

BIG SHOE SALE

B E G I N S

SATURDAY, FEB. 15, 9 A. M.

WATCH OUR
WINDOWS
FOR A FEW
POINTERS
ABOUT THIS
Great Shoe Sale

E. G. DUCKWORTH'S

ENTIRE

\$12,000 Shoe Stock Involved

ALL GOES INTO ONE GREAT

REMEMBER
THIS SALE
Includes Nothing Except
Our Regular
High Grade Stock
Nothing Special Bought for
THIS SALE

REMOVAL SALE

Owing to conditions over which we have no control, we are forced to quickly remove this stock of shoes, which means a great sacrifice---But necessity knows no law, so accordingly have marked every pair down to the limit for quick removal. Not a single pair of shoes in this new high grade stock reserved, but every pair even including all shipments of Spring styles marked at a great sacrifice.

The Red Tag Sale Prices Tell The Story

THIS GREAT SHOE SALE will surpass any Shoe Selling Event ever attempted in Sanford before---Its quite contrary to our usual policy, of no Special Sales---but its our only recourse, for we are forced to vacate at once. This not a question of profit now. Entire stock must be moved quickly.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Contrary to our former policy of no Special Sale we must submit to conditions now and throw this entire stock on Public Sale. This stock is all new and of the best well known makes, but of all must be sacrificed to meet conditions---every pair marked in plain figures, showing the radical reduction.

REASONS FOR THIS SALE

Unexpectedly we are forced to vacate this building immediately. No other location definite. Our only recourse is to throw the entire stock on Public Sale. Two weeks time our limit, so accordingly we're preparing to offer the public the Greatest Money Saving opportunity on High-Grade Shoes ever known here. Everything must go.

13 Days Keen Price-Cutting For Quick Removal

FREE!

To the women 9 a. m. Saturday Ten Prizes to the Ten Lucky Holders. Fifty Tickets will be given away Free to the First Fifty Women in the Store. Ten of the numbers call for Free Prizes.

KEEP YOUR EYES

ON THE FIRST STREET

SOMETHING DOING THERE

9 a. m. Saturday

A FEW PRICE SUGGESTIONS

Lot Ladies' Strap Pumps, patent leather, turn sole, regular \$3.50 value, goes in this Removal Sale for only \$2.39	Lot Ladies' Gun Metal Pumps Strap, Goodyear welts, regular \$2.50 value, Removal Sale Price per pair \$1.65	Lot Ladies' low heel, Gun Metal and Patent Strap Pumps, regular values \$2.50 and \$3.00, Removal Sale Price \$1.78	Lot Ladies' fine Vici Patent Tip, button and lace Shoes, regular \$3.00 value, for our Removal Sale Price only \$1.95
Lot Grovers Ladies' Oxfords, extra fine Kid, regular \$3.50 value, our Removal Sale Price \$2.55	Lot Men's Tan Blucher Oxfords regular \$3.00 value, for our Removal Sale Price only \$2.10	Lot Men's Gun Metal Blucher Shoes regular value \$5.00, for our Removal Sale Price \$3.65	Lot Childrens high velvet top Shoes, size 8 1/2 to 11, regular \$2 value, on sale 1.48
Lot Ladies' Vici Patent Tip, two eye lace Oxfords, regular \$3.00 value, Removal Sale Price \$1.89	Lot of Children's high top white canvas button Shoes 8 1/2 to 11, regular value \$1.75, our Removal Sale Price \$1.35	Lot Men's Howard Foster, Patent Oxfords, in Button and Blucher, regular 4.00 values, our Removal Sale Price \$2.90	Lot Men's Florsheim Oxfords in Patent and Tan, button Blucher, regular 5.00 value, our Removal Sale Price \$3.65

FREE!

9 a. m. Saturday One Pair Men's Shoes. One Pair Ladies' Shoes. Fifty Tickets given to the first fifty women and fifty tickets given to the first men. No obligations. Some one wins.

SALE!!

BEGINS

9 a.m. Saturday

Feb. 15th

E. G. DUCKWORTH

East First Street

Sanford, Florida

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SANFORD'S NEW BUILDINGS

All Previous Records Broken in Building Operations

SANFORD IS GROWING RAPIDLY

Residence Section and Business Section Keeping Pace With Increased Population

There is no city in the south that is growing as rapidly as Sanford and as proof of this statement the many new buildings going up at every point in the city is cited. Many fine residences have recently been built here by residents and those who come here and recognize the possibilities of profit in building houses for rent or sale. Sanford during the past two years has claimed the attention of the investors more than ever before for here he recognizes the sure sign of rapid growth and the chance to make good from the increase in real estate of all kinds.

Properties that a few years ago could have been purchased at a very small margin of profits have increased rapidly and those who have been away from the city for the past year are marveling at the rapid rise of real estate.

This building has not been confined to any one locality but is noticed in the residential and business sections of the city and for long distances out from the city proper the people are building fine homes. Sanford Heights in the past few weeks has again come into notice on account of the proposed brick roads that will girdle this fine residential property and the tourists are looking at this property with an eye for the future.

Space will not permit a recapitulation of the various properties that have been erected lately but the report of the City Clerk will convey some idea of the building operations although it does not give the many homes being built beyond the city limits.

Business Men's Association

An enthusiastic meeting was held in the Parlor of the Sanford House, Friday night, Feb. 14th, 1913, and a new organization was formed for the betterment of local trade and credit conditions. S. Runge was appointed temporary chairman and called the meeting to order. The business interests of the city were well represented, as 25 or 30 prominent business men were present. Officers were duly elected, as follows: S. Runge, President; Geo. A. Speer, Vice-Pres.; and A. K. Powers, attorney at law, Sec.-Treas. The merchants were fortunate in selecting Mr. Powers as Secy-Treas., as he is well up in his profession, and while he has only resided in Sanford a short while, is well known, and comes highly recommended from his former home in North Carolina, where he is well connected. An executive board was next elected, comprising ten. President Runge appointed J. D. Roberts, J. D. Davison, and Geo. A. Speer to submit ten names for approval of the meeting, and the following were elected: Geo. Fernald, Chairman; W. J. Hill, J. D. Davison, W. H. Underwood, J. D. Roberts, W. M. Haynes, S. Runge, A. K. Powers, Geo. A. Speer, and J. H. Overman. W. P. Henry, representing the Merchants Mercantile Agency, publishers of the Credit Experience Guide, next explained the system fully, and it was decided to appoint a committee to go with Mr. Henry and see such merchants who had not given their support, as it is important that every merchant co-operate in the movement, and great results will be accomplished. This association will co-operate with like associations formed all over the State as well as the United States. A meeting will soon be called for the Executive Board, when the constitution and by-laws will be adopted.

Adjourned with every merchant agreeing to work hand in hand with the other and do all in his power to help the general business of the city. The meeting adjourned, with every merchant agreeing to work hand in hand with the other, and do all in his power to help the general trade conditions. It is expected the association will have as members every merchant practically in Sanford and this vicinity, and already about 40 are co-operating.

There Will Be Ten New Counties Formed in Florida

Hon. Frank Mayes, editor of the Pensacola Journal, usually knows whereof he speaks, and in a late issue of the Journal voices the following words of wisdom regarding the question of county division:

"It is said there will be no less than ten propositions for new counties before the next legislature. Probably all of them have merit, and the trend of modern political economy is towards smaller political divisions of territory."

Sanford Schools Greatest in Orange County's List

During the recent visit of the state authorities to Sanford and a thorough inspection of the schools the remark was made that Sanford made the best showing of any city in the state according to population. Our system, rightly called the Sanford system, because it was instituted and fostered by Sanford alone is the best educational plan that has ever been given to the public. The city schools comprise three separate buildings, Primary, Grammar and High School and the system is perfect. Aside from the regular city schools that bring to total number up to eight school buildings in all making Sanford the educational center of this section.

Sanford City Has the Most Brick Paved Streets

The brick are now being laid on Ninth street to the new depot, a depot by the way that has just been erected at a cost of over \$70,000, and this additional paving will bring up Sanford's total to five miles of brick paved streets. These are not narrow alleys but in most instances broad thoroughfares and Sanford has the reputation of having more brick paving than any other city of similar size in the United States. The country roads to be paved next month contiguous to Sanford will amount to twenty-five miles of brick roads, and with the city paving will be Thirty Miles of Brick Paving. This would indicate that the city is going some and as place of residence is par excellence.

Sanford is the Trading Center for South Florida

The many visitors to the city this week are struck with the many sales in vogue at the big stores. Sanford merchants believe in selling goods and do not carry over any old stock to foist them upon the unsuspecting public at various times and in carrying out this policy give the buyers the opportunity of buying good materials cheap at this season of the year. There are at least four big sales going on this week and the buyers are coming into Sanford from all points of the compass, for they recognize the fact and are wise to the fact that in this city they can buy goods cheaper than in the larger cities of the north. Sanford merchants always treat their customers fairly and these customers always come again. Sanford is the trading center for all of South Florida.

Sanford is the Most Progressive Part of County

Sanford district has voted bonds for the construction of brick roads in the sum of \$200,000. The work will start on or about March 1st. No other city, no other district in the county had sufficient faith in the county or sufficient nerve to form a special road district and bond for brick roads. No other county in Florida or the entire south has done this much, although they have expended much hot air in talking about good roads and the state is very much exercised now about a separate appropriation for building good roads.

Sanford Gets Appropriation for \$70,000 Government Building

Sanford will have a fine government building to cost \$70,000. This most gratifying news was received here today in a telegram from Congressman Clark as follows:

Washington, D. C., February 18.

R. J. Holly, Editor Herald:
Bill carrying appropriation of \$70,000 for a site and government building carried in the House yesterday.

This means that our city will be graced by a fine building that will be commensurate with the remarkable growth of Sanford.

Sanford's Tourist Hotel Will Be Finest in the South

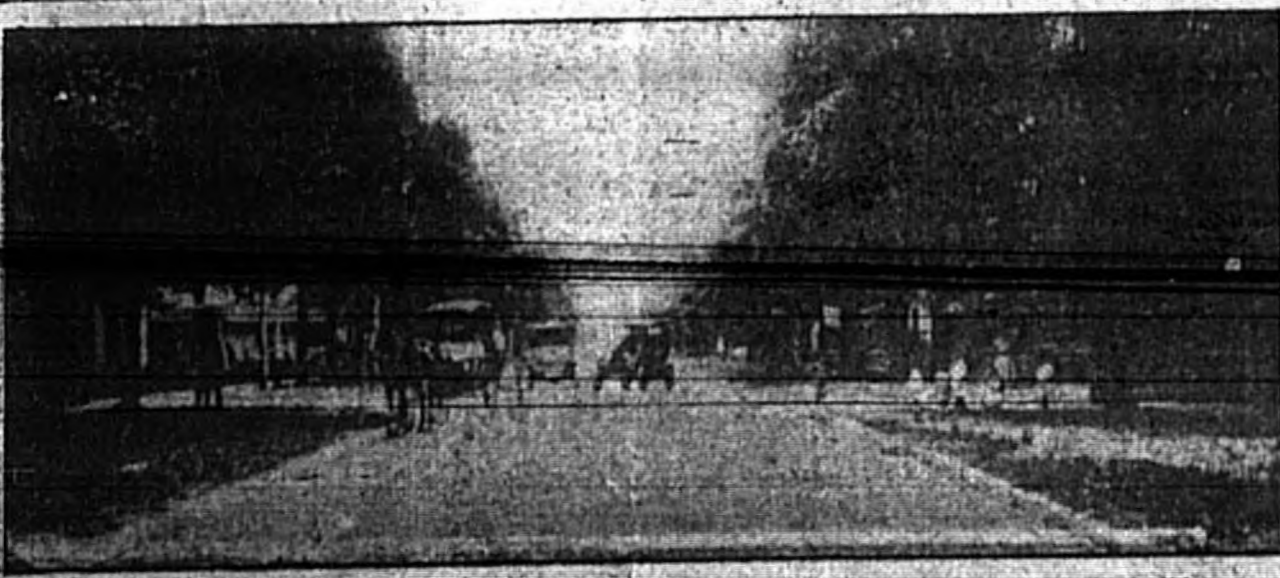
The unprecedented offer of the Sanford Hotel Co. and the Sanford Commercial Club to donate a \$20,000 tract of land free, to bulkhead the same and give the company free taxes for a term of years is bearing fruit and several well known capitalists are in the city this week with a view of taking up the offer, and also purchasing the entire holdings of the Hotel Co., which comprise some of the most valuable real estate in the city. They expect to erect a beautiful tourist hotel on the banks of Lake Monroe and Sanford being the finest resort for the sportsman in the entire south will take front rank as the most suitable place to spend the winter. A Country Club will be erected on Sanford Heights simultaneously with the erection of the new hotel.

Sanford Building Faster Than Any City in the State

Building permits for the past six months, according to the records in the City Clerk's office brings the sum up to the grand total of \$108,600. This does not include the new business block to be erected by J. L. Miller in the next few weeks or the new residences in contemplation.

Sanford Celery Brings Good Prices This Season

Sanford has long been known as the celery section of the United States, although the people here have other good crops now that are sure money makers and are not as elusive as the celery crop. This season the growers expect to realize good prices on the late crops and many of them have made comfortable profits on the first celery. One Celery avenue grower cleared \$4,500 on less than five acres and another made \$9,600 on less than ten acres, which is a very good profit considering that spring crops will be planted on the same land.



SANFORD IS BOOMING

Improvements Being Made Here Enhance Land Values

CAPITAL BEING ATTRACTED HERE

The Many Advantages Offered Are Magnets That Pull People Our Way

One of our West Side growers has refused ten thousand dollars for a patch of ten acres of celery. He claims that the stuff is in such good shape that he will get about twice this much for it.

M. E. E. Brady, who has a contract to get out 7,500,000 cross ties is getting his camp in shape and now has 75 men in the woods. This force will be increased until 200 men are employed steady. This project will turn one million and a quarter dollars loose here for labor alone. This will be a great benefit to Harney County as it will furnish work for our farm labor during the summer season.

It may not be generally known but it is a fact that this city will have 68 blocks of brick streets when the eleven blocks are completed for which the brick are now arriving. This is a very great distinction for Sanford.

The bridge across the Wekiwa river at Rutland ferry will be ready for traffic within six weeks. It is now more than half completed. This bridge will connect Harney and Lake counties and will be the cause of a great amount of traffic coming this way. There has been a great need of a direct connection with the central part of the state, and this bridge will be a great means of getting to and from the East coast resorts. This improvement supplies this demand.

With twenty-two miles of brick roads outside of the city limits of Sanford and in various directions there is no reason to doubt but what this will become one of the most favored and best advertised portions of the State.

Mr. Rogers has been successful in securing acre truck farms during 1912. The land was new and brought \$150 an acre. This shows the value of Sanford celery land.

The East Sanford Land League which is preparing to market 4,000 acres of citrus and vegetable lands on the Geneva Peninsula has just received its advertising matter from the printers and is now preparing to launch the sale in good shape. The lands of this concern are among the best in the county and will afford an opportunity for the man of small means to secure land in Harney county on very reasonable terms. It is expected that this movement will bring a large number of settlers to the Geneva Peninsula.

The new passenger station which has just been placed in commission here is pronounced by railway men to be the finest in inland Florida. The great traffic which is handled here is keeping it working to its fullest capacity.

It is not generally known, but Sanford has one of the greatest wholesale and retail hardware concerns in Florida. It is that of the Geo. H. Fernald Company. The trade of this concern extends all over South Florida and has the reputation of carrying one of the most complete stocks in the State.

The grower who has a good quality of celery is in clover this year. There is no stock on cold storage in the north and the freeze in California virtually put that competitor out of business. This leaves a clear field to Sanford and it is claimed by conservative ones that three-fifths of the stock in the United States is in our fields at this time.

Music Club

The Music Club held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. F. L. Woodruff Saturday afternoon. The very inclement weather prevented the attendance of several of the members who were on the program. The meeting therefore was shortened.

There will be a special meeting next Saturday afternoon at Mrs. Woodruff's at 3 o'clock sharp. Every member is requested to be present, as an important matter must be considered by the entire club.

After the business of the club is attended to the chorus will have a practice. It is desired that the full chorus be on hand.

CURBSTONE GLEANINGS

Budget of Opinion "Just Between You and Me."

EVEN THE GATE POST NOT IN IT

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

Our Sanford Paper What paper do the children read As soon as they are able? The Sanford Herald - With others round the center table. What paper tells of marriage bells, And parties by the score? The Sanford Herald - Sent promptly from office to our door.

What paper tells us of the news Before we hear it otherwise? The Sanford Herald - It tells events, of nations' fall and rise. What friend enters every store And settles all debate? The Sanford Herald - It tells the market price, if they love us truest mate.

Whose veracity do we trust, if We're in any doubt? The Sanford Herald - A friend we prize and cannot be without.

What told the happy children of Dear old Santa Claus? (The Sanford Herald -) Cleverly impersonated by pa's and ma's.

What paper is impartial to all, Praising the right and the true? The Sanford Herald - Whether it be the "Gray" or the "Blue."

Within this ideal city, I gladly Unite with you all and say: "Long live The Sanford Herald," And God bless the editor alway."

Who helps a man up and to Temperance is true? The Sanford Herald - Who waits for that paper each week? Why me and you. -Written by Mrs. T. P. Hill. Sanford, Florida, February 13, 1913.

I see that my old friend Goolsby of the Wauchula Advocate is fighting for county division and taking up the cudgel against the following very pertinent questions to his county contemporaries of the county seat, who naturally are fighting for the county ring: "When Florida was purchased in 1821 it had two counties. Was the making of all the counties since then the work of "unscrupulous politicians," or was it because the development of the state demanded it?

Did you ever hear of a case of a county that had been divided ever being reunited? Did you ever hear of a case where dividing a county bankrupted either the old or the new county?

What great calamity followed the dividing of Dade, Brevard or Hillsborough counties?

Were the people ground down to poverty when DeSoto county was divided from Manatee.

Would the people of DeSoto like to be reunited to Manatee county?

You insinuate dividing the county will increase taxes. Did it increase taxes when Manatee was divided?

Considerable money has been used to defeat division in DeSoto county. Was this money furnished by the farmers and fruit growers, or was it furnished by the select few who make an easy thing by having a big county?

Will you cite us any leader of division that ever grafted from the county; was seeking office for political spoils, ever betrayed the people, or refused to take up the fight for the common people?

Do you realize that if DeSoto county was divided into three counties upon the proposed lines that each of the new counties would have as large a population as the whole county had in 1890?

Do you realize that at the present rate of growth it will not be five years before the proposed Seminole county will have a larger population than the whole of DeSoto county had in 1910?

Is not this same rapid growth taking place in other parts of the county?

In looking into the county division matter again I see some of my good old friends lined up against it for various and sundry reasons. None of them reside in Sanford, but there are a few in other districts and they are the same people who have been against bonds for good roads and against all improvements.

They have also been artful dodgers in the matter of paying taxes and they are afraid of the new county because the new county broom will sweep clean and will make these dear old citizens pay the taxes that they have filched from the county treasury so long, while the rest of the county has been paying taxes. That is the rub with most of them and that is why they have so much love for the mother county. The county division talk has agitated questions that would never have come up at any time and people are beginning to see a light and to see that a few people have paid all the taxes and several very fine orange groves in the county are not paying the revenue that they should. All this of course makes very strong anti-divisionists and they are fighting strong against the division of the county and incidentally for the preservation of their very low taxes. There is a method in their madness. They do not want any changes and do not want the light of publicity thrown on the dark places. The new county will place them where they belong and they know it, and the foolish fellows are acting more foolish by showing their weakness in sputtering about the awful Sanford secessionists and dear old mother and protection.

We are Democrats in this end of the county and believe in the majority rule and protection for no one. We are husky guys, born in the open and raised on the farm, and we will give and take and ask a fair deal for all. And Harney county will get a fair deal for all and the pampered sons will pay the taxes that they have dodged for so many years.

The death of Capt. Scott is sincerely lamented all over the world. He had made so fine a reputation for gentlemanly conduct and bearing, for willingness to give others credit to which they were entitled, for personal courage and resolution, that the loss of such a life is felt to be one of more than common severity.

As far as may be gathered from the reports sent in, the fatal end of the expedition for himself and companions was due to lack of preparation in the way of stations of food and shelter for the return trip.

Captain Amundsen took great pains in that respect and was further favored by weather. He had, no doubt, a marvelous stroke of luck, but he took no chances and made careful provision, preparation for supplies as he fell back from the pole. No doubt Capt. Scott thought he had made preparations sufficient, but he miscalculated.

It is known that the South pole is on a continent. It is a land journey to reach it after one leaves the ship. One may gather from this disaster which has fallen to Capt. Scott from the experiences of Captain Amundsen, that the exploit of reaching the North pole was a much more difficult one than to reach the South pole and, incidentally, it throws a new light upon the claim of Dr. Cook to have reached the North pole alone.

The world awaits with great interest the full reports of the explorations about the South pole that will be found in papers of Captain Scott when they are brought back to Europe. But meanwhile, it is the sense of regret over the fate of the expedition that is felt most keenly.

You know I am a member of the church and pay my dues to that institution just as promptly as I pay all my other debts and it is interesting to me to watch the manner in which some of my good brothers and sisters pay their dues to the church of which they are members. Of course I am only speaking of the church of which I am a member, and yet my good friends in other churches tell me they are up the same tree. I speak of the people who are always telling how much they are doing in the Lord's vineyard and telling it publicly and yet when they are called upon for a small contribution to pay the preacher tell about their poverty and claim that they cannot pay anything. Some of these people come to church every Sunday and listen to the preacher and I am glad to see them there, but I cannot help asking the question of how in the world they expect the preacher to preach without the money that is necessary for his very existence. These same people are very active not only in church work but in all enterprises and I meet them wherever I go and they are the same loud mouthed individuals, telling everyone just how to live and what to do, but when you pass the hat they usually have business elsewhere. I wish they would give more and talk less.

It is rather early to talk about city politics and the coming to doubt what rest just now, but I will say right here that I want Mayor Spence to stand for re-election when the times comes and it will become me to say this, for I was his warm supporter when he made the race before, but watching him all through the first years of his tenure of office my

LODGE NOTES

SANFORD LODGES Sanford Lodge No. 27, I. O. O. F. Meets every Monday at 7:30 p. m., over Imperial Theatre. G. W. Blackweider, 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. ROSS, Sec'y.

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

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

Sanford Lodge, No. 82, F. & A. M. H. E. Tolar, Master; M. W. Lovell, Secretary. Meets every first and third Thursdays at 7:30 p. m. Visiting brothers welcome.

Unite 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. Blackweider R. S. & T.

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

L. O. O. M. The Loyal Order of Moose, meets every Friday evening at 8:00 P. M. in Eagles Hall, Welborn Block. Albert Selch, Dictator. R. H. Gelper, 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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opinion of him has been raised considerably and for one I would like to see him accept a second term. He knows the office now and he has certainly been square, all reports to the contrary. No man can give the peasant and of politicians and no doubt there will be others, but I want to state my preference now without consulting anyone.

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LET US REASON TOGETHER
The County Seat Papers Are Not Giving the Facts

Editor Herald: The press at the county seat is becoming very active and vituperative in its denunciation of the idea of dividing this county and establishing two new counties. These harangues when reduced to type appear ludicrous to a discerning person and tend to show that their line of defense has resolved itself into a system of ill poised ridicule and prevarication. They have stated that it will cost \$200,000 to establish the new county. This is the direct result of mental paralysis. They have stated time and again that our motive in wanting a new county was vested in our desire to make the new county a seat county. This is mental aberration. They have stated that our \$200,000 road bonds would be assessed against the entire property of the new county. This is gross absurdity. They have stated that the matter of county division was being pushed by a few political sore heads. This is a malicious perversion of the Golden Rule. They have stated that we are unqualified to govern ourselves and attend to our own affairs. This is a clear case of well developed astigmatism. They have stated that we have made false representations as regards our position in establishing a new county. This shows a state of mind leading direct to a condition of amnesia. They state that we will be unable to get along without their guiding hand and paternal interest. This is a delusion born in the throes of hallucination. They state that we will forever and eternally ruin what is left of Orange county after we take our departure. We wot no of this proposition. One of the papers down there while suffering from a lucid interval of right and justice said plainly that we should have a new county if we wanted it and they would pronounce Godspeed upon us. The next day this paper sternly denied that it never said it. When this matter was first taken up we asked for a conference with their citizens. No reply has been made to our request, but at the meeting which should have made the reply, a committee of twelve good and tried men were appointed, as the paper said later, "to put the KYBOSH to us." Of course, it will be readily admitted that this is a very Chesterfieldian manner in which to handle the matter. Now they come for information. They have it in their own town. They can get it from the records as we have taken it. A delegation of Orlando gentlemen called at the writer's office a few days ago and were shown the plans as we now have them. It may be necessary to change these plans and if it is, it should prove no burden to Orlando, as that town is not within the lines of the new county and hence is in no way interested in the matter. Our case is based upon logical deductions. We are making no unreasonable requests or demands, but the fact has come to our ears that no less than two of the present county officials have declared that they would contribute the sum of \$5,000 each to defeat the wishes of 40 per cent of the citizens who assisted in electing them to office. It seems that we elected masters instead of servants. In order to come at a more comprehensive understanding of this proposition we have offered to debate the question with any resident or residents of the new county at any place or time that they may elect. We have had no one to accept this proposition. Of the 1,500 voters who reside within the lines of the new county we have the signatures of more than 1,000 of them on a petition asking for division, the exact number being 1,097. When our petition is presented to the next legislature it will carry 90 per cent of the voters signatures along with it. Does this show a minority movement? Does it show that the soreheads in the north end of the county are in a majority? Does it prove that all our voters and property owners are scheming and conniving politicians? If it comes to a show down we can spin true tales of political duplicity that would cause the spirit of Nero to assume a beautiful green hue and he was classified as a politician. We learn in the oracle that when Satan was kicked out of Heaven that he fell from the south end of the county places upon our certain departure from the tharpaying trough. It would seem that they will even fall for a greater period than that old notorious devil, Satan. THOMAS K. BATES, Secretary Committee on County Division

On State Brick Roads

The Tampa Board of Trade at a recent meeting passed the following resolutions: Whereas, Hon. F. L. Stringer, State Senator of Hernando county, proposes to introduce at the approaching session of the Legislature a proposition to bond the state of Florida for the sum of \$10,000,000, for the purpose of building brick paved highways from Jacksonville to Tampa, Miami and Pensacola; and Whereas, This proposition has received the endorsement of leading citizens of Florida, recent expressions of advocacy having been printed from Hon. Braxton Beacham of Orlando, and Hon. Robert L. Anderson of Ocala, and others, and has been strongly advocated from the first by the Tampa Morning Tribune and other papers of the state; and Whereas, such a great improvement would mean inestimable benefits to the state of Florida, giving it precedence as a goods roads state and facilitating every line of business, and ought to be supported and advocated by all public spirited citizens; therefore be it Resolved, By the Board of Governors of the Board of Trade of the City of Tampa, Fla., in session Feb. 12th, 1918, do give said proposition its hearty endorsement and request our Senator and Representatives in the Legislature to give it hearty support; and be it further Resolved, That copies of this resolution be sent to each Board of Trade in the state of Florida with the request that they take similar action and urge the members of the Legislature representing their counties to do all in their power to bring about the adoption of the plan, and to use all other means within the power of said organization to create a public sentiment in favor thereof. Attest F. C. BOWYER, President. W. B. POWELL, Secretary.

Epicopal Church

Services at the Church of the Holy Cross (Episcopal), until further notice will be as follows: Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning Prayer with sermon at 11 o'clock, and Evening Prayer with short sermon at 7:30 every Sunday in the month. On the first Sunday in the month there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at the 11 o'clock service; and on the third Sunday of the month there will be an early celebration at 7:30. The mid-week services will be as follows: Tuesday afternoon at 4. Wednesday evening at 7:30. Thursday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock. Friday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. The Guild of the Holy Cross will meet Friday afternoon of each week during Lent at 2:30 at the Rectory, adjourning in time to attend the evening service at 4:30. Strangers in our city, as well as our resident friends will be cordially welcomed and shown to seats, which are all free. Rev. ARTHUR S. PECK, 50-11 Re tar.

Advertising Pays

Richard H. Marks of Sanford, Fla. had a curious experience in the real estate business a short time ago. An newspaper man was looking for "paid copy" at Sanford, and offered Mr. Marks an inch of space and a writeup for every inch of business he would secure for him at a splendid price. Mr. Marks went out and in the course of an hour returned with fifty-two inches of paid subs. The newspaper man was as good as his word, and wrote an article fifty-two inches in length, boosting Mr. Marks and his real estate business at Sanford, from which Mr. Marks received fifty-two letters asking for information in regard to a home or a business location. The information was cheerfully given and Mr. Marks made fifty-two sales of property. Who says that newspaper advertising does not pay, and that Mr. Marks is not strictly "on the job"? True, he has a large list of salable and desirable lands, chicken and egg farms, river fronts and inside property and can suit the purchaser both in price and quality. Anyone wanting a square deal and value received for his money in rich real estate would do well to write Mr. Richard H. Marks, Sanford, Fla.—Times-Union.

To Make Dry States Drier

States that have prohibited the sale of intoxicating liquors have had a reason for their action. Federal laws contraband goods could be shipped for sale within their boundaries. Webb bill, which passed the House Saturday, is not prohibition by Federal legislation, but recognition of the police regulations of dry states. The delivery of liquor to individuals who want it for their personal use is not prohibited, but the local authorities are empowered to seize shipments sent to dry states, where intended for sale.

The efforts of the prohibitionists, as in Maine, have been largely frustrated through the ability of illicit liquor dealers to secure unlimited supplies through the ordinary channels. But no temperance town ever sheltered a system of "blind pigs" or drug store back rooms without the cooperation of a considerable part of the local population. The law was violated because it was offensive to a large element. So long, however, as a state votes to close its saloons, it is only fair that congress should do what it can toward helping to make state laws effective. So long as the shipment of liquors anywhere and for any purpose is free and legal the dry states are at the mercy of the Federal authority. Where two systems of law have overlapped, the states have been helpless. Whether the Webb bill is constitutional in all its provisions is another question. But if it becomes a law and holds good in the courts, it will prove a serious obstacle to the sale of liquor in prohibition states, as the liquor interests testify by their determined opposition. —Orlando Sentinel.

Kirkland Wants Divorce

Jacksonville, Fla., Feb. 17.—The Rev. R. L. Kirkland, a revivalist, who is well known throughout the country, has instituted a suit for divorce from Addie Kirkland, in the circuit court. In his complaint he alleges that his wife has made his life a misery to him, by accusing him of wrong doing with other women and that on one occasion he became suddenly ill after eating a meal, and believes, although he has no definite proof, that his wife tried to poison him. He alleges that he became addicted to the use of a narcotic drug because of her constant nagging, and was cured with difficulty. Kirkland who was formerly pastor of a Congregational church at Tampa, also charges that because of the accusations of his wife he was compelled to give up his charge and engage in evangelistic work, and that since then she has followed him about the country and sought to ruin his reputation, and hold him up to contempt and ridicule. Kirkland is the preacher who created such a stir in the Congregational church at Tampa; a band of women attacking him in the pulpit on one occasion.

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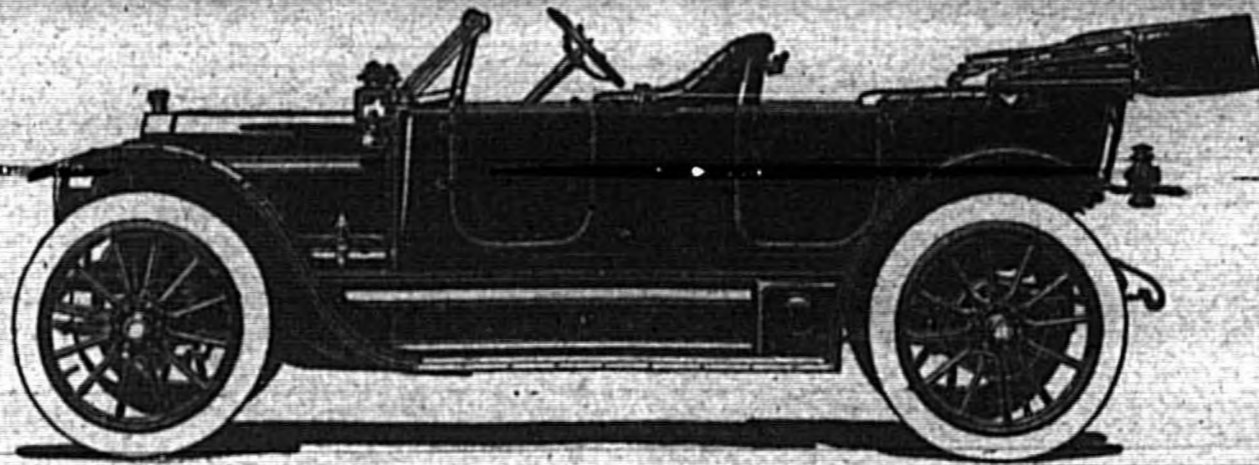
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CONGRESSMAN FRANK CLARK

The Herald asked the people of this section to vote for Frank Clark at the last election because he was the man for the office. The editor of The Herald has always supported Frank Clark because he has always made good his promises, in so far as human agency is possible.

Frank Clark said the Everglades deal was faking thousands of poor people in the north and injuring the state. Time has proved the wisdom of his crusade against the land sharks who have worked irreparable injury to the state.

Frank Clark, in the face of strenuous opposition even from his own workers gained an appropriation for the St. Johns river and the upper river. It seemed small at the time, but it was all that he could push through in a Republican administration.

Frank Clark has made good in every particular and The Herald rejoices not only because he has been vindicated but The Herald has been vindicated and this paper has never yet led the people astray. We ask you to support this man or that man or this measure or that measure because the editor is honest in his convictions and would not have the readers make a mistake in any particular.

The editor of The Herald will continue to support Frank Clark for any office to which he may aspire.

ABOUT CRIMINAL COURT

The hot air artists and office seeking lawyers who made so much noise at Oviedo last Friday and stated that Harney county could not abolish the Criminal Court can find cold comfort in the following from a gentleman who voices the sentiments of the majority of the tax payers of the state.

Read this copied from the Gainesville Sun, another county of 60,000 who have never been burdened by a Criminal court and never will:

L. S. Light, member of the Legislature from Marion county, gives the following excellent reasons in the Ocala Star for opposing the establishment of a criminal court of record in that county:

"I am opposed to a criminal court of record for Marion county for the following reasons: The state of Florida pays Judge Bullock's, Prosecuting Attorney Davis' salaries, also all costs of jury and witnesses coming before circuit court."

"A criminal court of record will require an additional judge, an additional prosecuting attorney, an additional clerk of the court, and the county must pay the judge, the clerk and all costs connected with the court. If the state pays the present judge, the present prosecuting attorney, the cost of jury and witnesses, what good will it do you and I to have like officials do the same duty that is now being performed by our present officials, and have the county pay the cost of a criminal court? What good will you and I get out of the creation of these new court officials, when we have already these men on the same job, paid by the state?"

"What would you think of a farmer who would hire two plow hands to run a one-horse plow? What do you think of the plan of paying two judges, two prosecuting attorneys, two clerks to prosecute one criminal?"

the law now is, I can go to our Reddick justice of the peace, and have the thief tried here and sent to jail; whereas, if we had a criminal court of record, I and my witnesses would have to go to Ocala, pay witnesses five cents a mile to and from Ocala, pay prosecuting attorney a salary per year, and ten dollars extra if convicted, besides cost of judge and clerk.

"Wherein can you and I be benefitted by a change of the above kind? A criminal court of record, if I am rightly informed, would almost completely wipe out the jurisdiction of our justices of the peace. Is not a court for minor offences and misdemeanors near home better for you and I than a lawyer-made court for same offenses in Ocala?"

SPEAKING ABOUT TAXES

The big, bombastic, brainy lawyers who are trying to retain the Criminal Court are doing it because they want an office. At least two of them who so tearfully plead for the Criminal Court at the recent balloon ascension at Oviedo want to be county solicitor at the Criminal Court. And because a few lawyers want a job should the north end of Orange county expend \$5,000 per year to keep up a Criminal Court?

A legal authority of Orange county states that fully \$5,000 per year could be saved the new county by abolishing the Criminal Court.

Does this mean anything to the taxpayers who have now this debt saddled upon them? Does Mother Orange want you to stay in the county because she loves you or does the idea of having a Criminal Court for revenue only make Mother Orange so affectionate?

Do the generous people of Orlando, who pay for barbecues and free excursions do so because they love the north end so well or because they want your money for Criminal Courts and new court houses and more county fair appropriations?

Please remember, Mr. Tax payers, that Harney county stands for retrenchment and low taxes all the time.

STATE GOOD ROADS

Col. Braxton Beacham of Orlando, in a well written article advocates the issuing of fifty millions of dollars of bonds by the state of Florida for the purpose of road improvement throughout the state. Mr. Beacham produces figures which prove that the present tax on automobiles, now levied only by the several counties in which it is collected, will pay interest on the bonded indebtedness and produce a sinking fund with which to clean up the indebtedness in a few years. We regret that the article is too long for our space. There is food for thought in the suggestion. Money raised for road purposes at present is not only a very heavy tax on the people who pay it—but most of the money is absolutely thrown away in an effort to do a hundred dollar's worth with one dollar. Other states have issued bonds and are using the funds for the construction of roads that will last several generations, while Florida is taxing her people and throwing away on absurd road propositions enough money every year to keep a system of good roads in excellent condition. The great trouble is, there is no concerted action, no unity of sentiment and effort. The coming legislature may be able to solve this proposition; if it does nothing else, it will go down in history as Florida's best legislature.—DeLand News.

WALTER A. SMITH

Walter A. Smith, cashier of the Orlando State Bank died last Wednesday which as a news item spells but little, and yet the editor of The Herald would not let this issue pass without this small tribute to the memory of a man like W. A. Smith. His was a quiet life, passed almost within the narrow confines of the financial institution that was her pride. Quiet, unassuming, patient and cheerful in bodily infirmities and sufferings Walter Smith was our friend and the friend of every one with whom he came in contact.

The least that one could say about Walter Smith is that he was a true gentleman in every sense of the word. May he occupy as high a place in the hearts of all who knew him as he did in the hearts of those who loved him.

DISTINCTION VS. DIFFERENCE

Big head in the Tampa Times says: "Estuary Nearly Half Completed," yet a short time ago, when some other paper took 'em up on the name applied to that proposition, the Times said: "We've quit calling it that." Anyway, whatever it is, we'll bet it's a good thing, what we could get some much needed

work done in this neighborhood.—Ft. Myers Press.

There is a vast difference in the names. Before Tampa wanted any government aid in dredging just plain slough or bay head was good enough. When they wanted government aid for a bay head they came an "estuary." Just a difference without a distinction and the distinction always comes from Washington in Uncle Steve's grip.

Florida's legislature will soon meet. All eyes will be on Dr. VanValzah of Volusia county, who will make a fight against the Insurance Trust, which has been taxing the people of Florida for years. The trust will as usual fill Tallahassee with paid lobbyists and make an effort to defeat any bill seeking relief for the people. Dr. VanValzah should receive the hearty cooperation of Senator Conrad and Representative Leonardy from Volusia county, and all other members of the legislature. There will be members there who will seek to defeat his efforts by all kinds of fool amendments to his bill—many of which, seemingly to strengthen the bill, but which, if they should be allowed to slip in, would make the law unconstitutional. Florida wants relief from the Insurance Trust—and the legislature must see that relief is given.—DeLand News.

"The annual carnival and regatta, which has been held on Lake Eustis for several winters is now being regarded as the prominent event of the season," says the Eustis Lake Region, and from indications the coming event for Washington's birthday will be the greatest yet known at that beautiful and interesting resort. A number of fine cups and prizes have been announced and a fleet of fine boats will be on hand to take part in the parade and review in the races. Eustis is making great preparations for the carnival and regatta and expects to entertain hundreds of people from all parts of Florida on Florida 22nd.

FIRST FAVORED DIVISION

Orlando Papers Were Really in Favor of Separation of County

When county division was first agitated the Orlando Reporter-Star and the Orlando Citizen favored county division. The Reporter-Star favored it because it is naturally against anything that the other papers favor. Just as an instance of the decided change in front, we publish a leading editorial from the Reporter-Star, which indicates their attitude before the county ring called them down and forced to line up for county division. The following appeared as an editorial in the Reporter-Star of recent date:

"The county division issue is being agitated in Sanford, where, at a recent meeting of the Commercial Club, a committee on county division was appointed. We believe we voice the sentiments of this section of the county when we say that if Sanford wants a division by all means she should have it. The general tendency these days is towards concentration of government. It is undeniable that vastness of territory and diversity of conditions, has retarded the development of many of our states. Generally speaking, the smaller the state, the more efficient and more in touch with conditions is the government of that state.

Looked at fairly it is a hardship for the people of Sanford to have to travel twenty-two miles to the seat of the courts, and the headquarters of the county's business. And a more serious reason for county division lies in the apparent difference in point of view between the people of the Sanford section and the other sections of the county.

Differences in people embraced in sections is often subtle and difficult to analyze. In this case it is hard to determine; but the fact remains that the Sanford people and the Orlando people have never hit it off very well. It is an open secret that Sanford has long been dissatisfied with her position as the second town of the county.

This ambition for first place, of our sister town is worthy, and should not be discouraged. Therefore, we repeat, if the territorial division can be settled to the satisfaction of both parties, there should be no hindrance in the way of division."

Death of Mrs. Maloney

Mrs. Geo. Maloney died at her home on Mellonville avenue last Friday and the remains were shipped to the city home in Ohio, followed by the heartbroken husband and family.

Big preparations are being made by the Miami Boy Scouts for a series of public meetings and entertainments, celebrating the third anniversary of the movement in America. The object of the public meetings is to acquaint the public with the scout work. This organization is planning to erect a gymnasium in Miami.

IN THE PURPLE FOLDER.

Sanford Occupies Prominent Place in A. C. L. Time Table.

In the latest time table or purple folder of the Atlantic Coast Line appears a list of the cities included in the section and the following description: "Sanford is the fifteenth city in point of population in the State of Florida. The United States Census of 1910, showing 3,870 persons, and increase of 2,120 over that of 1900, or an increase of 146 per cent.

Sanford is situated on Lake Monroe, in Orange County, in what is known as the Artesian Well Belt. The entire section is largely devoted to the cultivation of trucking crops, of which celery and lettuce are the most prominent. Flowing artesian wells and sub-irrigation have turned this section into a veritable garden spot, and the prosperity and growth of Sanford is due to this splendid agricultural development.

Sanford being at the head waters of St. John River, is a most delightful tourist resort. The new Sanford House and numerous other hotels and boarding-houses, afford comfortable accommodations for the tourist.

All through passenger trains of the Atlantic Coast Line, between Jacksonville and South Florida, pass through this station."

The people of Sanford appreciate this nice compliment to the city by the A. C. L., and also their efforts toward giving us one of the finest stations between Jacksonville and Tampa.

THE BIG JUBILEEFICATION

Great Organ Piano Orchestra and a Grand Chorus of Forty.

The Installation Jubilee of Sanford's new King of Musical Instruments is now definitely fixed for Tuesday evening, February 25. All or on the qui vive to hear the grand organ, built by the world renowned M. P. Moller, of Hagerstown, Md., and the great waves of harmony evoked by an ensemble of forty of the best vocalists, supported by above powerful instrument, together with piano and orchestra. The installation of this magnificent musical utility in our midst is a matter of town pride, and a feature of this auspicious occasion will be brief recitations from the tongue which utterances we always delight to hear, headed by Mayor Spencer, who will be followed by Representative Forrest Lake, Hon. J. N. Whitner, Geo. H. Fernald, F. P. Forster, R. J. Holly, J. O. Packard, D. L. Thrasher, C. R. Walker, Henry Wight, T. E. Wilson, Geo. DeCottet, Postmaster Haakins, and the clergy of the city, Rev. Mr. Beck, rector of the Episcopal church; Rev. Mr. Brownlee, pastor of the Presbyterian church Rev. Mr. Gaines of the Methodist, Rev. Mr. Wildman of the Baptist, and Rev. Mr. Langley of the Congregational, churches respectively. Further particulars will be given in subsequent issues of The Herald.

A Statement

To meet a reasonable interest and to prevent a possible misapprehension I desire to make the following statement

For forty years I have felt a deep interest in Bible study. In recent years this interest has grown. The invention of the Wildman Folding Partitions, which have proved so effective in use in the Baptist church carries with it a responsibility to make the invention known to other needy Sunday schools everywhere. I find I cannot do this and continue in my present pastorate. Therefore I propose to remove about April 1st to a more central location. In so doing it is not my plan to give up the ministry. I expect to preach so long as I am able, but it is my conviction that in the general work which I shall undertake I can do more good than by continuing the pastor of one church. For this reason I have made known that I must, at an early date, sever my pleasant relation as pastor of the Baptist church. J. W. WILDMAN.

MUSICAL AT MOORES.

A musical will be given Friday evening at the residence of Mrs. Ella Greenland, for the benefit of the Sunday School.

Program as follows: Piano Duet.—Mrs. Curtis and Mrs. Greenland. Vocal Solo.—Miss Ashton. Piano Solo.—Mrs. Greenland.

Vocal Solo.—Miss Poe. Vocal Solo.—Miss Laura Fish. Vocal Duet.—Miss and Mrs. Ashton. Tenor Solo.—Mr. Will Ashton. Vocal Solo.—Mrs. Greenland. Refreshments will be served at conclusion of program and a silver offering taken.

Banks Will Close

Next Saturday, being Washington's birthday the Sanford banks will close.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Florida Gospel Navy Bible Conference Will Meet at Stuart

The Florida Gospel Navy will hold its third annual Bible conference at Stuart, Fla., on February 23rd and closing March 4th. It is to be a ten days' Bible study, including lectures, and a week of Sunday school institute work. One may have his choice of three meetings a day with plenty of opportunity for boating, fishing and recreation. Stuart was formerly the winter home of President Grover Cleveland and Joseph Jefferson, the famous actor.

The conference is non-denominational, and Christians of every faith will find a welcome. It opens on Sunday, Feb. 23rd, with lectures and addresses on Bible themes. On Tuesday morning, February 25, the Sunday school institute opens under the leadership of Rev. George H. Waldron of Sanford. He is to be assisted by a number of Sunday school workers during the week. Among the speakers on these subjects will be Rev. J. D. Langley of Sanford.

Rev. William H. Hopkins, recently of Denver, Col., and now of Atlanta, Ga., will be the leading speaker and teacher of the Bible conference. He is a man of wide experience in this work. The sessions are free and open to all. For programs and further information write Rev. Neil McQuarrie or Prof. Jas. R. Pomeroy, Stuart, Florida.

Case to Higher Court

Notice was received that the supreme court of the United States will have to decide when an orange is ripe, along with the questions what is whiskey and when is an egg rotten. The Florida green fruit law is to be carried up to that court on appeal from the decision of the supreme court of Florida which held that the law was constitutional.

The appeal in this case is taken by S. J. Sligh of Orlando, whose appeal to the supreme court from the circuit court of Orange county was denied. Sligh contended that the anti-green fruit shipments law was unconstitutional, in that it interfered with interstate commerce. The supreme court held that the law was constitutional.

Shooting at Goldsboro

Franklin, a prominent negro merchant of Goldsboro was mysteriously shot as he entered his own residence last Sunday night. He had been attending church and upon going into his house he was fired upon and all five shots took effect in his abdomen. George Benton, another Goldsboro negro has been arrested for the crime and will be held awaiting the injuries of Franklin. On account of the nature of the wounds there is small hope of his recovery and the charge of shooting with intent to kill may be changed to murder today.

Later: Franklin died at an early hour this morning, and it is said that in a dying statement he accused Benton of shooting him.

Book Circle

Mrs. George A. Speer entertained the Book Circle Saturday afternoon. To the suggestion of the hostess that they bring their fancy work, some of the members responded, while others brought plain sewing, which occupied their time while the pleasant social hours were enjoyed together. Delicious strawberries with whipped cream, cake and chocolate were served by the hostess. Several members of the circle were unable to be present. Mrs. Speer's guests were Mrs. A. P. Connelly, Mrs. J. W. Dickens, Mrs. D. L. Thrasher, Mrs. B. W. Herndon, Mrs. Samuel Puleston, Mrs. Robt. Newman, Mrs. M. H. Bowler, Mrs. F. L. Miller.

Complimentary to Miss Hill

Miss Mabel Hand was the charming hostess at a very pleasant open house entertainment Thursday evening last, complimentary to Miss Madeline Hill of Narcoosee, her attractive house guest.

The hall and dining rooms were beautifully decorated in green and white. Mrs. E. B. Brown and Misses Madge and Veda Ward contributed several delightful piano solos to the entertainment of the guests, who enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

A delicious pear salad, wafers and chocolate were served in the dining room, which was very attractively decorated in red.

Will Have Minstrel Show

A meeting is called for Friday night at the home of Mrs. J. W. Herndon for the purpose of organizing to put on a home minstrel show. All those interested are requested to attend.

The report that Henry M. Flagler has been seriously ill is denied by his physician. Mr. Flagler, his wife, physician and attendants are now at Mr. Flagler's winter home at Palm Beach.



Grand organ installation Tuesday evening next, February 25.

Miss Wilson of Auburn, New York is the guest of Capt. W. M. Lovell and family.

Hon. J. N. Whittier has returned from a visit to New York city and other points north.

E. Hy Palmer of Orlando was in the city yesterday calling upon his many friends.

Timbers for the pipe organ dedicatory can be purchased at D. L. Thrasher's drug store or of Mrs. Terhune.

R. E. Huffman, timber cruiser from the U. S. Land office at Gainesville was in the city yesterday on business.

The county fair will take the attention of Sanford people this week and we will forget county division for awhile.

Miss Gerde Wilkin has returned from a pleasant visit to friends and relatives in South Carolina and other points.

N. A. Bauman, representing the Goodrich Tire Co., of Akron, Ohio, called upon the local trade here yesterday.

Guy Zetrower, travelling representative of the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company is in the city for a few days.

The erecting of the new pipe organ is going forward as fast as could be expected, and the dedicatory will take place Tuesday evening next.

There will be a crush at the pipe organ dedicatory, but abundance of extra seating will be provided, so that all may be most comfortably seated.

Get the candy at the apron sale at Thrasher's Pharmacy next Friday and Saturday, benefit of the Presbyterian church.

T. K. Bates, secretary of the Commercial Club is in Ocala today and will make an address before the Ocala Board of Trade tonight.

Aprons of all kinds and dainty caps to match will be sold at Thrasher's Pharmacy by the Presbyterian ladies, next Friday and Saturday.

Over two inches of rain fell here Saturday and the steady downpour made the day very disagreeable, especially as this sort of weather is rare in Florida.

The number of sales now on in Sanford should materially reduce the high cost of living. You can buy anything now except groceries at cost or below cost.

George Atkins, the genial representative of the Covington Co. of Jacksonville called upon the local trade yesterday and his many friends were glad to see him again.

Mrs. Benton of Boston is the guest of her cousin, Francis Munson of Sanford Heights. This is their first meeting in forty years and they are thoroughly enjoying the reunion.

The city is filled with people, some of them tourists, some of them investors and most of them shoppers who are taking advantage of the many bargains offered by Sanford merchants.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will have an apron sale at Thrasher's Pharmacy next Friday and Saturday. Delicious, home made candy will also be on sale. All for the benefit of the church.

Everybody is interested in the new government building and the site. Real estate will probably double in value in the next few hours, especially if the owners are considering selling to the government.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Atlantic Timberland Corporation at New York, Addison L. Williams of Sanford, Florida, was elected as secretary for the company, with office at Geneva, Fla., their headquarters, where they have thousands of acres of wood land to cut over.

For the benefit of exhibitors at the Orange county fair the Southern Express Co. is shipping certain exhibits free of charge. This includes agricultural exhibits weighing fifty pounds or less, and packages of citrus fruit, weighing not over eighty pounds, shipped from any point within the state. This is a splendid concession, and one that will aid very materially in an increased exhibit.

Coming soon to the J. H. Eschman European Shows, trained animal exhibition and museum of curiosities is coming to Sanford on Feb. 24th and 25th and will give two performances on that day, one in the afternoon and one at night. There will be a number of free acts given on the show grounds. Don't forget the day and date, Feb. 24th and 25th.

"A show that gives all it advertises." is the name that has been given the J. H. Eschman European Shows, which come to Sanford on Feb. 24th and 25th. If you are a lover of good clean amusement

you should not miss the performance given by this attraction. It is varied enough to suit the taste of anyone, consisting as it does of circus acts, dancing, acrobats and wire walkers, all kinds of trained animals, ponies, dogs, monkeys, birds and elephants. One attraction that is well worth the admission charged "Little Nello," the smallest trained elephant in the world. Don't forget the day and date, Feb. 24th and 25th.

FRANK CLARK WORKING

New York Herald Thinks Our Congressman is Presumptive

Sometimes when primaries come around somebody who wants his job charges Frank Clark with not doing anything.

The following is good evidence of his work. It is from a roast in the New York Herald of four Congressmen, of which he is one, who it charges with trying to get too much for their districts. The part referring to Mr. Clark is as follows:

To Representative Frank Clark, of Florida, must be given a medal for pork hunting proficiency. Postoffices, fish hatcheries, sub-treasuries, war claims, pensions and surveys are proposed by him as means for extraction of coin from Uncle Sam's treasure box.

He asks for eight new postoffices, which, if the bills were passed, would cost the government \$950,000. One calls for \$250,000 for a postoffice at St. Augustine. Population less than 2,500.

The seven other bills call for \$100,000 each. If the bills pass new postoffices will be located at Lake City, population, 5,032; Orlando, population, 3,804; DeLand, population, 2,812; Sanford, population, 3,870; Live Oak, population, 3,450; Daytona, population, 3,082; West Palm, population less than 2,500.

Representative Clark also wants the government to build seven fish hatcheries in the state, each to cost \$50,000. Besides this, that no one may be neglected, Representative Clark asks for a \$80,000 sea wall at St. Augustine and a \$100,000 sub-treasury building at Jacksonville. Then, too, he asks for the government to refund the Florida cotton tax of civil war times. It amounts to according to big business, \$1,000,000.

His pension bills, if they became laws, would annually cost the government \$5,520. Personal relief bills introduced by him, if they became laws, would cost the government \$48,420. His war claims bills would cost the government \$14,218 more. Then his award bills would give residents of the state \$259,342 more of the government coin.

Besides all this, he would have all surviving veterans or widows of veterans of the Seminole war receive a general monthly pension of \$12.

Distinguished Visitor

The congregation of the Methodist church had the great pleasure last Sunday morning of listening to a very fine lecture on Christian Service by Mrs. Mabel Hilbish Stevens, principal of Southland Seminary for Girls which is located at Gainesville.

Mrs. Stevens is a traveled and broadly experienced Christian woman, whose personality and gifts are of a very high order.

While in attendance at the Lake Monroe Bible Conference last week, where she occupied a prominent place in the program, and did some good work in the cause she represents so ably, Rev. H. T. Gaines, pastor of the Methodist church of Sanford had the pleasure of hearing Mrs. Stevens talk on several lines of Christian work, and being impressed with her teaching, he wanted his congregation to have the privilege and pleasure of listening to a woman whose life so nobly demonstrated her faith in her Master. With that end in view Mr. Gaines invited Mrs. Stevens to lecture in his church Sunday morning last, which she kindly presented to do and presenting her subject she pleaded the cause she represented in such a way that could not fail to deeply impress all whose privilege it was to be present.

Basket Ball

The Sanford High School met the Kissimmee High on the local court Saturday, Feb. 8th and all but annihilated them.

The team worked together like a piece of machinery and at no time in the game did the visitors have a show or even a chance to help themselves.

Field and Routh as guards did some very fine work and had the visiting forwards outwitted at all stages of the game.

Raynor and Kanner also did fine work at forward, which Gilbert at center played his usual best game. The score was Sanford 29, Kissimmee 8.

The Kissimmee boys were good losers and after the game took in the sights of Sanford, and as they left they made the station ring with cheers. Each team has won one game and the third is to be played at Kissimmee in the near future.

NINE DAYS OF SECOND

BONUS OFFER REMAINS

A FINE OPPORTUNITY

No Candidate Who Hopes to Win Should Neglect This Exceptional Chance to Increase Their Score in a Substantial Way

From now on until Saturday noon, March first, should be marked by the greatest activities upon the part of the candidates in the Herald's contest. Nine days remain of the second bonus offer for 25,000 EXTRA votes for every club of \$14.00—for every fourteen dollars' worth of either old or new subscriptions turned in by noon March the first.

In these nine days much good work can be done. Several clubs can be secured if the proper energy is put behind the effort to secure them. Every candidate should get one or two clubs and as many more as possible. Those who secured bonus votes under the first offer should not allow themselves to believe that they have the piano won.

Candidates who have done very little so far should make up their minds to begin active operations now. There is time now left to make a winning race.

The contest is growing to a close. It is not long until the last day. Every day should be made to count. Especially the remaining days of the present bonus offer should be put to good use.

Voting Power of Subscriptions

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

Table with 2 columns: Subscription amount and corresponding votes. 1 year \$ 2.00... 2,000 votes; 2 years' 4.00... 7,000 votes

Table with 2 columns: Subscription amount and corresponding votes. 3 years' 6.00... 13,000 votes; 4 years' 8.00... 13,800 votes; 5 years' 10.00... 14,600 votes; 10 years' 20.00... 76,000 votes

The list of candidates and their vote exhibit as counted up to noon Monday Sanford, Fla.

Table listing candidates and their vote counts. Miss Ruth McDaniel: 90,750; Miss Esther Miller: 92,250; Mrs. R. L. Griffin: 94,200; Mrs. R. A. Newman: 94,650; Mrs. I. V. Stanstron: 69,600; Miss Gladys Green: 78,400; Miss Ethel Hickson: 56,400; Miss Maud Cameron: 94,700; Miss Perry Lee Bell: 5,150; Miss Saille Lipford: 32,450; Mrs. David Spear: 64,800; Miss F. Kinney: 18,100; Mrs. L. S. McBride: 10,800; Mrs. J. D. Linton: 7,100; Miss Ruth Royal: 24,000; Mrs. H. F. Quackabus: 7,850; Miss Emma Houston: 10,450

MORE FAITH IN SANFORD

Northern Capitalists are Willing and Anxious to Invest in City. The live secretary of the Sanford Building Association, after new business constantly and informed The Herald today that he had received two communications from New York investors wanting to buy preferred stock in the Building Association. This preferred stock guarantees 7 per cent on the investment and is one of the best investments in the south today. The preferred stock is selling rapidly and strange to say is attracting the northern investors not only to the purchase of the stock, but attracting them to Sanford. They want to see the hustling city that can support such a solid building association and they are investing their money here in lots and houses and farming lands.

The strangers within our gates can see farther ahead into the city's future than our own citizens. Mr. Connelly states that the affairs of the Association were never in better shape and he has orders for a dozen more fine homes and will have the money to build them within a few more weeks.

The Goose Girl

Harold MacGrath's popular novel, "The Goose Girl" dramatized by Geo. D. Baker, will be the attraction at the Imperial Theatre on Saturday of this week. The play tells the story of deceit and diplomacy played by the chancellor of Eberstein, so that his daughter should be queen, by having the real princess abducted by a band of ruffians. Grimbach, unknowingly assists in the abduction and then goes to America where he makes a fortune as a master plumber. He returns to his native land to right the wrong he has committed. With the assistance of the American consul at Dreiberg, he furnishes proofs that the humble little goose girl, who served him with beer in the old tavern, is a real princess and the Princess Hildagard is the daughter of Count von Herbeck, the arch conspirator in the abduction plot. Gretchen, the Goose Girl is loved by the young king of Jugendheim, disguised as a vintner named Leo, while Arthur Carmichael, the American consul, is in love with Hildagard, who, after the denouncement leaves with her father and Carmichael for America to begin life anew under different circumstances.

Howard Car Arrives

The Howard automobile that will be given away by the Sanford Shoe Clothing Co. has arrived in the city and will be on exhibition at their store from this date. Come in and see this beautiful car and learn how you can procure the same absolutely free of charge. Somebody in Sanford or in the adjacent territory will get this fine car free of cost. Ask the man for further particulars regarding the free automobile.

HAVE FAITH IN SANFORD.

Western Union Telegraph Company Making Great Improvements. Big corporations usually know which way the wind is blowing and as an example of Sanford's future progress is the magnificent improvements now being made by the Western Union Telegraph Co. in this city. Their former office in the Pico Block was too crowded to take care of the rapidly increasing business and the fine large room in the People's Bank building next to The Herald office was recently leased for a term of years and a large force of men are now at work stretching cables from the main lines to the new offices and one separate room in the rear is required to take care of the battery equipment to supply the new office.

One of the finest equipments in the state will be installed at once, comprising switchboards and instruments and new office fixtures of all kinds and when finished the new office will be complete in every particular. Under the capable management of G. E. Hoff, the business of the company has increased greatly and Sanford is rated as a first class city.

The Postal Telegraph Co. is also keeping pace with the growth of the city and recently moved into new quarters, in the Ensminger Block. Sanford as a county seat and with the new tourist hotel and other improvements will give the telegraph companies plenty of business and they are preparing for the rush.

Many Prizes Given Away

The Sanford Shoe & Clothing Co. sale that has been in progress for several days has been most successful in every way and large crowds were in attendance from every section of Orange, Lake, Volusia and other counties.

Mr. Cole started a loud noise about 8 o'clock about the free prizes and at 8 o'clock a little girl picked out the lucky numbers as follows:

- 1081. A suit of clothes, Julius Takach.
67. A suit case, no one called for it.
689. Steadon Hat, C. M. Hand.
871. Pair Shoes, J. B. Calder.
2474. Four Shirts, no one called for them.

Mr. Cole claims that the prizes that have not been called for are ready for the lucky holders of the tickets and if no one calls for them he will hold the contest for the remainder next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Come one and all and get in on the prizes that will never be duplicated here again.

It is understood that Prof. and Mrs. Thomas J. Preston of Philadelphia, Pa., will spend the remainder of the winter in Florida. Mrs. Preston was formerly Mrs. Grover Cleveland. She was married to Prof. Preston of Edinonton University, on Thursday.

WANTS

For Sale—One absolutely new, elegant brass bed, with box spring and hair mattress, bureau with mirror, wash stand, table, all high polish. Cost \$165, will sell immediately for \$80.00. Address B. Herald. 81-2p
For Rent—6-room cottage, with all modern improvements. Palmetto Ave. N. H. Herald. 81-2p
For Sale—Two story house and small barn, four acres, forty orange trees, other fruit. Three thousand dollars. One thousand cash, balance to suit purchaser. Property at Paola, Florida. Mrs. E. R. Curtis, Sanford. 48-4t
For Sale—160 palm-leaf partitions at 65c per pair. Will not ship less than ten pairs. Arthur Schleman, Tampa, Fla., Game Warden. 66-3tp
For Sale—Begger Weed Seed. We guarantee our Tom Watson and all varieties of watermelon seed to be true to name. Write for prices. For 35 years we have grown melons for seed purposes only. Girardeau Seed Co., Monticello, Fla. 42-20tc
For Sale—Two desirable lots in Sanford Heights. Bargain if taken promptly. Address, D. G. Wagner-Kissimmee, Fla. 44-4t
For Sale—Pop corn wagon at corner First and Park Ave. Enquire at Bishop Block or address Box 1094, City. 44-4t
See Smith, Fix-It-Man, for best roof gutters. Room 7, M. G. T. Block. 60-4t
For Rent Cheap—New one room furnished cottage, with bath on quarter acre, good garden land. Lateral avenue and Second street. Address P. O. Box 1823. 48-4tc
For Sale—Block of five well located city lots. Address Owner, Box 1287. 84-4t
For Trade—Brick Veneer House in Pueblo, Colorado. Eight rooms, 3 closets and pantry, city water in yard and house, sewer, house newly painted and papered inside, outside cement collar, other outbuildings, lot 60x120, all fenced, nice shade. The place well located to city park, school, churches and curricula. Will trade this place for land vacant or improved close to Sanford. Call and see us. Swopes Land & Investment Co., Herald Building, Sanford, Fla. 60-4tc
For Rent—Store room and unfurnished room in Bishop block. Enquire Holden Real Estate Co. 68-2t
Complete, Enquire L. E. Goodrich or Miss N. A. Wylie, Ft. Reid. Prices Reasonable. 48-8t
For Rent—Two furnished rooms, corner Third and Magnolia. Inquire at Sanford Furniture Co. store. 48-4t
Wanted—Clean cotton rag, no scraps, at the Herald office. Will pay 3 cents per pound. 57-4t
For Sale—Two family launches, also wholesale fish business with launches, boats and nets. Also lake front lot with three houses. C. L. Vincent at fish house. 57-4t
Good Mule for Sale Cheap—For inspection apply to John C. Edwards, Celery avenue. 82-3tc
For Sale—Two good mules, wagon and harness. See them at Meca Hammock on Greenman place. 86-4tc
Wanted—Man and wife with small capital, to manage live stock and produce farm on share basis. See owner at Stone Island, or address Box 1168, Sanford. 60-8tp
St. Johns Hotel—Rooms and board. Homelike accommodations for regular boarders or transients. Good table. Rates reasonable. W. H. Watham, Prop. 420 W. First St. 63-4t
For Rent—Six room cottage with all modern improvements. 409 Palmetto avenue. Apply to F. W. Mahoney at Fernald Hdw. Co. 82-4t
Wanted—Orders for fine front porch cabbage plants, all varieties, 1.25 per 1,000; cheaper in larger lots. Satisfaction guaranteed. F. S. Cannon, Megett's, S. C. 81-84tc
For Sale—Horse, carriage, wagon, harness, tools, in A1 condition. Price reasonable. Address H. M. D., care Herald. 61-4tc
For Sale—I have 1 horse and run-about buggy, and 2 head cows for sale. Prices very reasonable for a quick sale. If interested apply to John T. Edwards, Celery Avenue. 81-4
For Sale—White Maltese hen and red Calneux pigeons, color banded, mated pairs and youngsters. The best is the cheapest. Sanford Pigeon Lofts, Route 1. 53-8tc
Lost on Friday—Stick pin. Suitable reward if returned to H. H. Walker, Ocala, Fla. 62-8tp
For Sale—\$400 Piano for \$115, also four good mules. Fred Shumon, West Side. 62-4t
For Rent for Share of Garden Crop—Eight acres superior garden land. Tenant to have use of comfortable cottage, near Lake Monroe, rent free. Place has fine poultry, only a few miles from largest and most profitable poultry farm in the south. Inquire of Gen. R. Palmer or Thayer's store, Enterprise, Fla. Enterprise Ferry leaves Sanford city dock, late 25 cents. 61-3tp
Lost—A large white and brown pointer dog, answers to name "Bud," and a small white and orange pointer bitch, answers to name "Lizmy." When last seen had on collar bearing name George D. Cross. Suitable reward will be paid for information leading to return of above dogs. A. DeBarry, Enterprise. 63-8tc

FROM THE RAMPARTS

Just a Few Partisan Facts About County Division

By Thos. K. Bates

County Division Swats.

"Let no man deceive himself in this matter of county division. It is a live issue. Sanford is in earnest." South Florida Sentinel.

Mr. Starbuck, the copper lunged orator and permanent candidate for county office has been telling the dear people in his usual incoherent manner, what a horrible felony would be committed if the criminal court were abolished, thus making Judge Warlow hushie for a living like the rest of us and at the same time snatch a potent chance for county office for himself. Ye gods and little fishes. Starbuck trying to worm himself into the good graces of the voters is the limit.

Then comes our dear friend Howard he of the versatile disposition and an itching in the palm to annex the other fellows dollar. Because of his being a candidate for the job of post master at the county seat, he deems it wise and proper to take a fall out of Sanford, thus making himself solid with his admiring followers, the readers of his paper, the subjects for his camera, the tots he is endeavoring to show how the lowly Nazarene would do it. A two by four tub with an eighteen foot keel and a voice like a caliope with a thinker filled with scrambled eggs. They are the boys who are to put the "Kyboah" (this from the Reporter-Star) to Sanford.

As a long distance mathematician, Mr. Starbuck snatches the loving cup from all competitors. Read his referencence to Pasco, Citrus and Sumter county taxes as compared with what the tax ridden citizens of Orange county have to pay. Is it any wonder that 95 per cent of the voters in the north end of the county are champing at the bit to get loose from the Old Vampire? We are advised that Taft and Conway were not represented at the Oveido hog killing. They were probably deterred from making the trip by the attitude Jupiter Pluvius assumed in relation to the matter.

As before stated the proposition simply simmers itself down to this. If the north end of the county was not paying more money into the county than it received back in service and improvements the old county would kick us out in a jiffy. But because they do not want us to leave is a sure sign they have a good thing in us. This guff about destroying the beauty symmetry and importance of the county is the rankest bosh.

Progress is one thing and establishing a system of sewerage is also one thing. If the county seat is the great center of intelligence that it assumes to be it is a wonder that some of the acute business and literary acumen would not have jarred a few barnacles, in the shape of dollars, loose from the keep of this great sluggish ship of state and used said dollars providing a way to maintain the good health of their community. Sanford does not care to be tied to such an unhealthy locality. None of the Sand Dunes and Saw Grass in ours.

Strozier says 90 per cent of Winter Garden is opposed to county division. It would about as germain to the question to state that Calcutta, Hongkong, and Medicine Hat were also opposed to county division. What has Strozier and Winter Garden to do with the progressive citizens of North Orange? They will have no say and if the proposition was one to be voted upon they would have no vote. There you are.

Jones and Starbuck were ranting around at the first Oveido meeting which was copied by our "good friends" before the arrival of the Sanford contingent arrived, telling the unsophisticated that we, the Sanfordites, wanted to make the NEW COUNTY a wet county. When we nailed to the hitching post and showed them that the wet petitions originated in Orlando, the expense of getting them up was borne by the citizens of Orlando and that the "drys" in Orlando were afraid the wets would run it over them, they turned on to Sanford for some help in the way of money to keep the wets down. Sanford contributed \$145 and Bates paid \$5 of this amount. It was stated that the money was to be used to purchase "negro" votes to help the dries out. The town went dry by a small fraction showing that its morality and ideas of decency were properly bolstered by this small contribution from the aggressive citizens of Sanford. Soon as Jones and Starbuck got a line on this dope they closed their shops as quick as if

they had received a swat in the beak from the other end of Maud. Now they pitifully wall that Sanford injected this wet and dry idea into this question of County Division.

Sanford has eight schools. Five white schools and three colored schools. Sanford builds its own buildings and pays its own way. Now it would be interesting to know why Orlando is not able to do the same. Will some of the Scribes and Pharisees explain to us why it is that the County Commissioners have to endorse Orlando's paper before it can have funds available for building its school houses? Just explain how it was that you worked the county for backing to erect your high school!

Mr. Jones took the cake at Oveido last Friday even though it did drizzle rain the entire day. Mr. Landis of DeLand took his brother's goat a little time since. The Jones' have a great reputation for taking the cake while Landis is becoming notorious as a goat snatcher.

The activity of Mr. Bradshaw in attempting to get back to the county salary trough is pitiful to behold. He is getting old and decrepit and its too bad he cannot find better uses to which he can place his talents.

Mr. Howard's preponderant relation to averdupols compelled him to confine his efforts to the tossing of pebbles. It is not an overly hard job to take Howard seriously, there is so little of him.

Solid or not solid, out of the few voters at Oveido, we have already secured 38 signatures to our petition and these signatures were not wheedled out of them by rare hog and corn pone.

Activity is one thing and caution is another. One of the participants in the Oveido Feast of Belshazzar had the precaution to ascertain if his taxable values would be increased in case the new county is created. It is learned that he has slipped his property through for a stenth portion of what it is worth. Of course we will not increase your taxes. If you so desire we will build another hard road along the edge of the flat woods where the first one was stopped.

It seems that the grounded wires who did the chewing at Oveido were fraught with fear of bugaboos, whatever this is, as the term was used five times in a half column discription of the obseques.

Why is the contingent to the south of us so much interested in whether we will have more or less taxes to pay. They prate and whine over our welfare as though we were first born. Why is this? Are they afraid they will be unable to maintain their county after we leave? Smaller counties than Orange will be after our departure seem to get on fairly well. Why all this fear? Come, make it plain to us. Possibly we can chunk out some line to you if you are in fear of drifting away.

And now the son of man cometh and makes it plain to us that the orange which topped the cake that Jones swiped, was not an orange at all but was an aborted lemon of the Ponderosa type. However anything that comes without cost looks good to Jones as he is a Grabheimer from Grabville and has never failed to make a home run. the other fellows dollar.

As a clean case of bifurcated vision the editor of the South Florida Sentinel is at the head of the clinic. The last edition of this interesting sheet stated that Sanford claimed the sum of \$4,000 would be returned to it, after the division of the county had caused the disintegration of great Orlando stunt known as the "Orlando Fair," as advertised by this association last season. Our committee has made no such statement and when a man's thinker has become so diseased as to claim that we have made such a statement, it shows that he is suffering from a severe case of paranoia, which the alienist would diagnose as a superinduced condition of a balmy brain.

What we did say was to the effect that we would receive one-third of the \$4,000 or \$1,333.33 when the fair grounds were sold. Of course there is no way for us to recover the \$1,000 of our money which has been contributed to the fair for the past two years, but we will not be filched out of the thirteen hundred when the grounds are sold, and from the row that is being made over our departure it would seem that the old county will go into the hands of a receiver the mo-

ment we have withdrawn our sustaining influence.

One great statesman relieved himself of the expression that there are two great motives in the lives of some men, one being to be a great man and the other to be a great larceny. Can it be that he was referring to the office holding gourmands at the county seat?

Blackstone Disciple Gone Wrong

It has been conservatively stated that liars figure but figures never lie. In order to prove this assumption on the part of the Demosthenese it will be necessary for us to quote from a disgruntled disciple of Blackstone at the county seat: "If his knowledge of the law is as vague as his mathematics, if his ideas of right and wrong are as briefly developed as his conception of modern calculus, then it is no wonder that his constant efforts to break into the feed trough through county office have been so regularly rewarded with defeat."

Mr. Starbuck, in making the great incoherent effort of his life to stand in with the powers that be, so as to secure the office of county solicitor has plunged ruthlessly into long division and yanked therefrom a bunch of vacuous vaporings that if exposed to the sun would generate a sufficient quantity of noxious gas to furnish the grave digger with the job of patting him in the face with a spade in short order.

He, without regard to the truth or the facts stated that "the new counties such as Citrus, Sumter and Pasco were bearing a greater burden of taxation on account of pulling out from the parent county and setting up business for themselves. We happen to have the figures

at hand for Mr. Starbuck in this case or any other case he may spring as to county division and we know how to handle the figures correctly. The following table will show the straits to which he was brought in order to say something that would please the crowd

County	Assessed Values 1912	Rate of taxes in mills
Orange	\$8,948,798	29 1/2
Pasco	2,371,040	30


	Sumter	2,333,106	27
Citrus	1,958,300		32 1/2

	Population	Taxes Paid	Per capita
	19,107	\$10.70	
	7,502		9.48
	6,696		9.40
	6,731		9.45

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USUAL PRICES

At the Welaka Club
 Tuesday marked another red letter day for the Welaka Club. The literary committee of which Miss Laura Fish is chairman, has hosted and invited a number of out-of-town guests. The guests from DeLand, Mrs. M. H. Stewart, president of the Woman's club of DeLand; Mrs. O. B. Webster, Mrs. H. P. Lutz, Mrs. W. A. Allen, Mrs. S. D. Jordan, Mrs. C. D. Landis, Mrs. S. W. Johnson, Miss Nellie Lutz, Mrs. S. W. Johnson, Miss Nellie Lutz, Mrs. G. P. Carson, Mrs. W. R. Stephens, Mrs. DeBevoise. The Sanford ladies were the literary committee. Miss Laura Fish, Mrs. Robert A. Newman, Mrs. S. O. Shinholser, Miss Veda Ward, Miss Peschke Laffler, Miss Lillian Gilman, Mrs. J. W. Jenkins, president of the Welaka Club; Mrs. Samuel Puleston, chairman of the social department; Mrs. Forrest Lake, household economics; Mrs. A. W. Brown, civics; Mrs. O. W. Brady, music. The lunch was served by Miss Madge Ward and Miss Margaret Roberts.

At two o'clock the regular club meeting was opened, with Miss Fish presiding. The meeting opened with a piano solo by Miss Madge Ward, after which Mrs. G. P. Carson of DeLand gave one of her travel talks, telling of her recent visits to France, Switzerland, Germany. The next number was a paper on Charles Dickens by Mrs. W. R. Stephens of DeLand, who developed the fact that he was the originator of the child welfare movement. At the request of the chairman, Mrs. W. H. Stewart, and Mrs. J. W. Jenkins addressed the meeting. There were three federated clubs represented at this luncheon, the DeLand Club, the Welaka Club and the Wednesday Club of Sanford. Orlando ladies invited but unable to attend were Mrs. T. Picton Warlow and Mrs. Fuller, of the Civic League of Orlando. Mrs. Dreka of DeLand was also absent.

Picnic at Palm Springs
 On a vine covered porch where the sweet breezes play in your hair and the eyes look out on the golden fruit and many another Oriental tree, I am asked

to describe a picnic held at Palm Springs on February 11. The cars took us there, but the beautiful place was free, the hand of man had done nothing more than erect table and seats. The immensities live oak trees arched overhead all covered with Spanish moss. The day was warm and pleasant, the air cool and fragrant from the gum trees. The palmettoes grew off at one side and stayed by themselves. The carpet was of small brown leaves and reached to the banks of the winding Welaka, which furnished spots for bathing or fishing. This water was pure and clear, bubbling from below in three places, and so deep one could see a dime twenty feet below.

The party, young and old, distributed themselves in twos and threes, seeking wild flowers and ferns, while others spread the table with the viands they had brought. The wood and the place to burn it was there, and while the coffee was boiling another party drove in with two autos, took in the scene and went off to spread their table and make their coffee, after which they came around and talked to us about our basket making and embroidery, and then autoed away; while we remained for the evening meal and the train. No ants preempted the pies and no flies claimed the food. Many states were represented, and the wish went around may we meet again and always be a United States. The party got off the cars at their different homes, their baskets laden with flowers, ferns, palmettoes and kodaks well filled with scenic views.

ELIZA J. CLARK,
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Valentine Party

Notwithstanding the very inclement weather Friday and Friday evening quite a large number of the members of the church and friends enjoyed the very pleasant Valentine party given by the Social Service Department of the Missionary Society of the Methodist church at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Abernathy Friday evening, Feb. 14th.

The hall and rooms were tastefully decorated with graceful rich green vines with ropes of red hearts festooning the walls and extending from the corners of the rooms to the chandeliers, potted plants, ferns and cut flowers.

The entertaining program consisted of songs and recitations. Several well rendered piano selections were given by

Mrs. B. T. Houser. Mrs. J. K. Mettinger sang very charmingly "A Perfect Day." Mrs. M. E. Hester gave a splendid recitation "Grandmother's Story." "Sing Me some Quaint old Ballad" was sung as a trio by Mrs. Mettinger, Mrs. Houser and Mrs. H. H. Hill.

Mrs. Hester contributed another fine recitation, the "After Thought," which was much enjoyed. The guests were served delicious punch and dainty cake and candy hearts, in the dining room, which was a perfect bower of red hearts, poinsettias and green vines. The table was aglow with soft red lights, under the red shade of several pretty lamps. The handsome white cover on the table was decorated with artistically arranged asparagus fern, with little red hearts, nestling in the verdure. The punch table was presided over by Mrs. H. H. Hill.

The pretty candy booth in one corner of the hall was the center of attraction to both the grown ups and children, where the fine home made candy was entirely disposed of by Mrs. B. J. Starling, who successfully managed the candy sale.

In appreciation of the valentines received by them from the committee, the members of the society and church deposited a fair valuation for the same, certain amounts in little green satin bags, which were placed in a large glass bowl, placed conveniently on the center table in the parlor. The guests all seemed merry and happy, thoroughly enjoying the valentine party, which in every way was of course a success.

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Naming the County

It is gratifying to know that the name of the new county is to be selected by the ladies and that they have taken sufficient interest in the matter to undertake the task. Now the question arises how shall we name it? Shall it be from a business or a sentimental standpoint?

the wide publicity attached to the name of Sanford. The name will locate the county without requiring geographical or historical search.

If we are to name the county from a sentimental standpoint I doubt if we could select a more appropriate name than Welaka. This was the old Indian name of the St. Johns River and means "chain of lakes," and as the new county will have within its territory the three most beautiful links of the chain, Monroe, Jessup and Harney, the name would be pertinent, poetic and beautiful, but not business.

Cashier Smith Dead - Walter A. Smith, cashier of the State Bank at Orlando died in that city last Wednesday after an illness of several weeks. Mr. Smith had been a sufferer from asthma for years and came to Florida many years ago to get some surcease from his sufferings.

Notice is hereby given that after sixty days from the date hereof we intend to have a bill introduced in the Florida Legislature at Tallahassee, asking for the division of Orange county on the township line dividing townships Twenty-one and Twenty-two, except that portion which will not be included as per the map which will be attached to the bill, the object and purpose being to make and create a new county out of that territory lying north of said division line in Orange county and separate it from that portion lying south thereof.

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Table with columns for North Bound and South Bound, listing train numbers, departure times, and arrival times.

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situated, lying and being in the County of Orange and the State of Florida; to-wit: Lot number Three (3) of Block number Five (5) of Block number Two (2) of the City of Sanford, Florida, as per E. H. Bradford's Plat thereof, duly on file in the public records of said County and State.

Notice to All Creditors of F. E. Hill. Notice is hereby given that F. E. Hill, joined by her husband, H. H. Hill, on the 23rd day of December, A. D. 1917, made a voluntary assignment for the benefit of creditors, and all creditors of F. E. Hill, formerly doing business as Hill's Grocery, are hereby required within sixty days from date, if such creditors reside in this State, or if beyond the limits of this State, within four months, to file with the undersigned sworn statements of their claims against said assignor, F. E. Hill.

NOTICE State of Florida County of Orange. Notice is hereby given in compliance with the law requiring sixty days notice to be given, that application will be made to the next session of the Legislature of the State of Florida, for legislation authorizing the County Board of Commissioners of Orange County, Florida, to legislate the work done under the order of said County Commissioners in the Sanford Drainage District, to the end that the said County Commissioners may proceed to assess and collect the assessment of the lands in said district, and pay for the said work done.

Notice of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 9 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida. Notice is hereby given that C. W. Goodrich, of Sanford, Fla., purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 401, dated the 4th day of June, A. D. 1906, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for Tax Deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property, situated in Orange county, Florida, to-wit: Beginning 15 feet S. of N. E. corner of S. W. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4 Sec. 32, Tp. 19 S., R. 31 E., Run 337 1/4 feet, N. 64 1/4 feet, E. 837 1/4 feet, N. to beginning, 6 acres.

Notice of Incorporation. Notice is hereby given that we, the undersigned, intend to apply to the Honorable Park Trammell, Governor of the State of Florida, at Tallahassee, Florida, on the 12th day of March, A. D. 1918, for Letters Patent incorporating the SANFORD COCA COLA BOTTLING COMPANY, under the following proposed charter, the original of which is now on file in the office of the Secretary of State.

Articles of Incorporation of Sanford Coca Cola Bottling Company. We, the undersigned, have associated ourselves together and do hereby associate ourselves for the purpose of forming a body politic and corporate under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Florida, and do adopt the following articles of incorporation.

be SANFORD COCA COLA BOTTLING COMPANY, and its principal place of business shall be at Sanford, Orange County, Florida, but it shall have such other offices, agencies and places of business in other States of the United States and in this State, as the board of directors may from time to time determine.

Article III. The amount of the capital stock of this corporation shall be FIFTEEN THOUSAND AND (\$15,000.00) DOLLARS, to be paid for in fifteen shares of the par value of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) each, to be paid for with full money of the United States, but all or any portion of the said capital stock may be payable in labor or service, at a just valuation thereof to be determined by the board of directors.

Article V. The business of this corporation shall be conducted by the following officers: a president, vice-president, treasurer and secretary, elected by the board of directors, and a business manager, who shall be stockholders in said corporation, to be elected by the stockholders annually. The office of secretary and treasurer may be held by the same person. Until after the first annual meeting of the stockholders herein provided for, and until their successors are elected and qualified, the officers of this corporation shall be:

Before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared S. Runge, E. Runge, and Joseph DeMont, who are each well known to me to be the persons named in and who subscribed their names to the foregoing articles of incorporation, and severally acknowledged before me that they signed same for the purpose therein set forth.

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HOME FOLKS ARE BEST

Revelation That Came to Girl About to Elope.

By JOANNA SINGLE.

The cool stillness of the September evening came into the little upper room where Drusilla sat huddled on the floor with both arms on the window sill while she waited for the dusk to become darkness. She hardly breathed, though she knew that her door was locked, that she was supposed to have gone to bed with a slight headache, and that her parents would not disturb her. It was a task for her heart to keep on feeling hot and angry enough so that she could leave them without a word and slip off to marry a man—any man—but least of all one like Henry Main, whom they had done their best to keep away from her. They told her she was too young to know. Worse than that, they wanted her to marry Max just because she had been engaged to him before Max came into the neighborhood for his summer's vacation.

At thought of Max she rose, smoothed down her blue serge skirt and put on her hat. Max had gone too far when he ordered her absolutely not to speak to the other man. She did not like jealousy. He would see now that he had made a mistake. If he had just asked her not to—but no, even then she could not have helped loving the older, more sophisticated man, with his tender, masterful ways. She did not like to go to him in this way.

Finally she heard the little clock on the shelf downstairs strike 10, and though she was shivering with fear and the misery of leaving her own little room, she slipped into the hall, her shoes in her hand. She waited, heard her father's deep breathing from the open door, and then slipped down the back stairs to the kitchen and out into the yard.

There was no moon, and Drusilla, child as she still was, shrank from going alone in the dark through the field to the bit of wood where he would be waiting for her. Max was always prowling about, since his farm was neighboring, and might



Waited for Dusk to Become Darkness.

come upon them. Now the slender girl stole about the barn where old Beauty, the mare, thrust out her head and whinnied softly for attention. Drusie stopped a moment to lay her face against the kindly old creature, and then passed through the orchard, trembling at every step, wondering whether in the morning her mother would cry, or whether she would just look gray and old as she had done when she saw that her daughter was dismissing Max.

As she came to the bit of pasture between orchard and wood, she suddenly remembered Henry, and the magnetic half-hypnotism of him numbed her senses and made her forget all but him. He would take care of her; he loved her; they would go to the city and real life would begin for her.

Then she recalled her big, bluff, blue-eyed lover and his angry contempt for the other man, his injustice, his almost violence. As if she couldn't tell a good man from a bad one. What right had he to forbid her to see any one she liked?

By this, now fearless, she was entering the wood path where a little farther on was the big tree where Henry was waiting, and where under some bushes waited a suitcase with a few things she had taken out there, one by one, during the last few days. She almost laughed to herself to think she had reached the place without somehow meeting Max—he had been almost omnipresent the last few weeks, although she would not speak to him. Henry had gone back to the city, and even now no one was supposed to know that he was driving over for her from a neighboring town, from which they would later take a

night train. She was glad she had not met Max.

Once safe in the trees she gave a little low call like a quail and waited for an answer; but receiving none, called again, and then listened. What she heard was a crashing of bushes and some distant, angry voices, the angry voices of men. Instantly she hid herself. Probably Henry was waiting for these people to pass before he showed himself.

Flat on the ground under the brush the girl lay, her heart going like mad with fear and suspense. The voices were louder, and the men came nearer—she had put her hands over her ears, but took them away now and deliberately listened. The first tone she recognized was Max's voice, and despite herself a great relief and sense of safety crept over her. At least nothing dreadful could happen with Max about.

"I'll be policeman, spy or anything else when it comes to her safety and happiness, you dog! She doesn't have to marry me; I don't want her to unless she wants me more than she seems to, but at least I have put you out of commission! You're not even a first-class second—just a cheap sneak! Do you suppose it took me long to get your record looked up? What about your being fired by Mattox & Co? What did it cost your people to buy them off from prosecuting you?"

Something inside Drusie stopped. She loved honesty. The men had come so close that she might almost have touched them, and she saw that Max held the other man by his collar, and that suddenly he broke away and aimed a blow at his captor.

In a moment the two were fighting desperately, crashing into the bushes, Henry Main cursing. She was afraid they would tread upon her, and slipped up and hid behind a tree trunk. She wanted to call for help, she wanted to stop them, but she dared not move. They might hurt each other—he might—hurt Max. Then she knew where her heart was. Why didn't Max speak?

The thrashing about stopped, and peering about, she saw dimly that one man lay on the earth and that the other knelt upon him. To her infinite relief it was Max who spoke.

"Now, you get out of here, and if you want a decent home life go and try to win back the wife you chased until she divorced you, and be a father to the boy you're not fit to have! But you let my girl alone! She is mine, and when you're out of the way she'll come to her senses. Now, you can tell me where she is pretty confounded quick! I know you came here to meet her, and it would be like you to let her be frightened somewhere in the dark waiting for you!"

"Let me up and I'll get out of here!" Max let him rise, and in an instant he was running, crashing off through the brush. Drusie found her voice—the dark was now a terror to her.

"Max! Max!" Her call was clear and loud, and Max answered her. He came toward her, and she went trembling to meet him.

"Are you—all right, Drusie?" Suddenly she went to him, putting both her hands on his arm.

"Take me home," she said, breaking down and crying and sobbing. "Take me home!" He put a firm arm about her and led her from the wood and across the pasture, but he said nothing about loving her. The unreal, the dream of the man who had

gone left her mind, and she saw how close she had been—not to a great danger to herself, but to the calamity of losing Max—if indeed she had not already lost him.

"Drusie," he said at length, "I don't want a wife who doesn't want me. When you have made up your mind you can send for me and I will take your decision. But what I do want to know is whether you have seen enough tonight to make you sure you don't want—that fellow. Do you?"

She shivered. "You know I—hate him," she breathed. "You know—I must have been crazy! You know I have never really wanted anybody but you! You know I want you to forgive me!"

As they came to the barn old Beauty put out her head again, and Max laughed and turning to Drusie took her in his arms.

"Home is best, isn't it? Even if home folks are common and plain. But they love you, girl!" As they came toward the house the girl's father put his gray head from the window of his room.

"Who's there?" he demanded beltingly.

"Max," he said quietly. "I coaxed Drusie out a couple of hours ago. It took us a long time to make up. Sorry I'm bringing her in so late. She's all right."

Drusie knew that her father's grunt was a grunt of deep joy. She knew he would sleep that night.

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The Plain Fact.

"Don't you think he is mendacious in his conversation?"
"No, I don't. I think he's a liar."

INDUSTRY IN DIXIE

Factories Buildings Hotels and Other Works of Construction

Columbus, Ga., Feb. 17.—The Industrial Index says in its issue for this week: "Volume, as well as extent, of construction and industrial operations that are being carried on in the South before was so much building in progress and definitely planned in the southeast at this season of the year as now."

"A fifteen-story bank and office building is to be erected in Macon, Georgia at a cost of \$500,000 to \$600,000."

"At Athens, Ga., a contract has been awarded for the construction of a county court house at a cost of \$155,000."

"A contract has been awarded a Birmingham, Ala., for the improvement, at an outlay of \$100,000, of the first of six units comprising a new residence section."

"A Birmingham, Ala., company is to expend approximately \$500,000 in extending and improving its mining operations."

"An eight-story hotel building is to be erected in Birmingham."

"Miami, Fla., is to have an office building of seven or eight stories."

"A total of twenty-one new corporations have been organized during the week with minimum capital stocks aggregating \$1,494,500."

"Among the items of construction work to be done, as reported this week:

"Bank buildings, Bay Minette, Ala., and St. Petersburg, Fla.; club house, St. Petersburg, Fla.; court house, Madison, Fla.; church building, Birmingham, Tuscaloosa and Attalia, Ala. and Kissimmee, Fla.; three stories to be added to building, Atlanta, Ga.; paving Opelika, Ala., Punta Gorda, Fla., and Macon, Ga.; school buildings, Bessemer and Birmingham, Ala., and Dade county, Fla.; theatre building, Mobile, Ala.;

warehouses, Augusta and Commerce, Ga., Demopolis and Jacksonville, Ala.; apartment houses, Atlanta, Ga., and Birmingham, Ala.; city halls, Jasper and Leeds, Ala.; factory buildings, Americus, Ga., and Jacksonville and Sanford, Fla.;

hotel, Homeland, Fla.; twelve passenger stations in northwestern Florida and south Alabama; road construction, St. Johns county, Florida.

"Construction contracts have been awarded as follows: External building \$17,500, Tampa, Fla.; omnibus quarters, Hawkinsville, Ga.; bridge, Crisp county, Georgia; paving, St. Augustine, Fla.;

paving and sewers, Birmingham, Ala.; theatre building, Clearwater, Fla.

"Industrial plants will be established at follows:

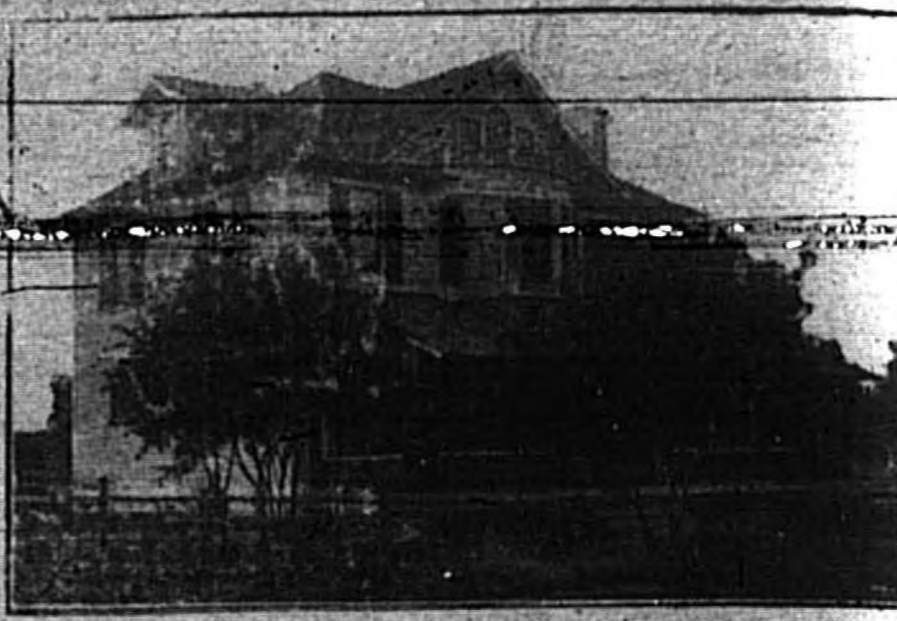
"Gas plants, St. Petersburg, Fla., and Tuscaloosa, Ala.; light and power plant improvement, Tuscaloosa, Ala.; light and power plant, Metter, Ga.; gineries, Decatur, Ala., and Leesburg, Ga.;

ice plants, Enterprise and Sylacauga, Ala., and Chipley, Fla.; oil mill, Clanton, Ala.; bottling plant extension, Sanford, Fla.; coffin factory, Valdosta, Ga.;

brewery, Jacksonville, Fla.; lumber plant, Vidalia, Ga.; electric railway extension, Macon, Ga.

"Banks will be established at Attalia, Ala., and Douglasville, Ga.

"Madison county, Florida, voted \$50,000 of bonds for building court house and Gulfport, Fla., voted \$10,000 of municipal improvement bonds."



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GROCERY TRUST IN COURT

Florida Wholesale Grocers Up For Contempt

ARE ACCUSED OF RESTRAINT

The Southern Wholesale Grocers' Association Will Be Handled By Uncle Sam

The petition for rule and attachment in contempt in the case of the United States against the Southern Wholesale Grocers' Association, et al., was filed in the office of the United States Marshal at Jacksonville, for the Southern District of Florida, Saturday evening, and the process was served on Secretary Moore, and C. W. Bartleson this morning requiring them to appear in Birmingham March 3 and answer.

Service was not made on President J. H. McLaurin, or C. W. Baker, they not being found prior to a short while before noon today. Mr. Bartleson is out of the city, and Mr. McLaurin being out of his office at the time Deputy Marshal Pinder called this morning. However, as Mr. McLaurin has stated that he will not attempt to evade service, he will probably be served during the day.

The petition for the rule, as filed by the Federal attorneys, is a voluminous printed document, and deals in detail with the averments made relative to the alleged contempt, and gives in full the letters of President McLaurin upon which the petition for contempt are based.

The specific acts of contempt are based upon nine letters alleged to have been written by J. H. McLaurin, president of the association, and sent to the following: Mobley and Smith, White Springs, Fla.; T. S. Saleeby Co., Fayetteville, N. C.; H. Hamseur, Fayetteville, N. C. (relative to the Adams Grain and Provision Co., Fayetteville) Baum and Patin, Glynn, La.; W. B. Ashworth and Sons, Brevard, N. C.; Tennie Grocery Co., Tennier, Ga.; Miller Grocery Co., Clinton, S. C. (relative to the Merchants' Wholesale Grocery, Clinton); A. Wilberts' Sons, lumber and shingles, Palquimine, La., and Cuthbert Grocery Co., Cuthbert, Ga., the averment being that the defendants conspired, confederated and agreed together, or with other persons, to prevent manufacturers and producers from selling directly to the retail dealers or directly to the consumers, and have sought to compel the manufacturer and producer to market his products through the medium of the wholesale dealer, and have conspired, confederated and agreed together, or with other persons to prevent the retail dealer or the consumer from dealing directly with the manufacturer or producer who was engaged in selling or shipping commodities in interstate commerce.

Based on their further allegation upon letters alleged to have been written by President J. H. McLaurin to the following other parties, namely, Merchants Grocery Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.; Borden's Condensed Milk Co., New York City, and A. J. Long, of the A. J. Long Cigar and Grocery Co., of Macon, Ga., the defendants are charged with having "sought by coercion, threat, intimidation or persuasion, to prevent manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers from reducing prices on commodities employed or intended to be employed in the commerce between the States and District of Columbia."

In addition, the defendants are charged with having issued at least two editions of their "green book" which was ordered not to be distributed by them in the decree consented to referred to in the petition.

The defendants are cited to appear in Birmingham on March 3 and show cause, if any they have, why the rule should not issue, and they be adjudged in contempt of the court so served.

Big Oviedo Cabbage

The Herald received a fine head of cabbage yesterday from the farm of N. F. Lettles of Oviedo. At first glance it seemed to be a winner of The Herald's cabbage subscription, but upon weighing it fell short. However, it was a fine cabbage and was large enough to weigh fourteen pounds, just missing the prize by six pounds. Come again, Mr. Lettles, with a larger one for Oviedo can certainly grow them.

INSTALLATION JUBILEE

Opening of Sanford's New Pipe Organ Tuesday Evening Next

The new pipe organ for Sanford will be heard for the first time by the public Tuesday evening next, beginning at 8 o'clock promptly. The whole town is eager to hear the new instrument, and there will be a crush, but no more seats will be sold than there are sittings provided for the occasion. So those that purchase their tickets early will be sure of admission and of a comfortable seat. All are requested to be in their seats at least ten minutes before eight o'clock, so as not to have to wait outside while a number is being given, as none will be admitted during the rendering of a selection. The big chorus and the orchestra will be in their places early and will peal forth their first glad acclaim exactly as the clock strikes eight.

With C. E. Wade at the grand organ, Miss Irene Brady at the piano, Prof. I. N. Nash, W. L. Harvey and W. S. Thornton, cornetist; M. C. Aspinwall, mellophone; and Mrs. O. W. Brady and Mrs. J. D. Langley, violinists, the orchestral quality and volume is superb, and when all these instruments accompany the splendid chorus of over forty of Sanford's finest vocalists, the effect is magnificent in its powerful, thrilling, captivating grandeur. Never before in Sanford has there been anything that approaches this, as a unique musical demonstration of what the talent of this city can artistically produce.

A brief description of the new organ may be of interest. The instrument has been several months in construction for Sanford by the well known M. P. Moller, Bulder, at Hagerstown, Maryland. This famous builder has perhaps the largest pipe organ factory and certainly puts up the sweetest toned, most dependably constructed and greatest number in output instruments of medium size known to modern, up-to-date musical skill. The Sanford organ is built on the latest principle, by which every pipe is playable from either manual, thus doubling the capacity and capabilities of the instrument. It is a two manual, Moller's patent tubular-pneumatic action, every part conforming to the most approved modern methods of making the best and most effective in a genuine king of musical instruments. The great organ has five speaking stops of 61 pipes each, and the swell organ four stops of the same number pipes each, the pedal thirty 16-foot Bourbons. With the mechanical and couplers, as organs for show only are made, there would be twenty stops, but this is made for convenience and utility, and therefore speaking stops appear as they really are, the mechanicals and couplers being placed and arranged so as to be most easily manipulated by the player, a great advantage to the latter.

At an interval in the program next Tuesday night there will be several one-minute speeches by our representative business and professional men, which will be a felicitous feature of the occasion, and in which opportunity will be given for expressions of approval, or disapproval, if there is reason for same after hearing the new organ.—It is expected that all will be delighted with the instrument, but if any are disappointed, it is desired that he or she shall feel perfectly free to express opinion during this interval.

Library Notes

Harper Bros.' edition of Mark Twain's works, recently published, have been received and are ready for circulation. There are twenty-five volumes, printed from large type, convenient in size, and will prove a delight to Mark Twain's admirers.

History: Makers of History, by Abbott, (20 volumes).

Fiction: "Uncle Bob," by Laura Fitzhugh Preston, cleverly written. Uncle Bob's memories 'ob do long time 'go' are full of pathos and the quaint humor of the old time darkey. Try it for reading aloud.

Mint Jubel, by Martha James. A Sanford reader after reading this story said, "If you ever have a blue day and need cheering up try Mint Jubel."

The requests have been so numerous for a good edition of Dickens, that the following plan has been adopted, by which it is hoped before long one can be placed on the shelves. On the librarian's table you will find a paper, headed, Dickens' subscription. The name and a quarter from every friend of the library, will give, soon, a chance for our younger readers to enjoy the boys and girls of Dickens creation.

MANY VISITORS ARE HERE

Sanford Has Best Season In City's History

ACCOMMODATIONS DIFFICULT

Many Hotels and Boarding Houses Filled With Winter Visitors

Sanford is experiencing the most prosperous season in her history in the matter of new visitors and homeseekers. The hotels and boarding houses are comfortably filled and all the people here whose lines of business place them in contact with the visitors say that this season is ahead of the list in the number of tourists and visitors and investors.

One of the best judges of the visitors to the city and the trade conditions generally is the barber and one of them stated the other day to The Herald representative that his shop was working all the time and that the barbers hardly had time to get their meals or get home at night. That never before in his memory or during his residence in Sanford had there been so many strangers in the city and they were staying over here for some time looking the city over.

There have been more private pleasure yachts tied up at the dock this season and this is a sure indication that the tourists with their friends are seeking Sanford for the fine fishing and hunting that abounds here and every one that takes the river trip is most enthusiastic over our resources.

With a fine tourist hotel next season and the twenty-five miles of country roads paved with brick Sanford will indeed be the tourists' Paradise and they are coming here.

Sanford in Orlando

Macaulay said the "thing dearest to Rome was the manhood of Rome," and equally as well can it be said that the best representatives of Sanford are its pretty and attractive women. A number of these are in Orlando today, and no city could hope to be better represented than Sanford is by these charming ladies, most of whom autoed over from the Colery City. Driving her own car Mrs. R. J. Holly brought with her Mrs. E. B. Brown, Mrs. M. H. Holborn, Miss Madeline Hill, Miss Mabel Hand and Miss Charlotte Hand, all of whom enjoyed the drive over and say the roads between Sanford and Orlando are in excellent condition since the rains.

Among other Sanford people in the city today are Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woodruff, Mr. Will Watson, Mr. E. B. Brown and Mr. Guy Zetour. Reporter-Star.

Vegetables Doing Well

From Florida Growers News.

Five hundred cars of celery will be shipped from this county this season, 175,000 crates. The acreage planted from Wimauna on the north to below Sarasota on the south, is 355; the majority of this being in Bradentown and Manatee. The first car was shipped the second week in January, and the season will probably close in April. The crop is good this year. Some growers are having trouble with rust or blight, but by spraying are keeping it well under control. About \$1.75 a crate is the price received.

Four hundred and fifty cars of lettuce have been shipped with about 200 waiting on weather and market conditions. This has brought about \$1.25 to \$2.25 per basket.

Egg plants and peppers are in good demand in New York markets, bringing fairly good prices, the best quality \$2.50.

The tomato crop will be close on to 2,200 acres. The shipping will commence in April and the last of the crop marketed in June. The probability of heavy frost this should be a banner year.

The citrus crop is moving and it is estimated the packing houses will keep busy until the season closes.—Sarasota Times.

Music Club

The Music Club will have a called meeting at the home of Mrs. F. L. Woodruff Saturday afternoon, to which every member is requested to be there promptly at 3 o'clock, as the chorus will have a practice after the meeting.

NEW BOAT ON RIVER

Atlantic Timber Company Will Use One on Geneva Run

The one hundred and ten foot steamboat of the Atlantic Timberland Corporation Co. will make its first trip up the river to-day, bringing the new saw mill which Mr. P. S. Fortson bought of the Farqua Co. in Jacksonville a few days ago.

This mill with a capacity of 15,000 ft. will be located at McLain Landing, where work has already begun, clearing the ground and laying the foundations.

The company have some very fine timber near this place and millions of feet will be loaded there in the next two years.

Mr. G. N. Montgomery will bring his new and handsome automobile on this boat and unload at Sanford and drive through to Orlando where he will locate at present.

The woods around Geneva will soon be swarming with wage-earners and the new road to Sanford will be a constant scene of activity.

Wednesday Club

The Wednesday Club held their regular meeting at their pleasant club home, with Mrs. Henry Wight, Wednesday afternoon.

The program was opened by a delightful vocal solo, "A Perfect Day," sung by Miss Dameron, who was accompanied by Mrs. D. L. Thrasher. Mrs. C. R. Walker, who was leader for the afternoon, was invited to take the chair by Mrs. G. L. Maria, the president.

Mrs. Walker read a very interesting paper on the "First Revolution of Mexico." Miss Nell Whitmer gave a short sketch of "Hidalgo," the priest who instigated and led the revolution.

A sketch of "Morelos," another priest and leader of the revolution, was prepared by Mrs. Lyman Phelps. The story of the revolution was continued by Mrs. S. O. Chase, in a sketch of "Ezurbide," another leader of the continued revolution, who was made emperor of Mexico. A sketch of "Santa Anna," was given by Mrs. Chappell.

The roll call and current topics was omitted in order that the club might have more time to discuss a matter of paramount interest, relative to the welfare of the club, before adjournment. Program for Feb. 25th.

Mrs. S. O. Chase, Leader.

Music.

"Story of the Mexican War."

Mrs. S. O. Chase.

"Controversy in U. S. Senate caused by the acquisition of Mexican territory."

Mrs. May Dickins.

"Sketch of Kit Carson."

Mrs. C. Woodruff.

"Remember the Alamo."

Roll-call.

Boquet for Chase & Co.

Theo. J. Miller reports that he received a check for \$54.15, representing proceeds of claim collected on car of oranges shipped Jan. 27th, 1912. Mr. Miller considered this as "money from home," as he never even knew of the fact that Chase & Co. were taking the matter up with the railroad company.

Mr. Miller has given most of his business to Chase & Co. for years past and recommends them most highly as one of the most reliable and progressive firms of its kind.

Presbyterian Church

At the 11 o'clock service Sunday morning the pastor will preach to the children, boys and girls, and all the young in heart. In his previous ministry it has been his custom occasionally to preach object lesson sermons to the young, and they have been his most popular services. The children of the town are cordially invited to this service, seats at the front will be reserved for them, and this will be their service. To the evening song service begins at 7 o'clock.

All Honor to Couch

Most of the success of the Sanford exhibit at the county fair is due to C. D. Couch, who had full charge of the exhibit and worked day and night to make a creditable showing. The exhibition was praiseworthy and deserves the special mention that it received from all the Orlando papers.

COUNTY DIVISION TRUTHS

Orlando Speakers Did Not State the Facts

ABOUT THAT OVIEDO MEETING

There Are Two Sides to Every Question and Douglass Has One

In order to give the readers of The Herald a true account of the Oviedo meeting Mr. E. A. Douglass was requested to write it up, and below he gives a fair and truthful account of the meeting of last Friday:

Oviedo, Feb. 17th, 1913.

Editor Sanford Herald:

Dear Sir—It was not my intention to dip my oar into this county division question through the press, but finding on my desk tonight quite a lengthy article in the Sunday Times-Union of Feb. 16th, also one in the Reporter-Star of Feb. 15th, I am constrained to do so.

The barbecue at Oviedo on Friday, the 14th, was what could be expected, a grand success. Everybody seemed to enjoy themselves. The ants came from Orlando and other parts of the county to see us, as did the divisionists from Sanford and other parts some days ago.

Our little town turned out to receive them in true old Oviedo style. There were differences of opinion, to be sure, that is what they came to discuss. The ants from Orlando came by invitation, as did the divisionists from Sanford. We wanted them, we invited them and they came.

The first speaker of the day on Friday last was my friend, Mr. C. E. Howard, editor of the Orange County Citizen. He prefaced his remarks by saying, "You will wonder why they put up that little fellow first," and he would tell us why. He said always before a storm you would see the little ripples come first and then the big blow hards (he meant the wind, he said).

The Times-Union would make Mr. Howard say that the taxable property in the proposed new county would amount to little more than one million dollars. In justice to Mr. Howard, I did not so understand him. If he did say so, where did he get his figures? Furthermore, Mr. Howard admitted that he had not time to search for all this data and frequently asked some bystander if he was not correct. In dealing with this question we should be prompted by a spirit of fairness and make no statement that the facts will not bear us out. One thing in particular, that I am sure my friend, Howard forgot was to tell the whole history of the proposed new law, whereby the state is to get all the railroad tax. He went as far with that matter as I have here and left the impression that the counties would suffer thereby. The absurdity of such a proposition will be plain to any thinking man.

Pardon us for referring to myself in this and perhaps other matters before I close, and if I misquote a fact here I will ask Senator L. C. Massey to correct me, and I will not consider myself corrected through any other source, as if my memory serves me right he was a member of the Florida senate when these things came up. If I am not mistaken the idea of the railroad tax was conceived by our talented Comptroller Croom, but never intended to rob the counties, as the counties would still receive their pro rata. Just how to accomplish this was why the committee was appointed. All these facts Mr. Howard was certainly familiar with or he should not have tried to enlighten us. Hence I take it, that at this stage of the game he put a wail of the rich aroma of the good coffee or the baked pork, or once more his mind wandered back to his native health in Pennsylvania, and he entirely forgot in his enthusiasm to give us benighted Oviedoites the real facts in the case.

Next to have Mr. Strozier. He is a very entertaining talker and well deserves the title of the silver-tongued orator from the west. Following him was Mr. W. P. Watson. If you don't know Mr. Watson it is your loss. Mr. Watson only spoke a few minutes, but it was the same Watson of old. Courteous polite and smiling, he bowed himself off the platform to give place to Mr. L. G. Starbuck, a well known attorney from Orlando, who is now a candidate for county solicitor (excuse me, the article

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