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**Every Week Bridge**  
The Every Week Bridge Club was entertained by Mrs. W. D. Holden, at the Sanford House Thursday afternoon. The decorations were green and orange. Three tables of bridge were played, one being a guest table. The dainty little ally cards were also decorated in green and orange. The club prize, a handsome handkerchief case, was won by Mrs. R. L. Hughes, who made the highest score. The guest prize a lovely volume of Longfellow's poems, was won by Mrs. Samuel Puleston, who made the highest score at the guest table.

After the interesting games of cards were concluded ice cream, cake and laret were served.  
Mrs. Holden's guests were Mrs. C. M. Force, Mrs. R. L. Hughes, Mrs. O. W. Brady, Mrs. C. O. McLaughlin, Mrs. Yuse Barnes, Mrs. G. F. Smith, Mrs. Forrest Lake, Mrs. A. W. Brown, Mrs. A. M. DeForest, Mrs. Samuel Puleston, Mrs. T. A. Neal, Mrs. Robert Newman, Mrs. Fatjo, Mrs. I. C. Putnam.

**Resolutions**  
Inasmuch as it has pleased Almighty God, in His infinite wisdom, to remove from our midst the beloved wife of our fellow member, Mr. W. H. Underwood; therefore be it  
Resolved, This is not only a great loss to him personally, but also to the entire community. We sympathize with you, dear brother, but can only point you to our loving Heavenly Father for help in your deep distress, knowing that He does all things well.  
(Signed) G. W. Spencer, Mayor.  
T. J. Miller, Chairman.  
M. W. Lovell, Clerk.  
Committee.

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For sale—Five gallon instantaneous water heater. Suitable for bath room one Singer sewing machine, used one month, household furniture, at 210 Pine ave, or box 473. 41-91-p

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## THAT CALIFORNIA FREEZE

Described By California Paper in Graphic Tale

### COLD ENOUGH TO HAVE SKATING

Fruits Frozen and Vegetables Ruined Report Says Celery was Frozen Stiff

Graphically depicting the terrible freeze which visited southern California the first of last week, the Los Angeles Express in a four page news story, containing dispatches from every section of the state, in its issue of Jan. 6th gives the startling details of the visit of a real northern winter in a supposedly tropical climate. The main picture on the front page is a picture of a man and woman examining with interest the formation of an icicle two inches in thickness at a leaky fire hydrant. The fountain in the Plaza of San Diego was reported frozen over with ice half an inch thick, said to be the only time ice formed in that city in 64 years. At Oxnard the boys skated on a frozen irrigation dam. Temperatures of sixteen and eighteen degrees were reported from many of the surrounding districts.

Across the top of the page the temperatures of Los Angeles and the principal cities of the United States at 7 a. m. are given, showing that the mercury at Chicago was but five degrees lower than that at Los Angeles. In flaming seven-column headlines the facts that "Freezing weather causes serious damage, citrus crops nipped, vegetable growers hard hit" is announced.

What must have taken the heart out of the California growers was another black headline which stated that "Cold weather to continue, another frost is on its way."

The "lead" of the story which is printed in black faced type, tells the story from the Los Angeles point of view as follows:

#### The Los Angeles Account

"The damage to the citrus industry of California by the cold wave, which has enveloped the entire Pacific coast, along with the more rigid conditions generally over the United States is serious.

"Reports from Riverside, Pomona, Ontario, Santa Barbara, Redlands, Alhambra and Corona are to the effect that oranges and lemons have been frozen on the trees in many localities. Growers also fear the trees have been damaged to considerable extent.

"The vegetable growers also report a heavy loss. The more tender varieties, such as peas and beans, it is feared, have been almost totally destroyed in the fields. Celery growers say that crop has been seriously damaged and that much of it was found frozen this morning.

Other headlines which tell the main points of the story are:

- "Water freezes in garden hose as frequent attacks small place in home."
- "Cold weather delays P. E. service to the north."
- "Vegetables in field are damaged by cold."
- "Mercury down to 18; icicles freeze at Bakersfield."
- "Three-foot icicle; cold-weather sight in Pasadena."
- "Weather at Harbor is described worst known to San Pedro."
- "Oxnard boys skate on irrigation dam; citrus men fearful."
- "Great damage done to oranges and lemons, says Santa Barbara."
- "Serious damage feared in groves at Glendale."
- "Long Beach residents wear old caps brought from east."
- "Ontario citrus men in all-night fight on 29 temperature."
- "Fountain at San Diego is frozen over."
- "Southland in grip of cold; fruit hit."
- "Million mudgo pots fight frost invasion of entire southland."
- "Fruit exchange receives reports of heavy loss."

Officers of the fruit growers exchange admitted, said the story, that oranges were found frozen solid on the trees. Icicles an inch long were said to have formed on the leaves of trees where the irrigation plants were kept working in the effort to keep away the frost. A dispatch from Redlands stated that the

## THROUGH FLORIDA HIGHWAYS

Well Known Magazine Gives Benefits of Florida Good Roads

In special correspondence in this week's issue from Tampa some suggestions are made as to the importance of the building of a good road connecting Jacksonville and the West Coast at Tampa. The cost as reported would be exceedingly small in proportion to the good to be accomplished; but while the state and the counties between Jacksonville and Tampa are considering such a proposition as this attention should also be given on the East Coast of Florida to a through road connecting Jacksonville and Miami. These are fairly good roads and Tampa and between Jacksonville and Miami, but their value is largely destroyed by the fact that they are not connected up.

While Florida is studying the proposition for a network of great highways throughout the state, these two propositions are worthy of immediate attention by the counties through which these roads would run. It is reasonably safe to say that if there were two first class motor roads, one from Jacksonville to Miami and one from Jacksonville to the West Coast, there would be almost an unbroken line of automobiles to be seen on these roads during the entire winter.

New England, with its splendid roads and its fine summer climate, draws tens of thousands of motorists, who annually leave in that section many millions of dollars. Indeed it has been carefully estimated by railroad men that the tourist business yields to New England an annual crop of \$60,000,000. This is probably a conservative estimate. Moreover, it is increasing more rapidly probably than any other crop in the country.

New England does not appeal to the motorist for a summer trip so strongly as Florida would appeal to the motorist for a winter trip if two main highways, well constructed, existed in Florida, one down the East Coast and one to the West Coast.

The tourist business to Florida is capable of increasing in amount to a considerable extent by active work on the part of the people and the railroads to easily quadruple the tourist travel to that state, as great as it now is. The most powerful factor in accomplishing this would be good roads. There ought to be good roads all over Florida connecting up every county seat, but in the meantime two main highways such as suggested would be worth annually many millions of dollars to the whole state. On these roads a motorist would scarcely ever be out of sight of another automobile, for Florida is pre-eminently the predestined great winter tourist point and play ground and health invigorating region for the people of the whole North Atlantic and eastern section of the country and of much of the west. The sooner the business men and the counties and the state officials take up this work the sooner will the state reap this rich harvest. The drainage of the Everglades is a great piece of work fraught with great possibilities for the wealth of the state, but the drainage of the Everglades is of small importance to Florida as compared with the results that would follow the building of these two first class highways.—Manufacturers' Record.

### Jones Found Guilty

After being absent from the court room five or ten minutes, just long enough to vote and write out their verdict, the jury in the Jones assault to murder case at Tampa found a verdict of guilty of assault with intent to commit murder in the second degree. This means that the jury believed Jones intended to kill Maud Nichols, his sister-in-law, but, on account of his alleged drunken condition, did not believe his mental state to have been such as to make premeditation possible. The maximum penalty which can be given Jones for his crime is twenty years, or he would have been sentenced to life imprisonment under such a verdict in case Maud Nichols had died as the result of the assault.—Tampa Tribune.

hopes of orange growers for a good income from the crop this year went glimmering Sunday night when the temperature fell below freezing and remained there all night. Celery was frozen stiff in the fields, and all other vegetables wiped out.

## MORE PAVED STREETS

Ninth Street Will Be Paved to Union Station

### SANFORD LEADS IN PAVING

This City Has More Brick Streets Than Any Interior Florida City

Sanford will be the banner city of interior Florida in the matter of brick paved streets and in a few months will have over four miles of brick paved streets, most of them broad avenues.

The city council held a special meeting last Saturday afternoon and made a contract with the Chattanooga Clay Co. to furnish enough brick to pave all of Ninth street from Park avenue to the new union station, and also to finish out Oak avenue from Sixth street to Tenth street.

The new streets in that portion of Sanford are now becoming popular thoroughfares since the opening of the fine new union station and one of the drawbacks to that portion of the city has been miserable streets. The city council has been waiting to close a contract at the very best prices and terms and the brick company, through their representative, Mr. Harvey, made a very close price on the wide paving block, the same to be laid by the city which is a great saving in the cost.

The flat brick cover much more surface, and it is thought that the city will save about one-third of the cost of the former paving by close buying and laying the brick by local talent.

The paving will connect with other brick streets and will greatly enhance the property in that part of Sanford, as well as give the city a much better appearance to the visitors who are obliged to come into the city by rail.

The bricks will be shipped at once and the paving will start about February first and be finished before the tourist travel is over for this season.

## SANFORD CELERY STARTS

That Which Made Sanford Famous Again in Flower

### NEWSPAPERS PREDICT PROFITS

Sanford Growers Should Not Start Stuff at Exorbitant Prices

"They're off." Last Friday started the race in the Celery Delta, and from now on Sanford growers will be busier than the proverbial paper hanger. True, growers here have been busy since early November, and a large number of cars of lettuce have gone to various markets, but the crop that made Sanford famous, its bread winner, to be exact, has now started. The first solid carload to leave the state was shipped on Monday, selling 1.0 c., and going to St. Louis. This car was of good quality, packed in eight inch crates. Tuesday several more cars were loaded. There will be a number of cars moved daily the remainder of the month.

During February the main movement will be on, and taking everything into consideration, the good quality of the Florida stock this season, and the fact that California growers of this community have unfortunately suffered severely from the freeze of last week, it now seems that Sanford is due for a prosperous season. The markets of the west and middle west are calling for stock, and indications are that eastern cities will soon be ready to also take their supply. Advice from Western New York indicate that the celery crop there has practically all been destroyed, with the exceptions of several hundred cars in storage, which is reported to be keeping poorly.

Growers and distributors here are very optimistic regarding the situation, some predicting that last year's high prices will be reached, but the more conservative element are contending that \$2 or \$2.25 will undoubtedly rule until the demand has been firmly established, after which there should be a considerable increase.

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## NOTHING SMALL ABOUT SMITH

Purchased a Building to Provide Place For Division Meeting

There is nothing small about B. G. Smith, the genial conductor of the Sanford-Oviedo Cannonball Special. In order to provide a meeting place for the county divisionists at Oviedo last Friday night B. G. that morning bought a two story building at the intersection of the two principal streets of Oviedo and when the special train arrived the front porch of the storefront was ready for the speakers. This step on B. G.'s part not only demonstrated his public spirit and progressive idea, but also showed good business judgment and his abounding faith in his home town of Oviedo, which is growing every day and will soon be the second city in the new county of Harney. All honor to B. G. Smith. When he goes in for anything he starts with all sails set and no obstacles prevent him from gaining his point. His heart is the biggest part of his anatomy and he and his loving helpmate are of the salt of the earth.

### Wagner Is Successful

Some important changes in the management of the Arthur E. Donegan Real Estate have been made this week. D. G. Wagner is the new manager announced, succeeding Horace Woodall, who has associated himself as city salesman for the South Florida Lumber Co.

Mr. Wagner is well known to the public in central Florida. He was connected with the Atlantic Coast Line for some twenty-five years, holding an important executive office at Sanford. He came to Kissimmee last spring, identifying himself with the insurance department of the Donegan Real Estate Agency. Mr. Wagner has become a prominent figure in the community and his company is now recognized as the leading realty exchange in the county. The insurance business has grown rapidly and presages a broadening that means added help in the near future. The New York Life, which is represented by the local agency, took occasion to compliment Mr. Wagner in a recent issue of their trade paper, and the large amount of insurance written by the Kissimmee agent.—Kissimmee Journal.

### Lent Begins February Fifth

Lent, that day made effective by the hunch for giving up luxuries indulged in by the people of the world, occurs February fifth, which is two or three weeks earlier than it usually commences.

Heretofore the last week or two before the beginning of Lent has been utilized in social gaiety for the carrying out of special gayety before the forty days of the Lenten season shut off all but the commonest and quietest of social activity. This year the bright riot of New York will be scarcely completed before the ominous figure of the Lenten season will be near.

### Reception to Pastor

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will hold a reception for the members of the church and congregation and friends of the church at the residence of F. L. Woodruff, corner of Oak avenue and Sixth street Thursday evening from eight to eleven.

The reception is for the purpose of meeting the new pastor, Rev. E. D. Brownlee.

### Has Fine Cabbage

R. H. Muirhead brought a head of cabbage to The Herald office yesterday that will weigh 12 pounds and is a solid head. He states that he has some larger ones at home and The Herald will give a six months' subscription to the one grower who brings in the largest head in the next four weeks.

### Is It a Fact?

There is a persistent rumor that the Swann pasture has been sold to parties who contemplate building a tourist hotel at once. If the report is true the purchasers certainly have a fine prospect for success.

The Clearwater News tells that the Dundee Bank is now organized with a capital stock of \$20,000. A committee from the directors has been appointed to select a location and make plans for the erection of a bank building.

From five to ten cars of fruit are being shipped from Winter Haven and Florence Villa daily. A large quantity of tangerines are being shipped from these two places.

## AN IMMENSE GATHERING

Oviedo the Scene of Great Outpouring of Divisionists

### SPECIAL TRAIN FOR CROWD

Merchants Close Their Stores and Oviedo Was Filled With Enthusiasts

Last Friday was a gala occasion for the citizens of Oviedo and Sanford, that day being designated as the get-together occasion for the people of that section to discuss the question of county division.

Sanford never does anything by halves and when the report was spread that Sanford would visit Oviedo a special train was chartered, the baggage car was converted into a diner with hot coffee and sandwiches on tap and three coaches filled with enthusiasts, supplemented by the Sanford Military Band with a full complement of members.

The County Division Special left the old depot promptly on time and arrived at Oviedo about one hour late. Headed by the band the crowd marched to the porch of one of the stores where chairs had been provided by the committee for the ladies and speakers, and the orators of the day lost no time in getting down to business.

Hon. D. L. Thrasher led off, giving facts and figures on the two counties in his usual impressive manner and was followed by T. K. Bates, who gave the crowd a bunch of pyrotechnics interspersed with solid facts and figures, compiled from authentic sources and indisputable. There were several Orlando journalists from Orlando in the audience, among them being Editor James of the Reporter-Star and Josiah Ferris of the Sentinel, and to them Bates directed his shafts of wit and wisdom in a way that brought smiles even to the face of the newspaper men.

The meeting then adjourned for lunch and the Orlando visitors were taken to the dining car and regaled on coffee and sandwiches. Among them were editors Ferris and James, Mrs. Ferris, L. G. Starbuck and Joseph Jones. They could not stay for the night meeting and left at once for home.

The balance of the immense crowd sought refreshments and about thirty of them with the members of the Sanford band accepted an invitation of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Smith to partake of a Dutch lunch, where the good things to eat and liquid refreshments interspersed with band music made a lively and greatly enjoyed intermission. The Smith home was thrown open to the ladies during the afternoon and evening, and the warm welcome and charming hospitality of Mrs. Smith and Mrs. B. F. Jones will ever be remembered by the people of Sanford.

The night meeting was called to order by Chairman E. A. Douglass at 7 o'clock and W. R. Healy of Longwood was the first speaker, and in his usual vigorous style and convincing manner drove home some truths to the thinking people of Oviedo and vicinity. Mr. Healy's heart is in the movement and having been a resident of Orange county for the past seventeen years he has the subject well in hand and his remarks were given closest attention.

Other speakers followed in quick succession, each address being punctuated by good music from the band, the boys being greatly strengthened by the lunch blew themselves to the limit and never missed a note or an opportunity to tot.

Major Powers, Mayor Spencer, D. L. Thrasher, Rev. J. D. Langley, J. T. McLain of Geneva, C. R. Walker, S. Runge, R. J. Holly, R. P. Forster, E. A. Douglass and B. G. Smith, together with several others, made good addresses, and T. K. Bates again mounted the platform and closed the meeting by another touch of Irish wit and humor. The meeting was a most successful one from every viewpoint and many converts to the cause of county division were made. Many of them had not given the subject serious attention and the idea of 150 business men coming to Oviedo for an afternoon to talk about the division caused the anti-divisionists to give the speakers the closest attention and to ponder well the facts and figures that

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### CURBSTONE GLEANINGS

#### Budget of Opinion "Just Between You and Me"

#### EVEN THE DATE POST NOT IN IT

#### A Chiel is Among Ye Taking Notes and Faith, He'll Prent 'Em— So Says Saunterer.

#### The Country Print-Shop

The years have shook us up a lot, you Murray, Tom and Ed— They've left me stranded high and dry five stories overhead.

With new ideas all around, and Mergenthalers, too,  
Pneumatic tubes—a durned device for sendin' copy through!

An' all them things that papers have that make such noise at times  
They jar the tenor of my life and jingle of my rhymes,

An' make me wish 'twas just a dream and when awake I'd be

Back where you an' me stuck type and "kicked a No. 3."

I close my eyes and see again that print-shop grim an' bare,  
An' you an' Tom an' Ed lined up against them cases there

A-fillin' up the only chase with "Doin's Of the Grange"

Or "Items" 'bout the village folks or "Clippin's From Exchange,"

An' Marshall, to, the editor, his genial likes I see

His "fine-cut" whiskers bristlin' with wise philosophy!

O, them's the days an' times that we can just rise up an' bless,

When we "stuck" type an' edited an' "kicked a Martin Press."

Y' mind the days—the summer days—when through the winder come  
The fragrance of the fields beyond and summer's lazy hum,

When we'd set down an' rest a spell an' fill our meresham' pipes  
With Hillside Plug an' sing a song instid o' stickin' types?

How Murray's bass would rumble out so clear an' sweet an' strong,  
An' all the rest would join in some good old fashioned song—

Like "Nelle Gray" or "Cabin Home" or "I Shall wait, my Dear?"

An' not a "chapel chairman" or a boss to interfe!

I turn the pages back again in Mem'ry's dogeared book  
An' lol I see that "30's" gone from off your copy hook;

The shadders come an' flit aroun the cases where you used  
The only "chase" we ever had has been sent in for good!

An' here I'm stranded high an' dry five stories from the street,  
But thankful that through all the noise I hear a measure sweet

From other days an' times that I shall ever rise an' bless—  
When we stuck type an' edited an' "kicked a Martin Press."

—John D. Wells.

¶ What do units and zones mean in connection with the new parcels post law? They are old words with a new application. For parcel post purposes the entire area of the United States, 3,026,787 square miles, has been divided into units without reference to state lines or boundaries. These units are thirty miles square, each one numbered and every postoffice numbered to correspond with the unit it is in. Every unit containing a postoffice is a center of measurement for zones. Measuring from any given point the first zone embraces an area of about fifty miles in every direction; the second zone, a large circle, embraces all outside the first zone up to 150 miles in every direction; the third zone, a still larger circle, embraces all outside the second zone up to three hundred miles in every direction; the fourth zone, a still larger circle, embraces all outside the third zone up to six hundred miles in every direction; the fifth zone takes in one thousand miles in every direction; the sixth zone, 1,400 miles, the seventh zone 1,800 miles, and the eighth zone, all beyond. Every postoffice large or small has zones of its own, measured by concentric circles from the centre of the unit in which it is situated, and the rates to all points within another zone are the same.

¶ A year of awful disasters—historians will probably say something like this of the year 1912, whose record of catastrophes is long and impressive. The sinking of the largest steamship ever built—the Titanic—on April 15 easily took precedence over all other disasters. This accident generally was described as the worst of its kind in modern marine annals. The number of persons who went down to death with the great White

Star liner was 1,596; 745 persons, including passengers and crew, were able to crowd into life boats and were picked up by the Carpathia. It was the Titanic's maiden voyage, the boat was considered as safe as anything fashioned by man's cunning could be, and the ship was supposed to be a more or less trivial collision with an iceberg in the Atlantic Ocean, 1,150 miles east of New-York, the mammoth steamer filled with water, slowly sank, and just before going under, was split in twain. Some of the world's greatest figures were aboard that ship and were lost with it.

Explosions, fire, storms, on land and water, and railway accidents were dreadful harvesters in the last twelve months. In the disasters that attracted general attention it is shown that fire and explosions killed 151; storms and earthquakes, 2,385; marine disasters, not including those caused by storms, 1,779; railway accidents, 126. Scores of others were lost in minor accidents whose number each year is legion. The year was a terrible one for storms on land and sea. There were floods, cyclones, cloudbursts, fierce gales on ocean and lake—all taking their human toll. Railroad wrecks were numerous, chiefly from collisions which one would think are preventable.

¶ The parcel post is giving satisfaction in many quarters, but some people can never adjust themselves to new conditions. While the parcel post is a fine thing for the public, the mail carrier is finding that it adds to his woes. One rural carrier in Georgia, who signs himself F. T. Deason, Irwinton, Ga., roundly condemns the "Possum post." His letter follows:

"I seat myself with pen in hand to write you a few lines to let you know that you have played the devil with me. I am the mail carrier from McIntyre to Irwinton, and I took the contract to carry the mail three times a day, a distance of three and one-half miles, for \$319 a year. At that time the express company was doing a pretty good business, and I got 10 cents for each express package and 10 cents and a drink for every jug.

"You fixed the law so I couldn't carry the jug, and now you have fixed up a thing called the possum post, and the express company doesn't handle any more small packages, nor do I handle any more dimes. When I made this contract I could carry the mail in a road cart and a Texas pony and haul the express on the side; now the express has shrunk and this post business has swelled so I have to get a mule and wagon.

"Now, when I made the trade to carry the mail I didn't know anything about the dam foolishness of sending livestock and farming implements through the mail. I thought that this was just campaign talk, and had no idea that Congress would be fool enough to put it into practice."

¶ Being present at one of the council meetings of the city fathers the other night I was greatly enthused over the business manner in which they dispose of the vexing problems of the city government. I believe that Sanford now has a bunch of mighty good men as members of the city council and men that not only will do things but will also keep a weather eye on the finances and know exactly where the money is coming from before they shoot. I look for many improvements in the next two years and a most stable government for our city. There are many big questions coming up and it gives me pleasure to know that we have a bunch of big men that are well qualified to handle the big business.

¶ When Ninth street is paved and the remainder of Oak avenue Sanford will have more brick paving than any other interior city in the entire south. This new paving will give our city very pearly five miles of brick paved streets and these streets are not narrow by-paths but most of them are big, broad avenues, much wider than the average city street. When it comes to being in the front ranks among the progressive cities of the south Sanford simply takes the rag off the bush. We are in a class all-by ourself.

¶ There is no need to become heated up over the county division question, because it has been settled long ago and is now up to the meeting of the legislature. Sanford will be in the new county before another year rolls around and Orlando already realizes that there will be nothing gained by fighting longer in the forlorn hope. The people in the new territory who at first were not in favor of county division, after looking into the matter fully have decided that the new county can offer them more for their taxes and now are perfectly willing to come in.

Better have your seeds for spring planting reserved at L. R. Phillips & Co. and get benefit of low prices. 42-8t

## LODGE NOTES

### SANFORD LODGES

**Sanford Lodge No. 27, I. O. O. F.**  
Meets every Monday at 7:30 p. m., over Imperial Theatre. M. M. Evans, N. G. W. S. Baldwin, Sec'y.

**Seminole Chapter No. 2, Order Eastern Star**  
Meets every second and fourth Friday in month. Every one who has seen his Star in the East, are cordially invited to visit the chapter. ALICE E. ROBBINS, Sec'y.

**F. O. E. Celery City Aerie 1853**  
Meeting every Tuesday night at 8 o'clock Hall in Welborne Block, third floor.

**Phoenix Lodge No. 5, K. of P.**  
Meets second and fourth Mondays. Visiting knights always welcome. F. E. Hutchinson, C. C. Felix S. Frank, K. R. and S.

**Sanford Lodge, No. 62, F. & A. M.**  
H. E. Tolar, Master; M. W. Lovell, Secretary. Communication every first and third Thursdays at 7:30 p. m. Visiting brothers welcome.

**United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America**  
Sanford Local Union No. 1751, U. B. of C. and J. of A. meets every Thursday night at 7 o'clock in the Eagles' Hall. J. W. O. Singletary, president; Geo. Blackwelder, R. S. & T.

**B. P. O. E. Sanford Lodge 1241**  
Meet First and Third Wednesday night, corner First and Palmetto. E. W. Rowland, E. R. O. L. Taylor, Secretary.

**L. O. O. M.**  
The Loyal Order of Moose, meets every Friday evening at 8:00 P. M. in Eagles Hall, Welborne Block. Albert Seigh, Dictator. R. H. Geiger, Secretary.

**Monroe Chapter No. 15 R. A. M.**  
Meets every second and fourth Thursday in Masonic Hall over Imperial Theatre. Visiting companions welcome. A. W. King, High Priest. W. E. Housholder, Sec'y.

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No 82—Ar 1.18 a	Lv 1.33 a
No 28—Ar 8.50 p	

  

South Bound	
No 83—Ar 2.06 a	Lv 2.16 a
No 89—Ar 2.11 p	Lv 2.31 p
No 85—Ar 5.36 p	Lv 5.56 p
No 27—Lv 8.00 a	

  

No 25—From Trilby	Ar 1.02 p
No 24—From Trilby	Lv 2.25 p
No 21—From Leesburg	Ar 11.10 a
No 22—From Leesburg	Ar 5.58 p
No 126—From Oviedo	Ar 10.30 a
No 127—From Leesburg	Lv 3.00 p

**Fancy Work Circle**  
Mrs. W. T. Johns delightfully entertained the Fancy Work Circle Friday afternoon, which was spent in pleasantly afternoon, which was spent in pleasant conversation and in the enjoyment of their dainty fancy work by the members of the circle and visitors. The hostess served delicious ambrosia and cake.

Mrs. Johns guests were Mrs. J. D. Roberts, Mrs. W. L. Milteer, Mrs. C. C. Woodruff, Mrs. R. W. Hines, Mrs. T. S. Davis, Mrs. Royal, Mrs. T. H. King, Mrs. H. E. Heater, Mrs. Maples, Mrs. J. J. Gray.

## Ponce De Leon Seeking the Fountain of Youth Made a Greater Discovery—The Florida Orange

He sought a myth and he found a reality—the most delicious, healthful and satisfying fruit that ever the earth has brought forth. He found a fruit which today is a necessity in the welfare of the American people, a potent factor in the national health. Perhaps you have not realized before how important is the place held by the orange in promoting the health of the people at large. Think a moment of the number of mothers of your acquaintance who, under the doctor's direction, give orange juice a leading place in the dietary of their babies. Multiply this number by hundreds of thousands, and you will gain some idea of the dependency of the nation upon this golden fruit.

All over the land, drastic measures have been enacted to establish and maintain a standard of purity in the milk supply. The purveyor of unwholesome milk is universally condemned. No less universal should be the condemnation of the purveyor of green oranges who, by shipping artificially colored, unripe fruit, makes it possible for you unknowingly to give your baby what is little better than poison. The juice of any orange, wherever grown, not fully ripened on the tree, is unfit to take into the human system, and is a positive menace to the health of a child. On the other hand, the juice of a mature Florida orange, sun-ripened on the tree which has brought it to fruition, is a combined natural food-tonic and regulator without equal.

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Those who are a little behind in the race can easily acquire first place during this time if a little effort (and a little EXTRA effort would not do any harm) was put forth.

Read the conditions of this offer and try to get every available subscription. You will be surprised to see how rapidly your votes will roll up into the thousands.

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While no candidate can hope to win who does not make active effort, yet at the last it is in the hands of the subscriber whether they shall be successful or not. So Mr. Non-Subscriber, do not disappoint those who approach you asking your aid to help them accomplish their ambition. They will appreciate your kindness. Hardly a day passes but some grateful contestant brings us word of appreciation from one who had given her generous assistance. If you could see them when they tell us of it you would be glad to think that you could earn the same recognition from them.

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Positively this is the best offer that will be made during the contest. The fifty thousand bonus votes are issued at the close of this offer, and they are in addition and over and above the regular schedule.

Many of your friends say they will help you the last week of the contest. YOU need their help now when it COUNTS MOST. There will be absolutely no better offer during this contest than this one. Any kind of a combination of new yearly subscriptions will make a club. Best to figure it out that every dollar that you bring, or send in before the expiration of this offer for new subscriptions counts on these clubs and there is no limit to the number of clubs you may secure.

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Every candidate is welcome to all the contest editor can do for her. Just let him know what you want, and if it is not prejudicial to the interest of others he will take much pleasure in obliging you.

General Rules and Conditions  
Any lady, married or single, residing in Sanford or its territory, may become a candidate. It is not necessary to become a subscriber to The Herald in order to enter. Just fill out and send in the nomination blank printed elsewhere in this issue. A nomination counts for 5,000 votes.

Payments on all subscriptions will earn votes according to the following schedule. Renewals and back subscriptions count the same as new subscriptions.

1 year	\$ 2.00	2,000 votes
2 years	4.00	7,000 votes
3 years	6.00	12,000 votes
4 years	8.00	18,000 votes
5 years	10.00	25,000 votes
10 years	20.00	75,000 votes

The list of candidates and their vote exhibit as counted up to noon Monday Sanford, Fla.  
Miss Helen Rowland 9,250

Miss Rena Murrell	7,050
Miss Ruth McDaniel	17,400
Miss Elizabeth McLaughlin	7,000
Miss Esther Miller	8,600
Mrs. J. L. Hurt	6,350
Mrs. R. L. Griffin	14,950
Mrs. R. A. Newman	19,850
Sanford, Fla., R. F. D. No. 1	
Mrs. I. V. Stenstrom	12,300
Sanford, Fla., R. F. D. No. 2	
Miss Gladys Green	9,800
Sanford, Fla., R. F. D. No. 3	
Miss Ethel Hickson	16,550
Miss Isabelle Raynor	7,200
Miss Maud Cameron	16,700
Miss Nora Hickson	5,000
Miss Perry Lee Bell	5,150
Paula, Fla.	
Miss Sallie Lipford	9,000
Mrs. C. D. Pearson	12,600
Geneva, Fla.	
Miss Mary Prevett	8,650
Mrs. David Speer	14,150
Mrs. W. L. Adams	7,450
Chuluota, Fla.	
Miss Annie Brown	10,600
Oviedo, Fla.	
Miss F. Kinney	12,100
Lake Mary, Fla.	
Mrs. L. S. McBride	7,250
Winter Park, Fla.	
Cassia, Fla.	
Miss Ruth Royal	11,500
Enterprise, Fla.	
Mrs. H. F. Quackenbush	7,850
Zellwood, Fla.	
Miss Sossie Houston	9,100

#### Rev. H. T. Gaines

Rev. H. T. Gaines, the outgoing pastor of the Methodist church of this city, is a graduate of Emory and Hening College, Virginia, spent one year at Vanderbilt University and then studied medicine in Louisville, Ky., graduating with honors as valedictorian of his class. Dr. Gaines qualified himself for medical missionary, but did not get to go to the foreign field. During his one year stay at Kimsimnee Dr. Gaines endeared himself to his congregation, and in fact with all with whom he came in contact, and now they feel loath to give him up, but Kimsimnee's loss is Sanford's gain.  
Mrs. H. T. Gaines is a graduate of Zenada (Miss.) Female College, took a post graduate course in Nashville, and graduated in the Chicago Training School. Mrs. Gaines is an indefatigable church worker, and is also an acknowledged Bible scholar.  
Miss Mary Gaines, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Gaines, who is now teaching music in the Oakland (Miss.) Literary College, took two courses in the Nashville, Tenn., Musical College. While in Kimsimnee Miss Mary made a host of friends who regretted to see her leave, for she so often delighted her hearers with sweet strains of music. She will later on join her parents in Sanford.—Kimsimnee Journal.

#### Manatee Celery Moving

The first car of celery rolled from Manatee Wednesday.

The celery was grown by Markwell & Marcy and was handled by Chase & Co.

The celery was good stock and will net the growers a neat sum.

The Record understands that on the same date Chase & Co. moved a car for D. M. Dowdell at Wimauna, and expects to put out at least two other cars this week.

It is also understood that the Gibson Sales Agency will move a car this week, and possibly there will be other cars to forward, so it can be seen by those who are shipping celery that the real shipping season will have begun.

The prices are good and the outlook is that the celery crop this season will put more money in circulation in Manatee county this season than ever before. Great is Manatee county.—Manatee Record.

John Spawm, a prominent attorney of Oklahoma, is in the city prospecting and will probably try the farming game.

#### 45 Miles From Nowhere at Imperial

One of the cleanest and best of the lower price attractions that has come to Sanford this season will present the greatest play ever written of cow boy life. Harold Reid and company in "45 Miles from Nowhere" give a very creditable performance and their portrayal of far western life as it used to be is perfect in detail and as true to life as real actors can make it.

There are three big acts full of fun, thrills, quick action, excitement, pathos and all else that goes to make up a true tale of the west. Mr. Reid, a charming young actor, who is rapidly forging to the front in his line, is considered to be perfect in his portrayal of the character of Frank Marvel, and Miss Marion Wallace as Florence Curtis, the owner of a ranch, is indeed delightful. Her acting has captivated audiences of all classes wherever she has appeared.

Between the acts specialties will be presented by Mr. Jack Teller and Miss Viola Nevada. The cast of "45 Miles from Nowhere" is complete and the show is well worth seeing at the Imperial Theatre Friday 24th.

J. D. Davison has returned to the city after several weeks vacation spent in Jacksonville and other points and every one is glad to hear his cheery voice again.

#### For County Division

Tomorrow night at the Imperial Theatre a special program of vaudeville and two real features of Monte Cristo, the proceeds of the entertainment to be given to county division committee. Admission 20 cents, children 10 cents.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Fry, a fine baby boy. His fond father says he will be an electrician or a printer.

Notice of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida  
Notice is hereby given that C. W. Goodrich, of the County of Orange, Florida, has filed 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 Orange County, Florida, to-wit: Beginning 15 feet S. of N. P. corner S. W. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4 Sec. 32, T. 19 S., R. 11 E., 11th Run 237 1/2 feet, S. 645 1/2 feet, E. 837 1/2 feet, N. to beginning of section line.  
The metes and bounds above at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of S. H. Jackson.  
Unless said certificate shall be returned according to law by the 15th day of February, A. D. 1913, I will issue my official signature and seal this 17th day of January, A. D. 1913.  
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## FIVE COWS, A GIRL AND A BIG AUTO

### Romance of a Young Lawyer's Scorchless Scorch on a Highway.

BY ADA NIXON.

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Young Harold Imlay of Chester had graduated in law and been taken into partnership with his father. He was having what he called a little fling before settling down to the stern business of law, and he had an auto to help him out. The auto revolved around the country at various speeds, none of which was less than forty miles an hour.

On a certain morning when it was taken out to scorch up the highway it refused to scorch. In fact, it "went dead." That's not so very rare a case. There is a little something out of kilter and the man that knows how can remedy it in a few minutes. The trouble in this case was that nobody in the village knew how. The clock tinker, the blacksmith, the cobbler and the doctor all diagnosed and prescribed, but without avail. Then a tin peddler came along and hopped off his wagon and fussed for a minute and hopped on again and drove off.

The auto was now all right. The young lawyer offered free seats, but they were declined with thanks. It wasn't their day for dying. The decliners saw man and machine disappear down the highway like a cannon ball and felt that it was good to be alive and have dinner coming to them.

Very few lawyers take any man's word for anything, and not one in ten would believe a peddler under oath. Young Imlay hadn't cut his legal eye-teeth yet, and he fondly believed. He would have said to a jury that the peddler could have no possible motive in lying to him, and the absence of a motive always raises a big doubt of the guilt of the accused. Perhaps the man did not knowingly lie. Perhaps he thought a balky auto could be fixed as easily as a balky wheelbarrow. At any rate, after a run of three miles, young Imlay discovered



Realized That There Was a Mile-a-Minute Pace Before Him.

that he was flying, and that the machine was beyond his control to stop. Five miles from where the auto started out and half an hour before it did start, a saddled pony was led around to the door of a manor house, and Miss Irene Galbraith mounted and galloped away. Something of an artist she was, and she had her sketch book with her. Two miles down the road she found her subject. Five cows which were running at large contrary to the highway laws were standing in the middle of the dusty road with half-closed eyes and their tails lazily switching at the flies. They had arranged themselves as if for a photograph and the girl dismounted and got out her materials. "Honk! Honk! Honk!" Miss Galbraith had heard the sound a thousand times before, but there was a note in this to make her rise to her feet. That honk was a danger signal.

Five rods down the highway. On the other side the highway ascended a hill. In ten seconds she made up her mind that it was a runaway machine. It honked at every fifty feet. Those blasts could only mean: "Look out—clear the road!"

Young Imlay had put in the fastest

half mile he ever expected to before reaching the crest of the hill, but he instantly realized that there was a mile a minute pace before him. Straight down the hill he went, and "Cows in the road!" he said to himself.

That settled it. There must be a smashup.

"And a girl there! She must know I'm in trouble. If she's got good sense she'll scatter those cows and give me a clear road. If she does I'll marry her; if she does not—"

"Here you cows, get out of this!" cried the girl as she picked up a stick and ran forward and belabored them.

The surprised cows moved. They didn't hustle, but they didn't have to go far to clear the road. A long blast and a rumble, and the girl caught sight of a white, but determined face through the haze of dust. That was simply one peril avoided. Further up the road others must be encountered. She threw aside her sketching and mounted her pony and set off in chase. Half a mile away the auto had plowed its way into a bank and was at rest.

Young Imlay had been thrown out by the collision and suffered a broken leg. He was unconscious until some time after a doctor had looked him over at the manor house. No one knew who he was until his pockets had been searched, and then the father was telephoned to. By the time he arrived the son had gathered up the threads of the case and was ready to say to the jury:

"No use talking, governor, I've got it bad!"

"Anything beside the leg?"

"My heart."

"Why—why, I don't understand that the fall had affected your heart."

"But it has. It's a case of love at first sight, and the first sight didn't last more'n half a second."

"And where is the girl?"

"Right here in the house. It was she who found me in the road and hosed the job of getting me home. Say, governor, she's a girl of sense! I haven't had a fair look at her face yet, but I know from her voice that she's good-looking. I'd have smashed up five cows as well as myself, and the machine if it hadn't been for the girl."

"We must see you get on your feet," said the father in very sober tones.

"Can't be done, governor. Here I stay 'till the leg mends and I've got the promise of that girl to be my wife."

"Young man, this seems to have affected your brain."

"It has affected me all over. Say, governor, I'm a lawyer, am I not?"

"A very young one, I judge."

"But I know what a breach of promise suit is, and I don't propose to stand in the dock."

"Harold Imlay, what can you mean?"

"Governor, when I saw those cows blocking the narrow highway and realized what a butcher shop it would be if the girl didn't move them on, I vowed to marry her if she did the right thing. She did it, and I'll keep my word."

"Um! Um! I think I can arrange for you to be cared for here for a few days, but my boy, don't get any fool notions in your head. Remember that you are just entering upon your career as a lawyer."

It was three days later before the patient caught sight of Miss Irene. The doctor had said that it would be better if the young man could remain there for a few days, and Mr. and Mrs. Galbraith had readily consented. A professional nurse had taken charge and the family was not to be put out to any extent. When the young man expressed his thanks in appropriate words he asked of the girl:

"How many cows were there?"

"Five."

"And how fast was I going?"

"It looked like two or three hundred miles a minute to me."

"And if I'd struck that bunch of beef at that gait?"

"Why—why—"

"My father would have had a dead son to bury, wouldn't he? I just want him to look at the case on its merits, you know. As a lawyer, he is naturally biased. If there had been only one cow, now, and she in poor condition, but there were five, and all fit for beef. Father must see that—"

Miss Irene thought the young man's mind was wandering and called the nurse. His mind was all there, however, though it was six long weeks and he was crutching around before he finished the sentence by saying:

"Yes, you must see that having saved my life—and having been bothered with me here so long—and an

come—and as I have fallen in love with you—and as your father is in the library—and as I'm going to crutch in there and ask him—"

That marriage won't take place until next Christmas day.

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Miami for Mine—Miami Metropolis. Orlando for Ours—Orlando Reporter-Star.

A new tourist hotel on Sanford Heights is the very latest and The Herald will give the matter publicity in a few days.

American agriculture doubled in value during Mr. Secretary Wilson's tenure of office. A commission is in order to determine just how much of the credit is due Mr. Secretary Wilson and how much to phosphate.

Greetings and congratulations to Harry Brown of the St. Augustine Record. The Ancient City will again echo to the pomp and pageantry when Ponce de Leon enters the historic gates during the big celebration.

Said that there would not be enough inhabitants in Garden county. We know of a county in Michigan that was organized with just about enough inhabitants to fill the offices.

Frank Markebedeski hugged Cathrine Zepenshikisyl at a Philadelphia wedding party. John Czenewewski and Stanislaus Conskieszenki became involved in a fight over the procedure and Peter Krocharocki acted as policeman.

NO NEED FOR PLEDGES

Representative Robinson made no pledges to Sanford voters. Sanford people demanded none. Besides, you inform us that Orlando has the votes and always hogs it.

TIME FOR A CHANGE

It is high time that the vegetable growers of Orange county formed themselves into an association for self protection. The finest quality of vegetables in great quantities have been produced in this county during the current season.

to belittle him if possible in the eyes of the Legislature and endeavor to prevent the passage of the bill creating Harney county.

We hope the Orlando papers will continue the jokes about Lake and Holly and The Herald. They have lost sight of the real issues of the county division campaign and it is now too late to attempt to convince any one in the new territory that Orlando is anything but a lunch counter where the politicians fatten.

We are very busy building our brick roads and have no time to crack jokes.

WOULDN'T APPEAL TO THEM

The editor of the Sanford Herald is fathering a movement to establish a place of rest and recreation for Florida editors—a game and fish preserve, improved with a comfortable club house, where the pencil-pusher can go when his "brain runs dry and his wheels of thought refuse to revolve."

It is doubtful if the plan will prove a success. In the first place, few Florida newspaper men have the opportunity for "rest."

Frank Collector W. E. Martin is now playing tag with all automobile owners, exchanging license tags for the cash, as every car must be tagged.

CELERY DOUBLES IN PRICE

Temporary Scarcity Shoots Up Prices to High Level. New York, Jan. 20.—Between now and the time there will be more liberal supplies of California and Florida celery, the market will be in a rather excited state.

BRING THEM TO SANFORD

We heard of an old couple who recently left Orlando to go to St. Petersburg to spend the balance of the winter. When asked by some of their friends why they were making the change their reply was, there was "more amusement in St. Petersburg."

MUST TAG AUTOMOBILES

By a recent law every car operated must be provided with a license tag, the money derived from the license fees being used in keeping up the county roads.

Chicago for three dollars a crate. It is time the growers realized that keeping in touch with the market in a comprehensive way, which means really the mastery of a market, is quite as important as producing a good article for the market.—Reporter-Star.

BRING THEM TO SANFORD

We heard of an old couple who recently left Orlando to go to St. Petersburg to spend the balance of the winter. When asked by some of their friends why they were making the change their reply was, there was "more amusement in St. Petersburg."

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Sanford Music Club. The Sanford Music Club held their regular meeting at the studio of Mrs. Fannie S. Munson Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The famous Bohemian pianists and composers, Smetana and Dvorak were the subjects of study.

A brief but very entertaining sketch of Smetana was given by Mrs. Munson, who also mentioned the names and special features of some of his most noted compositions and operas.

An interesting paper on the Life and works of Dvorak was prepared by Mrs. Geror and read by Mrs. Bowler, as Mrs. Geror was unable to be present.

A delightful trio from Gounod's opera, Faust was charmingly rendered by Miss Margaret Davis, Miss Furdon and Lucca Chappell.

lightly rendered by Miss Jessie Sturmon on the cornet, accompanied by Miss Irene Brady on the piano.

The club was very much entertained by Mrs. M. D. MacLane of Charleston.

Comfort Cottage, with some interesting reminiscences of Dvorak, whom Mrs. MacLane had the pleasure of hearing in New York City, and also several of his finest operas.

Rev. Frank D. Hunt, formerly pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city, but now of Decatur, Ga., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Whitner.

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF Peoples Bank of Sanford AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS DECEMBER 31st, 1912 RESOURCES LIABILITIES

NOMINATION BLANK To enter The Piano Contest, fill out this blank and send it to the office of the Contest Editor.

SULLIVAN OF NASHVILLE To Speak Here NEXT FRIDAY AFTERNOON Arrangements have been made with Mr. Owen L. Sullivan, of Nashville, Tennessee, to come to our city on next Friday to deliver a public lecture at 3 O'clock in Imperial Theatre



# PURELY PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Frye are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine son.

Mrs. Mabel Bowler will sing at the Cecilian Club Saturday afternoon.

W. C. Palmer is packing his goods today, preparatory to moving to Miami, where he will open a first class haberdashery.

Dr. Wachtendeheld and Mr. and Mrs. Evans, all Orlando visitors were in the city yesterday, taking in the sights of the celery delta.

The Ladies of the Congregational church will serve New England supper, Jan. 21st, in Harrold's store on Park avenue. Supper 35 cts.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Powell of Norfolk, Virginia, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Rowe on Park avenue. Mrs. Powell is a sister of Mr. Rowe.

T. H. Kirk and wife of Steubenville, Ohio, were in the city yesterday en route to Paola, where they will spend a month at their grove before returning north.

Alfred Foster, A. T. Rossetter and T. K. Bates left yesterday for Daytona to attend the mass meeting for deeper water at Mosquito Inlet on the East Coast.

D. G. Wagner of Kissimmee was in the city yesterday, shaking hands with his many Sanford friends. Mr. Wagner is making good in real estate and insurance and several other lines.

George Miller, who has been one of the efficient and popular mechanics at the B. & O. Garage for the past year left yesterday for his home in St. Petersburg, where he will go into business with his father.

W. H. Underwood has returned from Tallahassee where he escorted Miss Kate to the Woman's College. Her many friends will regret her departure, but hope to see her at the end of the school year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Olcott and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Watkins and son, Mrs. Birdie Lemon and Miss Saldie Barret of Perry, Mich., are in the city and expect to remain for several months.

### Weather Report

For Florida: Local rain tonight or Wednesday; colder Tuesday-northwest portion.

### Birthday Party

A very pleasant afternoon party was enjoyed by a number of the little Kindergarten friends and neighbors of little Frank Chase, when they were entertained by Mrs. S. O. Chase Monday in honor of the fifth birthday of her little son.

The happy young folks had a merry time playing games and riding on the seesaw, which was one of the birthday gifts of the young host.

When the pleasant games were concluded, the children enjoyed the delicious ice cream and cake which was served by Mrs. Chase, after which they all had the pleasure of an automobile ride to their homes in care of Frank's big brother, Randall.

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### Telephone Notice

The Sanford Telephone Co. has placed a public pay station in the lunch room at the new depot. The rate in Sanford will be five cents for each call. This phone is strictly a pay telephone, as the company does not receive any tolls. SANFORD TELEPHONE CO. 44-2tc

Other business will call me away for twelve months. I will retain my interest in the firm of Williams & Miltner, and I want to thank old friends for their patronage in the past and ask them to

**Mrs. Newman Hostess**  
Mrs. Robert Newman was the charming hostess at a very delightful card party Friday afternoon. Exquisite pink flowers were used for decorations in the pretty rooms. Seven tables of auction bridge were played. A pretty and interesting feature of the interesting games was choosing partners.

Various colored ribbons were suspended from the chandeliers, these ribbons were numbered and each player chose the color and number they desired, which designated their partner. The highest score was made by Mrs. C. O. McLaughlin, the fortunate winner of the handsome prize, a half dozen cut glass sherbet cups. The consolation prize, a pretty brass crumb brush and tray was cut for and won by Mrs. E. L. Miller.

When the pleasant games of cards were concluded, salmon croquets, green peas in timbales, tomato jelly on lettuce with mayonnaise, wafers and cakes were served.

Mrs. Newman's invited guests were Mrs. C. O. McLaughlin, Mrs. O. W. Brady, Mrs. S. O. Chase, Mrs. B. F. Whitner, Jr., Mrs. R. L. Hughes, Mrs. C. M. Vorce, Mrs. W. D. Holden, Mrs. J. H. Roumillat, Mrs. Cruse Barnes, Mrs. Forrest Lake, Mrs. Fatjo, Mrs. Samuel Puleston, Mrs. B. W. Herndon, Mrs. F. L. Miller, Mrs. G. F. Smith, Mrs. A. P. Connelly, Mrs. Barrett, Mrs. B. A. Howard, Mrs. J. W. Dickins, Mrs. Kant Rossetter, Mrs. C. C. Howard, Mrs. May Dickins, Mrs. Deann Turner, Mrs. George A. Speer, Mrs. J. L. Hurt, Mrs. A. W. Elitz, Mrs. R. J. Holly, Mrs. F. J. Gonzalez, Mrs. T. A. Neal, Mrs. D. L. Thrasher, Miss Laura Fish.

**Charity Association Meets**  
A meeting of the Associated Charities will be held in the Star Theatre Sunday afternoon, Jan. 26th, at 3 o'clock. Members of the committees are requested to be present and reports made by the chairman. Annual election of officers.

Mr. R. T. Solensten, General Secretary of the Associated Charities of Jacksonville is expected to be present at this time and will address the meeting on some of the social problems of Florida. Mr. Solensten is a real social worker of wide experience and his address will be well worth hearing. Everybody in Sanford who is interested in this work is invited to be present.

**Play Coming**  
The "Gibson Family Reunion," under the auspices of the Welaka Club will be given in Sanford, February 26 and 27. Watch the next issues of The Herald and you will find a more interesting notice.

**Mottoed Swords for Princess.**  
Roland had his Durandal, Charlemagne his Joyeuse, twin sisters of steel. Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany is not known to have any sword, but the tradition he has given to his sons arms upon which are engraved glittering mottoes of which he is the author. On the sword which he has given to the crown prince are the words, "Always ready to serve his country;" on that of his favorite, Prince Eitel, "Faithful and without fear;" on that of Prince Adalbert, on one side, "For all proofs," and on the other, "My soul to God and Germany;" on that of Prince Oscar, "Rectitude and Intrepidity." The princess August Wilhelm and Josephine will have their swords and mottoes when they are promoted to the guards.

**Electric Sleep.**  
Electric sleep, to be "turned on" or "turned off" at will in the alluring promise held out to sufferers from sleeplessness by Dr. Nagelschmidt, a German physician. So far electric sleep has been produced only in rabbits and dogs, but the experiments on animals have been so free from ill-effects that Dr. Nagelschmidt thinks human beings can be subjected to the same treatment without danger. Dr. Nagelschmidt asserts that his new method also has the power to eliminate pain in any portion of the human body. A condition is produced in which pin-pricks, or even the incisions of the surgeon's knife, are not felt so long as the patient remains in an "electrified" state.

**Age of Superlatives.**  
It is the age of superlatives. Everything is either the biggest or the smallest. There is nothing just half way. It is either the biggest battle-ship in the world or the smallest Shetland pony. People are not content to entertain their friends with simple pleasures and pastimes as of old, but must have for them the most extravagant week-end party ever held. To say that a person is an average man is a direct and biting slur. He must be either the best or the worst. Nothing is good any more; it must be the best, the positive and the comparative have been done away with. Home is not good enough; one must be traveling somewhere all the time—always on the wing—Lento's.

**Heartlessly Deceived.**  
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### LETTER FROM COL. THRASHER.

Writes Interesting Epistle From Far Off Africa to Mr. Woodruff  
Biskra, Algeria, Africa, Jan. 2, 1914.

Hon. Frank L. Woodruff, Sanford, Fla.  
Dear Frank—I am mad, furious, mad as a march hare, and I am compelled to speak a piece of my mind before I begin this letter, in order to avoid an explosion. Listen! I did not believe all that Roosevelt said about Taft. Now I do. Why? Well, he made it known that he would permit Dr. Wilson to name the Ambassador to the Court of St. James, when he knew that would interest one Democratic millionaire. "That was a grand stand play." And then with one dash of his pen, placed thousands and thousands of postmasters on the Civil Service list. In the one case, with his left hand, he threw a small sop to Cerebus, and with his right hand, a smile, a twinkle of the eyes, and without remorse of conscience, compensated the postmasters, without whom he would not have been nominated for their fidelity and support, and thus he stabbed the great Democratic heart, with a dagger, envenomed, with spite and revenge, over his defeat, and robbed the Democrats of the legitimate spoils of the victors. Shameful! I had friends who wanted to be postmasters, and I am reminded of an apt quotation, suited to the occasion:

"A mild-mannered man never cut a throat or scuttled a ship."

With a slight change in one verse of a most famous and unequalled poem, I prepare this epitaph for Mr. Taft:

"Eighty they will speak of the Taft that is gone.

And over his cold ashes upbraid him,  
But little he'll reck if they let him sleep on.

In the grave where Theodore laid him,  
Now, I am relieved and proceed.

This is a town of 8,000, of that number 5,500 are Arabs, and the balance Jews, Spanish, French, English. The Arabs call the Desert of Sahara, the Garden of Allah. Robert Hitchens wrote a very interesting novel and named it "The Garden of Allah."

French is the language. French money is the currency. France has occupied Algeria since 1844. There are many hotels, and it is considered a delightful resort for the tourist in January, February and March, here in Biskra, because of the dry, mild climate, brilliant sunshine, and cloudless skies. It is located on the south side of a mountain range, and is protected from the

north winds from across the Mediterranean. The water is good, being brought from the mountains by aqueducts. There are no Egyptians here, no Copts, and only a few black negroes. There are schools where French and English is taught. There are Mosques for the Mohammedans and churches for the Christians.

Biskra is in the Desert of Sahara, but is an oasis, and there are fine market gardens, where they grow an abundance of all the vegetables seen at Sanford.

Algeria is famous for its wheat and other grains, and grapes and wine, and dates, the finest grown anywhere and in many places the chief diet of the nations. The raising of sheep, goats and camels is an enormous and extensive industry.

Labor is cheap. Twenty cents per day during many months of the year is usually paid and of course the people, as a rule, are very poor. It is interesting to see so many shepherds tending their flocks. Timber is costly. There is little left, and we cannot understand how the poor survive the winters. Remember that for centuries before Christ these lands were occupied by first one and then another people, or by one army and then another devastating the country, and destroying the then fine forests. Algeria is quite a large city and an important port on the south shore of the Mediterranean, and a number of fine steamers from New York to Naples and other points stop at Algiers, coming and returning. Biskra is eighteen hours from Algiers. From the hotel roof we look far out into the desert and it is deeply interesting. It is immense, and extends in some places from the shores of the Atlantic, on eastward, on to Egypt and to the Nile at Assouan, where the great dam, a world's wonder, creates a vast artificial inland sea, and still eastward to the Red Sea. The Sahara is not a smooth level sand plain—usually it is very uneven and very rough, uninviting, and yet an inexplicable charm, bewildering, fascinating. The only safe method travel through or into it is by a "ship of the desert," the friend and stand by of the son of the desert, the camel.

One learns to love them and to ride them. Today, far out in the desert, far from any hut, or Arab home, I accidentally discovered a modest little sunflower. Yes, by accident, found out in the Garden of Allah, blooming all alone. Somewhat like the last Rose of Summer. Instantly I thought of that beautiful, and oft quoted verse from Gray's "Elegy"

"Full many a gem of purest ray serene,  
The dark unfathomed caves of ocean bear;  
Full many a flower was born to blush unseen,  
And waste its sweetness on the desert air."

And then my thoughts were of Sanford, and of friends there, where so many sunflowers grow, in bountiful profusion, and do not waste their fragrance or beauty on the desert air.

All in a twinkling I became obsessed with the idea that I must write you something about flowers (think of it!) and incidentally about Sanford (that is startling), indulging the hope, that by hook or by crook or accident, some lost, innocent, freezing soul, tracking the "wilder of the woolly west," or shivering on the ice-bound shores of the Great Lakes of the far north might see these lines, and be induced to read them, simply because they appear to have been written in the Desert of Sahara—and be induced to go down to the very Eden of Florida and of the United States and learn the fact, and see that it is far ahead of Adam's Eden, and a good place to live. And as a matter of fact, far and away ahead. Because as you and I know she has more sunshine, more flowers, 3000 more artesian wells, more pretty girls, more fair women and more to eat, more to drink and more to wear.

Should I add to this letter one-half of what I have written on a separate sheet about flowers, and which in a moment of weakness christened "A Poem in Prose" would make it too long, and I cut it out. I will tax your nerves and your time, however, by saying that I submitted my Poem in Prose to the criticism of a woman—"the thing that brought sin and death into the world and all our woe," and listen at her drastic criticism, viz: "A poetry it is without meter, rhyme or rhythm—prose, it is execrable." Probably it is wise to withhold it.

Hope the New Year finds you and all our friends in Sanford, Harney county, Florida, well, and as prosperous and happy as you deserve to be.

Yours truly,  
A. M. THRASHER.

Errors in spelling and in quotations are accounted for because I haven't seen a dictionary since you saw me, and there are no books of reference to be seen here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander, lately wedded in Georgia, have taken quarters at the Iryin home on Magnolia avenue and are receiving congratulations of their friends.

### Beauty of Highgate.

Charles Whympier, the painter, visited a man at Highgate and took his eldest daughter to Highgate. He was talking about the scenery, when suddenly she said: "I think I get prettier every day, don't you?" "I beg your pardon. What did you say?" "I said, I think I get prettier every day." There was no mistaking, so Mr. Whympier answered: "Yes, indeed you get prettier; and no wonder in such fresh air and—just then he caught her mother's eye and with the other women she left the room, with withering scorn. Then it flashed upon him that he had misunderstood her. She had dropped an "h." What she had said was, "I think Highgate prettier every day."—Christian Register.

### Learning Two Things.

A native of Germany, resident in this city, has learned enough of the American language to make his meaning plain, though grammatically some of his sentences are odd. But he is willing to learn and enjoys his twisting of the words as much as his hearers when his slips are explained to him. He has a friend with whom he often dines. The other evening the man from the fatherland surprised his host by asking for a helping of a dish which his host knew he did not use to care for. "Why, Herr Blank," exclaimed the host, "I did not know you could eat that." "I used to couldn't, but I am learning to eat," said the guest.—Indianapolis News.

### Advice for the Aging.

"Go slowly and eat less" is the advice of Dr. William Osler to people who have reached the zenith of their lives and are going downhill. When this period comes the blood pressure rises. The tubing shows signs of wear and tear and if too fast a pace is kept up something may burst. Some people are brought to their senses only by an accident of this sort, like the congressman who had to almost die of angina before he would give up habits that were killing him. He reformed and became a healthy man. But unfortunately when a tire bursts or a boiler head blows out in the human body it is so likely to prove fatal.

### Platinum Production.

Though the production of platinum increased considerably last year over 1910, the price was also higher. The total production is placed at slightly over 23,000 ounces, having a value of \$22.27 an ounce, an increase of more than 100 per cent.

### John Hancock to His Sister.

The following letter to his sister, Emily, two years his senior, was written in John Hancock's last term in college: "Harvard College, May 1, 1754.—Dear Sister: I believe Time slips very easily with you, I wish you would spend one hour in writing to me. I do assure you I should take it as a great favor. There was, nay now is, a report that you are going to be married very soon. I should be glad to know to whom. I hope you will give me an invitation, (whether the report be true or false I cannot tell). I hope at the Return of Mr. Cotton, you will be so good as to write to me. I enjoy at present perfect health, & should be very glad to see you. Accept my kind Love to you. I hope you are well, and I am, dear sister, your ever-Loving Brother, till Death shall separate us. JOHN HANCOCK. P. S. I give you much Joy, but shall have more reason so to do after receiving a letter from you."—From "John Hancock," by Lorenzo Sears.

### Cruel, But—

"Yama Yama" Davis, as Richard Harding Davis is now called, is the hero of a story that, for all its malice, is amusing. Down at Atlantic City, one evening not long ago, a party of Philadelphians sat in a private drawing room, laughing and joking and singing and having a good time generally, when there came a knock on the door and an attendant entered. "Ladies and gentlemen," the attendant said, "you are making too much noise. Mr. Richard Harding Davis, the author, is in the next room, and he says he can't write." One of the prettiest of the Philadelphians gave a silvery laugh. "He can't write, eh?" she said. "Oh, tell 'Dicky' everybody knows that."—New York Tribune.

### Town Moves Twice a Year.

There is a town, Gartok in Tibet, which moves twice every year. For three months of the year it is situated at the place where it is designated on the map. During the other nine months it is not there at all, but is forty miles farther south, at a much lower altitude. The conditions are the cause of this migratory habit. When the heat grows too intense for comfort, the whole town packs up and, driving the herds of yaks, sheep, and goats, moves up to the higher altitude, and the traders from India at once begin to drift in. Trade continues for three months; then, before the severe Tibetan winter sets in,



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William Martin to W. M. Smith. A. E. Jones and wife to B. E. Ewing. A. I. Reeves et ux to J. E. Vincent. B. E. Ewing to Annie Jones. L. G. Starbuck and wife to E. S. Griffith.

Resolutions

Whereas, God, in His wise providence has removed by death from our midst Sister Sarah Elizabeth Underwood, a beloved member and officer, therefore, be it Resolved, That in the death of Sister Underwood from our order the Pythian sisters of Sanford Lodge, No. 17, have sustained a serious loss and that we as members will be deprived of a wise counsellor and helpful friend.

Secures Splendid Concert Co. One of the most pleasing Concert companies on tour this season, The Myron W. Whitney Company, has been secured by the B. P. O. E. of Sanford for a benefit concert. The booking of this splendid company will be welcome news to all lovers of high class music, for all will remember this great artist from his last visit here, when he assisted Mme. Lillian Nordica.

well known in the smaller cities, owing to the fact that her work has been confined to New York and Boston for the past five years, is considered by critics to be one of the best accompanists, especially for vocal music. The concert will be given at the High School building, on Monday, January 21st, under the auspices of the B. P. O. E. The price of seats and opening sale of same will be announced in this paper later.

Hon. T. E. Wilson of Sanford, as attorney, brought to a successful termination the settlement of the ownership of the International Kaolin Company, situated near Richmond, Lake county, by a master sale a few days ago. Chas. B. Edgar of Leesburg is now the owner, and intends in the near future putting the plant in operation.—Tavares Herald.

By reason of the death of W. E. Shine there will be a vacancy in the office of county solicitor after May 1. Mr. Geo. A. DeCottes, the present incumbent, will be a candidate for appointment to succeed himself. The Sentinel believes that Mr. DeCottes is the logical candidate and is justly entitled to the appointment. He has made a splendid officer and is entitled to the secured term. His defeat at the primaries was not due to any weakness of his own, but to the extreme personal popularity of Mr. Shine.

Meeting is Postponed On account of the special meeting of the Commercial Club and the Elks' benefit concert conflicting tonight, the meeting of the Commercial Club has been postponed to next Thursday night, January 23rd. Everyone wanted to attend the Commercial Club and also the concert and could not do so, hence the change. Remember that the meeting next Thursday night is an important one and should be well attended.

Remember That every added subscriber helps to make this paper better for everybody

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#### Church Advertising

In the Tampa Tribune of last Saturday appeared a double-column display advertisement for the First Methodist church of Tampa, announcing its Sunday services and other matters of interest to churchgoers.

The First Methodist church proposes to use the advertising columns of the Tribune throughout the year. It is the first church organization in this city to adopt this plan to any extent. The directing agencies of some churches in the city evidently lack the energy to even furnish the paper with notices of their services, although they are printed free of charge by this paper. The First Methodist officers realize that advertising will help a church as it will help anything else that is good, and they show commendable enterprise in adopting this policy of newspaper publicity.

The Tribune thinks the officers of this church will find their congregation and membership growing rapidly as a result

#### SANFORD CELERY STARTS

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able improvement. The entire trouble with this section is the tendency to get prices beyond the reach of the consuming trade. The demand is choled off in the beginning, and with no demand prices naturally recede, and drop far below the average which would rule, providing the actual consumer of the celery was encouraged to use it regularly and in large quantities. Lettuce is daily moving in carlots, but the movement is only nominal, and at no time this season will there be an over supply from this point. Growers are planting their potato seed, a large quantity of best Spaulding Rose No. 4 having been secured. Seed stock is now going into the ground rapidly, and with the present favorable weather continuing, Sanford should duplicate last year's performance and produce a bountiful crop of early potatoes. H. M. D.

#### AN IMMENSE GATHERING

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were propounded so seriously and deeply.

The statement made some time ago by the Orlando papers that county division was only the talk of a few malcontents and office seekers at Sanford was refuted by the train load of enthusiasts who flocked to Oviedo last Friday. The business houses of Sanford closed their doors and left their business cares for an afternoon and evening to take part in the meeting and the Orlando people present at the meeting were greatly surprised at the outpouring of such an enthusiastic bunch of businessmen. It demonstrated that the question did not start and is not being agitated by a few people but is the solid foundation of the people of Sanford and a majority of the people in the new territory.

The meeting of last Friday was not only a county division meeting but a ratification meeting, a getting together of good people in the new territory and the best of feeling prevailed at the meetings. It is a consensus of opinion that the question of division is already settled. The majority of the people in the new territory have already signed the petitions and the work of the committees from now on will only be to attend meetings that have already been scheduled and to expound the truths to the doubtful ones who might yet be taken into the fold of the people who want to do and will do the most for them.

Most of us are sorry that the people of Oviedo are in favor of the movement. All of us would like to go there again and spend such a pleasant evening and talk to the best people in the world.

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For Rent—Furnished cottage, 210 Pine avenue. Will sell the furniture. Box 473. 42-9tp

For Sale—Heggar Weed Seed. We guarantee our Tom Watson and all varieties of watermelon seed to be true to name. Write for prices. For 35 years we have grown melons for seed purposes only. Gradaeu Seed Co., Monticello, Fla. 42-26tc

For Sale—Two desirable lots in Sanford Heights. Bargain if taken promptly. Address, D. G. Wagner, Kissimmee, Fla. 44-1f

Wanted—Boy of about 15 years to learn trade.—Enquire Herald Printing Co. 44-1f

For Sale—Pop corn wagon at corner First and Park Ave. Enquire at wagon or address Box 1094, City. 44-1f

For Sale—Thoroughbred Banded Plymouth Rocks, blue strain. T. H. Johnson, R. F. D. No. 3, near Moore's Station. 44-3tp

For Rent—One large room with two beds, suitable for two young men. Also one room nicely furnished. With or without board. Mrs. R. L. Jones, 206 Park Ave. 44-1tc

For sale—Five gallon instantaneous water heater. Suitable for bath room one Singer sewing machine, used one month, household furniture, at 210 Pine ave, or box 473. 41-9tp

For Rent Cheap—New one room furnished cottage, with bath on quarter acre, good garden land. Laurel avenue and Second street. Address P. O. Box 1823. 43-1tc

For Sale or Rent—First class farm fully equipped. Fine buildings. Everything modern. Bargain. Box 144, Orlando, Fla. 43-3tc

Wanted—Plain or fashionable dresses to make. Satisfaction guaranteed. 206 E. Third St. 43-8tp

For Sale—White Leghorn, Banded Plymouth Rock chickens, White Pekin and Indian Runner ducks, English Penciled and American Fawn and White. By the pen, day old ducks and settings of eggs. Southern Oaks Poultry Farm, Enterprise, Fla., Volusia Co. 43-1tc

Tomato Plants—I shall have several million Livingston's New Globe tomato plants for sale, ready about Feb. 1st. Price \$1.50 per thousand, \$1.40 for 1000 lots and up—I am also head-quarters for sweet potato slips. Write for catalogue. J. R. Davis, Bartow, Fla. 43-5tp

For Rent—After February 1st, nine rooms arranged for two suites. Bath room, gas and all conveniences. Located over Herald office. See E. J. Holly.

Wanted—Suite of rooms, light house-keeping privileges, close in and must be first-class. Phone 341, B. H. Pugh 43-1f

For Sale—Block of five well located city lots. Address Owner, Box 1287, 34-1f

Room and board in private family for a lady. Inquire at Herald office. 41-2p

For Sale—Ice box, coffee urn, cream freezer, wood heater, dishes, piano and others. Phone 189. All of these goods at less than half cost. 41-2p

The Gate City House has brought down the high cost of living. Only \$4.00 per week for the finest table board in the city. See Parker. 28-1f

For Rent—Bed room, dining room, kitchen, and use of sitting room, in one of the nicest residences in the city. Close in. Apply at Herald office. 42-1tc

St. Johns Hotel—Rooms and board. Homelike accommodations for regular boarders or transients. Good table. Rates reasonable. W. H. Wathen, Prop., 420 W. First St. 33-1f

For Rent—Six room cottage with all modern improvements. 409 Palmetto avenue. Apply to F. W. Mahoney at Fernald Hdqrs. Co. 33-1f

Wanted—Clean cotton rags, no scraps, at the Herald office. Will pay 2 cents per pound.

For Sale—Two family launches, also wholesale fish business with launches, boats and nets. Also lake trout lot with three houses. G. L. Vincent, at fish house. 37-1f

Lost—Pair of light trousers on Park avenue. Return to Cash Talcott, Pressing Club. 21f

Good Mule for Sale Cheap—For inspection apply to John C. Edwards, Celery avenue. 32-1tc

For Sale—Two good mules, wagon and harness. See them at Mecca Hammock on Greenman place. 36-1tc

For Rent—Five acres, well tilled, with house. Also 10 acres, 5 tilled. Also 3 acres tilled, with good house. Call on or phone W. A. Minnick, Cameron City. 94-1f

Wanted—Orders for fine frost proof cabbage plants, all varieties, \$1.25 per 1,000; cheaper in larger lots. Satisfaction guaranteed. F. S. Cannon, Meggett's, S. C. 91-94tc

For Sale—Remington type writer in good condition. 113 Railroad Ave.

For Sale—Eggs for hatching from English Penciled Indian Runner Ducks, layers of large white eggs. Stock direct from Mrs. Andrew Brooks, Vice-President Cumberland White Egg Indian Runner Club. Eggs \$3.00 per 13. Try eggs from our carefully bred Wyckoff-Blanchard strain of White Leghorns, early and constant layers, \$1.50 per 13. Address, Spring Hill Poultry Farm, Clarksburg, Fla. 40-6tp

ern Express Co. either Thursday night or Friday morning. The money was sent in three packages, and the amount of the shipment was \$1,000.

Cashier Wheeler, of the Barnett bank said today that the bank had received two packages containing \$500 each of the consignment, and that the rest was mysteriously missing.

Every member of the local detective department is at work on the case, and an arrest is expected within a few hours.

Calling attention to the use of illegal nets along the St. Lucie and Indian rivers, the Military Herald says that efforts are being made to stop the practice and that the coming legislature will be asked to amend the laws so as to make the possession of any other than a gill net or cast net illegal.

Politics in Kissimmee are getting war-u as several prominent men have announced their candidacy for mayor. The office of chief of police is also going to be much sought after. The election will be held in March.

It is reported that Robert Orr, general manager of the United Railways of Havana, now in St. Augustine, Fla., is conferring with Henry Flagler over a proposition to install a ferry between Key West and Havana. It is proposed to transport trains across the straits of Florida.

In St. Augustine plans have been completed for the chautauqua which is to be held there March 3 to 12. The finest programs ever enjoyed are promised and some of the speakers and both features secured are such as to attract general attention.



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## DEEPER WATER AT SMYRNA

### Big Meeting to Boost This Important Project

## SANFORD DELEGATES PRESENT

### Meeting Held at Daytona and Well Attended By Many Enthusiasts

At the request of the president of the board of trade a delegation from Sanford was appointed to attend the meeting of deep water project for Mosquito Inlet and New Smyrna, the said meeting having for its object the securing of the support of Congress by having an appropriation of half a million dollars made, for the purpose of establishing a depth of eighteen feet of water over the bar at the Inlet.

The meeting was held at the magnificent auditorium of the Daytona High School and was attended by a delegation of fifty or more citizens from New Smyrna, the enthusiasm being deep and well founded. A splendid band of music was in attendance and with the interesting talks made on deep water, Florida development, freight rates and the position of central Florida in relation to the upper and lower portion of the state, the meeting was a most entertaining one.

Dr. Van Valzah was the first speaker to take the floor and was armed with charts, maps and other data of an authentic nature and established a splendid case in favor of the deep water project. A survey of Mosquito Inlet was made in 1897 and the engineer in charge of the survey reported favorably as to the feasibility and practicality of the plan. Soundings were taken and specifications were worked out showing approximately the cost of the project.

In 1907 another survey was made of the project and the engineer in charge made a favorable report in the matter to the committee of rivers and harbors.

The deep water at the end of the docks at New Smyrna is about 15 feet, thus if these projects were carried out seagoing craft would be enabled to tie up at New Smyrna's wharfs and take on cargo for points in the most remote portions of the earth.

Judge Barrett, a winter resident of New Smyrna, made a most interesting address. He stated he had decided to cut Florida out of his winter calculations and his himself to California as a change. He went but when he reached there he saw such a complete scene of desolation from the recent freeze and the residents were leaving in such numbers that he thought it best to get out with them, hence his presence at New Smyrna and at this meeting. The Judge is a much traveled man and is eminently qualified to speak of ports, shipping and commerce and traffic. He related many instances of development to isolated sections, caused directly by the proper development of transportation facilities and equitable freight rate adjustments.

Judge Barrett was followed in an address by Thomas K. Bates, secretary of the Sanford Commercial Club, who went armed with facts and figures of the various advantages to accrue to a place which had water as well as rail transportation. After Mr. Bates had finished various members of the audience revealed their thoughts on the question, with the result that a concerted movement will be taken by all boards of trade and other civic bodies within a radius of 75 miles of New Smyrna for the organization of a deep water committee to work for the securing of this appropriation and making this grand improvement on the east central coast of Florida.

Mr. A. T. Rossetter and Mr. Alfred Frazier were the other Sanford delegates to the meeting. The trip was made over in Mr. Foster's car, going to New Smyrna and New Smyrna and returning by DeLand and Enterprise.

Our delegation was informed that Volusia county did not have a single dollar of outstanding indebtedness, which left the delegation under the impression that it would prove fruitful to Volusia county to set once upon some debts and take the wherewith for the annexation and convert the new trails they now call roads in real, genuine highways.

Sanford's building record for December was a record breaker, the city standing ahead of such places as Washington, Memphis, Cincinnati and other much larger cities.

## AFTER FORTY-SEVEN YEARS

### Old Comrades Group Hands And Re-count Events

In 1867 and during the trying days of reconstruction, Capt. R. H. Marks parted with his old comrades of his company who had fought for the lost cause all through the bloody battles of that great conflict. Among them was one of his mess comrades, one of the home boys from Merriwether Co., Ga., named O. W. McGehee. They had bunked together in the same tent when they had such a luxury as a tent and had dined from the same canteen and shared the provisions of often times foraged from the nearest barnyard. Capt. Marks, although an officer, was the same democratic, whole-souled gentleman that he is today, and his friends and neighbors were still his friends and neighbors even though he wore epaulettes and they were privates.

Capt. Marks and his company came out of the war sadly depleted in numerical strength but with stout hearts and courage undaunted. Returned to their ruined plantations and homes ravaged by the contending armies and started life where the thread had been broken by the call to arms. The boys were scattered, in a few years many of them sick at heart, leaving the old home for other states and other countries.

Merriwether county, Georgia, was good enough for Mr. McGehee and he gradually rebuilt his home, mended the fences, brought out his plantation and under the altered conditions of the New South retrieved his ruined fortunes.

Capt. Marks came south and settled in Florida and has been identified with the interests of his adopted state ever since.

Yesterday Mr. McGehee dropped in to see his old comrade after a lapse of 46 years and they are talking at the rate of forty miles a minute.

Mr. McGehee is now one of the most prominent residents of Greenville, Ga., and a member of the Legislature from his district.

Mingled with the joy of meeting with these old comrades is the regret that this will probably be their last handshake.

These old veterans, whose names are thinning, will not meet for many more such reunions and this thought makes their handclasp stronger and their heart beat faster. To us who had no part in the great struggle of the sixties this meeting means but little. To those grizzled old warriors who carried the stars and bars in so many battles and long marches with all the horrors, privations and sufferings, the meeting means more than mere friendship, more than comradeship, more than even kinship.

After a trip over the celery delta today Mr. McGehee will leave for the old home in Georgia, there to tell the remnant of the old company about gallant Dick Marks, their old Captain, in Florida.

## HOME TALENT MUSICAL CO.

### "Gibson Reunion" to be Given in Sanford at Early Date

The ladies of the Welaka Club decided by a unanimous vote at a recent meeting to stage a home talent musical comedy, "The Gibson Reunion." This will be one of the biggest amateur attractions ever attempted by any organization in Sanford, and it is anticipated they will make an immense success of it.

The Welaka Club has succeeded in securing the assistance of one of the instructors of the Hock Entertainment Company, from Gainesville, Fla. This company has been making a specialty of amateur musical comedies for 15 years, and have found the Gibson Reunion one of its biggest attractions. With so good an attraction combined with the untiring efforts of the ladies of the Club there can be no doubt of the affair being a splendid success in Sanford.

About 200 are being invited to participate. The committee have been appointed for the various departments of the work and will begin activities at an early date.

In preparing the performance the patron will not only see a splendid performance but will also be aiding a most worthy cause. Also, the children and young people who are being invited to participate will not only enjoy the rehearsal, but will also receive much splendid instruction.

At the Presbyterian Church Rev. Fred D. Hunt will preach at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning. Every one is cordially invited to attend.

## FOR BIBLE CONFERENCE

### Enterprise Will Be the Site of Gathering

## CHAUTAQUA WELL UNDER WAY

### The Little City Across Lake Monroe Will Soon Be a Scene of Activity

The Florida Christian Assembly Association takes pleasure in announcing its second annual Bible Conference, which will be held on the grounds of the Assembly at Enterprise, Fla., commencing Sunday, February 9, and lasting through the following Sunday.

A cordial invitation is extended to all lovers of God's blessed book to attend its sessions, and seek a fuller and deeper knowledge of the Word, whose "entrance giveth light."

The sessions of this Conference will be open to the public, free of charge.

Enterprise, Fla., is a small town on Lake Monroe, opposite Sanford. It is reached by rail (one train a day) from Titusville and Sanford (where connections are made to points in north and south Florida) via the Atlantic Coast Line Railway, or by steamer from Jacksonville and other points on the St. Johns river, or by launch from Sanford, a delightful four mile ride (made in half an hour) across beautiful Lake Monroe.

Enterprise is the site of the Epworth Inn, for fifty years known as the Brock House, which is now owned by the Florida Christian Assembly Association, and operated under its auspices. The famous Benson Sulphur Springs, of verified medicinal value, is also upon the Association's property, whose waters are noted as especially beneficial in cases of dyspepsia and rheumatism. Epworth Inn, together with other hotels and boarding houses will afford ample accommodations for visitors at moderate rates.

The Conference will hold three regular sessions each day, while group meetings for special purposes may be held between times, as occasion requires.

The Conference is non-denominational and Christians of every evangelical faith will find its atmosphere congenial. Its work will not be done in the interest of any church or creed, but in the interest of individual christian character. It is hoped in the matter of progress of these annual assemblies, to gather to this favored spot the foremost teachers and leaders of the christian faith from all evangelical denominations, and to make it a veritable feast of fat things.

The year's program has been built with care and affords a season of delight and profit to all students of the Bible who can attend. The principal speakers will be: Rev. Andrew Allen, D. D., pastor of the Presbyterian church at Farmville, Va., whose address at Montreat Summer Assembly last year made such a profound impression by their luminous and deeply spiritual expositions of the Scriptures, will conduct the regular morning hour's service, commencing at 10:30 each day.

Mrs. Mabel Hilbish Stevens, principal of Southland Seminary for girls, Gainesville, Florida, a trained, travelled and broadly experienced Christian woman, whose gifts and personality are of a very high order, will conduct the evening services, which will be evangelical in character.

Miss Emma L. Tucker, famed throughout the south as a Bible Reader and Evangelist, will have general charge of the afternoon services, which will be varied in character, and will be participated in by a number of distinguished visitors.

The general management of the Conference will be in the hands of Rev. J. Edgar Wilson, of the Florida Conference, and Miss Emma Tucker, acting as a committee for the Florida Christian Assembly Association.

## Worth Trammel Appointed

Palm Beach, Jan. 22.—Some days ago Capt. B. F. Whitner, who for the past eight years has been superintendent of the Florida Hospital for the Insane at Chautauque, tendered his resignation. The board of commissioners of state institutions today took up the matter of selecting his successor. Two applications were before the board, that of Hon. Worth W. Trammel of Pensacola and Dr. Ralph N. Greene, at present the chief physician of the hospital. The board elected Mr. Trammel as superintendent to succeed Capt. Whitner.

## SANFORD'S NEW PIPE ORGAN

### Its Installation Will be an Event in Our City History

The much talked of grand pipe organ for Sanford which for months past has been in building by the world-renowned Moller Company of Hagerstown, Md., is at last completed and was shipped hitherward Friday last. Workmen will be here to erect it when it arrives and soon the "king of musical instruments" will be heard in our burg. The musical people of this city are preparing a program of appropriate music for the auspicious occasion which shall mark the installation date. It is intended to make the dedicatory a matter of public interest, every one realizing as he must the inestimable value of and advantage afforded by the inauguration of this splendid musical adjunct and utility. Exact date cannot yet be given, but it is presumable that the event-public will take place early in February. Grand organ, pipe and cornets and strings as well as wind instruments will support as fine a choral ensemble as ever a town of this size could boast, and felicitation, civic pride in the accomplishment and a feast of both wit and music, such as is but rarely heard, will make the echoes ring on the much anticipated and eagerly looked-forward to evening of installation and dedicatory.

## The Doll Contest

The interest in the Doll Popularity Contest is growing stronger and stronger every day, and in order to handle this increased business the Star has added more help to their already large and accommodating crew.

Friday the great three reel feature of the Ohio prison will be shown without additional charge. This is the only picture of the kind ever made.

The following is the last count of the votes:

Anna Stafford	555
Ethel Singletary	430
Hazel Grov	385
Elizabeth Stafford	350
Melma Fronco	285
Clady Wilson	285
Alice Caldwell	310
Jean Maxwell	280
Ruth Taylor	275
Bonnie Purvis	275
Charlotte Smith	290
Effie Howard	285
Kitty DuBois	265
Mary Barlow	280
Annie Bruton	290
Mamie Britt	280
Eather Miller	295
Mildred Lee	285
Helen Peck	285
Evelyn Biggers	270
Gertrude Runge	255
Dorothy Davis	265
May Thrasher	270
Beatrice Hargrave	265
Jennie Rhoad	290
Ethel Henry	265
Hloppca Henry	260
Marie Cox	270
Edna Williams	330
Sarah Wight	260
Fern Ward	260

## Summer Weather

New York, N. Y., Jan. 23.—"Cattle freeze to death in the west," "first straw hat out in New Jersey," "traffic blocked by snow in Chicago," "tulip budding up state"—These were headline contrasts today coincident with an official forecast of "much colder" here. With the mercury near 70 yesterday it could be "much colder" without upsetting the season's record.

Within the last few days January records of forty-three years standing were broken. It was just 102 years ago today that Fulton established a Hudson river record by navigation one of his steamers on that date as far as Albany—a record equalled today for the first time. There is not a particle of ice in the river.

## Sanford Celery

"This is the season that means money to the celery growers again," says the Sanford Herald. "The crop this year is said to be finest quality ever raised here and it is ready much earlier than usual. The market has been brisk and \$2 a crate has been offered." This is surely a satisfactory condition of affairs in Sanford and the celery section, and it will mean good times for the vicinity. It will also be a good thing for the people if they buy and eat a great amount of Florida celery, for next to Florida oranges, Florida celery is one of the healthiest and best of products of the soil of the United States.—Times Union.

## FOR BUILDING DOCKS

### Jacksonville Votes Over Million for Municipality

## SITES FOR MARINE TERMINALS

### Other Matters of Interest Around the Sunshine State

The vote yesterday on bonding Jacksonville for \$1,500,000, the money to be expended in buying sites for city marine terminals and building docks was overwhelmingly in favor of the project. A board of port commissioners, commissioners, consisting of fifteen business men, was elected to carry through the project. It was to get a special enabling act passed that the board of trade of that city a few months ago had Governor Gilchrist call a special session of the legislature, the expense of which session was paid by the citizens of Jacksonville.

Mistaking a bottle of carbolic acid for Jamaica ginger, Chas. McCrory, a brick layer, drank the contents of the bottle containing the poison Saturday night at Lakeland and died from its effects within a few minutes. McCrory was not a drinking man habitually, but he had been to Plant City, where he had become intoxicated, and on returning to his room at the Ford House, he got up out of bed about 11:30 to take a drink of the ginger, which he had secured, and in his condition he mistook the bottle of poison for the Jamaica ginger and swallowed its contents.

Two prominent men died suddenly Monday at Arcadia and Avon Park. Col. Harold Davidson, prominent in educational work and connected with the military school at Highland Park, Ill., fell dead at his home at Avon Park. Late Monday afternoon Armond E. Hollingsworth, 88 years old, a well known cattle man of this city, was talking to his wife when he fell dead at her feet. Both deaths are said to have been caused from heart trouble.

The Kissimmee Golf and Country Club was organized in Kissimmee a few days ago and officers elected for the ensuing year. Grounds have been donated on which an excellent nine-hole course has been laid out, and the golf instructor from the Orlando Country Club has been employed to give lessons to the members. A club house will be erected as soon as the members are enrolled.

The home of A. E. Gerrals, a resident Ocala city, was completely destroyed by fire. This house was formerly the W. C. Edwards home, just opposite the home of B. A. Wethers. The loss of the house, outbuildings, etc., was \$5,000 and in one of the outbuildings was stored \$5,000 worth of electrical supplies, which were a total loss. The insurance on the entire property was only \$3,000 so the loss is a serious one.

Theodore H. Thell, 40 years old, committed suicide late Monday afternoon at his home a mile north of Brooksville, using a double-barreled shot gun to effect his death. Just before committing the rash act, Thell, who is supposed to have been drinking, seized a yard stick and drove his three children, all of them young girls, from the house.

The Lake City Crop Improvement Association is the name of a new organization formed in Lake City. An expert agriculturist has been employed and this man will spend his time visiting the various farms and plantations in Columbia county, giving advice and suggestions wherever desired regarding crops, stock, fertilizer, etc.

## Basket Ball

The Kissimmee High School Saturday afternoon in Kissimmee. The boys have been practicing faithfully since the game with Rollins and by showing they make are expected to take the game. The line up is: Kanner, R F; Raynor, L F; Gilbert, C; Field, R G; Routh, L G; with Fry; Crosby, subs. The coach, Mr. Wildman, is very much pleased with the work and ex-