

COMMISSIONERS MEET

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village lots at a less valuation. Request not granted.

Petition of S. M. Pierce, L. Bain, et al. received and read. Laid over under the rules.

Petition of Henry Schopke, J. D. Maher, et al. received and read to straw the road from Plymouth to the Lake county line. Upon motion the subject matter was referred to Mr. Merrill and Supt. Branham with power to act.

It was ordered that a duplicate warrant for \$1,500 be drawn, payable to the Orange County Fair Association.

Upon motion the county surveyor was instructed to ascertain the mileage of the main line and side tracks of the respective railroads of the county.

Upon motion it was ordered that the county do one half of the straying of the Clarcona and Orlando road.

Communication from O. C. Bryant, with a subscription of \$25.00 to dig a ditch near Wagner received. Upon motion the subject matter was referred to Commissioner Woodruff with power to act, provided the cost to the county will not exceed \$50.00.

Clerk was authorized to purchase a new book typewriter.

Communication from E. F. Sperry received; upon motion subject matter was referred to Messrs. Overstreet and Branham with power to act.

Communication from the board of aldermen of Winter Garden received; upon motion the road as asked for was ordered opened.

Upon motion the clerk was instructed to notify the persons on the east side of the Apopka and Orlando road, from the city limits of Orlando to the old vineyard corner, to move their fences back to the stakes set by the county surveyor.

Upon motion the chairman and clerk were authorized to purchase the necessary metal furniture in the county offices in the court house.

A petition of the trustees of Pine Castle Special Tax School District was presented and upon motion the following resolution was passed:

Whereas, A petition has been presented to this board by the board of public instruction in and for Orange county, Florida, setting up the fact that a petition had been presented to said board by the trustees of Pine Castle Special Tax School District, asking that an election be called for the purpose of determining if the county commissioners of Orange county, Florida, should be authorized to create an indebtedness of \$1800.00 for the purpose of real estate to be used for educational purposes for the erection of school buildings, said election to be participated in by the qualified electors provided for in Section 324 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida; that said election was held on the 20th day of November and resulted in favor of creating said indebtedness, and

Whereas, The said board of public instruction has requested that the said board of county commissioners pass an order to provide for said indebtedness,

Now, therefore the board of county commissioners being fully advised in the premises, and on request of board of public instruction as aforesaid, does hereby authorize an indebtedness of \$800.00 for the purchase of real estate to be used for educational purposes for the erection of school buildings, said indebtedness to be a charge or lien only upon said Pine Castle Special Tax School District, and the chairman or clerk of the county commissioners are hereby authorized and empowered to sign such note or notes of this order, and in creating said indebtedness as aforesaid.

Adopted December 3rd, 1912.

M. O. OVERSTREET, Chm.

Attest: B. M. Robinson, Clerk.

Clerk was instructed to purchase a warrant book for road and bridge district.

In Re drainage of Black Hammock, the following resolution was upon motion passed:

Whereas, on May 7 A. D. 1912, a petition was filed by Oliver P. Swope and others representing a majority of the property owners within the described limits, with the county commissioners in and for the county of Orange and state of Florida, asking that a drainage district be established, and

Whereas, the county commissioners aforesaid did cause the said petition to lay over until the next regular meeting of said county commissioners, and did order that notice of the hearing of said petition be duly advertised as required by Section 950 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, and WHEREAS, after due consideration it was ordered that said Drainage District be established, and in compliance with the provisions of Chapter 16 Title 9 of the First-Division of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, a committee of

three competent, disinterested persons, who were citizens of the County of Orange and State of Florida, were appointed to cause an accurate survey to be made of the proposed drain and to do such other matters and things as by law might be required of them, and

WHEREAS the said Committee has made its report and presented the survey of said drain all as required by law,

NOW THEREFORE, it is ordered that the Clerk of the County Commissioners for and on behalf of said County Commissioners advertise for a period of not less than thirty days, in a newspaper published in said County of Orange and State of Florida for bids on said work, to be given to the lowest responsible bidder, with the privilege of rejecting all bids that may be offered should the same be considered unreasonable.

Adopted December 3, 1912.

Attest: M. O. Overstreet,

B. M. Robinson, Clerk, Chairman,

Upon motion it was ordered that the Comptroller be requested to allow the redemption of Tax Certificate (7c toll) of 1912 and all subsequent tax, at the flat sum of \$10.00, by Mrs. L. J. Lang, on account of excessive tax.

The reports of the following County Officers were received and filed: Treasurer to State and County, Certificate of Banks, County Physician, Polls Collected, Report of Licenses, Supt. of County Home, Pay Roll of State Witnesses, Oct. Tax Redemptions, Sheriff to State Auditor, Sheriff to County, Clerk Criminal Court, Supt. of Roads and Bridges and Auditors Statement.

The Palms Hotel in Sarasota will open in a few days for the winter season. The hotel will be under new management, and new furniture to the amount of \$3,000 has been purchased for the hostelry.

MONROE LOCALS

J. M. Dix of Enterprise was in this section last week.

Mrs. L. R. Roberts returned home last week after a short visit at Lake Butler.

Miss Helen Iserman, one of Orange county's energetic school teachers was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Iserman Thanksgiving.

P. Lawson and family of Cleveland, Tenn., has moved to Monroe to make their future home.

E. E. Osteen, our ferryman, has purchased a large motor boat, known as "Baby Heck," for the use of the ferry. By this means he expects to serve the public better in the future than he has in the past.

Mr. Drawdy, our section man, who has been quite ill for the past few days is able to be at his work again.

Floyd Keller of Cleveland, Tenn., has arrived and is one of the busy workmen at Monroe.

Mann-Warren—Mr. Drew Warren and Miss Donie Mann were quietly united in the holy bonds of matrimony Nov. 26th, at 3:20 o'clock, Rev. Summers officiating. The bride was dressed in white silk and held in her hand a bouquet of Florida flowers. After the ceremony they were presented with many useful gifts and hearty congratulations. Their many friends wish them a life of happiness and prosperity.

Jas. Johnson, who has been quite ill for the past few days is able to be out again.

John Oglesby gave a candy stew last Saturday night for the entertainment of his many friends. There was quite an attendance for the occasion and everybody enjoyed themselves very much.

There will be Bible reading at the church Sunday night. Jim Oglesby, Jr., leader. All are cordially invited to attend the service.

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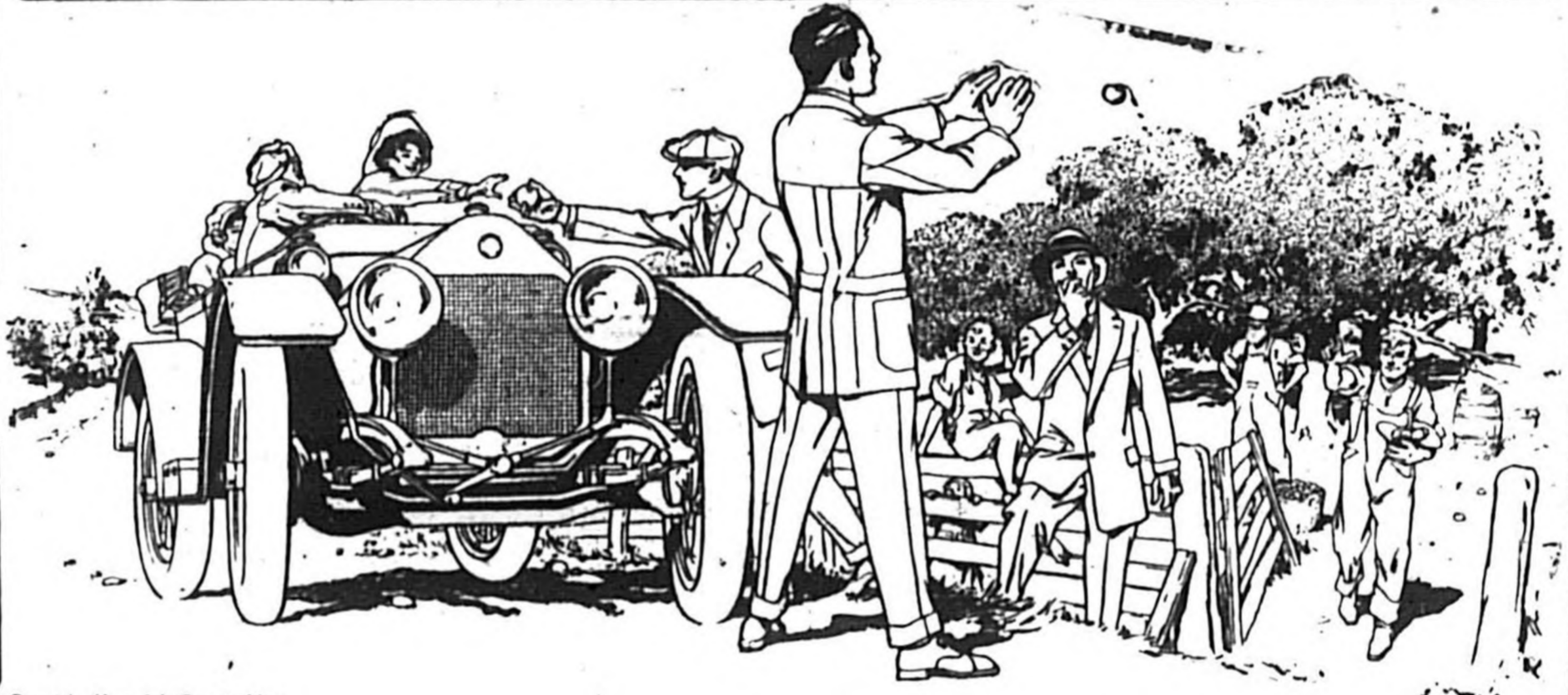
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ON THE COUNTY DIVISION

Commercial Club Holds An Enthusiastic Meeting

OTHER PRECINCTS REPRESENTED

Sanford's Case Is Presented To State Senator Donegan By Many Of City's Prominent Citizens

There is a predominant feeling in the new territory today that the new county is already made. That the baby is born and her name is Miss Harney, as F. P. Forster aptly remarked at the meeting last night.

The regular meeting of the Commercial Club was held at the regular headquarters in the city hall, but the great enthusiasm displayed in the case and the desire of many of the ladies to be present forced the club to seek a larger room and the High School Auditorium was tendered them. The Sanford Band started the ball rolling by playing several soul stirring airs on First street and then marching to the auditorium followed by the crowd.

Promptly at 8 o'clock Senator Donegan, D. G. Wagner, P. A. Vans Agnew and Col. O'Bryan who had come by auto from Kissimmee arrived at the auditorium and were escorted to a place on the rostrum, surrounded by the members of various committees and visitors from Longwood, Oviedo and other precincts.

President Lake called the meeting to order and asked for a reading of the minutes, following which Secretary Bates read a most comprehensive report and statistics on the taxable values in Orange county, expenditures, etc. and also in the new county of Harney a report carefully compiled by Mr. H. C. Dullose and a report that will assist the new county materially in obtaining a divorce.

Mayor Spencer followed by giving some interesting data regarding the growth of the city of Sanford.

D. L. Thraasher, C. R. Walker, F. P. Forster and L. R. Phillips also gave interesting facts about the schools and the new section and gave good reasons why a separation should take place now.

The real gems of the evening were the speeches made by E. A. Douglass of Oviedo and W. R. Healy of Longwood. These gentlemen literally brought down the house and kept the audience in rare good humor.

Since Sanford has not started a campaign in the precincts of the new county, awaiting the printing of vital statistics our many friends in those districts hardly know the facts about county division and the talks made by Douglass and Healy were listened to most attentively. They gave the people every assurance that county division would carry, provided the new county could guarantee them good roads and a square deal and the Commercial Club and the entire audience assured them of their good faith by a rising vote for good roads in the new county.

Major Healy brought out one good point by asking the new county to publish a detailed report of all the expenditures, something that is impossible to obtain now in Orange county.

Interpreting the speeches the band rendered some beautiful selections and at the close of the program Senator Donegan was called to the front by President Lake and introduced to the audience. Senator Donegan prefaced his remarks by thanking the people for their loyal support and the invitation of the Commercial Club to meet with them. He said that he was in Sanford as he had been in Orlando, to act as the judge in the case and hear both sides of the question, that coming from another county he would be entirely unbiased and could only render his decision in his official capacity at the session of the Legislature.

The meeting then adjourned and those who were present felt that much had been accomplished toward county division and for the present we will rest our case.

Mayor McKay has issued an order prohibiting vaudeville performances in Tampa on the Sabbath day. The picture shows will be allowed to remain open.

KILLED WHILE HUNTING

Prominent Citizen of Sorrento Accidentally Shot by Boy
Sorrento, Fla., Dec. 7th.
Editor of The Herald:

Our town is in mourning and three families prostrated because of an accident in which a most respected fellow citizen, Mr. W. T. Rooks, was shot and killed at an early hour this morning, by the discharge of a gun in the hands of his young grandson, son of Mr. Smith, superintendent of the turpentine works. Mr. Rooks, with his grandson, started long before daylight to drive to the hunting grounds about five miles east of town. They arrived at the old Brantley farm, not now occupied, just as the first whistle of the saw mill was blown, which is at four o'clock. Here they made coffee and ate breakfast, after which they continued on foot into the hammock where they expected to find squirrel. Each carried a double barrel shot gun, that of the boy being of the hammerless pattern. They had not proceeded far when the gun in the hands of the grandson was discharged, the load of bird shot, at short range, entering into the knee of Mr. Rooks practically carrying it away. All of the arteries were severed and death from hemorrhage must have followed in a few minutes, but the boy cannot say how long he remained with his grand parent nor whether the latter was still living when he departed in quest of help. He says his grand parent told him to go and to take a gun to protect himself. Quite likely the urchin was afraid of the half wild cattle or wild animals.

The boy wandered, waded through water up to the waist and, after a long walk arrived, still bearing the heavy gun, at the residence of Mr. Wilcox, a mile and a half east of town. Mr. Wilcox was not at home, but Mr. Blackwell, a brother of Mrs. Wilcox, lost no time in hitching a team and with Johnson, a colored employe, and the boy, drove rapidly to the fatal spot. It is supposed the accident occurred between six and seven and it was near ten when the rescuers reached the body. At that hour the body was cold and rigid.

Mrs. Wilcox at once, upon arrival of the boy, despatched a messenger to the home of Mr. Lovejoy, a neighbor, to telephone to Sorrento. Mr. Frank Battle, taking Mr. Smith and others, in his automobile motored in that direction to reach the scene of the accident. Others went ~~in that direction~~, but all of these having only vague directions were delayed in finding the body, over which Blackwell and the grandson were standing guard, Johnson having been sent back for help. Not till 3 in the afternoon did the party escorting the body reach the village. Mr. Cooper, justice of the peace held an inquest.

Mr. Rooks was thoroughly reliable in all his dealings and industrious to the limit. He came here from North Carolina six years ago, purchased ten acres in the town plot and engaged in farming. He also did an express transfer business. Since the burning of the hotel, Mr. and Mrs. Rooks have kept open house to the travelling public.

He leaves a widow and two daughters, Mrs. W. D. Smith, wife of the superintendent of the turpentine plant, and Mrs. Cowart, wife of J. A. Cowart, a Sorrento merchant. He also has sisters living in North Carolina.

The funeral will be from the Baptist church at 2 o'clock Sunday.

Favors County Division

Major W. R. Healy and wife of Longwood were visitors to the city last Saturday and the Major was cornered in The Herald office on the county division matter. "Put me down as being for county division," said the Major. "I was in the fight before and I will be in the fight again because I believe that this section of the county is getting nothing in the way of improvements and knowing the progressive spirit of Sanford it is a cinch that we will get good roads from the new county and a square deal."

Lend Hand Club

The Lend a Hand Club will hold its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Geo. H. Fernald Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A full attendance of the members is earnestly desired.

M. D. Taratus of Middleburg, Florida is in the city the guest of his son, George Taratus.

OTHER COUNTIES ARE IN

Division Of Counties Will Be A Live Topic

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Smaller Counties And Better Results Are Asked For By The People In The Interested Sections

Orange county is not alone in the division affair if this will be of any solace to the old girl in her hour of separation. There are people of other counties and many of them that are not satisfied with the ring rule of the large counties and recognize the indisputable fact that a smaller county can get better results for the money spent. Notice the following from the New Smyrna Breeze:

"In the matter of county division but few of the tax payers of the east side of the county have considered what it means to them individually. When it is realized that we pay nearly three-fourths of the road tax of this side of the county and have heretofore only received two-fifths of it to build roads in this part of the county, we can understand why there is a necessity for division. Another thing of even greater importance is that we pay an equal proportion of the school tax. There are three school districts in the county, two on the west side and one on the east side, where the burden of the taxes are collected. It is an undisputed fact that New Smyrna and Daytona and the smaller schools of the east side of the county have never received the same proportion as the DeLand schools of the west side of the county.

If we are in error it is up to the school commissioners of the west side of the county to disprove the fact. If they can do it we will gladly acknowledge our error in these columns.

We are looking for what is coming to us and we cannot depend on the promise of politicians and office seekers to give it to us. The only way is for us to take matters in our own hands and divide the county and spend the taxes as will be of the greatest benefit to us."

Japanese Bazaar

The Welaka Club members are making great preparations for their "Kwan-Koba" which is to be given in the club rooms Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 17 and 18th.

Kwan-Koba is Japanese, meaning bazaar, and the affair is to be Japanese in every respect.

Miss Rachel Gaines, an importer of Japanese goods will be here with a full line of laces, embroidered dress goods, silk kimonos, mandarins, fans, and hundreds of other smaller articles, especially useful for gifts and prizes. Miss Gaines needs no introduction to the people of Sanford, as a great many have read of her beautiful line of goods at the Demonstration Fair in Jacksonville a few weeks ago. This will be the most attractive and varied display of things Japanese ever brought to Sanford.

Besides there will be several other equally attractive booths, for needle craft, arts and crafts, hand painted china, candy and refreshments. All the booths presided over by pretty Japanese maids in native costume.

A feature of the Kwan-Koba is the pagoda, the home of the Japanese fortune teller.

The "Flower Shop" will be a novel feature, great pink chrysanthemums to be sold at very low prices, with prizes with each flower.

While the Kwan-Koba is given by members of the Welaka Club it is desired that this be made an exchange for every person in Sanford, and everybody is invited to use the Kwan-Koba for displaying or selling any articles in the lines already mentioned. Articles will be sold at the consignee's own price, the club to receive 16 per cent on all articles sold.

Those wishing to place articles on sale or display, such as painting, china, brass craft, calendars, fancy work or candies will please notify any of the following committee:

- Madge M. Ward, Chm.
- Mrs. Samuel Puleston.
- Mrs. Frank Woodruff.
- Mrs. R. J. Holly.
- Mrs. Robt. Newman.
- Mrs. A. W. Brown.

REMEMBERED THE CONVICTS

Dr. P. Phillips Sent Convicts Big Thanksgiving Feast

There are few people in the world that have larger heart than Dr. P. Phillips of Orlando, a well known orange grower and shipper. Having plenty of this world's goods has never warped Doc's better nature or made him forget the unfortunates around him.

Knowing that the convicts appreciate a change in the regular bill of fare once in awhile the genial Doctor never forgets them on Thanksgiving Day and this year was no exception to the rule. The gang now working at Geneva ferry received baskets of all kinds of foods and plenty of oranges and had a big feast for the day.

Dr. Phillips is a modest man and never makes public his good deeds but The Herald man gleaned his information from Francis Karel, who has charge of the prisoners on the road work and we pause to pay this tribute to a man who deserves a compliment for his charitable impulses.

Sanford City Improvements

Sanford is paying twenty-two miles with brick. Surely this means that there is money in Florida land. This city has come to the front as a trucking center very rapidly in the last few years, and twenty-two miles of brick paved streets is only one evidence.

All through this section the thriving truck farms are to be seen in the highest state of cultivation. Three crops a year is a reality, and crop failures are almost unknown. Celery is one of the best paying crops in this section, and reaches perfection at Sanford. The buyers from the north make their headquarters there, and thus much annoyance is saved the producers.

Citrus fruits, too, are grown extensively, and there are numerous groves to be seen within a short distance from town.

The whole community has a prosperous air, and with other improvements that will follow close on the heels of the paving, the residents will have good reason to be proud of their city. Jacksonville Bulletin.

The Methodist Conference

The annual conference of the Methodist church for Florida will convene at Tampa next week and our own Rev. Summers will attend. This item expresses nothing but news. The vital question that concerns all of us collectively, irrespective of denomination is that we want Rev. Summers returned to Sanford. He has only been here a short time but in that period has accomplished so much good not only in his own congregation but in the general life of the city that The Herald voices the general sentiment in asking the conference for his return.

Frankly we do not like the Methodist manner of appointing ministers. We become enamored with a good man of the Summers type and about the time he becomes identified with our social, religious and civil life, he attends conference and is called away.

Sanford needs Rev. C. H. Summers and we love him and his family too fondly to give them up and we respectfully petition the Florida conference to return Rev. Summers to us.

A Special Invitation

To the ladies of Sanford and to the Welaka Club, The Lend a Hand Club, the Clover Club, the Helping Hand Society, the Book Circle, the Book Lovers club and to all church societies a cordial invitation is extended by the Wednesday Club to meet their guest, Mrs. W. B. Young, president of the Women's Club of Jacksonville, who will talk to the ladies of Sanford Wednesday afternoon in the Congregational church at 3 o'clock on the biennial meeting of the Federated Clubs of America, which was recently held in San Francisco, California.

At the Star

What would we do without music? Life would be one miserable career. The management of the Star has finally succeeded in getting the famous Trojan Concert Co. for the last three days of this week at a very large expense. This company must not be compared with a vaudeville show as it is high above the standard. Those who want to hear the best singers sing the latest songs come to the Star Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

TRAMMEL HEADS THE LIST

Governor-Elect Chosen President Of Association

CHARITY SESSION WAS SUCCESS

Rev. J. D. Langley Elected Third Vice-President Of State Charity Association

The Second Florida State Conference of Charities and Corrections, which has been in session in Tampa for the past three days, came to a close last night with the election of officers and the choosing of Gainesville as the place for the next convention, the time of which is to be set by the executive committee.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are as follows:

- President, Park M. Trammell, Tallahassee.
- First Vice President, R. T. Soleston, Jacksonville.
- Second Vice President, Mrs. M. E. Randall, Lawtey.
- Third Vice President, Rev. J. D. Langley, Sanford.
- Secretary, Marcus F. Fagg, Florida.
- Treasurer, Prof. L. I. Bernard, Gainesville.
- Executive Committee, Park M. Trammell, R. T. Soleston, Mrs. M. E. Randall, Rev. J. D. Langley, Marcus G. Fagg, Prof. L. I. Bernard, Dr. W. F. Blackman, Mrs. W. H. Baker and W. G. Brorein.

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The Phillips Manufacturing Company of Orlando will begin within the next few days a modern building for the manufacture of special wood working machines which the company is now turning out, the business having outgrown the present building. The principal machines, or the ones for which the greatest demand has been created, are the morticing and pocket cutting devices which are so largely used in making modern window frames, and speed being one of the greatest elements in profitable manufacturing plants, these machines have come into great demand.

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The commissioners of Polk county at their session Tuesday mapped out a plan whereby they will at once begin work on a network of roads between the important towns of the county, and having systematized their plans, they propose to have the work completed in two years, or probably a little earlier. At the end of this time Polk county will be able to boast of some of the finest roads in Florida and as they will connect the county's leading towns will be of lasting benefit. The roads will be hard surfaced with Hartow clay.

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Members of the Village Improvement Association of New St. Augustine have decided to assume the responsibility of having the principal streets of New Augustine illuminated with incandescent lights, and it is proposed to have the improved lighting service installed at the earliest possible date. The Village Improvement Association, which includes among its members many of the leading women of that town, is doing much good for New Augustine, and has even greater improvements planned for the near future.

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Nearly 150 soldiers comprising the 111th and 162nd companies of the United States coast artillery stationed at Fort Dade have been mobilized in the country near St. Petersburg for their annual encampment and war manoeuvring. A number of sham battles are being arranged for next week. On the night prior to breaking camp, a big sham battle will be held, which will attract hundreds of residents and tourists from the city.

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Nearly half a million paving brick are now being unloaded in Tampa for use on the streets of that city. Four and a half million more of the same class of bricks, shipped by the same firm in Baltimore are to arrive there within the next six months.

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Apalachicola is to have a new opera house. The contract has been awarded and construction work begun. The building will cost \$10,000 and will be equipped with all modern conveniences, such as sliding curtains, scenery, etc.

CURBSTONE GLEANINGS

A Budget of Opinion "Just Between You and Me"

EVEN THE GATE POST NOT IN IT

A Chief Is Among Ye Taking Notes and Faith, He'll Prent 'Em"— So Says Saunterer.

¶ Election day, November 5, 1912, will ever be notable in the annals of the movement for woman suffrage as marking the greatest victory it has yet achieved. With the closing of the polls approximately 1,500,000 women voters had been added to an equal number who were already entitled to cast their ballots that day, and the six states where women have this privilege had been increased to nine. Kansas, Oregon and Arizona were the three that had just franchised women and placed them on an exact political equality with men. Now with women enfranchised in all the neighbor states, the Nevada legislature of 1913 may be counted on to submit a suffrage amendment to the voters, who are likely to accept it. Wisconsin had followed the example set by two months before and given a majority against the constitutional amendment. This action was not in the slightest degree due to any inferiority of the campaign of the women in its behalf, for in both of these states this was longer and more strenuously waged, more money was expended and more women were engaged in it than in any of the four where the amendment received a majority vote. The difference in the result was caused entirely by the difference in conditions existing in the states.

The discussion of this subject is no longer academic. The winning of three more states will see women enfranchised in one-fourth of all in the Union, as they now can vote in nine on exactly the same terms as men and are eligible for every office. In addition to the three gained at the recent election are Wyoming, Colorado, Utah, Idaho, Washington and California, named in the order in which they gave the franchise to women. The only question now to be considered is which will be the next states to grant this privilege and when will all of them do so? Although the agitation began in the eastern states fifty years ago, has been continuous and has assumed large proportions, and although until recently there has been almost none in the south, it is not improbable that one or more southern states may franchise their women before this has been done by a single state east of the Alleghany mountains. The greatest drawback in that section has been the apathy of the women themselves. They have not had among them an enormous body of working women to suffer the disadvantage of being without political influence. In all respects they have been slower to catch the progressive spirit of the age than the more highly stimulated women of the north, and they have been lulled by the tradition that chivalry was all women needed. Any tendency toward a desire for the suffrage has been promptly suppressed by the men, but all of a sudden they themselves have been brought face to face with a serious situation.

With the exception of Arizona, which is too new to be classified, all of these nine states which have enfranchised their women have heretofore been regarded as normally republican, and an enormous body of voters has been added to the electorate, which under past conditions, would have been likely to give republican majorities. While this would not directly affect the ratio of presidential electors or members of Congress it indicates a tremendous influence in politics which will have to be considered and can only be offset by enfranchising a corresponding number of women who would supposedly be Democratic, and that would mean to give the suffrage to those of the southern states.

¶ There is in this country today a shortage of beef cattle.

Not only are we ceasing to export cattle, but our own food supply is being seriously curtailed. The past two years have witnessed an alarming scarcity of "feeders" and consequent high prices, and a steadily decreasing number of farmers fattening them for the market. Last season they argued that with corn at 60-70c per bushel, and "feeders" at 6-6 cents, it would be a risky proposition to take hold—and many of them stayed out to their great regret.

Those who did go in and feed to maturity made money and lots of it. This year there is more corn at a lower price, and the undoubted scarcity of both feeders and beef cattle and the growing demand by a steadily increasing population practically guarantees high prices in the finished products.

History has proven; in this as in other kinds of business, that the man who "sticks to it"—and learns it thoroughly—is the one who makes it pay, and the man who gets scared out easily usually does so at a time when the other fellow is preparing to reap his harvest.

Another mistake some cattlemen make is in trying to beat the market. Like other speculators, they will hold out as long as the market is rising, perhaps beyond a slight slump, but invariably they ship when a decline is well under way—and help thereby to give the toboggan another slide.

Why not ship when cattle are ready for market? Is it not expensive to hold them beyond maturity? Does not the cost of extra food offset any possible margin of rise in price? And if every cattle feeder would do that there would not be a greater regularity of receipts at all markets, a consequent steadying of prices, and a more equitable distribution of the profits in this immense and necessary industry?

Stockmen should also gradually work into raising their own feeders and should not begrudge the pasture necessary for this remunerative branch of the business. The silo would prove a mighty help in their development. In fact, silage and alfalfa are destined to solve the problem of how to make the money raising live stock on corn belt lands.

There will in all probability be passed in the near future a bill preventing the sale of calves under six weeks of age which will be both a humane and immensely beneficial measure—a beef will feed twenty times as many people as a veal and to their better nourishment. How many thousand of young calves are slaughtered yearly that could be easily raised to fully matured beef cattle?

¶ Seeing a bright light at Phillips' corner the other night I approached carefully and saw a bunch of signs under glass, containing the advertisements of Sanford's enterprising (?) merchants. I did not stop to see who was on the board but I will bet my chances for offices in the new county against a hydrophobia dog that two-thirds of them never advertised in a newspaper in their life and I will also make the odds greater on another bet that the man who made the deal has about \$150 of the Sanford money in his pocket and gone to new pastures with it. I have heard that this sort of advertising has been tabooed by the Commercial Club and the merchants in general, but there are so many suckers born every minute that you can't keep the anglers out.

I am through! For years I have preached and practiced the idea of trading at home and while I had no advertising to sell always associated the patronizing of the home paper along with other home industries, for if any institution here needs reciprocity it certainly is the newspaper. I have made enemies by telling them to their face that they were injuring the town by sending out of town for their goods and yet they will do it and now that the parcel post is coming there will be more of it. But never again will I talk about home industry.

Go to it. Get everything you want from the out of town business houses. Everybody is doing it and I intend to do it hereafter and then some of the merchants that like to preach one thing and do another will wake up.

Let your newspaper die. The paper needs nothing in the way of advertising patronage. Help the outside man who will carry the money away from town and will not bother any merchant to make change for him.

Let the entire city stop trading at home and we will give the other side of the city a fair trial and see how it works. Let the paper stop. It never does anything but knock your town and the Saunterer is an old wind jammer who knocks everybody and everything.

Don't buy anything from anybody at home and you will not be bothered with the bothersome customers.

City Council Meets
Resolved to exempt new hotel from taxes.

The City Council met in regular session December 2nd, 1912, at 7:30 P. M. Present, T. J. Miller; President, P. M. Elder, H. H. Underwood, B. W. Herndon, W. S. Hand and F. L. Woodruff. Minutes of the last meeting read and approved. A letter from the Southern Brick Manufacturing Co. offering to furnish the brick for paving 9th Street was read. On motion action was postponed. Reports of the Fire Co., Treasurer, Chief of Police, and Sanitary Inspector read and ordered filed. The Clerk was instructed to notify all persons who had not paid their sidewalk accounts, that on all unpaid Jan. 1st 1913, the liens would be recorded. The following resolution was then adopted. Whereas, the Sanford Hotel and Improvement Co. has offered to donate to any person

who will build a good hotel thereon a site at the foot of Palmetto Avenue, therefore be it resolved, that we the City Council of the City of Sanford, (believing that this Hotel is for the best interests of the City) pledge ourselves to use all means in our power to have the City exempt the said Hotel from City Tax for the term of five years. Moved and seconded that the sidewalks adjoining the following Lots, be and the same is hereby condemned, and the owners ordered within sixty days to build new Cement walks. If not done by the owners they will be built by the City and a Lien placed upon the property. Lots 5 and 10, B 8, T 1; Lots 5 and 10, B 8, T 2; Lots 5 and 10, B 8, T 3; Lots 5 and 10, B 8, T 4; Lots 5 and 10, B 8, T 5; Lots 5 and 10, B 8, T 7; Lots 5 and 10, B 8, T 8. All on north side of 7th Street.

Also Lots 1 and 6, B 9, T 1; Lots 1 and 6, B 9, T 2; Lots 1 and 6, B 9, T 3; Lots 1 and 6, B 9, T 4; Lots 1 and 6, B 9, T 5; Lots 1 and 6, B 9, T 6; Lots 1 and 6, B 9, T 7; Lots 1 and 6, B 9, T 8; all on south side of 7th Street Carried. The Street Committee were authorized to have sidewalks built on the West side of Laurel Avenue from First Street to Fourth Street. The West side of Elm Avenue from Fourth Street to Seventh Street, and the West side of Myrtle Avenue from First Street to Second Street. Moved and seconded that the Vouchers as signed by the President and approved by the Finance Committee be paid. Carried.

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. Winans, 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 nights always welcome. P. E. Hutchinson, C. C. Fell, 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. F. W. Westcott, E. R. O. I., Exalted. 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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Established in April 1906
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June 4, 1906	-	\$16,891.16
June 4, 1907	-	\$97,746.80
June 4, 1908	-	\$95,683.50
June 4, 1909	-	\$154,720.81
June 4, 1910	-	\$187,415.82
June 4, 1911	-	\$196,991.18
June 4, 1912	-	\$280,686.46

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Frank Walpole of the Manatee Record is after Joe Lee's job and has our best wishes for success.

The following card received at this office bearing the Loughman postmark tells its own sad story: "Hummer suspended publication.—Pope." That the hum of The Hummer is to be heard no more among the hills of Loughman is something of which the citizens of that section should be ashamed.—Plant City Courier.

Editor Wayne Thomas, editor of the Plant City Courier and Miss Claire Wilson were married at Miaka, Fla., U. S. A., last week. Congratulations to both and may they never experience any more hardship than that of conducting a weekly paper.

Editor Hugh Sparkman of the Marianna Leader called his people up on the carpet about their streets and walks and now they endeavor to say that Hugh is knocking the town. Keep it up, Hugh. No editor lives that can please all the people all the time and when you make them mad they usually get busy and clean up their premises whether they like it or not.

The suspension of the new afternoon daily recently established in Jacksonville is announced. It is the old story. No call for it, the Metropolis fully covering the afternoon field, leaving but scant and insufficient patronage for any rival publication.

LEGAL AND RIGHT

"It may be legal, but the principle is wrong that permits a section of a county to determine by its own vote, without consent of the balance of the county, that it will secede from the county where its obligations rest," says the Orlando Citizen.

Did the editor of the Citizen ever know of a county that was willing and eager to part with a portion of their best territory for a new county? No one expects Orlando to accede to our wishes in the matter or any other matter.

HOW ABOUT NEW COUNTIES

Pinellas county will soon be in a position to begin its good roads construction. The vote on Tuesday gives the county \$370,000 to be used in paving streets and building highways.

And Pinellas county has recently been divorced from Hillsborough county, too, brother. If the mother county built the necessary roads for the whole county why should the new county be forced to bond for \$370,000 to build good roads in said new county?

How about it? Can you explain these truths to the people?

FLORIDA'S DAY IS AT HAND

Florida's day is at hand. The interest manifested all over the country assures that much. Many thousands of folks are coming here in the years to come, and they will all bring more or less money for the upbuilding and beautifying of the state.

Every settler, regardless of the amount of money he brings with him, adds value to every acre of land in Florida, these reaches of pine, prairie and hammock that are now selling so cheaply in Florida will some day be worth much more money, even though undeveloped.

The best time to buy is now. We have only to look at the progress California has made in thirty years to realize how Florida will grow in the next thirty. We have everything California has in the way of climate and then some.

Some years ago Los Angeles was smaller than our Tampa today, now she has nearly 400,000 population. Thirty years ago Pasadena was a sheep pasture, today it is a splendid city with nearly 50,000 inhabitants.

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SENTINEL FOR BONDS

Orange county held an election over one year ago to bond the county for sufficient to make brick roads in every part of the county. The Sentinel fought the bond issue just as that paper has fought every question for bonding the county for brick roads or any kind of roads.

For several years people traveling from Kissimmee to Orlando have been greeted about ten miles this side of Kissimmee by a large sign board bearing the inscription "Osceola County Line." These words in themselves would attract but little attention, but the fact that right at this point vehicles drop right from a good hard ground into a deep bed of mud and continue that way for several miles, clear into the heart of Orlando, gives the words significance that no words will overcome.

It is a peculiar fact that this, one of the most important roads in the state, being the great highway between Jacksonville and Tampa, and over which a vehicle passes, on an average every twenty minutes during the day is one of the worst roads in the county.

Road materials are scarce and high priced, and the sooner we get down to real road building, vote bonds sufficient to build roads of materials that will stand the action of the elements and the great and growing traffic of this county, the better it will be for the tax payers and the sooner will the vast area of fertile lands now lying idle in this county be occupied and cultivated by a thrifty people.

When this is done taxes for the upkeep on highways will be reduced to a minimum, and our greatly increased population, and the increased area of improved lands will take the tax rate out of the pockets of burdens and put it where every man will be able to meet his taxes with ease and promptness, and he will then point with pride the stranger to our tax rate, instead of keeping the fact in the back ground.

When this is done, and our sparsely settled country districts are populated, if our good neighbor, Sanford, believes it to her interest to divide the territory the Sentinel might interpose no objection. Until that day, however, we shall insist that one set of county officials, the expense of one set of county buildings and the interest on present bonds is sufficient to satisfy 75 per cent of the tax payers.—Orlando Sentinel

The statement of the Sentinel that the Orange county roads are miserable is true in every particular. The statement that after the bonding is done in Orlando will have no objection to county division is also in keeping with their policy of asking Sanford to bear the burden—only now Sanford has already

separated from the county ring by making this a special road district. Orlando also objected to the proceeding on our part and fought it.

The Sentinel says that no reason has ever been assigned for the neglect of the county in the matter of roads. Would the Sentinel tell the truth about the reason for the neglect and has it ever tried to get the inside facts about said neglect?

Unwittingly, the Orlando Sentinel has made the finest argument for county division that could be framed up and The Herald wants every voter in the new territory to read the above article and digest it. The spirit of Orlando ring is the dominant note in the article and the Sentinel echoes only "His master's voice."

RETROSPECTIVE

Some sixteen miles ago there were about 100 miles of roads built in Orange county, making this county the banner county in the state in the matter of good roads. The roads were carved out of the wild woods literally and put in first class condition without a dollar of extra taxation.

In the Sanford section the lands that are now assessed to the limit were in their wild and unimproved state and were assessed at about fifty cents on the acre and we are afraid to venture an assertion on the price that the assessed value now brings into the county coffers.

Now there are none and yet the taxes well we leave it to the tax payer to supply the expletives necessary.

Where are the good roads that have made Orange county famous? The new county will embrace a territory that at the lowest estimate turns \$50,000 in taxes.

Do you people that are living in the new territory think that out of this immense sum a new county government can be maintained?

And do you not think that out of this immense sum you can obtain your good roads when the Sanford district will not spend a cent of the money for our good roads because they are already provided for in a special road district?

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Notice is hereby given that Thomas I. Boyd, of Sumner, Florida, who on August 18, 1910, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 0157, for 2 1/2 acres of land in Section 20, Township 19 South, Range 29 East, Tallahassee Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof to establish claim to the land above described before the Clerk of the Circuit Court at Orlando, Florida, on the 15th day of January, 1912.

Claimant names as witnesses: William F. Lee of Sumner, Florida; Charles McCall of Cassa, Florida; Tony Brock of Cassa, Florida; Mary Brock of Cassa, Florida.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Notice is hereby given that Jerry M. Brown, of Sanford, Florida, who, on December 15, 1909, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 06193, for 1/2 of NW 1/4 Section 7 and NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 Section 18, Township 20 South, Range 22 East, Tallahassee Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof to establish claim to the land above described before the Clerk of the Circuit Court at Orlando, Florida, on the 15th day of January, 1912.

Claimant names as witnesses: William H. Boyd of Cassa, Florida; Curtis Boyd of Cassa, Florida; James M. Boyd of Cassa, Florida; George Boyd of Cassa, Florida.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

First National Bank at Sanford IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS NOV. 26 1912

Table with 2 columns: RESOURCES and Amount. Includes Loans and Discounts (\$207,878.35), U.S. Bonds to secure circulation (4,250.00), Bonds, securities, etc. (35,169.49), Banking house furniture and fixtures (12,000.00), Due from National Banks (not reserve agents) (12,132.80), Due from State Banks and Bankers (7,327.21), Due from approved reserve agents (23,030.82), Checks and other cash items (1,821.20), Notes of other National Banks (8,150.00), Fractional paper currency, notes and coins (1,293.15), Legal Tender Reserves in Bank (12,200.00), Special (35,200.00), Legal tender notes (17,400.00), Redemption fund with U.S. Treasurer (5 percent of circulation) (312.50), Total (\$335,142.14)

Table with 2 columns: LIABILITIES and Amount. Includes Capital Stock paid in (\$25,000.00), Surplus fund (25,000.00), Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid (18,193.57), National Bank notes outstanding (4,250.00), Bills payable including certificates of deposit for money borrowed (20,000.00), Individual deposits sub. (235,295.45), Demand certificates of deposit (5,090.50), Certified checks (312.62), Total (\$335,142.14)

State of Florida, County of Orange. I, F. P. Forster, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. F. P. FORSTER, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of December 1912. A. R. KEY, Notary Public. My commission expires Feb 21, 1914. Correct—Attest: FREDERIC H. RAND, S. O. CHASE, GEO. H. FERNALD, Directors.

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PURELY PERSONAL

Mrs. R. E. Tolar returned Sunday from a pleasant visit to relatives in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Butt have returned to Sanford for the winter and are stopping at the St. Johns House.

Sanford's Business College is in a most flourishing condition, although it has just been started one week.

Mayor Spencer and family motored to Orlando on Sunday and looked at the court house for a few moments.

Luther S. Hawkins of Danville, Ind., has arrived in the city and will locate here for the winter season.

Miss Mell Whitner is at home again after a pleasant stay of several months in South Carolina, where she visited friends and relatives in several places.

C. D. Hall and wife of Tunnell City, Wisconsin are in the city and will spend several weeks here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stroud and little son of Peru, Indiana are in the city and expect to spend the winter here.

Rev. Blackburn will preach at the Methodist church Sunday evening at 7 o'clock and will leave Monday for Tampa to attend the annual conference which will convene December 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Swoope and niece, Miss Nettie Caldwell of Atlanta are in the city and will remain several weeks. Their many Sanford friends are glad to greet them again.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fagenbush are in the city from Louisville and will make Sanford their home during the winter season.

Paul Weaver, assistant cashier of the Citizens Bank of Kissimmee was a visitor to the city on Sunday.

Mrs. Oplinger and little daughter are the guests of Mrs. Oplinger's parent Mr. and Mrs. Bigger.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Pugh of Topeka, Kansas, have arrived in the city and will spend the winter here.

E. B. Roe, formerly with the San Juan Garage of Orlando has arrived in the city and will be with the Sanford Garage & Machine Co.

Rev. C. F. Blackburn, presiding elder of the Miami district will be in Sanford Friday and hold the fourth quarterly conference for the Methodist church at 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. Walter Howard and little son of Columbus, Ohio, and Miss Mamie Hill are in the city the guests of their parents.

Among the prominent visitors to the city last night from Kissimmee were Messrs. Wagner, Vans Agnew, O'Brien and Senator A. E. Donegan.

Among the many visitors to the city yesterday were E. A. Douglass, T. B. Jones and Theo. Aulin, prominent citizens of that thriving little town.

Hon. Clarence E. Woods, the man who is making Euatis famous with one of the best weeklies in the south, was a visitor to the city on Saturday en route to DeLand.

Eldred Morgan of Wyoming, W. A. Jarrett of Oklahoma and J. H. Elen of Wichita, Kansas are in the city this week, the guests of the Swope Land & Investment Co.

WANT TO BE SWINDLED

Our news columns this week tell the story of two slick swindlers who came from Alabama and in a few days had sold ten to twenty thousand dollars worth of stock in a company that didn't exist.

U. D. G. Wagner has recently acquired an interesting family of deer, which he has corralled at his residence on Main street, consisting of a buck, a doe and a fawn.

The citizens of Pompano are preparing to celebrate the conclusion of the drainage canal from the Everglades to Pompano.

Civil Service Examination On January 11, 1913, will be held in all places in Florida at which city delivery service has been established.

Table with 2 columns: Subject and Points. Total 100.

Applicants must be between the ages of eighteen and thirty-five and must measure at least 5 feet 5 inches in height and must weigh at least 140 pounds.

The opportunities for the immediate appointment of qualified persons are excellent.

For further information apply to the secretary U. S. Civil Service Board, Atlanta, Ga., or to Local Secretary, Post-office, Sanford, Fla.

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- R. and E. Waterstratt to J. E. Mosley and wife.
L. H. Williams and wife to Emma A. MacClimchey.
Harry P. Leu to Overstreet Tur. Co.
Andrew Harris and wife to Williams & Bradley.
H. C. Dann and wife to T. C. Alden, et al.
Frank D. Guernsey to Bertha E. Pa-cetti.
J. H. RRagdale, Tr. to Lucille Richards.
B. G. Smith to Oliver O. Swope.
Geo. Fox to Martha G. Fox.
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W. B. Taylor and wife to F. J. Hunter.
Pros. Col. Co. to Lucy M. Holly, et al.
Pros. Col. Co. to Hugh S. Spratt.

ZELLWOOD NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. James Laughlin and daughter, Miss Lila have arrived to spend the winter at their beautiful home here.

Prof. Newell of Leesburg lectured to a large crowd last Sunday.

Miss Rachel Phillips, one of the teachers, spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Orlando.

The Howard family arrived Saturday from Pittsburgh to spend the winter here.

Mr. Coulter has returned after spending the summer in the north.

Mr. Gardner spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Fairville.

Messrs. Olseh and Jackson spent Thanksgiving at their homes in Piedmont.

Rev. Dr. Dugan Called

Rev. E. D. Dugan of Atlanta preached at the morning and evening services at the Presbyterian church last Sunday and renewed former acquaintances with the members.

Wade, the Tuner, Orlando.

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.

While the weather is hot buy your dried chipped beef at W. W. Long's grocery. Sliced on an American slicing machine.

Please send in your orders at once for special boxes of oranges, grapefruit and tangerines for Christmas delivery.

WANTS

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

Lost - White setter dog, brown ears, no collar. Answers to the name of Jack. Five dollars reward paid for returning him to Win Padgett, Enterprise.

For Rent - Ten room house, well located - A. P. Connelly.

For Sale - Poland China Brood Sow - W. E. Squires, Cameron Ave.

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

For Rent - Rooms for light house-keeping, 919 Oak Ave. corner 10th St.

For Rent - Tiled land on shares, eight acres at loading station, one-fourth of crops f. o. b. no land rent. J. W. Powell owner. Inquire of Walter Haynes, Herald Office.

For Rent - Two rooms suitable for light housekeeping in Bishop block. Apply at Thurston's pop corn stand, Miller's corner.

For Sale - A good strong heavy mule - Inquire of O. W. Brady, Beardall and Celery avenue.

For Rent - Five acres, well tiled, with house. Also 10 acres, 5 tiled. Also 5 acres tiled, with good house. Call on or phone W. A. Minnick, Cameron City.

For Sale - Our surplus stock of early hatched White Leghorn and Orpington (Black and White) Cockerels, all from northern price winning stock and ready for the breeding pen. Address Leonard Vihlen, R. F. D. No. 1, Sanford, Fla.

For Sale - Mixed poultry and pigeon manure, 75c per barrel f. o. b. Sem-inole Squab Farm, Longwood, Fla.

Want to rent cottage furnished for three months. Edward Roddy.

For Sale - Good \$100 piano almost new. Will sell for \$125 cash. P. R. Shuman, West Side.

Wanted - Board for man and wife. Two beds in one room in hotel or boarding house. Would take furnished room with two beds in it by the month or week. James Palmer, 289 Front street, Hempstead, N. Y.

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.

Homestead claim, 165 acres good land; 7,000 turpentine trees; four room house; lake front; boat, three cypress incubators; bargain cash price. Address G. C. Cooper, Osteen, Fla.

Land for rent for potato crop, \$5.00 an acre, near Rand's Siding, Sanford, No. 331 4th St., Miami.

Wanted - One to ten acres right in village near hotel or resident part. Send location and price. Edward Updike, Hempstead, New York.

For Sale - Hemmington type writer in good condition - \$15 Railroad Ave.

Plants for Sale - Bermuda onion, \$1.00 per 1,000 or 6-1,000 for \$5.00. R. H. Davis, next to Sanford Farm.

To Rent - House with bath, corner Palmetto avenue and Fourth street. Call Phone No. 118 or address P. O. Box 1128.

Launch for Sale - Twenty-one foot Truscott launch, 8 H. P. engine, canopy top. Hard wood lockers. Everything practically new and in good order. Cost \$1,000, will sell for \$375 cash. E. C. Young, Orlando, Fla.

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The program for the live stock meeting to be held at the University of Florida on December 17, 18 and 19th, though not complete, is in condition to assure all who attend that they will hear the best program on many lines of animal industry that has ever been presented to a Florida audience.

Dairying in Florida will be discussed by well known authorities, and by men with long practical experience who can treat the subject from a business standpoint. The different breeds of dairy cattle suitable to Florida will be described, as well as the feeds most useful and economical for the state. The feeding of cattle is a very important proposition, for the financial profits usually depend on this item. Silo construction and the preparation and use of silage will receive considerable attention, and all who wish to become familiar with this method of preserving green feed may learn all the necessary facts.

Perhaps the largest subject to be considered at the convention is that of Tick Eradication in Florida. Cattle ticks produce Texas or tick fever, which has caused during the past decade more losses of stock than all other diseases combined. The tick is the greatest obstacle toward improvement and increase of cattle in the south, and the destruction of this pest in the same way other states are working would be the basis for developing a splendid live industry in Florida. At this meeting the officers of the state Board of Health and the U. S. Bureau of Animal Industry will be present to describe plans for beginning eradication of ticks, and it is hoped that every person interested will be on hand to hear these talks and get personal advice from the Government experts how to start this important work.

Nearly a day of the convention will be devoted to beef and pork production. The hog industry runs one of the most important in the state and this subject will be fully treated by men who are making money in the business, and the best and cheapest feeds for growing pork. Methods of preventing hog cholera will also be described by expert veterinarians. The feeding and management of beef cattle will have attention, including a strong lecture on the best grazing and forage plants for Florida conditions.

No owner of live stock or business man interested in agricultural development can afford to miss this meeting. The information offered will be worth many dollars per day to those who use it properly. Every one attending the convention will have opportunity during the week to visit the various departments of the University, especially the Experiment Station and the College of Agriculture. The University, being to the state, and it is the duty and privilege of every citizen who helps support the institution with his taxes, to visit this school, inspect its work, learn its needs, and aid in shaping its policies and future development. The live stock on the University farms may be seen, and the work of the experiment station explained and exhibited. The regular class work of the College of Agriculture and also the special short course for farmers will be in session during the week, and contact with these students and those of all departments of the University will be of great value to any citizen. There will be ample accommodations in Gainesville and at the University dining hall for all delegates, and a large attendance is confidently expected.

JOHN M. SCOTT, Animal Industrialist.

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BECK HAMMOCK

Richmond avenue is a very quiet and pretty place, yet like all other places we have our ups and downs. The other night when everything seemed to be nice and quiet Mr. Barton, who has some beautiful Indian Runner ducks which are prized very highly suddenly heard his ducks raise an alarm, which told him that danger was at hand. Mr. Barton was soon on the job and was not long in discovering a huge skunk, which had intended making his supper off of one or more of those beautiful birds, but just now the battle began. Mr. Barton used for his weapon a trusted shotgun and Mr. Skunk used a you know what. The battle was now on. Both seemed to fire at the same time and when the first round was fired Mr. Barton returned to the house for reinforcement. Although neither one was seriously injured yet the battle was fierce and loud. When Mr. Skunk saw he had the field all to himself and there was no one else to fire at he very calmly headed down his flag and huddled down to the woods. Mr. Barton is not suffering any bodily injury and boasts of having saved his flock of ducks.

Wednesday Club

A splendid attendance of the members were present at the regular meeting of the club at the home of the secretary, Mrs. S. O. Chase, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. C. G. Butt entertained the club with two beautifully rendered piano selections.

The minutes were read by the secretary, Mrs. S. O. Chase, after which the president, Mrs. G. L. Maris, made a few introductory remarks on the program and the great pleasure she thought the study of Mexico would be to the club this year. Miss Alice Tetherly followed with one of the most delightfully entertaining "Map Studies" of Mexico that the club has had the pleasure of listening to since Miss Tetherly gave them a similar map study of Scandinavia last year.

Miss Clara Louise Guild continued the interesting subject with a charming paper on the "Climate and Vegetation" of Mexico. After the fine lesson in the geography of Mexico, its climate and vegetation Miss Gertrude Speer gave a most interesting description of "Animal Life," prehistoric and a later varied list of the fauna of Mexico.

Mrs. L. B. Philips read a very entertaining paper on Lower California and Mexico, "The Land of Desert and Drought." The fall was called by the secretary and a large number of the members responded with the names of some of the principal lakes in Mexico.

An invitation was received from the Welaka Club to an informal reception to be tendered Mrs. W. B. Young, president of the Woman's Club of Jacksonville next Wednesday afternoon, after the meeting of the Wednesday Club.

Mrs. Young will be the guest of the Wednesday Club at their meeting next Wednesday afternoon which will be held in the Congregational church, through the courtesy of the church of friends.

Mrs. Young will talk to the Wednesday Club and their guests, all the clubs in town. The Welaka Club, Leola Hand Club, Clover Club, Helping Hand Club, all the church societies and all the ladies of Sanford who are invited by the Wednesday Club to attend the meeting and enjoy Mrs. Young's talk on the Biennial Meeting of the Federated Clubs of America which was recently held in San Francisco, and to which Mrs. Young was a delegate.

The meeting next Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 11th in the Congregational church at 4 promptly will be an open meeting to which the citizens of Sanford and the ladies especially are cordially invited.

Welaka Club Notes

The business meeting of the Welaka Club held in the club rooms Tuesday afternoon, was largely attended and of unusual interest and importance. Mr. D. E. Parisher representing the Sanford Library Association, addressed the club, making an appeal for the library, and the club responded with a contribution of \$10.00 for this worthy cause. Plans were made for a reception that will be given for Mrs. W. B. Young of Jacksonville, who will address the ladies of Sanford at the Congregational Church, December 11th, at 4 P. M., giving her report as delegate to the Biennial meeting of the General Federation of Women's Clubs in San Francisco, Calif. Immediately after the address an informal reception will be held at the Welaka Club.

Mrs. Forest Lake, Chairman of the Civic department, made an excellent preliminary report of the Plant Sale which was held in November, and also of the very satisfactory work that is being done in the park. Miss Madge Ward, Chairman of the Art Department, reported plans being made for a "Kwan-Koba", or Japanese bazaar that will be held in the club rooms, December 17th and 18th. Mrs. Brown, of Household Economics, made a most gratifying report for this department. The Literary Committee, Miss Laura Fish, Chairman, is making plans for a play, particulars of which will appear later. Arrangements were completed for the Annual Ball that will be given at the Sanford House, December 27th. The following committees have been appointed:

Reception: Mrs. J. W. Dickins, Mrs. Forest Lake, Mrs. Samuel Puleston, Mrs. T. E. Wilson, Mrs. B. W. Herndon; Invitation: Miss Madge Ward, Miss Alice Whitner, Miss Lillian Gibson, and Mrs. Stringfellow; Floor: Miss Mabel Bowler and Mrs. Claude Howard; Decorations: Mrs. May Dickins, Mrs. J. C. Bennett, Mrs. F. W. Miller and Mrs. Kent Rosseter; Music: Mrs. Cecill Butt and Miss Veda Ward; Refreshments: Mrs. Robert Newman, Mrs. E. B. Brown, Miss Hawkins and Miss Peachea Leffer.

As a representative of the Club at the Conference of Charities and Corrections that convenes in Tampa this month, Mrs. Harry Driver has been appointed. On Tuesday, Dec. 10th, Mrs. DeForest

will give her report of the F. F. W. C. which met in West Palm Beach in November. Mrs. Brown will read a very fine paper on Household Economics, which was prepared by Miss Agnes E. Harris, Director Dept. Home Economics, Florida State College, and read at the convention. This part of the program will begin promptly at 3 P. M., and members who do not expect to join the card game, which follows, should make an effort to hear these interesting papers.

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Brick Roads Will soon be Started in Sanford District

Secretary Bates at the meeting of the Commercial Club last night read a telegram to the assemblage that created as much excitement as would the announcement that the new county had been created. The substance of the telegram was to the effect that the bonds for \$200,000 for the brick roads had been validated by the circuit court and all that remains for the culmination of our desires in the matter is the sale of the bonds which will be no difficult matter, as the buyers have already been here anxious and ready to buy them.

Lucky Sanford Growers

During the past week of low prices on lettuce and while many cars were being refused for freight charges and others barely bringing expenses of hampers and cutting charges many prominent growers were protected by contracts made several months ago. It is understood one grower alone received over \$2,500.00 for his cutting for the week, while others received amounts ranging from \$100.00 to \$600.00 for their respective cuttings.

The Herald is reliably informed that the M. O. Coggins Company paid growers in Sanford and vicinity during the past week approximately \$5,500.00 on contracts which they hold.

It has always been the contention of The Herald that Sanford's greatest need is more commission concerns who are willing to put their money into Sanford's products on an f. o. b. basis. The company that is willing to take a share of the risk in handling our crops is more likely to hold up prices on the markets and make the distribution as wide as possible.

We wish to congratulate the many growers who have used foresight to protect themselves against low prices prevailing at the present time.

The Rush for Office

It is human nature for the victorious Democrats who want the federal offices which have ever since 1893 been held by Republicans. The latter deserve no sympathy, for they have had and held the said war offices as the spoils of political war, and have no right to kick now that they are the losers.

However, as the Star has said before, Woodrow Wilson was elected for a higher purpose than to hand out pie to the hungry. His election was an expression of desire on the part of the people for better government. When Wilson takes his seat next March, and when Democratic Congressmen assemble to deal with problems that vitally affect all the dwellers in this vast country, they should not be annoyed or overburdened by the importunities of office seekers.

Very few men, no matter what party is in power, can hold office, but the entire people are concerned in the government. The Democrats will have a longer lease of power if they refrain from an undignified scramble for office. The Star doesn't think any faithful and efficient Republican should be turned out of office until his term expires. There are many some of them in this state—who should be removed at once for cause but the great majority should be allowed to take their time.

The Star believes that this policy will best suit our Senators and Representatives, who in all Democratic states will probably be awarded the distribution of federal patronage. They will have great problems to grapple with after March 4, and it will hamper their usefulness to all 4, and it will hamper their usefulness to all the people if their time is taken up by scramblers for pie.

In a personal letter to the Star, Congressman Sparkman, of the first district, makes the following statement, which we deem is the sentiment of every representative who believes he was elected to work for all his constituents: "I have received quite a lot of letters from all over the district requesting my aid in the matter of federal appointments. To all such I have replied in substance; that owing to the fact that President-elect Wilson will not be inaugurated for several months yet, and that it will be several weeks or months before the office in question will be vacant, I have thought it best not to commit myself pro or con on any application."—Ocala Star.

Election Day

Today is election day and very little of that as county division is creating more agitation than a small matter like a city election. The election is for a Treasurer and Collector and two Aldermen, the election being made necessary by the resignation of two Aldermen and Capt. Marks as Treasurer. The campaign has been very pressed little enthusiasm has been expressed.

The Stetson Glee Club

Under the auspices of the Lend a Hand Club, and for the benefit of the Sanford Library the Stetson Glee Club will give a delightful concert Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock in the auditorium of the Sanford High School.

The young ladies of this most excellent club, realizing that the Library is very much in need of a helping hand in securing new books to add to the pleasures and helpfulness of its patrons, have been successful in securing the kindly assistance of this fine Glee Club, solely in behalf of a Sanford enterprise, and they should be complimented with a full house and appreciative audience.

The Library should be and is dear to the hearts of the Sanford people. It has been of inestimable benefit and pleasure to them and their children, and every citizen should rally to its support in this instance especially, in manifesting their appreciation of the assistance given by strangers at the solicitation of the Lend a Hand Club, which is proving itself in many ways a potent factor in benevolent enterprises and the civic betterment of the city.

Sanford Music Club

The Music Club held their regular meeting at the studio of Mrs. Fannie S. Munson, president of the club, Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. There was a fine attendance of the club present.

A very entertaining paper on the "Life and Works of Massenet" was read by Mrs. O. W. Brady. A second excellent paper was read by Mrs. S. O. Shinholser on the "Life and Works of Saint Saens." Mrs. D. L. Thrasher played a delightful Melody by Massenet and demonstrating Massenet's style as a composer, and a very charming duet, "Picture Scenes" by Massenet was rendered by the Misses Mary McKim and Mary Herby. The leader regretted that she had been unable to secure any music by Saint Saens for the program. Mrs. Munson led a brief discussion on French music, after which several important matters were discussed and a new name proposed for membership. The president presented an invitation to the Music Club from the Welaka Club to the reception to be given by the Welaka Club, to Mrs. W. B. Young, president of the Woman's Club of Jacksonville, who will talk to the ladies of Sanford Wednesday afternoon in the Congregational church.

When the business of the club had been transacted the meeting adjourned.

Edward Baxter Perry

The New York Musical Courier has the following to say of Mr. Perry, who will play at the auditorium of the Sanford High School, Jan. 3rd, 1913., under the auspices of the Sanford Music Club:

"Mr. Perry is the originator and principal exponent of the lecture-recital idea. He is the only blind pianist in the world's history who has succeeded in winning an unquestioned position in the front rank of his profession. He is the only American pianist who ever played at the Imperial Court of Germany. He is the only pianist American or foreign who ever sustained himself for ten successive seasons by concert playing alone in the United States. He is the only pianist, living or dead, of any country who ever played twelve hundred concerts in ten successive years."

Pleasant Porch Party

Misses May Thrasher and Dorothy Davis, entertained their young friends at a very delightful porch party at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Thrasher Saturday afternoon.

The young people enjoyed a number of pleasant games, both in the porch and yard, and the conclusion of which the young hostesses served delicious ice cream and cake.

The guests on this enjoyable occasion were Misses Frances Gonzales, Helen Hand, Fern Ward, Elizabeth Stafford, Helen Peck, Alice Caldwell, Fannie Reba Munson, Alice Lough, Lillian Herring, Serita Lake, Nellie Lough, Norma Herndon, Walter Rowland, Fred Wight, James Higgins, Sidney Chase, Griffin Herring, Reginald Holly, Hawkins Conneily, Russell Brady, Robert Hines, Arthur Dickins, J. D. Woodruff.

Clover Club

The Clover Club at their December meeting were entertained by Miss Ethel Moughton Friday afternoon, Dec. 6th. Besides the members of the club, six visitors were present. The final arrangements for the bazaar which was to be held Saturday afternoon and evening were completed, and it was also decided that the Clover Club should assist in the Christmas decorations for the church. When the business of the club had been attended to, the lateness of the hour, prevented the enjoyment of the usual social features, which concluded the meetings of the club. A delicious chicken salad course was served, after which the meeting adjourned.

AT THE IMPERIAL

The crowds attending the performances at the Imperial Theatre lately have been so large and in such constant attendance that it has been necessary for the mayor to appoint an officer to be present each evening to offer assistance to that part of Sanford's citizens who wish to attend the shows. It will be the duty of this officer to see that the laws are properly enforced as regards the handling of theatre crowds. The entrances and exits are to be properly attended, regulations regarding smoking, and spitting will be looked after, and more particularly the officer will look after that portion of the audience which is the greatest nuisance, the small boy who throws missiles of one kind and another about the house. That nuisance will be stopped.

Wallace & Beech will make fun at the Imperial the last three days of this week and it is said that the act is beyond every other in the matter of fun. They will change their act each evening, presenting new songs, new sayings and new action.

The votes in the contest for the bicycle are now apportioned as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Votes. Includes Anna May Bruton (1557), Helen Peck (1376), Mamie Kate Williams (1264), Helen Gonzales (1362), Margaret Berner (1143), Gertrude Runge (916), Clarence Hand (829), Fannie Reba Munson (811), Edna Tullug (690), Adele Rines (681).

Sparkman on Improvements

"Harness the Mississippi and make the water power development pay for the cost of improving the river," was the gist of the message brought to day by Secretary of War Stimson to the National Rivers and Harbors Congress.

Secretary Stimson declared that when the nation assumed a responsibility as great as that of spending \$50,000,000 for improving a river, the general tax payers of the country should get the benefit of the incidental profits arising.

Representative Sparkman of Florida, chairman of the House committee on rivers and harbors, did not agree with the assertion of President Taft yesterday before the Congress, that the Mississippi should be improved under the general welfare clause of the Constitution, for, said Mr. Sparkman, it would be a sad day for the country, and he feared it would lead to a wide system of log rolling if appropriations were made always on the claim that they were for the general welfare. He asserted that river improvements should be made only for the benefit of commerce.

Daughter of the Spy

Great two reel feature at the Imperial tomorrow night. This feature film has taken the country by storm and filled every house where it has been shown love story and thrilling adventure.

Work is progressing nicely on the new depot which is being erected at Winter Park by the Atlantic Coast Line railway and the structure will be finished by the middle of this month. The building is being constructed of white brick and will be modern in detail and equipment.

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The daily consumption of citrus fruits in the States is 500 cars, under favorable circumstances.

Therefore on Monday morning, Dec. 16, there will be rolling and on track and in the hands of dealers, twelve days' total supply for the entire consumption of the United States, without making any allowance for the Californias that have moved and are moving.

If every packing house in the State of Florida will close down Saturday night, December 14, and remain closed for two weeks, at the end of that time the entire Florida orange supply of the United States will be practically exhausted, and all houses can start again on Monday, December 30, and will find a ready sale for every orange that they ship, at \$1.75 to \$2.00 a box, f.o.b. cars, and grapefruit at from \$2.00 to \$2.50 a box, f. o. b. cars packing houses.

If, on the other hand, with the dealers amply supplied, and this enormous amount of fruit on track, Florida continues shipping after December 14, there will be such a congestion of fruit immediately following Christmas that the markets will go down to the "red ink" point very rapidly, and there will be no more sold, even at the low prices, than as if you had maintained them, and the market will be disorganized to such an extent that the entire month of January will be wasted in getting straightened out.

The Florida Citrus Exchange desires to call, and hereby does call, on every factor in the fruit deal in this State, whether he be grower, broker, contract shipper or dealer, to help relieve this situation and prevent the utter annihilation of the market for Florida fruits.

Florida is shipping the finest fruit this year she has ever shipped, and if you will all join us in this move, you can every one of you make good money for your citrus crop. If we cannot get the cooperation of all factors in the State, we are utterly powerless to stem the tide of disaster that is bound to rise.

Any man or factor who, in the face of this warning, moves fruit between the 15th and 30th of December, is an enemy of the grower, and an enemy of the industry, and worst of all, his own enemy.

Gentlemen, will you cooperate with us? We would like every operator in this State who moves from three cars of fruit up to communicate with us promptly, by letter or by wire, charges collect, notifying us of his intention to support us and stand with us in this endeavor, and we would be especially desirous of hearing from Chase & Compny, Crutchfield & Woolfolk, the North American Fruit Exchange and the dealers and shippers at Arcadia, Orlando, DeLand and Leesburg.

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LADIES CLUBS ARE ACTIVE

Wednesday And Welaka Clubs Entertain State Officers

HELD MEETING AND RECEPTION

State President Of Federated Clubs For Women Is Given a Most Cordial Welcome By The Local Clubs

The regular meeting of the Wednesday Club was held in the Congregational church Wednesday afternoon, in order that the various clubs of the city and other ladies of Sanford should have the pleasure of hearing Mrs. W. B. Young, president of the Woman's Club of Jacksonville, whom the Wednesday Club had invited to visit the club and talk to them and the ladies of Sanford about the biennial meeting of the Federated Women's Clubs of America, to which she was a delegate, and which was held in San Francisco in July last.

Mrs. G. L. Maris, president of the Wednesday Club, in a few prefatory remarks as to the occasion of the united meeting and the pleasure anticipated in listening to Mrs. Young's address, stated that the business of the club would be omitted and turned the meeting over to Mrs. Wight who was leader for the afternoon and Biennial Day.

In her own interesting and pleasing way, Mrs. Wight told a forceful little story, illustrating the reason for federating the clubs and why the Federation should have a biennial meeting, before introducing Mrs. Young, the guest and speaker of the occasion who had so kindly responded to the invitation to come to Sanford and tell the club about the biennial meeting and some of the reasons why the federated clubs of America needed an annual meeting.

Mrs. Young's charming and attractive personality claimed the undivided attention and interest of her audience as she gave a brief sketch of the grand country through which the delegates traveled to San Francisco, and the cordial welcome and large hearted hospitality which the local clubs and citizens accorded to that large body of representative women, who had come together with united purpose and for concerted effort for the benefit of the women of the land and for the uplift of humanity.

Mrs. Young also mentioned some of the fine speakers who were present and of the efforts they were making to aid the cause of this grand federation, the largest organization in the world, numbering one million members. Some of the details of the departmental work of the biennial were given, on through the federation and down to the individual clubs. Of special interest and gratification was the statement by Mrs. Young, that she heard several references by speakers of the legislative work of the federation to the pamphlet prepared by Mrs. Wight, and also the fine paper written by Mrs. Charles Gay of Palatka, chairman of the Civic committee of the State Federation. The pamphlet Mrs. Young referred to is a digest of the Florida law concerning women and property, also a very brief review of the criminal law concerning women and girls. In the preparation of this pamphlet Mrs. Wight was assisted by T. E. Wilson of Sanford and F. E. Jennings, of Jacksonville, attorney for the State Federation. Mrs. Young paid quite a tribute to the magnificent scenery, the variety and gorgeous hues of flowers and the wonderful products of the west, mentioning also some of the splendid trips and entertainments of the visitors.

Mrs. Young made it very clear what the biennial meant to the federation, what the federation meant to the clubs, and what the clubs meant to their members. Concluding the very delightful talk Mrs. Young said that in its departmental divisions the federation was doing a work that the churches did not and could not do or reach, and that the federation was the working hand in hand with the churches for God and humanity. Before the adjournment of the meeting, Mrs. J. W. Dickens, president of the Welaka Club, in behalf of the Welaka Club invited all who were present to a reception to be given to Mrs. Young by the Welaka Club in their club rooms immediately after the adjournment of the Wednesday Club.

NATURAL GAS IN ORLANDO

Citizens of County Seat Now Have The Real Article

Burning natural gas in Florida and right here in Orlando may become an actual fact, and that at no very remote period. It has just leaked out that an investigation is quietly going on in the territory near the city that may make her citizens "set up and take notice."

It may be remembered by some that about nine years ago wells were bored for oil in the northwestern end of this state, where both oil and gas were discovered and also at Jackson, Ala., and that later investigations were made on the west coast of Florida, where wells were sunk, and both oil and gas discovered. But these holes were plugged, and word was given out that they were of no practical value that the product was not there in sufficient quantity to warrant development.

Later the most wonderful developments have taken place at Beaumont, and Spindletop, Texas, where oil and gas in untold quantities has been discovered and is now enriching the territory in which it was found.

One of the same gentlemen, who assisted in the above named investigations and developments, is now in Orlando and has made the discovery that natural gas exists in a strip of territory close to the city. It is said that no later than last Saturday this same gentleman approached two reputable citizens of Orlando, relative to operations on certain tracts of land, and letting them in on facts connected with his discovery. It was then revealed to him that the knowledge of gas here had been known to them for two years or more, and had actually been burned by the discoverers.

These gentlemen further averred that it was not the common "hog" gas but the real article, the same as is found in Texas, Louisiana and other points, but as to whether it was here in sufficient quantities to be of great practical use they were unable to state.

The investigations are still going on, and it is more than probable that active developments may soon be undertaken.

It is said by those who are familiar with the geological formation of this portion of Florida, and that portion of the country stretching westward through Alabama, Louisiana and to the Beaumont, oil fields that the Orlando territory is in direct line with the oil and gas developments in those sections.

Missionary Meeting

The missionary society of the Methodist church held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. J. K. Mettinger, Tuesday afternoon, on account of repairs being done in the interior of the church. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. H. H. Chappell, president of the society. After the devotional exercises the minutes were read by the secretary, Mrs. C. H. Smith. The last quarter's report of the finances of the society was made by the treasurer, Mrs. W. W. Abernathy. After the business of the meeting and a general discussion of several important matters, Mrs. L. R. Phillips, superintendent of the Junior Epworth League made a most excellent report of the year's work of the League and its present status. She also turned over to the treasurer of the society, to be reported through the missionary society, ten dollars, the annual contribution by the League for missions. Mrs. Phillips also invited the members of the society to attend the bazaar, which the League will hold at her home Saturday afternoon, and thus encourage the young people by their presence and patronage. The children have made for sale over one hundred little articles, both useful and pretty. They will also have cakes and candy for sale.

British Army Officer

Capt. Thos. W. Preston of Lynn, Mass., is in the city and may spend the winter here. Capt. Preston served six years in the British army in Canada and the provinces and wears several medals for bravery and services. He is a member of the British Naval and Military Veterans of Massachusetts and late Lieutenant of Royal Canadian Artillery.

Capt. Preston has been spending the winter at Winter Haven, but has fallen in love with Sanford and expects to stay a few days with the view of locating.

CITY ELECTION AGAIN

Another Election Will Be Held To Decide Aldermanic Race

MUNICIPAL ELECTION WAS CLOSE

Abernathy And Woodruff Are Forced To Make Race Again And Decide The Tie Vote—Preston Is Elected

The city election last Tuesday was a very close and very interesting affair, setting at naught the prophecies of several wise heads who had the result doped out before hand. Seemingly there was but little interest manifested in the affair and yet there must have been a strong undercurrent of public opinion as the vote polled was a very strong one.

In the race for Alderman S. Runge led the field and coming neck and neck down the home stretch came C. C. Woodruff and W. W. Abernathy and they tied for second place, W. R. Pell coming in last but close enough not to get the flag.

For Treasurer and Collector the race was very close and no one seemed to predict the outcome until the votes were counted when it was found that A. A. Preston was winner over A. L. Williams by just three votes.

The Aldermanic race will necessitate another election as the law states that in case of a tie vote the mayor is empowered to call a special election ten days after the first one.

With scant time to solicit votes the candidates will certainly make a warm fight for the position and what promised to be a very quiet affair may be very exciting toward the close. The candidates have not announced their plans as yet, but it is understood that the election will have to be held to make it legal.

There was some talk of the candidates settling the matter among themselves but this seems to have been taken out of their hands by the legal status and another election will have to be held.

Following is the official vote:

For Treasurer and Collector	
A. A. Preston	142
A. L. Williams	139
For Alderman	
S. Runge	140
C. C. Woodruff	140
W. W. Abernathy	116
W. R. Pell	129

Pleasant Dinner Party

While in the city Mrs. W. B. Young was entertained by Mrs. H. L. DeForest at the Sanford House. After the reception given by the Welaka Club complimentary to Mrs. Young Mrs. DeForest was hostess at a very pleasant dinner party in honor of Mrs. Young at the Sanford House. The table decorations were exquisite crimson roses. Mrs. DeForest's invited guests were Mrs. J. W. Dickens, Mrs. S. O. Chase, Mrs. Henry Wight, Mrs. G. B. Waldron. After the dinner the party were Mrs. Chase's guests at the concert given by the Stetson Glee Club in the auditorium of the Sanford High School.

Wants a Town Clock

Sanford, Dec. 13th, 1911.

Editor Sanford Herald:

Dear Sir, I have often wondered why Sanford has not a town clock.

Some one had thought of one and built a tower for one. Now, why can't we have one? Palatka has one. I think Orlando also. Why can't we, a finer city than either.

Now, if Mr. Pace would devote one acre of celery to it, if Mr. Crippen would devote one orange tree to it, we might soon have one. If the old hen would lay one egg a week, marked clock, she would not have to crow in the night.

Why cannot the Sanford Improvement Association take the matter in hand? Let us have a town clock.

Yours truly,
P. E. MILLER.

At the Presbyterian Church

There will be no services at the Presbyterian church next Sunday, Rev. Brownlee, the new pastor, having gone to his home in Atlanta to arrange for his removal to the city. Sunday school will be held at the usual hour in the morning.

LECTURE AT IMPERIAL

Inspector Bureau Transportation of Explosives Talks to Railway Men

There was a large attendance of officials and employees of the A. C. L. Railroad Company, and a number of shippers at a lecture given in the Imperial Theatre last Sunday afternoon by Mr. C. W. Evarts, Inspector for the Bureau for the Transportation of Explosives and other Dangerous Articles. The lecture was illustrated by stereoscopic views and was very interesting and instructive.

The work of this Bureau has been going on steadily for the past seven years and the results obtained are simply wonderful. In 1905 there were eighty-five persons killed, two hundred and thirty-three injured, and a property loss of \$3,000,000.00 by explosions of dangerous articles in transit. Under direction of the Bureau this has been decreased each year and for the year 1911 the record shows one person killed, two injured, and a property loss of \$34,761. Under President Roosevelt's administration Col. B. W. Dunn, of the United States Army, Ordnance Department, was detailed to take charge of this matter as Chief Inspector of the Bureau, and Capt. Carlton, of the United States Army, was detailed as Assistant Chief Inspector.

The work of the Bureau is under the direction of the Interstate Commerce Commission. The Bureau has in its employ twenty-two inspectors and four assistant inspectors who work the entire United States and Canada, who have charge of all storage magazines of powder, dynamite, etc., and make frequent inspections of such magazines, as well as inspections of manufacturing plants of explosive articles, as well as containers for such articles, gasoline drums, steel cylinders for compressed gas, steel kegs for holding powder and boxes for loading dynamite.

While the public hears very little of this work, the results in saving of life and loss of property are very gratifying and show what can be done by intelligent cooperation between the government, the railroads and their employees.

Welaka Club Notes

The Welaka Club's bridge party on Tuesday afternoon was an unusually enjoyable one. A large number of members were present, and several guests enjoyed the pleasures of the games. Seven tables of players entered into the contest, and after scores were counted it was found that Mrs. B. W. Herndon had won the club for the coming month. The hostess, Mrs. Forest Lake, and her assistants Mrs. Hurt and Miss Roberts served dainty fruit-cake sandwiches and hot chocolate while Mrs. H. L. DeForest read her interesting report of the Florida Federation of Women's Clubs, held at West Palm Beach in November. The report was most comprehensive, giving an excellent idea of that inspiring and enthusiastic meeting, and will undoubtedly bring results in the club's work. Mrs. DeForest was greatly impressed with the high standard of our Florida women, and spoke of them in the highest terms, especially the work accomplished by the various clubs, and urged the Welaka Club members to press forward until they, too, had won a place in the front ranks of these earnest and capable workers of our state. The home-aid Economic paper was postponed, owing to the unavoidable absence of Mrs. Brown.

Porch Bazaar

The Junior Epworth League of the Methodist church will hold their annual bazaar on the porch of the residence of Mrs. L. R. Phillips, superintendent of the League, Saturday afternoon, beginning at 2 o'clock. Besides over one hundred useful and pretty articles they will have cakes and candy for sale. The public are cordially invited to attend and the children will appreciate a liberal patronage.

Band Concert

The Sanford Band will hold a free concert in the Park next Sunday afternoon, as is their usual custom. Concert will begin at 3 o'clock. Everybody invited.

A trio of street musicians are holding concerts on the streets and furnish some delightful music.

HAPPENINGS IN THE STATE

Happenings Here, There And Elsewhere Gathered and

CONDENSED FOR BUSY READERS

The News From All Around Florida In General By Our Special Wireless Telephone Direct

Stone & Mann sold their forty acre grapefruit and orange grove at Winter Haven, a few days ago, for \$10,000 to New Jersey parties.

By the end of this week all of the foundation granite on the new Government building in Miami will be complete, and the limestone work will proceed next.

The Gulf, Florida and Alabama railroad has commenced the erection of a freight depot, which is also under construction in Pensacola. The building is to be entirely of brick with metal roof and will cost about \$6,000.

With eleven of the twelve aldermen present, the city council of Pensacola at the special meeting held Tuesday night, unanimously voted to override the mayor's veto of the resolution providing for an election to ascertain whether or not the city shall have some form of commission government, and directed his honor to issue a proclamation calling for the election to be held on December 30th in conjunction with the election on the bond issue for municipal docks.

An old landmark of Ocala, the old street car barn, will soon be torn down to make room for a substantial two-story building. The barn was used some twenty years ago when Ocala had a horse car service and was a familiar sight to the older residents. The buildings used in former days are gradually disappearing and on their sites modern structures are being built. The tearing down of the old street car barn is but another step in the progress of Ocala, which continues steadily year after year.

A message from Bartow Wednesday afternoon brought the information that Walter Larkin, the negro who criminally assaulted a white lady at Haines City on Saturday, November 30, and for whom possum were searching all last week, was captured at Kissimmee, and taken by Sheriff Logan through the country to Tampa, where he is now in jail. This action was taken because it was considered that to carry the negro to Bartow would almost certainly result in a lynching.

St. Petersburg is to have a new \$65,000 reinforced concrete brick building, which will be erected by the Home Security Company, at the corner of Central avenue and Fifth street. The building is to be a four story structure and work on same will be started as soon as the material arrives. The exterior work will be of pressed brick, while the interior will be of the finest decorative tile and other fire proof work that can be had. The floors are to be of Spanish tile and the wainscoting of art marble. The equipment will be of the most modern, elevators and steam heating apparatus will be installed.

Cameo Bridge Club

Mrs. O. W. Brady was hostess of the Cameo Bridge Club Wednesday morning. Two tables of bridge were played. The highest score was made by Mrs. C. O. McLaughlin, who will have the pleasure of wearing the handsome cameo brooch, which is the club prize, until the next meeting of the club. Mrs. Brady's guests were Mrs. C. M. Vorce, Mrs. L. P. Hughes, Mrs. C. O. McLaughlin, Mrs. O. W. Brady, Mrs. A. P. Connelly, Mrs. G. F. Smith, Mrs. Robert Newman.

Abernathy for Alderman

W. W. Abernathy wishes to announce that he is still a candidate for the position of Alderman and will be in the race until the finish. He solicits the votes of all those who were for him last Tuesday and especially those who voted for the other candidates. The election will be next Thursday, Dec. 19th.