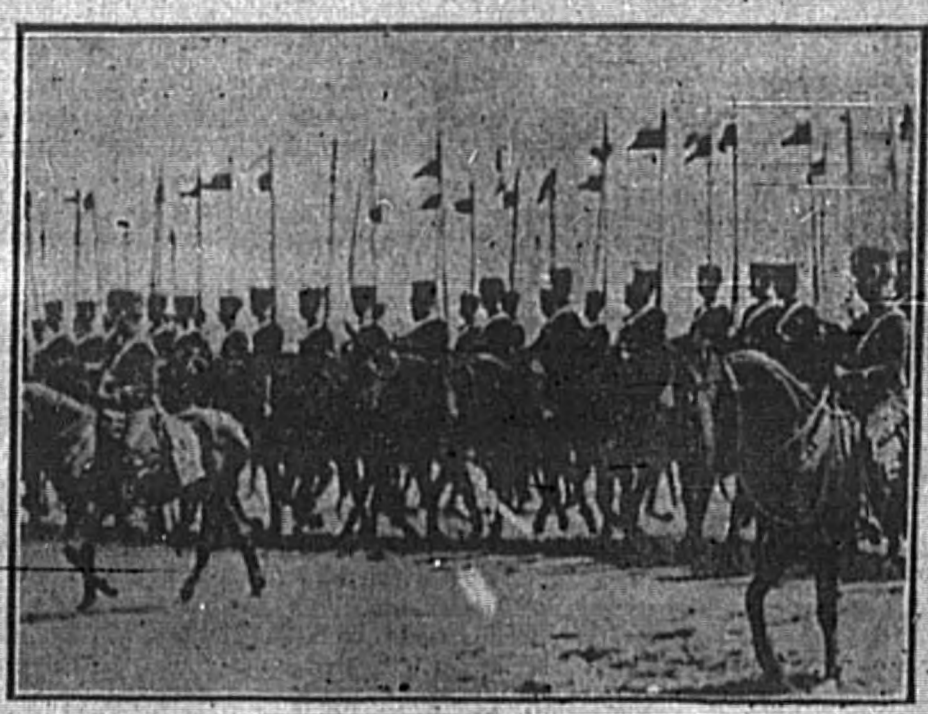
The American delegates—Associate Justice Joseph R. Lamar of the United States supreme court and Frederick W. Lehmann of St. Louis—have an able assistant in H. Percival Dodge, delegation secretary, who has won a reputation as a diplomat in Latin American countries.

Mr. Lehmann was formerly solicitor general of the United States under President Taft. He was born in Germany sixty-one years ago and came to this country as a boy, settling in Iowa. He was educated at Tabor college, Iowa, studied law and practiced for a time in Nebraska, later settling in Des Moines, Ia. In 1890 he removed to St. Louis and at once took front rank in the bar of that city. He has been president of the American Bar association and has a nation wide reputation as a student of law and a profound thinker. Mr. Lehmann is a Democrat.



**General Huerta's Envoy.**  
It was regarded as significant by diplomats that Senor Domelio da Gama, Brazilian ambassador, in his address of welcome to the delegates from Mexico and the United States, styled the Huerta envoys "delegates of the United States of Mexico." The expression seemed to imply that the mediators from Argentina, Brazil and Chile recognized Huerta's delegates as representing all of Mexico.

Senor Augustin Rodriguez, speaking for himself and the other Huerta envoys, Senors Emilio Rabasa and Luis Elguero, said Huerta had selected them to represent him because they had not been connected with politics and added: "We have full power to act and shall decide according to our consciences, always bearing in mind the national honor. All of us possess a Latin soul and a Mexican heart."



**The Cavalry of Germany**  
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### NOW IS THE TIME

Some people are taking summer vacations in Florida, some people are taking siestas, some commercial bodies and some cities are taking vacations and siestas. It is nice to be able to take vacations in summer time. It is nice to be able to get away from business cares and cease to think about your business and your city. It is nice to be able at other times of the year to cease to think about your city and just slide along through life letting the other fellow worry about the city and after he has spent his time and substance advertising the city and looking after the municipal affairs and putting said city on its feet for you, the vacationist, to step up to the pie counter and draw the rations that the little busy bee who has stayed on the job has stored up for you.

There are men, business men, in Sanford who have never given a moment's thought to the work of the board of trade or commercial organization. There are men in Sanford who have never given a cent for advertising the city's resources. There are men in Sanford, just as there are men in every city who let the other fellow do the work and then step in and get the pie and the cream. They also have done so and they always will continue to do so until the end of the chapter, but these men do not command any respect of their fellow men for having shirked their duty. You can find them in every city and you can usually get their pedigree after a few minutes' conversation, for they do not command the respect and esteem of their fellow men. Not all of the laggards of the business life of a city are laggards because they do not wish to become identified with the pulsing machinery of the city. Some are really laggards because they cannot help it and are not only laggards in their city affairs but in their own affairs. Some are backward because they do not like the methods employed by the officials of the trade body or have some petty grievance against them. Some are laggards because they think more of the almighty dollar than they do of their city and their fellow men.

But whatever the reason they do not become identified with the affairs of the city and sometimes they wake up to this fact, especially when they are seeking public favors from the men who have been quick to note their absence from the meetings of the city boosters. It costs but little to become identified with the Commercial Club of Sanford. It costs but little to take an active interest in your city. It costs but little to come out to the meetings and help boost your city early and late. It is not one man's business to do this or a dozen men's business, but it is the business and the duty of every man in Sanford to join the club that is trying to place your city on the map.

Every city that has become a real city has absolutely owed its success to a commercial body. There is not a single instance of any growing city in the world ever amounting to a picayune that did not have a commercial organization to boost it. Then just sit down today and reason with yourself about your city of Sanford and ask yourself if you have done all you could have done in the matter of joining the Commercial Club and lending your aid to the building and uplifting of Sanford. Do you need men in every walk of life as members. We need the business man, the laborer, the artisan, the professional man to help us in the grand concerted movement of boosting Sanford and until we get that concerted effort our efforts will fall on stony ground. You must bury all your personal grievances, all your political grievances and stand forth as a man to help your city. There are dozens of good things coming our way—that is they are coming but will never reach here without the help of the organized commercial body. Our city will spring into new life only with the Commercial Club's help and there is nothing for the good men of Sanford to do but rally around the banner of boost and come in out of the rain. The members of the Commercial Club have been holding the umbrella over you long enough. It is high time now that you purchased your own umbrella or help pay for the one that has been held for your protection. With an enthusiastic meeting of the Commercial Club and the addition of all the men

of Sanford the small dues of membership alone would carry the club for a year and your assistance at the meetings would be of untold benefit. The merchant, the carpenter, the painter, the bricklayer, the lawyer and the doctor all expect to reap a benefit from a bigger and better city. Then it is certainly up to every one of these to come forward and help the club to make Sanford better and bigger. It is a lead pipe cinch that unless the people of Sanford do not get together all the improvements, all the new people, all the new buildings will be but chimerical dreams for the season, and some other live city will get the prospects that you are now building your hopes about and that other live city will get them through a commercial body that comprises all the people of that city—not a few men to take the burden.

Sanford without the ministrations of a commercial body will die. It is not necessary to point this fact out to you people who have watched events here for the past five years.

Are you willing to let the city relapse or will you come forward while the coming is good and show your manhood?

### PREDICTION STICKS

Now comes the irrepressible Robert Holly of the Sanford Herald and like Hashimura Togo suggests: "Despite the predictions of Joe Reese of the Orlando Reporter-Star that world peace had been consummated the European powers are getting ready for war. Somehow Joe and Andy Carnegie cannot pull that peace stuff and make it stick."

There's some difference between the steel magnate and editor of the Reporter-Star. Andy has a peace foundation and a steel trust. He makes enough money out of war in the way of armaments to finance the peace movement. If it is war Andy makes money; if it is peace he builds up glory. In short, he "catches 'em a-comin' and a-gwine."

But peace or war, the editorial exchequer is neither fattened nor made flat—in fact it could be no flatter. But looking at the thing in a common sense light, viewing it as it really is, what reason or excuse is there for a general war in Europe? One of the powers makes a move and another makes a counter move, all by want of strategy and protection, but not necessarily with hostile intent. Wild rumors fly about and the people become agitated and there is great excitement for a time. The *casus belli* is inadequate. The assassination of an Austrian archduke by a Serbian student is not enough to embroil a dozen powers in war, to say nothing of the active agents of peace who must and will be heard.

We stick to the prediction at a time when the prospect of peace seems most unlikely. The European war cloud will be dispelled in the course of a few weeks. We pass the tablet to Robert Holly so that he may mark it.—Reporter-Star.

### FORREST LAKE HAS LEAD

Special interests no longer try to buy up the legislature some one has said—they find the supreme courts easier to get to. Unfortunately this is true in a measure, but the special interests are still to dominate the Florida legislature, and they are at present working to get their man in the speaker's chair of the house the coming session.

With an enemy to the people in the speaker's chair he can do enough to block any progressive legislation by packing all of the committees with men who suit the special interests, in this manner keeping the bills from being reported or reporting them unfavorably.

We do not know whether Carey Hardee of Suwannee is going into the game with his eyes shut or whether he is willing to give the special interests what they want for the honor of presiding over the house in the Florida legislature, but unless all signs fall the special interests are after him and are going to try to land him in the speaker's chair.

Hardee is a fine looking man, full of energy and with affable ways. He is just the kind of man the plites want if they can work him, but if would be a pity to have as good a man as Hardee fall into the hands of the men who try to dominate our law making body in an attempt to block any legislation which seeks to bring the government closer to the people.

Florida patriots should insist upon their representatives not pledging their support to any candidate for the speakership unless they know him to be a friend of the people and one who can be relied upon in all things. Personal friendship should not play a strong part in matters of this character.

In the meantime it looks like Forrest Lake has the inside track in the race for the speakership, and if he is successful in winning out the State feels that the people will have their interests safeguarded in so far as legislative work is concerned. If

he on the side where the people's interests are affected—he will not make a mistake which will help the special interests.—The State.

### MAKE FLORIDA RIDICULOUS

A very farcical scene was that enacted on the grounds of the Panama Canal exhibition in San Francisco last week, when three so-called commissioners from Florida dedicated a site for a building in which according to their spread eagle talk, they are to make a two hundred and fifty thousand dollar exhibit of the products, resources and progress of Florida. And all this without money—without backing from the people of the state, and without any other means of realizing their dream than their own enthusiasm and an unlimited supply of wind.

The truth of the whole matter is that California is getting Florida in exactly the position she wants her—to show her rival up in the most ridiculous light possible. With this end in view a Mr. O'Hara, California commissioner for the big show, spent a lot of time in Florida fishing for suckers. He knew of course that the legislature had made no appropriation for an exhibit; he also knew that the means for making a decent exhibit could not be raised by individual subscription; he knew further that if he could induce a certain number of citizens of Florida to make the attempt, he would have Florida just where California wanted her. The magnificent exhibit that she will make on her own ground, compared with the insignificant showing that Florida will make, will be a big enough advertisement to last her for a generation.

No set of private individuals has the right to compromise the state as the so-called Florida commissioners propose to do.—Bartow Courier Informant.

### STATE NEWS

At a meeting largely attended in Palatka a few days ago the East Florida Fair Association was formed for the purpose of holding an annual fair. Putnam and St. Johns counties, beginning the work, will invite the cooperation of other eastern counties and it is proposed to have a big fair each fall or winter to demonstrate the possibilities of Florida soil, muscle and brain. The products of farm, grove and garden, of factory and mill and other industrial enterprises, will be shown attractively, and the people of the country will be invited to come and see for themselves the opportunity that is inviting homeseekers and investors.

Florida is producing this year her biggest grapefruit crop. Indeed, it is claimed that this crop will almost equal her round orange crop. Granting such to be the case the growers will have a hard time working it off at a profit. The preceding crop was short, still the prices ruled low through the entire shipping season.—DeLand Record.

"The new Curry & Smith cigar factory building will be ready for occupancy by October 15," says the Orlando Sentinel, which tells that the excavating has begun for the foundations. The new factory building will be practically four stories high, although the lower floor will be partly below the street level. The ground dimensions are forty by sixty feet, and the workrooms will accommodate double the number of cigarmakers when compared with the present building.

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### Russian Cossacks Are Formidable Foes

The Russian navy has never been considered a very important factor in the nation's defense because so little of the country faces the sea. However, Russia boasts of one of the best armies in the world. The Russian Cossacks are known everywhere and are formidable fighters.

### HONESTY OF ATHLETICS' YOUNG CATCHER



Wally Schang of Philadelphia.

Four words spoken by Wally Schang, Connie Mack's great young catcher, brought to an abrupt ending an argument which threatened to assume the proportion of a small riot during a game with the Cleveland Naps on Sunday last season.

The decision was close, and as the Mackmen were fighting to hold the lead, also was a mighty important one.

The play came up at the Cleveland League park. It happened on a Sunday about the middle of August. Chief Bender was chased from the box that day.

Terry Turner scored the first of four runs in the seventh inning, which gave the Naps the game.

Turner made one of his famous head-first slides into the home plate. Billy Evans, who was umpiring, called him out and then immediately changed his decision.

To the Athletics players of course it looked as if Schang had touched

Turner out. But Evans noticed that just as Schang tried to touch Turner's hand with the ball, Terry slipped his head aside. Schang, instead of tagging Turner's hand, tagged the ground. Turner then fell and his hand backed in the dirt. When Evans saw Schang apparently touch Terry's hand, he called him out, but when he saw Terry slip his hand aside and then tag the plate, he pronounced him safe.

Athletic players, led by Eddie Collins, ran in and raved, with might and main. Connie Mack wig-wagged with his score card and Schang walked to the Philadelphia bench, followed by the kicking Athletics.

"What was the trouble at the plate?" Mack asked of Schang. "Didn't you get Turner?"

"No, I missed him," was Schang's surprising reply.

Mack gasped with surprise when he saw the Athletics return to their stations without saying another word.

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PERSONAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

Summary of The Floating Small Talks Accinctly Arranged For Hurried Herald Readers

M. M. Smith of Winter Park was in the city yesterday looking after his varied interests.

The Commercial Club wants every man in Sanford to attend the meeting on Friday night at the city hall.

Hay, oats, corn, chicken feeds at F. F. Dutton's.

Mrs. B. T. Houser spent Sunday with home folks and returned to her duties at Lakeland yesterday.

Fresh yeast cakes and popcorn at Mrs. A. Simon's.

L. M. Rhebinder, postmaster and a prominent merchant of Geneva was in the city yesterday on business.

Sheriff Hand has returned from Montgomery, where he was called to take charge of a prisoner wanted in Seminole county.

Turnip and Mustard seed at F. F. Dutton's.

Remember that the Commercial Club expects every man in Sanford to attend the meeting on Friday night, August 14th.

Mrs. Mattie Johns has returned from a pleasant trip to St. Petersburg, Tampa and other points in south Florida.

See Dutton for turnip, mustard, lettuce and cauliflower seed.

Mrs. Harry Wilson spent Sunday at Seabreeze with Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Phillips, who have a cottage over there for the summer.

Editor Johnson of the Kissimmee Journal was in the city on Sunday and stopped over several hours inspecting the brick roads.

Garden seed, poultry supplies, International chicken and stock foods at Leffer's.

The many friends of Mrs. Al Lila are glad to see her out again after a serious operation at a Savannah hospital.

The Commercial Club will hold an important meeting Friday night, August 14th in the city hall. All citizens urged to be present.

Cotton seed meal, shorts, bran at F. F. Dutton's.

Mrs. N. R. Reynolds and daughters, Della and Bernice returned to their home in Fernandina after a month's stay with Mrs. Reynolds' father, N. J. Stenstrom.

J. C. Rich of St. Petersburg arrived in the city yesterday and will spend several days visiting friends and looking after his farm near Cameron City.

Get your ice cream from Dubart's Ice Cream Factory.

Mrs. Ghae F. Clark was in the city yesterday calling on friends and looking after her property interests. Mrs. Clark is now located at Palatka in the millinery business.

Mr. and Mrs. Brisson and family have returned from a month's stay in the mountains of North Carolina, where they had a big time and return much refreshed.

Peaches, pears, pines, prunes and plums at Leffer's.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Brumley have returned from North Carolina where they spent several weeks enjoying the change of climate and old scenes around their former home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Brown are home again after spending a month in Maryland at the old home of Mr. Brown. They also visited at Baltimore, Washington and other points of interest.

New booking orders for Big Boston Lettuce and Cauliflower seed. F. F. Dutton.

The many friends of A. T. Rosetter are glad to see him out again after a week's illness. He expects to get a week's fishing at the beach this week in order to put his spirits right.

Ed Higgins expects to leave this week for points in Indiana and Ohio and may take a trip to Detroit before coming home. He will look them over and take some data on the automobile business.

Closing out all typewriter carbon paper. Best grades only, at 25c per dozen sheets. Herald Office.

Edw. Rosetter returned last Saturday from Commerce, Georgia, where he went to bring the Hawkins car home. T. J. Hawkins returned with him, but Mrs. Annie will remain another month.

5 or 6 dozen 666 will break any case of Fever or Chills. Price 25 cents.

Joe Demoff is torn between conflicting emotions over the war in Europe. He does not know whether to Hoch der Kaiser, Kiss the French President or eat Swiss cheese.

M. F. Robinson left today for Bellmar (wherever that is) where he will spend the summer with his wife and daughter, Mrs. Harry Papworth.

This evening the Bachelors club will enjoy their moonlight launch ride to Ft. Florida, under the guidance of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Betts. The "B. O.s" are predicting a very pleasant voyage.

Among the prominent Oviedo visitors to the city yesterday were County Treasurer J. B. Jones and Theo. Aull. Both of them are merchants of Oviedo and claim that their city is the fastest growing one in the state.

5 or 6 dozen 666 will break any case of Fever or Chills. Price 25 cents.

It is rumored that Pop Milner caught a bass at the beach the other day—his first one and it is about to unbalance his mind. The rumor comes from Pop himself and the fish will have to be taken with a grain of salt—sea salt.

Typewriter Ribbons—Remember the Herald when you need one. Any make machine. 75c delivered anywhere. Phone 148.

Henry Peabody is sojourning at Sarasota, where he expects to recuperate after his very painful accident on his motorcycle several weeks ago. He is now improving every day and will soon be on the job at the V-C plant again.

C. H. Leffer has received the welcome intelligence that his grandson, C. D. Leffer, Jr., has been appointed to the Naval Academy at Annapolis and is duly qualified to become one of Uncle Sam's fighting men. Charlie was here several months ago enroute home to Miami from Washington. His standing in the examination was above the average and his relatives here are very proud of the young man.

Thursdays and Sundays—Woodland Park. Picnic conveniences, amusements. The only safe, clean outdoor swimming pool, emptied daily, cleaned and re-filled from artesian well. Shower bath, toboggan slide. Leased privately also.

The regular quarterly stockholders meeting of the Seminole Co-Operative Mercantile Co. will be held in the store Tuesday, Aug. 11th at 7:30 p. m. All shareholders are earnestly requested to attend. A dividend will be declared. T. A. Newton, Sec. & Treas.

The comedians and their ladies staged an all day picnic Sunday around, on and in Crystal Lake, and W sunburn is an indication of enjoyment this event was intensely pleasant. The trip was made by wagon, which carried a good sized lunch as well as the Misses Marion and Hazel Packard, Francis Asplwall, Clara Phillips, Anna May Pope, and Mary Waldron, and Messrs. Walter, Sherman and Edgar Routh, Harry Phillips, Howard Arnerette, Howard Gilbert, Percy Packard, Francis Bell and Arthur Chase. Mrs. Bell had great success in maintaining order.

Miss Athlene DeMoyer made her second appearance at the Grand theater last night before a large and appreciative audience. She displayed some new steps in a very pleasing manner and this evening will introduce all new steps. She offered to give a free lesson on the stage last night, which was accepted by Mr. McDowell Butt. Mr. Butt, proved an apt pupil and with Miss DeMoyer responded to a double encore.—Orlando Sentinel.

Body of Negro Found. The body of a negro was found near the pit at the round house of the N. C. L. shops this morning and Sheriff Hand is now investigating the cause of his demise. It is not known whether he was drowned, killed or committed suicide, but this will be determined by a coroner's jury this afternoon.

Notice of Meeting. The Commercial Club will hold an important meeting in the city hall on Friday night, August 14th and every member is urged to be present as a matter of importance to the city and county will be taken up. All of the business men who have not enrolled as business members are especially invited to attend and give in their names, as an active campaign of advertising the city's resources will be inaugurated at once and whatever helps Sanford will help every business man in the city. There are other matters of vital interest to the city and county that the club should handle and it is extremely important that this meeting be well attended.

By Order of FORREST LAKE, President.

When the Sanford postoffice was pillaged last Saturday a Herald printer, Albert Dorman, lost six pairs of darned socks. That joke is really too bad.—Eustis Lake Region.

Mrs. Holly writes her better half that in the mountains of North Carolina it is necessary to have a fire in the grate in order to keep warm. To which we might reply that in Sanford it is necessary to have a fire in the stove in order to cook something while she is away.—Sanford Herald. In the next item we see where somebody gave Editor Holly a cream pitcher. It is certainly time for Mrs. Holly to come home.—Eustis Lake Region.

You lose the bet, Clarence. The donor of the pitcher was a man.

Electric Irons at Cost. The Sanford Light & Fuel Co. have decided to sell their electric irons at cost for a short time only, in order to get them into the homes of Sanford. They have proven such a success and the ladies already using them are so enthusiastic over the irons that Mr. Rines the manager wants them in every home in Sanford, hence the special price. Their announcement will be found in another part of this issue.

Picnic At Chuluota. The good people of the Chuluota section, famous for their hospitality will have a big picnic at that place next Friday, Aug. 7th and everybody is invited. There will be horse racing, gander pulling and all kinds of fancy stunts to keep the crowd in good humor and at the noon hour there will be a feed such as only the people of Chuluota can give you. Plenty to eat, plenty of amusement and everybody cordially invited to attend. Remember the date is next Friday, Aug. 7th.

Registration Books Open. The registration books of Seminole county will be kept open by Supervisor of Registration at his office at 112 Park avenue on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays of each week from August 8th until second Saturday in October for the registration of election in the November general election.

H. C. DUBOSE, Supervisor Registration 100-2tc

Postoffice Thief Nabbed. After some very clever work on the part of the government men and the city police force the miscreant who has been tapping the mail boxes at the postoffice has been caught and proved to be a young negro lad named John Graham, who has been employed as errand boy at The Herald office. He was caught red handed and arrested yesterday morning and is now held awaiting the pleasure of the U. S. authorities. This should put a stop to this thieving business at the office, a practice that has been most annoying to the postal authorities and to those who have been mislaid packages for some time.

No blame is attached to anyone connected with the postoffice, as they have done all in their power to apprehend the guilty parties and the package taken from the Herald box was not insured by the postal department but by a private company and it was not necessary to sign for the package, the same being placed in the box with the regular mail. The boy evidently opened the box and took what seemed a valuable package and after finding his mistake threw the packages away.

OKEECHOBEE NEWS. Low water caused J. F. Turner, Jr. to leave his hog farm near Okeechobee until the raise of water. He has several men engaged marking up his stock of hogs. It thought from J. L. Ingram in the spring. The spot where he is the most wonderful place in the world for hogs. You can almost see them grow. He says he can raise 800 pound hogs on the natural range. The only difficulty in such large hogs is the muck won't hold them up. He says he is not going to try to stop the growth of hogs any longer. He is going to arrange to put in small fat cars and steel rails, equipped with electricity that will hold two hogs to the fat and when they get on the car and the weight of it throws them in contact and the car moves for 25 or 30 feet to a new feeding ground. He also expects in addition to this to handle the biggest portion of the hogs that go out of Lake Okeechobee. He will have the hogs about the middle of August for Kansas City and then will come back through the Southern states, so he can get in touch with all the small fish dealers. He is also arranging to put in a plant to cure his own meat. He will be back on Lake Okeechobee about the middle of October.

Methodist Cornerstone. One of the most important events in the life of the Methodist church of Sanford will take place on Tuesday afternoon, August 11th at 8 o'clock.

On this occasion the cornerstone of the new church building now under course of construction on their lot on the corner of Park avenue and Fifth street will be laid.

Bishop Henry C. Morrison, who is now a resident of Florida, having his home in Leesburg will deliver the address of the occasion. A short historical sketch is being prepared by one of the oldest members and will be given as an important part of the program.

The local lodge of Master Masons will, on the invitation of the officials of the church lay the stone. Old members and friends of the Methodist church are invited to be present. Many visiting ministers and friends of the church are expected.

Further announcements will be made later.

Resolutions. Sanford, Fla., July 30, 1914. To the Master, Wardens and Brethren of Sanford Lodge No. 62, F. & A. M.

Greeting:— Again we have been called to the "House of Mourning" and it is with deep sorrow that we announce to you the death of our beloved brother John Moore, which occurred at his residence on Celery avenue near Sanford, Fla. for the past six or more years that our brother has afflicted with us we have endeavored to love him for his real worth and Masonic character.

Whereas, We are called upon for the time being to give us his companionship and Whereas, We shall miss more and more, as time goes on the "Good Cheer" of his fellowship, and Whereas, We feel a sense of gratitude to our Heavenly Father for the influence and fellowship of such characteristics as this of our departed brother, Therefore, be it

Resolved, That as an expression of our sorrow over our separation from, and esteem for his character, that we dedicate to his memory a page in our minute book, on which a copy of these resolutions be spread, and further Resolved, That we hereby express to his bereaved widow and loved ones our sincere and heartfelt sympathy in this their grief and irreparable loss and

Further Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of our late brother by our secretary, and a copy be furnished the Sanford Herald, with request that they publish same.

C. R. Walker, H. W. Caldwell, G. I. Bledsoe, Committee.

Consideration for Others. A few more smiles of silent sympathy, a few more tender words, a little more restraint on temper, may make all the difference between happiness and half happiness to those I live with.—Stepford Brooks.

Advertisement for Maxwell 27 car. Includes text: 'Its Speed, Power, Economy, Ease of Operation and Durability make the Maxwell "27" the Ideal Car.' Price \$750. Bryan & Jenkins Agents.

FROM THE NATION'S CAPITAL NEWS FROM WASHINGTON BY THE SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT OF THE HERALD

Washington, Aug. 4.—Friends of the river and harbor appropriation bill, which has been temporarily side tracked in the Senate for anti-trust legislation, have agreed to make a superhuman effort to pass a bill at this session of Congress, rather than leave it to the mercy of the short session which convenes the first Monday in December.

The supporters of the bill realize that it is going to be a herculean task to keep a quorum of either House in Washington after the anti-trust bills are out of the way, but they are going to try to pass the waterway bill while the conferees on the trust measures are being held, the Senate having made a number of radical changes in these measures since they left the House. It is anticipated that these conferences will continue for at least two weeks, which the advocates of the river and harbor bill believe will give them ample time to put the bill through the Senate, even if the majority has to resort to continuous sessions.

A serious situation, however, that the representatives in Congress, whose districts are vitally interested in waterway improvements, have started a "back fire" and in consequence Senators are beginning to receive telegrams from Chambers of Commerce, Boards of Trade, and other commercial bodies, to say nothing of prominent citizens in the communities affected calling for the passage of the bill. Even delegations are on their way to Washington from different parts of the country seeking to hasten the legislation which is imperatively necessary to keep the work of river and harbor improvements moving.

President Wilson is seriously considering the advisability of issuing an executive order changing the name of Culebra Cut, Panama, to Galliard Cut, in honor of the late Lieutenant Colonel D. D. Galliard

who had charge of the engineering work in digging the cut, admittedly the greatest single feat in connection with the construction of the Panama Canal. It is stated there is precedent for such an order, and the Corps of Engineers of the United States Army are heartily in favor of thus honoring a very distinguished colleague.

The Congress now in session has been the "talkiest" Congress in all history according to an examination of the statistics as to the comparative volubility of the members of this and preceding Congresses. The Congressional Record, up to this date, contains about 17,000 pages for the present session, which began the first Monday in December. The largest Record achieved in a single session prior to this time was in the regular session of the fifty ninth Congress. It met in December, 1889, and continued to the first of the next October, 304 days. It filled a Record of 10,800 pages. It is generally thought that the present Congress will last at least six or eight weeks longer, which will add just that much more to a Record that is already perfectly awful to contemplate.

There used to be a fine old tradition that a new senator "should be seen and not heard" during the first Congress, but that has been relegated to the scrap heap, for the new Senator does as much, and sometimes more talking than his older colleagues, which necessarily adds largely to the size of the Record.

Senator LaFollette gave the Record this session a big boost, when he had inserted a mass of letters and other matter sent to the Interstate Commerce Commission to influence its decision in the advanced rate case. That material filled 365 pages and captured the championship for putting the most matter into the Record at one time.

Advertisement for Seminoles Pure Drugs. Includes text: 'OUR OCCUPATION IS SELLING PURE DRUGS. THERE ARE IN THESE UNITED STATES 161,048 MASONS, 160,881 MALES, 167 FEMALES. MIXING THE MORTAR.'

Advertisement for Seminoles Pharmacy. Includes text: 'This sketch depicts the mixing of mortar to be used in building the home. WE MIX MEDICINES IN OUR MORTAR. To be used by the sick and ailing in building up their health. ACCURACY AND PRECISION, OUR WATCHWORD. SEMINOLE PHARMACY. PHONE 275. The Nearest Drug Store. SANFORD, FLA.'

Advertisement for The College of Law of John B. Stetson University, De Land, Florida. Includes text: 'Offers a two and a three year course of study leading to the degree LL. B. It is the oldest and best in Florida. It has a large body of successful alumni. Special emphasis is placed on Florida Pleading and Practice. Its graduates admitted to practice without further examination. Faculty, law building, law library, courses of study unsurpassed. FALL TERM BEGINS SEPTEMBER 25th. Send for Announcement for 1914-15.'

Legal notices including 'NOTICE OF HIRSH'S SALE' and 'In the Circuit Court Seventh Judicial Circuit, Seminole County, Florida, in Chancery.' Includes names like J. W. Harper, Delandant, and E. A. Douglas.

Advertisement for 'Woman of Observation.' Includes text: 'A woman says that the longer a man studies the curves of a woman the closer he is apt to imitate them on his homeward journey in the early morn.'

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# Gordon Craig

Soldier of Fortune — by Randall Parrish



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### CHAPTER I. The First Step.

I HAD placed the lumber inside the yards, as directed, and was already rethinking the traces when the man crossed the street slowly, switching his light cane carelessly in the air. He was forty or forty-five, heavily built, with a rather pasty white face, a large nose, eyes unusually deep set and a closely clipped mustache, beginning to gray. As I faced him in some surprise he looked me fairly in the eyes.

"You are the lad the train hands put off the Atlantic express at Vernon a week ago," he said. "I came in on the same train. Just caught a glimpse of your face in the light of the brakeman's lantern. How did you get here?"

"Freight, two hours later."

"You're not a bum or you wouldn't be working."

I put one foot on the wheel.

"Wait a minute," and there was more animation in the tone. "I may have something better for you than this lumber wagon. I'm right, ain't I, in guessing you're no regular bum?"

"I've hummed it most of the way from San Francisco. I had to. I was hampered for the coast and lost my transportation. I was discharged at the Presidio."

"Oh, I see. The army—foreign service?"

"The Philippines, three years. Invalided home."

"You don't look it," his eyes on me. "Never saw a more perfect animal."

"No, but sound."

He looked at his watch, and climbed into my seat.

"See here, I haven't time to talk now. If you want an easier job than this come and see me at 8 tonight, and we'll talk it over."

I took the tip of his forehead, he handed up.

"All right, sir. Be there on time."

"Come to the side door," he added swiftly, lowering his voice, "the one on the south. Give three raps. By the way, what is your name?"

"Gordon Craig," I answered.

"Ever been known by any other?"

"I enlisted under another. I ran away from home and was just of age."

"Out of his sight I looked curiously at the card. It was the advertisement of a clothing store, and on the back was written 'P. B. Neale, 308 Chestnut street.'

Evidently this man Neale had need of a stranger to help him out in some scheme. Well, if the pay was good and the purpose not criminal I had no objections to the spice of danger. Indeed, that was what I loved in life. I was young, full blooded, strong, willing enough to take desperate chances for sufficient reward.

My father, from whom I had not heard a word in two years, was a prominent manufacturer in a New England village. The early death of my mother had left me to his care when I was but ten years old, and we failed to understand each other, drifting apart until a final quarrel had come to its end. I was in my junior year at Princeton, when the break came. This all occurred four years previous, three of which had been spent in the ranks, yet even now I was stubbornly resolved not to return unsuccessful.

I possessed a fairly decent suit of clothes, now pressed and cleaned after the rough trip from the coast, and

that evening I dressed as carefully as possible in the dingy room of my boarding house. It was still daylight, but there was a long walk before me. Chestnut street was across the river, in the more aristocratic section.

It was dark enough when I got there and began seeking the number. I found No. 108. It was slightly back from the street, a large stone mansion, surrounded by a low coping of brick and with no light showing anywhere. I was obliged to mount the front steps before I could assure myself this was the place. I followed the narrow cement walk around the corner of the house. One window on the first floor exhibited a faint glow at the edge of a closely drawn curtain. I rapped on the door three times, my nerves tingling from excitement. There was a moment's delay so that I lifted my hand again, and then the door opened silently.

"Come in," said a man's voice.

I stepped within, seeing nothing of the man, and the door was closed behind me. The sharp click of the latch convinced me it was secured by a spring lock.

"Turn on the light," said the voice at my side sharply. Instantly an electric bulb glowed dazzling overhead in a narrow hallway and I blinked, about half blinded by the sudden change.

Neale, appearing somewhat more slender in evening clothes, smiled at me genially, showing a gold crowned tooth, and led the way to a spacious apartment, evidently a library. The high ceiling and restful wall decorations were emphasized by luxurious furnishings. The only light was under a shaded globe on the central table, leaving the main apartment in shadows, but the windows had their heavy curtains closely drawn. The sole occupant was a man in evening dress, seated in a high backed leather chair. With an indolent wave of one hand he seemingly invited me to take a vacant chair to the right, while Neale remained standing near the door.

This new position gave me a better view of his face, but I could not guess his age. His was one of those old young faces, deeply lined, smooth shaven, the hair clipped short, the flesh ashen gray. He must have stared at me a full minute.

"He will do very well, Neale," he decided, with a glance across at the other. "Possibly a trifle young. Have a cigar or a drink, Craig?"

"I will smoke."

"How old are you?"

"Twenty-four."

"Ever been south?"

"Only as far as St. Louis. I was at Jefferson barracks."

"Neale said you were in the army—full enlistment?"

"Yes. Discharged as corporal."

"You would be glad of a job that paid well and wouldn't mind, if there was a bit of excitement connected with it, hey?"

"What is your idea of paying well?"

"Expenses liberally figured," he replied slowly, "and \$10,000 for a year's work or less if done right."

I half rose to my feet in surprise.

"Sit down, man. This is no pipe dream, and I mean it. In fact, I am willing to hand you half of the money down. See here, Craig, and he leaned forward, peering into my face, "all you've got to do to earn your money is obey orders strictly and keep your tongue still. Do you get that?"

"The proposition looks good, only I should like to know a little more clearly what I am expected to do."

He slowly lit a fresh cigar, studying the expression of my face in the light as though deciding upon a course of action.

"Very good. We'll come down to facts. It will not take long. In the first place, my name is Vall—Justus U. Vall. I am a lawyer of some reputation in this state, and my entire interest in this affair is that of legal adviser of Mr. Neale. Here is the case as submitted to me: Judge Philip Henley, formerly of the United States circuit court, retired at sixty-four and settled upon a large plantation near Carrollton, Ala. His wife died soon after, and a week or so ago the judge also departed this life, leaving an estate valued in excess of \$300,000. Philip Henley and wife had one child, now a young man of twenty-five years, named Philip. As a boy he was wild and unmanageable, and finally when about twenty years old some prank occurred of an inhuman nature that the lad ran away. He came home and was unknown to or some time living under an assumed name. Later some slight correspondence existed between father and son, and the boy was granted a regular allowance. Philip remained in the north, led his

own life, became dissipated and a rouser and drifted into evil associations. Finally, about six months ago, he married an actress in this city, not of wealthy family, but of respectable antecedents. He married her under his assumed name, and they began housekeeping in a flat on the north side.

"The judge learned of this marriage in some way and began to insist that the son return home with his wife. Circumstances prevented, however, and the visit was deferred. Meanwhile, becoming more eccentric as he grew older, the father discharged all his old servants and lived the life of a recluse. When he died suddenly and almost alone he left a will leaving his property to Philip, providing the young man returned with his wife to live upon the estate within six months; otherwise the entire estate should be divided among certain named charities. Three administrators were named, of whom Neale here was one."

Neale drew a legal looking paper from his pocket.

"Here is a copy of the will," he said, "if Craig cares to examine it."

"Not now," I replied. "Let me hear the entire story first."

"The administrators," Vall went on as though uninterrupted and repeating a set speech, "endeavored to locate young Henley, but failed. Then Mr. Neale was sent here to make a personal search. He came to me for aid and legal advice. Finally we found the flat where the young couple had lived. It was deserted, and we learned from neighbors that they had quarreled, and the wife left him. We have been unable to discover her whereabouts. She did not return to or communicate with her own people in the west or with any former friends in this city. She simply disappeared and, we have some reason to believe, committed suicide. The body of a young woman fitting her general description was taken from the river and buried without identification."

"And young Henley?" I asked as he paused.

"Henley," he continued gravely, "was at last located under an assumed name as a prisoner in the Indiana penitentiary at Michigan City, serving a sentence of fourteen years for forgery. He positively refuses to identify himself as Philip Henley, and all our efforts to gain him a pardon have failed."

"But what have I to do with all this?" I questioned, beginning to speak a faint glimmer of the truth.

"Wait. Here was a peculiar situation. The administrators are all old personal friends of the testator, anxious to have the estate retained in the family. Some one must impersonate Philip Henley long enough to permit the settlement of the estate."

I rose to my feet indignantly.

"And you thought I would consent to be a party to this fraud?"

"Now, wait, Craig," as calmly as ever. "This is nothing to be ashamed of nor, so far as I can see as a lawyer, does it involve danger. It will make a man of Henley, reunite him with his wife if she still lives and give him standing in the world. We are merely helping the boy to retain what is rightfully his. Don't throw this chance away hastily. Ten thousand dollars is pretty good pay for a couple of months' work."

I sank back into my chair undecided, yet caught by the glitter of the promise. Why not? Surely, if would do no harm, and, if the administrators were satisfied, what cause had I to object?

"But—but can that be done?" I asked hesitatingly.

"Easily," Vall assured. "Young Henley has been away five years; even before that he was absent at school so much, as to be practically unknown except to the older servants. These have all been discharged and scattered. The wife is entirely unknown there. Any one, bearing even so slight a resemblance, would pass muster. All you

need do is read the father's letters over, post yourself on a few details and take possession. We will attend to all legal matters."

"Then you consider that I resemble Henley?"

"No, coolly, not in any remarkable manner, but sufficient for our purpose—age, size, general appearance, answer very well; nose, eyes and hair all alike and general contour of the face is similar. There is not likely to be any close scrutiny. Here is young Henley's photograph."

He picked it up from among the papers and handed it over to me. There was a resemblance, recognizable now that my attention had been called to it, certain features being remarkably similar.

I do not know how others might have looked upon such a proposition as this, but it never occurred to me at the time to doubt the honesty of Vall's statement, nor could I perceive any great wrong in the action so calmly proposed. Vall, watching the expression of my face in the light, seemed to divine my thoughts.

"Evidently you are recovering your good sense," he remarked easily. "You will act, I take it?"

"Yes," the word was out almost before I was aware of speaking.

"Sensible decision, my man," his face lighting up. "Now, there is no need of our meeting again or being seen together. Neale, hand Craig your copy of articles of administration and of the will."

I took these and read them over carefully, yet without fully comprehending the legal phrasology. They were apparently genuine, and I gathered from them that the facts were exactly as stated. Peter B. Neale of Birmingham was named one of the administrators.

"Here is a small packet of letters from Judge Henley to his son," Vall said in a businesslike way, "which you had better read and so familiarize yourself with local names and conditions. I have also drawn up and had typed a brief sketch of young Henley's life, which will aid you in playing the part. You will need a new outfit of clothes, I presume? If you will sign this paper I will hand you a liberal advance."

I read it over slowly, but it appeared innocent enough. Of course, they would require some guarantee that my work would be performed. Yet, certain questions arose to my mind.

"As soon as the property is legally in my possession I am to deed it over to you?"

"Certainly. I represent the administrators and the rightful heir."

"That will involve forgery on my part."

"Technically, yes, but under legal advice, my dear boy, and agreement of the officials interested in proper settlement of the estate. There is no danger whatever."

I was not satisfied as to this, and yet the man's easy manner and smooth speech served to ease my conscience.

"And the \$10,000?" I asked.

"A thousand will be handed you tonight. The remainder may be retained at the final settlement, together with the compensation of the woman. You make your own terms with her. So you see you cannot lose. Sign here."

"I had forgotten the woman. Is she necessary?"

"It will be better to have one, as they know down there young Henley was lately married. Any good looker with an easy conscience will do. You could coach her on the train."

"But I don't know a young woman in town," I admitted soberly, "except my landlady's daughter, and she's the limit."

Vall and Neale both laughed.

"You're slow, Craig," the former said good humoredly. "Get on your new clothes and look around. There's plenty would jump at the chance."

"That's altogether out of my line," I averred. "I'd rather go alone."

"Well, we'll not war over that. You can leave your wife north if you wish. I tell you what you do. Think it over and call me up by phone about 3 o'clock tomorrow. Here's the number. If you decide on taking a woman along I know one who will answer and will have her at the train."

"I am to leave, then, tomorrow night?"

"Yes, over the Eastern Illinois at 8:10. Sign here."

I was not hypnotized or glibly controlled. My mind seemed clear, but I yielded without a word and wrote my name at the bottom of the sheet. Vall blotted it carefully, folded the paper and placed it in a drawer of the table. Then he handed me two bills.

"There is \$1,000 there, Craig, and I will send you a typewritten memorandum of instructions covering all points in the game. Where can I be sure of finding you at 8 o'clock tomorrow?"

"At 407 Green street."

"All right; as soon as you read those instructions call me up by phone and let me know what you have done regarding a woman and ask any questions you may desire. That will be all now. Neale, you might show Craig the way out."

He put out his arm and we shook hands, although he did not arise from the chair. Neale stepped into the hall and I followed him. The entry way was in darkness and the man went to the side door without switching on the light.

"By the way, it will be as well for you to go out cautiously and not be seen. We want to play safe, you know," said he.

The door opened and closed, leaving me outside.



Map of Austria-Hungary and Serbia

This map shows Austria-Hungary and Serbia, with surrounding countries. It is in this section of Europe that the principal war action centers. Vienna is the capital of Austria, and Belgrade is the capital of Serbia.

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# Gordon Craig SOLDIER OF FORTUNE

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and I drew my hat down over my eyes and stared about, listening. The hour could not be far from midnight, the night dark, the air heavy with mist.

The light fell slantingly across the stone steps in front and revealed a narrow opening through the brick coping beyond. I crept cautiously forward until I crouched behind the brick coping. There was not a disturbing sound, and I straightened up, essaying the first step forth into the full gleam of the light. Like some confronting ghost, scarcely more real than a phantom of imagination, I came face-to-face with a woman.

She had turned swiftly into the narrow gateway leading through the brick coping, hurrying silently as if pursued, her foot barely planted upon the step when we met. I stopped, speechless, rigid, my outstretched hand gripping the rail, but the woman drew hastily back, her lips parted in a sudden sob of surprise, one hand flung out as if in self-protection. It was instantaneous. Yet, before either could move otherwise or utter a word of explanation a heavy footfall crunched along the walk, and a burly police officer, his eyes gleaming ominously in the dull light, rounded the corner a dozen feet away.

"Here, now, an' what are ye oop too, me fine buck?" he questioned roughly, swinging me about into the light. "Give an account o' yerself mighty quick 'er I'll run ye in."

The girl, still staring blankly at me, must have perceived how I instinctively shrank back, my lips moving in an impotent effort at speech. Some sudden impulse changed her fright into sympathy. She started forward just a step.

"Nothing in the least wrong, officer," her voice trembling slightly, yet sounding clearly distinct. "He—he was merely accompanying me home from a dance."

"What dance?"

"Over—over there on Forty-third street."

"An' do yer live here?" the gruff tone still vibrant with suspicion. "Fer if ye do yer sure a new gurl, and be peered at her shadowed face in the dim light. She drew in her breath sharply.

"No," her voice steady now she realized she must carry out the deception: "my place is three blocks west, around the next corner."

"That's a pretty thin story, miss. Then what was the two o' yer doin' in here?"

"I had my foot on the step tying my shoe," she explained simply. "You don't arrest people for that, do you?"

It was plain enough the officer was puzzled, yet he reluctantly released his grip on my arm.

"It's half o' eleven, yer straglin' me right now," he announced doubtfully. "But O'll give yer their benefit o' the doubt. Don't let me run across yer along this beat agin terdight. Go on, now!"

I felt her hand touch my sleeve timidly and caught a swift glimpse of her eyes. We must carry out the deception now and go away together. Without venturing to speak or glance around we walked forward into the enveloping mist. Her fingers, for appearances' sake, barely touched the rough cloth of my sleeve. All this had occurred so swiftly, so suddenly, that I was yet bewildered, unable to decide on a course of action. The girl, I noticed, was breathing heavily from excitement, her eyes cast down upon the wet pavement. Once, beneath the glow of the lamp at the first corner, I ventured to glance sidily aside at her in curiosity, mentally photographing the clear outline of her features, the strands of light brown hair straggling rebelliously from beneath the wide brim of the hat. There was more than a mere hint of character about that resolute mouth, the white contour of cheek.

At the second street intersection she turned east, advancing toward where passing trolleys cast prophetic glances and activity swept at that hot hour, impulsively she stopped and faced me, her hands clasped.

"I—I—please—I will say good night now," she said, endeavoring to blink, but with an opening of the eyes. Her mouth, I noted, still feeling strangely embarrassed by the sudden cure dismissal.

"Do—do you mean you wish me to leave you alone on the street at this hour?" I questioned uneasily. "At least permit me to see you home safely. I will not turn you or speak a word."

There was a tone of earnestness in my plea, but she only shook her head decisively. She pressed close together.

"I—I am not afraid of you," she returned at last, doubtfully. "It is not that, but—really I cannot permit you to accompany me farther."

"Only to the place where you said you lived," I urged eagerly. "I promise not even to take note of the number and will never bother you any more."

Her eyes, however, then sank slowly before mine.

"That—that was a lie also," she acknowledged, half defiantly. "I do not live about here."

"I stared at her in sudden doubt, yet remained loyal to my first impression. "All the greater reason, then, for not leaving you here alone."

She laughed, a faint tinge of bitterness in the sound.

"Surely you cannot imagine I would feel any safer in company with a burglar?" she asked sharply.

My face flushed. I could not explain. It would require too long, and she would in all probability refuse to believe the story. Besides, what difference could it make? She had as much to explain as I; no more reason to suspect me than I had her. Let us meet, then, on common ground.

"If I grant your hasty guess to be partially correct," I returned finally, my voice deepening with earnestness, "and confess I was avoiding observation—what then? Can you not also believe me a man capable of treating you honorably?"

"Yes," she confessed reluctantly enough. "I—I believe I can."

"Then yield me the benefit of such charity of judgment," I went on. "At least give me an opportunity to exhibit my gratitude."

She remained silent, motionless.

"Why not? Is it because you have no confidence in me?" I insisted.

She put out one hand, grasping the iron rail of a fence, and I thought I could see her form tremble.

"Oh, no! It—it is not that exactly," she explained brokenly. "I believe I might trust you, but—but of course I do not know. I think you—you mean well. Your words sound honest, and your—your face inspires con-

fidence. Only I have found so much deceit, so much cruelty and heartlessness in the world I have become afraid of every one. But I—I simply cannot let you go with me. Oh, please don't urge it!"

I leaned forward, my face full of sympathy, my voice low and earnest.

"You saved me from arrest, and I'll not leave you alone here in the street at this hour of the night."

She looked at me, her eyes wide open, shining like stars, her face picturing perplexity not unalixed with fear.

"I—I have no place to go!" she sobbed.

"You are also," she affirmed finally, as if half regretting the words. "You are just as penniless as I."

"Why should you say that?"

"Because I know." And by now her eyes were blinded by the tears clinging to her lashes. "You—you humiliated yourself to serve me. You had no money. I watched through the window, and—and I almost ran away, only my promise held me."

I laughed uneasily, yet sobered almost at once, leaning across the table, all earlier embarrassment vanished.

"Well, even at that it would not be my first experience," I said swiftly. "Poverty is extremely unpleasant, but not a crime. Do not let that unfortunate condition of my exchequer spoil your appetite, my girl. I can assure you that I am among the least of my troubles. Good luck or bad, I am not the sort to desert a woman in distress."

"You are a man of some education?"

"Two years at the university."

"And now?"

I smiled grimly, determined to admit the worst.

"Little better than a tramp, I suppose, although I have held a job, jolly—driving for a lumber yard across the river." Then I told her of my former life and my army career.

A moment she sat in silence, her eyes lowered to the table.

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Scarcely satisfied, yet feeling obliged to take the chance, I stepped within and advanced across the room toward the man at the cashier's desk. He glanced up curiously as I approached and spoke low so as not to attract the attention of others. To my good luck he was an ex-army man and willing to trust me for two meals. When I returned to the girl she was waiting motionless, her back to the window, and when I spoke followed me in without a word. I led the way to the secluded table behind the screen, seated her and took the chair opposite. Without questioning her wishes I ordered for both, the girl sitting in silence, her face bent low over the menu card, a red flush on either cheek.

"What will you have to drink?" I asked as the waiter turned aside. "I'd rather like a cocktail to drive the wet out of my system. Shall I make it two?"

She glanced up quickly from under shading lashes, her eyes big and brown, meeting my own.

"I prefer coffee. That will be quite sufficient."

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Notice of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida.

Notice is hereby given that W. J. Wood, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 582, dated the 21st day of July, A. D. 1914, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Seminole county, Florida, to-wit: Lot 14, Longwood. The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of F. V. Pasten. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 24th day of August, A. D. 1914. Witness my official signature and seal this 21st day of July, A. D. 1914.

W. J. WOOD,  
Clerk Circuit Court, Seminole Co., Fla.  
Local 96-Tues-81c

In Circuit Court, Seventh Judicial District, Seminole County, Florida, in Chancery.

Case No. 100-100-81c

Frank Taylor, Plaintiff, vs. Frank Taylor, a non-resident of the State of Florida, Defendant.

Appearing from the verified bill of complaint in this cause, it is the belief of the court that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Florida, and that his present place of residence is in complaint, whereas the said defendant is over the age of twenty-one years and that there is no person in the State of Florida, the estate upon whom would bind the said defendant.

Therefore, you, Frank Taylor, are hereby ordered to file in this cause, on Monday, the 7th day of September, A. D. 1914, the same being a legal sales day, and within the legal hours of sale, before the door of the court house in said Seminole county, Florida, a cash decree of foreclosure and sale made on the 20th day of June, A. D. 1914, by the Honorable James W. Perkins, Judge of the Circuit Court, Seventh Judicial District, in chancery, in that certain cause therein pending wherein, W. J. Tilgson is complainant, and the said defendant is defendant, I shall offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash before the door of the court house in said Seminole county, Florida, on Monday, the 7th day of September, 1914, the same being a legal sales day, and during the legal hours of sale, the property described in the final decree as follows, to-wit:

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The terms of office of all commissioned officers of the organized militia shall be continuous during the pleasure of the Governor; subject to such laws as may be enacted by the legislature providing for their retirement for age or other cause.

**A Joint Resolution**

Proposing an amendment to Section 1 of Article V of the constitution, relating to the State Militia.

That the following amendment to Section 1 of Article V of the constitution is hereby agreed to and shall be prepared and submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election, to-wit:

Section 1. The judicial power of the state shall be vested in a supreme court, circuit courts, court of record in Escambia county, criminal courts, county courts, county judges and justices of the peace and such other courts or commissions as the legislature may from time to time ordain and establish. The legislature may prescribe the jurisdiction of the justice and judges of the several courts, but no court heretofore established under the constitution and laws of Florida shall be hereby abolished.

The voters in compliance with said proposed amendments, and the canvass declarations and returns thereof, shall be subject to the same regulations and restrictions as are provided by law for general elections in the state of Florida.

I, the undersigned, have heretofore seen my hand and affixed the great seal of the state of Florida, at Tallahassee, the capital thereof, the twenty-fifth day of July, A. D. 1914.

H. CLAY CLAWFORD,  
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# CURBSTONE GLEANINGS

## BUDGET OF OPINION "JUST BETWEEN YOU AND ME."

### EVEN THE GATE POST NOT IN IT

A CHIEF IS AMONG YE TAKING NOTES AND FAITH. "HE'LL PRENT 'EM"—SO SAYS SAUNTERER.

Russel Kay who writes the "Billy Stories" for the Florida Growers gets off the following about the knockers of Florida that is worthy of reproduction:

"When I go into a store and ask for some special article it always gets my nanny to have the clerks ease out a line of gush in favor of something 'just as good' or 'far far better, and at the same time hammer the hide off the particular brand I called for. You can take it from me I always put the fellow down as a poor salesman, likewise a knocker and a fathead. I know what I want or I wouldn't ask for it. I hate a knocker, anyhow. Some fellows don't seem to be happy unless they are swinging a hammer and they'll knock anything and everything that don't give them a direct benefit. Why, I know one guy that knocked so much he developed into a regular crab and had to walk sideways.

Speaking of knockers, there are some real estate men here in Florida that are doing more to knock their own state than all the car window tourists and land sharks combined, and the pity of it is that the poor yaps don't realize what they are doing. Why, if you were to call any one of them a knocker with his face he'd go sore like a punctured eye-tooth and want to muss you up with his fists. Just the same, it's the straight truth, and if it were not the fact that Florida has to suffer because of it, I should say that it was actually funny.

What I mean is the way these real estate agents handle a prospect. Some of them have just about as good an idea of salesmanship as a New York policeman has of honesty.

When a homeseker comes to Florida to give the "double O" what he's after is information. He's not a fool and naturally wants to stare and gaze around a little before he unleashes his little store of the needful. Well, we'll say he goes to Polk county for instance. When he arrives the real estate men grab him by the mit, soo to him, gush over him, sit in his lap and cry, and go through the usual methods employed in capturing a prospect. All the time they're telling him of the wonders and advantages of that particular locality. That's right and proper and I'm for it. I like to see a great booster. Some day, when I get wished on to a lot of money I'm going to build a statue to the fellow that invented a 'horn. Now I'm going to tell you where the rough stuff comes in. The homeseker admits Polk county to be attractive, but explains that there are one or two other places he wants to look at before he makes a decision and perhaps he mentions Manatee county as one of them. Good night. The Polk county man goes up in the air like the cost of living. He begins to knock Manatee like an automatic trip hammer. He lights into his prospect and tells him the black soil of Manatee is absolutely worthless; he goes on to say you couldn't even raise an umbrella there. Why an orange crop 'scouldn't exist, the trees would have die back, wither tip foot rot, and every other disease known to citrus culture and terminates his little recital with the statement that the only place in the state that's worth the nitro-sap to blow it to war is Polk county, and you know that a northern general said war was.

Well, when the homeseker gets to Manatee he takes a couple of sees and finds that the country isn't at all like the Polk county man described it. It is prosperous and the healthy groves prove the information he had wished on to him to be pure bunk. Under the circumstances he forms a rather putrid opinion of the man who talked crooked.

He receives the same cordial reception from the Manatee agents, and they are all boosting their district, which, as I said before, is the proper caper, but just let our homeseker mention Polk county, or any other county, for that matter, and see what happens. Why, these Manatee fellows dig right down in their little tool boxes and produce their hammers, and what they fail to say against Polk county isn't worth saying, and mind you, the fellow they're talking to has already been to the territory in question, and he has their number from the start. From what he saw of Polk county he knows the knocker on Polk county is a charter member of the Ananias Club. You can imagine how their little nonsense drops in his

estimation. He forms an opinion of these raw-birds that must be a peach.

He finds things the same everywhere he goes. Everybody knocking everybody else. Oh, it's a beautiful impression he gets. One fellow tells him just the opposite from what the other fellow tells him. The dealer in South Florida informs him he will be frozen out in Central Florida, while the man in Central Florida claims that South Florida is so punk it won't hold up for shipment to the northern markets, and anyhow, the whole country down there is nothing but a vast swamp. Wehn he's on the East Coast the West Coast is no good, and when he's on the West Coast the East Coast is the goat, and between the bunch of them these yaps have the poor guy so fused he don't know where he's at. He gets the idea that there must be something the matter with the whole state, is disgusted with these knockers and and alling and returns to his native state without making a purchase. His friends ask him all about Florida, and the story he tells them is anything but a good advertisement for the Land of Enchantment.

On the level, it's a crime, the way some of these bobs knock their own state. I love this grand old state, and I don't want to see her stand up to an enemy that hits below the belt. The truth of the matter is, that Florida is a queen wherever you go, north, south, east or west, and just as good crops can be raised in Polk county as in Manatee. Just as good in Lake as in Lee, ditto Pasco and DeSoto. The newcomer is going to see this if the real estate men will give him half a chance, and they can save themselves from being proven liars if they choose. I say that the man who tries to make a sale by knocking a competitor is a helluva salesman, and when he goes broke he don't want to look to me for violets and sympathy. He is a suet head and deserves all he gets.

"Marse" Henry, the famous editor of the Louisville Courier-Journal says that woman is more powerful unarmed—that sex is her mighty weapon. Some writers have been trying for a long while to unsex women but find it impossible to do so. "Horrors of horrors!" was the exclamation applied to the first female physician, but we now regard them complacently. The medical profession did not unsex her. Women's clubs have failed in the business also. A time, not so long ago, the women were not only expected to "keep silence" in the churches, but they occupied one side of the church and the men the other side. Families were divided in the sacred edifice for fear a commingling together might unsex the dear mothers, wives and daughters, but gradually the lines of separation and demarcation were wiped out, and the women who attend church today are as meek and lovely as in the days of their grandmothers. Slitting together in the churches failed to unsex them. They not only sit together, but they no longer keep "silence in the churches." Their voices are heard in the pulpit, they are superintendents of Sunday schools, and in the missionary field they have betwixt the world and remain still unsexed. They have faced unfriendly criticism in riding the bicycle and from saddle, and sitting at the steering wheel of the automobile, and still have retained their womanly attributes. Where women have exercised the ballot it is the testimony of contemporary governors of states and justices of our highest courts that they have done so intelligently and with wise discrimination, and the result has been an uplift and purification of the political atmosphere. Instead of unsexing herself the sweet and beautiful influence her sex gives is felt in a larger field and to a greater degree.

This column of gush and nonsense will be curtailed this week on account of the writer being asked to quit for a while during the hot weather, because the people were too busy taking vacations to read such foolishness. And then again The Herald will have some fine summer fiction this week and the readers will enjoy it much better than my ravings. And then again I want a vacation and expect to take it watching the bulkhead bulkhead and the tourist hotel hot and various other and sundry things.

Just why is the word "millionaire" so generally abused? It has reached the point where it is impossible for a man to get mixed in scandal who is not a "millionaire;" "millionaire brokers" are as common as typographical errors on the first page and "millionaire's sons" are so common that ordinary sons are conspicuous for their poverty.

The following from a Florida paper interests me strangely and I would give anything in the world to know what became of them:

The groom was dressed in the conventional black, while the bride wore a beautiful white creation and carried lilies of the valley. They entered the north door of the church and ejaculatory aotin j a d b h ETAOIN

Here and there is a lawmaker who considers the nation above the state, but he's so lonesome in Washington that he has to keep his family with him.

John D. Rockefeller has ascertained that he has a right to a coat of arms. Which is important since it is the only time John ever took the trouble to ascertain his right to anything.

A dam went out in Colorado yesterday. Also, we discovered that the moths are in our only dress suit and still another damn went out.

#### Hammock Comfort.

If you want solid comfort this summer, back your hammock under the trees, then place another old hammock or piece of canvas, stretched out flat, three or four feet above it. Sew on the "upper berth" mosquito netting, letting it hang to the ground. The ends of the netting may be held together with hatpins. Safe behind the screen flies and mosquitoes will not bother you.—Woman's World.

#### Better Let Her Cry.

A woman is almost as peculiar as a man. She will break into tears, and the more she is urged to cheer up the more she will cry. But if some one tells her to go ahead and shed as many tears as she pleases, she will at once quit crying and speak her mind.—Atchison Globe.

#### Daily Thought.

Be calm in arguing; for fierceness makes error a fault and truth discourtesy.—Herbert.

When you feel LAX, STRECHY, HEAD-ACHE, BILE and Out of Sorts, look to the Liver! It is Turbid.

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It is an invigorating tonic for a torpid liver. The first dose brings improvement, a few days use puts the liver in fine vigorous condition. Herbine also extends its restorative influence to the stomach and bowels. It helps digestion and food assimilation, purifies the bowels and brings back the habit of regular daily bowel movements. When the stomach, liver and bowels are active, bilious impurities no longer obstruct functional processes, the result of which is renewed energy, mental activity and cheerful spirits.

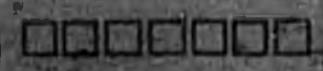
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WILLIAM G. ALDRIDGE

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## Milady's Mirror

Cultivating Plump Elbows. The hot, drying, scorching rays of summer work havoc with the complexion, and the girl who wants to have a pretty skin to match her soft, transparent white and faintly tinted summer gowns must take a great deal of care of herself.

Fashions change, it is true, but all girls love pretty, dimpled elbows, even if the sleeves displaying them are not to be worn, and fortunately there is nothing easier than to bring sharp, thin, bony elbow joints into shape.

Where arms are too thin the use of cocoa butter is to be recommended. This, being a byproduct of the cocoa bean, is nourishing and fattening, but the skin must be in condition to receive it properly. Thorough cleansing, softening and opening of the pores are necessary, that full benefit from the application may be felt. Cloths wrung out of warm water should be applied at night. They should be held on until a little cool, then warmed again until the skin feels soft and is pink. Then rub with a generous amount of cocoa butter, slightly warmed, in each palm, the opposite elbow placed in the hand. Use the motion around and around until all greasy feeling is gone. This takes quite awhile, for cocoa butter is rather greasy, but a little practice will soon prove that the process is not too tiresome.

The rubbing may be continued up from the wrist if the forearm be a little too thin, and from there to the shoulder where the whole arm seems to require the addition of more flesh, but if only the elbow joint is bony, just on that joint will answer.

#### Banishing Blackheads.

To cure blackheads be careful of the diet. Eat nothing rich or greasy. Give up pastry, new bread and sweet things. Drink two or three glasses of milk a day. See that the digestion is kept in good order. Take one or two teaspoonsful as required of confection of sulphur every night and get this mixture made up: Sulphate of iron, sixteen grams; dilute sulphuric acid, one dram; magnesium sulphate, one ounce; peppermint water to make six ounces. Take a dessertspoonful in a little water half an hour before breakfast every morning. Walk two or three miles a day. Drink a glass of cold water an hour before each meal. Take a hot bath every night and a tepid one each morning. Use a tar toilet soap, and every morning, after washing and well drying the face, sponge the following lotion lightly on: Boracic acid, one-half dram; rectified spirits, one and one-half ounces. Steam the face once a week; then squeeze out the largest blackheads and apply a mixture of equal parts of boracic ointment and sulphur ointment.

#### A Hint For Golfers.

A woman golfer who owns a beautiful, smooth complexion attributes the preservation of her skin to her plan of dissolving a little linseed oil in hot milk, bathing her face in it and allowing it to dry on before she ventures out. Any feeling of contraction soon passes off, and the linseed forms an inflexible coating to the skin and protects it from the ravages of the wind. Instead of linseed oil either gelatin or white of egg beaten to a froth may be employed. The latter is an excellent remedy against all chapping and is in itself a cleanser. A good plan after the face has been exposed to the wind or cold is to sponge it with rosewater into which has been dropped a little eau de Cologne or lavender water, or as a further emollient apply cold milk to the skin.

#### Tinted Face Powder.

Of recent times the Parisians seem to have gone mad for tinted face powders and "blotted" wigs. The very latest idea is a pale lemon yellow powder, which is supposed to give an extraordinary softness to the skin.

An artistic but highly unnatural cyclamen pink rouge is used in conjunction with the pale yellow powder, and the throat and neck are coated with Beah pink and pure white powder. This peculiar makeup is intended for evening use only.

The lemon yellow and cyclamen pink makeup look effective on a fair haired woman who possesses a pair of dark gray eyes.

#### Lovely Eyelashes.

To produce sweeping, curling lashes daily attention is necessary. Get a soft brush made for the purpose and gently brush them twice a day. The last thing at night apply this eyelash cream: Sweet oil of almonds, one-half dram; simple tincture of benzoin, one-quarter dram; glycerin, one-half dram; lanolin, one-half dram; stearic acid, one drop. This increases the growth and silkiness of the eyelashes. To make them curl upward lay out finger under them and raise upward. Do this as often as you can think of it.

#### Softening Water.

If your skin is delicate and gets rough in the spring keep a fine muslin bag full of oatmeal on your washstand, and whenever you wash dip the bag into the water and squeeze it hard several times.

This is excellent for softening the water and keeps the hands and face smooth.

## Woman's World

Mrs. Pannybacker, Women's Club Leader and Philanthropist.



MRS. PERCY V. PENNYBACKER.

The gathering of women's clubs in Chicago which is set for June 9 to 16 will be a notable and interesting event. Only once in two years does the General Federation of Women's Clubs convene. Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker, who was elected president two years ago, will preside. Mrs. Pennybacker has done much for the woman's club movement and her election was not only due to her wide popularity, but a recognition of valued services. She had already served as treasurer of the organization and in the arduous capacities of chairman of the program and endowment committees and as auditor.

Mrs. Pennybacker is a southern woman by birth. She first saw the light at Petersburg, Va. Her father was the Rev. J. B. Hardywick, D. D. She was educated at the high school in Leavenworth, Kan., and at the State Normal school in Huntsville, Tex. She taught school for fourteen years, an experience that was the foundation for her great interest in educational work. She was married in 1884 to Percy V. Pennybacker, a leading educator of Texas. The marriage was a very happy one, but in 1899 he died. Administering her home affairs and looking after her children did not occupy her time to the exclusion of intellectual interests. She has always been an enthusiastic clubwoman. Through the woman's club she believes much educational work may be accomplished and wide social service rendered.

She is a gifted writer and speaker. Her history of Texas is a standard work on that subject. If a lady of such broad interests may be said to have a special fad it is in increasing the efficiency of the public schools and bringing the advantages of state universities and technical schools within the reach of poor boys and girls.

Her home is at Austin, Tex., where she is the center of a distinguished social and intellectual circle.

## SUMMER AWNINGS.

They Should Be Attractive As Well as Convenient.

The style and color of awnings should be studied so that a pleasing effect from a distance will be the result of their use. Striped awnings are generally popular, especially those of green and blue, with white and buff with red. These stripes are to be found in several widths. A brown and buff combination is a wise selection for the brown bungalow or shingled house in a rambling style of architecture.

A recent departure which promises to be more than popular, even though it is more expensive, is the plain white canvas on which the stripe or design is painted. This style allows a chance for individuality of taste. When the design on white or cream is used the under side is usually painted over with a restful soft green. Authorities say that these painted canvas shades last longer than the ordinary coarsely woven awnings.

In offering awnings one is apt to decide on a stripe and not designate the width. If a house is of extensive dimensions and stands at the end of a long avenue, drive or walk and is well surrounded with foliage a wide stripe is most effective, while a smaller house with a limited approach calls for a narrow stripe or even a plain material.

Several new awning devices have been brought out. One for use with the casement window which opens outward has a frame with an extra rib or rod near the top, which holds the canvas high and gives freedom to the window.

#### Caring White Shoes.

One way of prolonging the service of white shoes after they have been cleaned many times is to make them tan colored. They can be made a pretty brown by applying a solution. Mix ten drops of saffron with three teaspoonfuls of olive oil. Clean the shoes well before applying the mixture, as black spots will show. Apply with a piece of flannel, and after two coats they will look equal to new.

#### A Sanitary Grater.

The glass grater is new. It is a roundly beveled slab of glass secured to a flat back of wood, making it very convenient to handle, as the wood does not slip in holding it. It washes very easily and is pronounced much more sanitary than the old-fashioned tin grater.

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

All Local Advertisements Under This Heading THREE CENTS a Line For Each Insertion. Minimum Charge 25 Cents.

### FOR SALE

For Sale Dirt Cheap—Buick, 6-cylinder passenger car. New tires. Just overhauled. Jas. Hartman. 91-34.

For Sale—Furniture at 210 Park Ave. 94-11.

For Sale—1910 Cadillac touring car for \$400.00, just overhauled in good running shape. Sanford Machine & Garage. 82-11c.

Celery or lettuce farm, 3 1/2 acres, tilled, 2 wells, plowed in good shape, 2 story new house, 2 1/2 miles west. Two hundred dollars quick. Box 28, Route 2. 100-41p.

For Sale—Two good horses and spring wagon. Inquire of Coco Cola Bottling Co. 80-41.

For Sale—Seed potatoes for fall planting. Don McDonald. 99-41p.

For Sale or Rent—Two nice residences at a bargain. W. J. ... 89-41.

For Sale—New Underwood typewriter, price \$75. P. O. box 1563, Sanford, Fla. 89-41.

For sale at a bargain, as I live so far away cannot attend to this 15 acres of Celery Delta at Cameron City, Sanford, Fla. 8 acres irrigated and tilled, fine 8 inch flowing well. If you want 15 acres of fine celery and potato and vegetable land go and look at this and make me an offer. Trolley from Sanford runs past the land known as the Joshua Powell Farm. Make offer to owner, J. L. 26 Columbia street, Hampstead, L. I. N. Y. 93-134p.

For Sale—Fine farm of ten acres about three miles from the city, also two choice city lots. Going cheap for cash or can be purchased on easy terms. Address R. ... of Herald office.

For sale or Rent—Five acres, tilled land, two good wells, located just south of Station 10 on S. & E. Railway. See F. W. Mahoney at Herald's. 97-41.

### TO RENT

For Rent—New 5 room cottage, modern. J. Musson, 601 Park Ave. 100-41p.

For Rent—Furnished rooms, light, housekeeping and bed rooms. 311 Park avenue. 88-31p.

For Rent—Five acres good celery land, one and a half miles from Sanford. N. H. Garner. 99-81c.

For Rent—511 Park Ave. Six room house, with all conveniences. Apply at 507 Park. 97-41.

For Rent—Three rooms furnished for light housekeeping. Also two bedrooms. Mrs. Johns, 411 Park avenue. 91-41c.

For Rent—Completely furnished house with piano for the summer. Few steps to postoffice, depot and steamship dock. A. W. ... Enterprise, Florida. 97-41.

For Rent—Furnished office equipped with roll top desk, office chairs and tables. Also a roll top desk, typewriter desk and other equipment for sale or rent. Herald office. 95-41.

### MISCELLANEOUS

Wanted—Sewing by the day. Mrs. H. C. Grantham, cor Oak and Fifth street. 98-34c.

Wanted—Plain and fancy sewing. Dressmaking of all kinds. Last house on East Third street. Mrs. Mattie Drigotta. 99-31p.

Lost—Mileage book between Virginia-Carolina sales office and factory. Book issued at Jacksonville, July 28th and numbered G 14,115. Finder return to mile office in Yowell building and receive reward. 85-21c.

Wanted—Dressmaking of all kinds at 301 French avenue. 95-31p.

A competent gardener and farmer, married, wishes position as farm hand to handle help. E. H. ... The Herald. 100-41c.

Wanted—A secondhand one story building or barn at once. Green, Route 2. 95-41c.

Found—Bathing suit. Can be had at Caldwell's store by paying for this ad.

Lost—New ... Finder return to Herald office and receive reward.



ACTUAL HOSTILITIES HAVE BEGUN

GERMANY REPULSED BY BELGIUM IN ATTEMPT TO CROSS TO FRANCE

London, Aug. 7.—Advices from Amsterdam are that more than 11,000 German troops were killed in the two principal battles in Belgium.

The Daily Mail publishes a dispatch from Copenhagen stating that a German squadron is bombarding Sveaborg, Finland.

Sveaborg is known as the "Gibraltar of the Baltic." The fortifications, armed with 800 heavy cannon and defended by a garrison of about 12,000 men, are spread over a chain of seven small islands connected with bridges.

Germany in pushing her advance through Belgium has met with strong opposition around Liege, where Belgian forces, according to official advices reaching Brussels, have repulsed the German army of the Meuse under Gen. von Emmich.

The Germans are reported to have lost several thousand killed and wounded.

Field Marshal Kitchener has been appointed secretary of state for war in the British cabinet and will have under his direction the military campaign against Germany.

French troops have joined the Belgians in opposing the progress of Germany through Belgium and it is reported that possibly Great Britain may send reinforcements.

The president of the United States has proffered his services as mediator to the European nations at war.

Mrs Wilson Dead

Washington, Aug. 7.—Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, wife of the President of the United States, tonight lies at the point of death. Four months of almost unbroken illness, a complication of nervous ailments and Bright's disease have sapped the vitality of the First Lady of the land.

Physicians have been in consultation for days but it was admitted at the White House tonight that hope for her recovery had almost vanished.

Conscious only at intervals, Mrs. Wilson has been cheerful and has called constantly for her husband. Every spare moment that could be spared from urgent official duties have been devoted by the President to his wife. At the side of his constant, helpmate and adviser, he wrote the tender of good offices appeals to the European monarchs to stay their conflict. From the sickroom he has been giving directions to the various department heads for the relief of thousands of Americans stranded abroad.

Washington, D. C. Aug. 7th.—Messages from all over the world poured into the White House today expressing sympathy of thousands for the President and his daughter. Funeral arrangements have not yet been completed but it is certain that the burial will be at Princeton as at Rome, Ga., the girlhood home of Mrs. Wilson. It is probable that the funeral services will be simple. Several announcements were made this evening that the services in the White House would be strictly private.

City Council Meets The city council met in regular session August 3rd, 1914, at 7:30 p. m. Present, B. W. Herndon, president; C. H. Dingo, Jack Adams, H. E. Tolar, J. D. Davison, W. W. Abernathy and R. C. Maxwell. Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

The council then heard complaints as to the assessment of property for 1914. It was moved and seconded that the bond of the Seminole Dredging Co. be approved, with A. T. Essetter and E. B. Rourke as sureties. Carried.

Moved and seconded that the millage for 1914 remain at 14 mills. Carried.

The reports of the chief of police, sanitary inspector, treasurer, collector and fire department read and ordered filed.

Moved and seconded that the bills as signed by the president and approved by the finance committee be paid. Carried.

Moved and seconded that council adjourn. Carried. M. W. Lovell, City Clerk.

Orlando's Roof Garden

Orlando, Aug. 6.—(Special)—A permit has been granted for the construction of a roof garden theater on the Yowell-Duckworth Building, and the work has been placed in the hands of M. S. King who has the plans all drawn, and promises the new resort to be in operation by November 1.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS REGULAR MEETING WAS MOST INTERESTING

ENGINEERING COMPANY TURNED DOWN FOR INCOMPETENCY—ASSESSOR BATES' FIGURES APPROVED—TAX LEVY FOR YEAR WAS FIXED AND OTHER MATTERS OF IMPORTANCE TRANSACTED

Honorable Board of County Commissioners in and for Seminole county met in regular session at 10:30 o'clock last Monday.

Present, L. P. Hagan, chairman pro tem., Commissioners C. W. Entzinger, J. A. Clark, J. T. McInain, Absent, F. L. Woodruff, E. A. Douglass, clerk and C. M. Hand, sheriff, in attendance.

Minutes of regular meeting July 20th and minutes of special meeting July 18th read and approved.

First business taken up being consideration of the cancellation of contract of Jaudon Engineering Company with board of county commissioners of Seminole county, as supervising engineers of the Special Road and Bridge District No. 1. After representative of the said Jaudon Engineering Company, Mr. E. V. Camp having been heard the following preamble and resolution was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, The Jaudon Engineering Company, engineers in charge of construction of roads in the Special Road and Bridge District No. 1,

having been derelict in the performance of services as said supervising engineers, and whereas said engineering company have permitted large quantities of brick of inferior quality to be consigned to Seminole county, and whereas, we as county commissioners for some time past have been complaining of the grade and quality of brick received, and whereas said engineers after complaints made by us have represented to this board that the brick being received was a high grade brick of first class quality and, whereas, in truth and in fact large quantities of brick which have been received are of an inferior quality and the shipment of further brick of like kind would not have been permitted by this board if it had not been for the representation and assurance of the said Jaudon Engineering Company, that the brick being received by the county of Seminole were not of an inferior quality and; whereas large quantities of inferior brick consigned to this county and have been received, said brick be-

ing shipped under the inspection by said engineers.

Therefore, be it resolved, that the contract with the Jaudon Engineering Company be rescinded and cancelled. Be it further resolved that the clerk of this board shall forthwith notify said Jaudon Engineering Company of the rescission and cancellation of the contract entered into by them with the county of Seminole under date, December 31st, 1913, and said clerk is further ordered and requested to transmit with said notice a copy of this resolution. Resolution adopted in regular session this August 3rd, 1914.

Judge Geo. G. Herring road petition and addressed the board in reference to petition of Alfred King and others for road as set forth in petition. Mr. Alfred King also addressed the board in reference to same. On motion of Commissioners Entzinger matter was referred to Commissioner Hagan. After having been referred to Commissioner Hagan, said Commissioner reports unfavorably until agreement can be reached between parties interested.

Mr. D. L. Thrasher and Mr. F. P. Forster addressed the board in reference to millage for school purposes.

Board recommends to Comptroller that Overstreet Turpetine Company be allowed to redeem at \$1.00 (CONTINUED ON PAGE 5)

Chased into Jacksonville

Jacksonville, Fla., Aug. 6.—The German steamer Freida Leonhardt, loaded with over two million feet of lumber, put into port here today. Her captain, H. Lestner says he was chased for twelve hours by a British warship. Captain Lestner says he was inside the three mile limit and the battleship remained within a mile of him until a squall came up and then disappeared.

The Freida Leonhardt was bound from Gulfport, Miss. to Italy, when she encountered the British cruiser of Sand Key. The Britisher, Captain Lestner says was one of three funnels but he was unable to get her name. He supposed the cruiser was from the Bahama Islands, probably from Nassau or Jamaica.

Captain Lestner and his men showed the effects of excitement when they arrived in port and declare that they have no doubt that the British cruiser would have effected a capture or fired upon him had he not been within the three mile limit. The lumber aboard the steamer constitutes a valuable cargo and would have been a rich prize. The British cruiser Berwick is supposed to have been the vessel in pursuit.

Seminole is Paid

The final financial adjustment between Orange and Seminole counties has been made. At the July session of the county commissioners the clerk was instructed to draw a draft covering the amount of the balance due Seminole on county division settlement.

Among the warrants being sent out this morning are three to J. B. Jones, treasurer, aggregating \$1,012.64, Seminole's payment in full.

The warrants were drawn on three funds as follows: Road and bridge, \$445.84; Special road district, \$407.40; Fines and forfeitures, \$60.—Reporter-Star.

A Railroad Crossing

The above is the subject of the talk by Mr. George Hymnal, pastor of the Baptist Church on 2nd Sunday night. A very large audience was present at the services of the Baptist Church last Sunday and still larger ones are expected next Sunday. The reception committee of the church is preparing to accommodate at least 60 more people than they were last Sunday evening. The church of forty voices is expected to have a full attendance.

Those who have attended the Baptist services in the past will surely be glad to welcome that is given to all.

Services begin promptly at 7:40 and last for just three quarters of an hour.

Notice of Meeting

The trustees of the Library Association and the committee from the Woman's Club are requested to meet at the office of J. N. Wilkner next Wednesday afternoon at 6 o'clock.

FRANCE, RUSSIA AND ENGLAND TO ATTACK GERMANY AND AUSTRIA

London, Aug. 7.—An Exchange telegraph dispatch from Paris today states that Germany has sent an ultimatum to Italy saying unless Italy supports her allies war on her will be declared.

Paris, via London, Aug. 7.—French torpedo craft from Bizerta today captured the German tank steamer Cear Nicholas II with 2,000 tons of oil. She was bound from Batoum to St. Louis du Rhone, France.

London, Aug. 7.—The French embassy learns that the French fleet has captured a German cruiser.

Malta, via London, Aug. 7.—British captured and brought here a German Levant liner.

German and Russian embassies respectively have been attacked by mobs.

The capture of several German steamers by the British is reported and the British cruiser Amphion has sunk the Hamburg-American line steamer Koelnig Louise, recently converted into a mine layer.

Russian frontier patrols have penetrated ten miles into Germany. Travelers returning from the North Sea bring word that no hostile warships were to be seen.

Wilson to Mediate

Washington, Aug. 7.—President Wilson has formally offered the services of the United States Government to the warring nations of Europe should they desire to discuss terms of peace. He tendered what technically is phrased as "good offices," which if accepted in principle would be followed by a conference of representatives of the powers of Europe, in which the United States would play the roll of mediator.

Under the Hague convention, to which all European nations except Serbia are signatories, a neutral nation is urged in time of international conflict, to tender her good office to contending powers. Acting under the terms of the Hague convention the President called Emperor William, of Germany, Emperor Nicholas, of Russia, Emperor Francis Joseph, of Austria, King George, of Great Britain, and President Poincare, of France, as follows:

As official head of one of the powers signatory to the Hague convention I feel it to be my privilege and my duty under article three of that convention to say to you in spirit of most earnest friendship that I should welcome an opportunity to act in the interest of European peace either now or at any other time that might be more suitable, as an occasion to serve you and all concerned in a way that would afford me lasting cause for gratitude and happiness.

Signed Woodrow Wilson. Diplomats in Washington advised. Late today Secretary Bryan summoned all European diplomats in the city and gave them a copy of the telegram in the hope that they would transmit it to their Governments and urge acceptance of the tender. The Austrian Ambassador, representatives of the British, Russian, German and French embassies, and Belgian legation called at the department.

Shiloh Methodist Baptist Church. Located at Goldsboro in Sanford, Fla. After running a revival meeting for fourteen days was the means of bringing twelve souls to Christ, who are praising God in the highest. The pastor, Rev. F. J. R. Brown, baptized ten of these on Sunday, Aug. 2nd, 1914. He rendered a noble sermon at the altar, which was enjoyed by all. On Monday evening at 7:30 p. m. the members gave their pastor, Rev. F. J. R. Brown and wife a surprise party, which was a source of joy as well as a great surprise to him and his wife. He received a good many useful presents. It was an evening of great pleasure to all who participated.

MILITARY STRENGTH OF GREAT POWERS

Thirty-four million men are ready for service if the Triple Alliance and the Triple Entente are finally brought into war by Germany, Austria-Hungary and Serbia.

The Triple Entente, exclusive of Serbia, has 20,000,000 available men, or about 6,000,000 more than has the Triple Alliance.

The strength of the combined navies of the Entente in ships, tonnage, armament and number of men would exceed the naval strength of the Alliance.—The following table shows the strength of each on an ordinary war footing.

TRIPLE ALLIANCE

Table showing military strength of Germany, Austria, and Italy. Includes columns for Army, Navy, and various ship types like Superdreadnoughts, Dreadnoughts, etc.

TRIPLE ENTENTE

Table showing military strength of Russia and France. Includes columns for Army, Navy, and various ship types like Superdreadnoughts, Dreadnoughts, etc.

Table showing military strength of Austria. Includes columns for Army, Navy, and various ship types like Superdreadnoughts, Dreadnoughts, etc.

Table showing military strength of France. Includes columns for Army, Navy, and various ship types like Superdreadnoughts, Dreadnoughts, etc.

Table showing military strength of Italy. Includes columns for Army, Navy, and various ship types like Superdreadnoughts, Dreadnoughts, etc.

Table showing military strength of England. Includes columns for Army, Navy, and various ship types like Superdreadnoughts, Dreadnoughts, etc.

Table showing military strength of the Triple Alliance (Germany, Austria, Italy). Includes columns for Army, Navy, and various ship types.

Table showing military strength of the Triple Entente (Russia, France, England). Includes columns for Army, Navy, and various ship types.