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#### FROM MACARONI DELTA

From The Herald's Special Correspondent  
By Wireless-Telephone

Ask Bill Duckworth how to climb a barb wire fence in a hurry with a pair of heavy cowhide boots in close touch with his coat tails and see him get red in the face. Of course Nancy Perkins' dad might tell how Bill did it.

Miss Belladonna Sniffles and Miss Peruna Tucker will entertain Miss Nellie McSwatt, the charming daughter of our beloved pastor, tomorrow night with a pink tea and fried liver luncheon. Miss Nellie has just graduated at the Southpaw female seminary and has studied foreign languages and chiropody.

Aunt Betty Slusher is laid up with fatty degeneration of the liver and Uncle Bill will feel much chagrined if it proves fatal. A Sanford automobile run over a polecat in front of Rube Billingsley's house last Sunday night and mashed it flat and the atmosphere in the neighborhood has been much tainted ever since.

Rev. Deuteronomy Jones of Macaroni Delta and Rev. Abraham Lincoln Johnson of Bungalow Corners swapped pulpits last Sunday.

The knights and ladies of the Jumping Jesokus moved into their new hall over Zeke Plummer's livery stable last night and much hilarity prevailed.

Luke Stetson called on Preacher Good-belcher's daughter last Sunday night and was seen leaving at 9 p. m. o'clock sharp. Luke has found out that the minister's daughter don't sit up till midnight and the boys are guying him quite much.

Jim Slusher's baby is cutting teeth and summer complaint is feared. Jim's dad died of cholera infantum and the dreaded ailment seems to run in the family.

Silas Corkins is studying to be a botanical doctor. Silas' dad was the best cow doctor in the township. The medical business seems to run in the Corkins family. Eliza Jane Corkins is a female doctress and runs a chiropody parlor in Bungalow Corners.

Bill Joslyn's big Plymouth Rock rooster got into the widow Cartright's garden the other day and scratched up a lot of stuff. The widow's goggle-eyed boy killed the rooster and Bill is mad as thunder and his hens are quite sorrow stricken. It was certainly fowl transactions to say the least.  
—HEYRUBE.

Quaint Quibbles From Sis Hopkins  
Many a belted earl needs girding in.  
All men who have rocks aren't flinty hearted.

Bakers are usually stingy—they knead their dough.

Impatience in an actor is often mistaken for genius.

Because a girl's a belle is no reason she should wear earrings.

Some folks act as if they didn't belong in a cab, and they don't usually.

The man who needs a valet to take care of his clothes must be a villainous dresser.

Some girls think they are practicing the golden rule when they have their hair dyed auburn.

The only diamonds some women ever get their hands on are those dealt them in a bridge whist game.

With so many people running autos now-a-days it is little wonder that so few men seem to have horse sense.

There is little difference between the terms prevaricator and liar; but a perjurer usually gets a long term.

The winter resort with a lecture course would be all right if most men didn't have a well organized one at home.

Pa says when a man is going the pace it would be just as well for him to change into a dog trot once in awhile.

Fishing for catfish along the toepath may be a bootless business; but it isn't half so foolish as to take Burton's Anatomy of Melancholy to catch bluefish.

#### Special Term Criminal Court

In a special term of criminal court last Saturday five parties faced Judge Beggs to plead guilty to various charges.

John Houston, fighting, was sentenced to five months on the county road.

Robert Anderson, forging check, was sentenced to twelve months on the county roads.

Irvine Whittaker, carrying a razor, got three months on county roads.

Henry Thomas, fighting, got four months on county roads.

W. C. Barnes plead guilty to the charge of assault, but Judge Beggs refused to accept the plea.

#### Wanted

A wife, by a middle-aged widower with two boys aged eight and eleven. One not over thirty-five, with no children and some means preferred. However, any offer considered. My property consists of an orange grove, city lots, and a salary of \$60 per month.

Give particulars in first letter.  
Address, Box 733, Orlando, Fla.

#### FLORIDA PRODUCTS IN N. Y.

The Packer Says Market Shows Improvement.

New York, Dec. 26.—The Florida orange market showed some improvement this week, although prices apparently were no better. Monday there was a good demand but the following days on account of Christmas being near at hand buyers seemed to be pretty well filled up. The average offerings on Brights and Russets sold at \$1.75 to \$2. with ordinary stock bringing \$1.50. Indian River oranges sold around \$2.25, with the pineapple variety ranging from \$2 to \$3, according to quality. The offerings were pretty heavy.

Grapefruit was slower than it has been at any time this season and prices were probably at their lowest ebb. The average offerings sold around \$1.25 to \$2.25, with the best at \$2.50 and occasionally \$3.

Tangerines did fairly well, ranging in price from \$2.25 to \$3 per strap.

The Florida lettuce market opened strong Monday, sales being made up to \$2.75. The stock was very scarce on that day, only 7 cars being received, and no New Orleans stock was in the market to speak of. Tuesday receipts were heavier; 10 cars came in and prices eased off; ranging from \$1.50 to \$2.50. Romaine sold at \$1.50 to \$2.

Eggplants and peppers were high and in good demand at \$3 and \$4, respectively. Beans did fairly well at \$2 to \$2.50 and peas at \$2.50 to \$3.50. White squash was quoted \$2 per crate. Very few cucumbers are coming. They were in good demand at \$3 to \$3.50. Most of the tomatoes arriving were in green condition and had to be put in the warm rooms to ripen. They sold principally at \$2.50 to \$3.50.

The receipts of Florida strawberries are a little heavier and prices are lower. The market is quotable at 40 to 50c a quart and the fruit is pretty good for this time of the year.

#### Stockholders' Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Sanford will be held at the office of the bank, in Sanford, Fla., on the second Tuesday in January, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. 16-5.

—F. P. FORSTER, Cashier.

The Herald furnishes engraved visiting cards at the same price asked in Jacksonville and New York.

## Of Course You Are Not Going to Die

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## NEWS OF THE WORLD

### Items of Interest Gleaned From Various Sources

### happenings DURING THE WEEK

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

The Greek synod has dethroned Damianos the Greek patriarch of Jerusalem, who declined to resign. The patriarch favored reforms for his native flock, which were denied under the old Turkish regime and were opposed by the synod, because they would have reduced considerably the church revenues over which the synod has complete control.

Abraham Ruef, leader of the grafters in San Francisco, has been sentenced to fourteen years in the penitentiary. The case has been appealed.

Tom Longboat, the Canadian Indian champion long distance runner, was married last week to a full blooded Mohawk maiden.

On January 1 state prohibition laws went into effect in North Carolina, Alabama and Mississippi.

The Washington Life Insurance Co. of New York has been merged into the Pittsburg Life and Trust Co., and the offices and everything pertaining to the former company has been moved to Pittsburg.

Thomas S. Lewis, the well known cracker manufacturer of Atlanta, died last week.

In St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 31, the mercury registered five degrees below zero, and at Saskatchewan thirty below.

A bill to establish postal savings banks has been introduced in congress.

On January 1 a new postal arrangement became effective between the United States and Germany. It provides for a two cent rate on letters going from one country to the other. There is a provision, however, that the new rate applies only to mail dispatched by steamships sailing from New York and from German ports direct. Otherwise the former rate of five cents an ounce for first ounce and three cents an ounce for each additional ounce or fraction thereof must be paid.

Kangaroo is to enter the list of food meats in this country, a New York butcher having arranged for the importation of 200 kangaroos from Australia.

A flaw has been discovered in the 100-inch lens designed for the observatory at Pasadena, California. The lens cost \$50,000. It was made in France, and a new one will have to be cast.

Park Theater, Erie, Pa., was burned on New Year's night just after the close of the entertainment.

A box of apples containing 112 of the premium fruit from the Spokane exhibition were sold for \$87.20.

Beginning January 1, the old age pension bill passed by the British parliament became effective. The bill provides that every person in Great Britain over seventy years of age, who is not a lunatic, and has not been convicted of crime, and whose income does not exceed a sum amounting to \$130 a year, is entitled to a pension of five shillings a week from the public treasury. In cases where husband and wife or several other members of the same family living together apply, the pro rata is slightly reduced. Nobody is to be allowed a pension who has habitually refused to work, and all who have been brought into a position to apply for a pension through his or her willful acts of misbehavior, are debarred.

Nelson Morris & Co., meat packers, have adopted a system of pensioning their employees. In addition to the pension fund the plan embraces an employees' cooperative bank and an industrial profit-sharing scheme.

Sumter county, Ga., begins the new year with every dollar of indebtedness canceled and money in the treasury.

"Admiral Dot," formerly with Barnum's circus, is to build a seven-story hotel in White Plains, N. Y., his present home.

Mrs. Sarah Gordon died at East Covington, near Malone, N. Y., died Jan. 4, aged 113 years and nine months. She was born in Canada, but lived most of her time in the States. Her mother lived to be 114.

The work of the past twelve months has shown that the excavation for the Panama canal could easily be completed in two years and four months from the present time. The digging is now about forty per

cent completed, and more than half of this work has been accomplished since January, 1908.

A wireless telegraph plant is to be erected at Newport, R. I., that will have a working radius of 1250 miles.

It is reported that rich discoveries of gold have been made on the Tollukak river, Alaska.

An exposition, lasting two weeks, from April 12th to 20th, is to be held in Louisville, Ky., the object of which is to demonstrate the desirability of lighting Southern cities after the manner of New York city.

On January 2nd the Atlanta postoffice handled over 270,000 pieces of mail—the largest amount ever handled in one day in this city.

The United States pension list now contains 1,008,053 names, a decrease of 50,575 during the past year.

For two weeks some 1800 young people belonging to the Baptist Union, Christian Endeavor and Epworth League societies of Cleveland, Ohio, have pledged themselves to live as they believe Christ would live if he was now on earth.

Distinct earthquake shocks were felt in Trenton and other places in New Jersey last Monday.

Bench Hargis, who killed his father, Judge Hargis, in Jackson, Ky., has been admitted to bail in the sum of \$25,000.

## CANNING FACTORIES

### Such an Industry in Florida Will Produce a Great Income

The canned products of California orchards and truck farms are even more widely known than her fresh fruits and vegetables, and perhaps bring more money into the state, says the Jacksonville Fruit and Produce News.

The canneries take care of the excess stuff which is not shipped in the fresh state, and therefore everything raised on the California grove or farm is utilized to the best advantage of the grower.

The establishing of canning plants in Florida on a large scale is a crying need, and that such establishments would pay is evidenced from the recent reports of a Virginia concern which made 11 per cent on the investment in one year's operation.

Only last week a number of truck farmers near Savannah organized a company and will begin at once to erect a modern plant to take care of their surplus product.

In view of these facts the comments of the Pensacola Journal deserve attention. Says our contemporary:

If there is any state where canning can be made to pay it is Florida. In no section of the country can vegetables of nearly every variety be grown so abundantly and at so small a cost. The trouble with farmers in this state is the desire to ship as much of their products to northern markets as possible because of the high prices obtained for early fruits and vegetables, not leaving enough to provide the factories.

There is no reason under the sun why farmers should not increase the volume of production and realize the same paying prices as do their brothers in Virginia for products left over after their early shipments to the northern markets.

The Journal is confident that there will be a world of money in the future canning industry in our big state. That all that is necessary is an intelligent study of the question. Our rich soil and balmy climate ensures an endless supply of material of one sort or another every month in the year, while the world's demand for canned goods grows greater every day.

### Prof. Stumon Buys McGlon Restaurant

The Up-to-Date Restaurant at the corner of First street and Palmetto avenue, heretofore conducted by Robert McGlon, has been purchased by Prof. J. M. Stumon, who assumed charge of the same Monday.

Mr. Stumon is an experienced caterer and no doubt will make a great success of the business. Already extensive repairs, alterations and decorations have been made and when others contemplated have been completed this will indeed be an up-to-date restaurant. Mr. Stumon will have everything first-class for the entertainment of ladies and gentlemen, all of whom he invites to call and test the service.

### New Dry Goods Store

M. A. Fortson of Washington, Ga., has arrived in the city and will open a dry goods store in one of the rooms of the Stone-Gove building on First street, opposite The Herald office. Mr. Fortson expects to have the room ready to receive the stock in a few days and will be ready for business about January 20.

## IS NOW GOV. GILCHRIST

### Great Multitude Greets the New Chief Executive

### AN ABLE INAUGURAL ADDRESS

#### Handles the Subjects of Moment in Straightforward Manner—First Act a Kiss For Mother

With appropriate ceremonies, and before a multitude of enthusiastic people, Albert W. Gilchrist of Punta Gorda, at noon Tuesday, took the oath of office of Governor, and is now the chief executive of Florida.

Turning from the cheering crowds the last words were spoken, binding him for years to the faithful performance of his duties as governor of the State of Florida, Gen. Albert W. Gilchrist today exemplified the simplicity of his nature and the depth of his royal manhood by implanting a kiss upon the lips of his proud mother. At this act of loyalty the audience for a moment was silent and only the strains of the "Star Spangled Banner" were heard, but a deafening cheer arose and swelled until it seemed the very heavens would be rent and the happy woman, standing beside her signally honored son, seemed to drop the years from her shoulders as she blushed at this honor done to her and hers.

It was shortly before 10 o'clock when the civic procession formed on Monroe street and moved toward the capitol grounds, where the Governor and Governor-elect, staff officers, the ex-governors, ex-justices of the supreme court, cabinet officers, supreme court justices, railroad commissioners, state chemist, state auditor and assistant state auditor, state geologist, representatives of the state press, mayor and city councilmen and members of the reception committee, took carriages and, preceding the military, moved up Adams street to the governor's mansion, where Governor Broward and ladies joined the procession, thence east to Monroe street and south on said street to the Leon Hotel, where the governor-elect and ladies joined the procession. The procession then moved south to the south side of the capitol grounds, then west to Adams street, and thence up Adams street to the west side of the capitol grounds, where the governor and governor-elect remained until the troops passed in review, after which the party entered the capitol building.

It was at the noon hour when Chief Justice Whitfield of the Florida Supreme Court, administered the oath of office, and when the cheering subdued Governor Gilchrist delivered his inaugural address, which was most appropriate and which was frequently punctuated with applause. The new governor ably handled public questions in which the people are interested.

Governor Gilchrist's inaugural address covered all important questions in which the people are interested. In closing his address the new governor said he had no promises to make.

No Promises Made

"The people have elected me Governor of Florida without my having made any promises as to any specific policy other than what is embodied in the platform published during the campaign and in the various speeches made during the same. It would be my wish for the public to know of every move made by the administration. There should be no secrets as between the administration and the people. There could be no greater policy for any governor to have than that his administration should be run on business principles, free from graft and free from personal glorification." Although no claim is made as to being stronger than the generality of men, yet strength is hoped for to be good enough, strong enough and true enough to perform my duties to the people and to the state without thought of personal gain or future political preferment.

"The welfare of the people of the state should mark the lines of whatever power is given a governor. The very channel which a governor moves should be bounded by the constitution and by laws. The beacon light should light the best interests of the people at large.

"In filling the vacancies in offices the recommendations of the primaries will be respected. Where no primary elections are held the filling of vacancies in county offices will be referred to the Democratic executive committees of the respective

counties. Whether the officers recommended are friends of mine or belong to the same political party is of small amount. They should be competent, sober and honest."

### Officers of the State

The officers of the State of Florida, beginning last Tuesday, are as follows: Hon. Albert W. Gilchrist, governor; Hon. G. T. Whitfield, private secretary to the governor; Hon. H. Clay Crawford, secretary of state.

Hon. Park M. Trammell, attorney general; Hon. A. C. Croom, comptroller; Hon. W. V. Knott, state treasurer; Hon. W. M. Holloway, superintendent of public instruction.

Hon. B. E. McClim, commissioner of agriculture; Hon. R. E. Rose, state chemist; Hon. E. H. Sellards, state geologist; Hon. Ernest Amos, state auditor; Hon. W. B. Sadler, assistant state auditor.

Hon. J. Clifford R. Foster, adjutant general; Hon. R. Hudson Burr, railroad commissioner; Hon. N. A. Bitch, railroad commissioner; Hon. R. C. Dunn, railroad commissioner; Hon. ————, clerk railroad commission.

The only change in the cabinet is that Hon. Park M. Trammell succeeds Hon. William H. Ellis as attorney general. Under the state constitution the governor cannot succeed himself, but this provision does not apply to any other official.

Of the above list of state officials the oldest in commission is Hon. B. E. McClim, commissioner of agriculture, whose service dates from January, 1901. He is now entering upon his third full term. Hon. H. Clay Crawford, secretary of state; Hon. A. C. Croom, comptroller, and Hon. W. V. Knott, state treasurer, were appointed to their respective positions by Gov. Jennings, and since then have been repeatedly elected by the people. Hon. William M. Holloway, state superintendent of public instruction, is beginning his second elective term, and Hon. Park M. Trammell, attorney general, is beginning his first term. Hon. R. E. Rose, state chemist; Hon. Ernest Amos, state auditor, and Hon. J. C. R. Foster, adjutant general, were first appointed by Gov. Jennings and have been retained since by successive appointments. Hon. W. B. Sadler, assistant state auditor, and Dr. E. H. Sellards, state geologist, were appointed by Gov. Broward. Hon. R. Hudson Burr was first appointed railroad commissioner by Gov. Jennings, to succeed Hon. H. E. Day, resigned in October, 1903, and he is now serving his second elective term. Hon. N. A. Bitch is in the middle of his first term, and Hon. R. C. Dunn is beginning his first term as railroad commissioner, having served about seven years as secretary to the commission.

The membership of the supreme court remains the same, though the chief justice is again chosen by lot, as required by the constitution. In the order of seniority of commission, the justices are Hon. R. F. Taylor of Gainesville, Hon. T. M. Shackelford of Tampa, Hon. R. S. Cockrell of Jacksonville, Hon. W. A. Hocker of Ocala, Hon. J. B. Whitfield of Tallahassee, and Hon. C. B. Parkhill of Pensacola.

The clerk of the supreme court is Hon. M. H. Mabry of Tampa.

## FLORIDA PRODUCTS IN N. Y.

### The Packer Says Orange Market is in Much Better Condition

New York, Jan. 2.—The Florida orange market is in a much better condition than it has been for some time past. The average range of prices on the street this week was \$1.75 to \$2, with fancy Indian River fruit, including the pineapple variety, ranging in price from \$2.50 to \$3.50. The grapefruit market is in a worse condition than it has been at any previous time this season. The demand is very slow and the offerings are heavy and the prices consequently low. The average offerings of grapefruit sold at \$1.75 to \$2.00 and some very fine stock reached \$2.50.

The offerings of beans were mostly poor and sold at \$2 to \$2.50, with an occasional fancy basket bringing \$3. Peas range in price from \$3 to \$5, according to quality and lettuce from \$2 to \$2.50. Eggplants were very scarce and were wanted at \$4, while peppers were also in light supply and sold at \$4 to \$4.50. Tomatoes were in good demand, but the offerings of fancy stock were light and the market ranged from \$2 to \$4, according to quality, the best offerings bringing the outside figure.

## LOCAL LEGISLATION

### Interesting Meeting of Board of Aldermen

### WE WILL HAVE ELECTRIC LIGHTS

#### Sanford Light & Fuel Company Will Install a Plant—Price Raised on Collection of Garbage

Council met in regular session last Monday night, with all members present. After roll call and reading of the minutes of the last meeting, the regular business was taken up.

Mayor Lake reported having had an interview with Superintendent Higgins in regard to the unnecessary noise of the engines in the railroad yards at night, and that Superintendent Higgins would do all in his power to have the noise abated.

There was no report from the building, street, fire or sanitary committees.

It was resolved that a printed form be prepared, to be filled out when a new building is to be erected or street work is to be done.

It was resolved that the ordinance granting a franchise to the Sanford Light & Fuel Co. be put upon its first reading. Judge Beggs was present and explained the details of the franchise to the members of the council.

Resolved, that the new sanitary ordinance be put upon its third and final reading and passage. This new ordinance changes the rates for trash boxes from 25 cents per quarter to 75 cents per quarter for residences. Stores shall pay \$1.50 per quarter instead of the old rate of 25 cents per quarter. The price for buckets remains the same.

Resolved, that the finance committee be authorized to employ competent talent to audit the present city records and to purchase and open a new set of books adapted to the present needs of the city.

Resolved, that the chair appoint a committee, including the mayor and three aldermen, to confer on the franchise and contract granting electrical privileges in the city of Sanford, and make such changes in the franchise and contract as may seem advisable to said committee, and also to employ, if necessary, an expert electrical engineer to go over the city and give estimates of cost and reasonable prices on lighting the city by electricity, and committee to report at the next regular meeting of city council.

Resolved, that the clerk be authorized to draw vouchers in favor of B. M. Robinson, county clerk, in payment of fees on tax suits now pending.

It was resolved that the city attorney be required to make a monthly report of all delinquent taxes collected and turn the funds collected to the city treasurer at the second regular meeting of each month, taking his receipt for same.

After the reading of the monthly report of the city treasurer the council adjourned.

## FLORIDA ORANGE CROP

### Over Shipments Are Feared Now—Otherwise Prospects Are Good

(New York Produce News)  
Jacksonville, Dec. 31.—It is hard to estimate what percentage of the orange crop remains on the trees, but from advices received from the transportation companies it appears that 40 per cent still remains to be sent out of the State. The entire crop amounts to about 4,500,000 boxes.

If the market is not again glutted by injudicious shipping by all the growers trying to get their crop into the market at the same time, there will be better prices and there is no reason why good prices should not be maintained during the next two or three months.

One of the greatest troubles during the past season has been, that whenever any market has quoted a good price, fruit has been rushed to that point, and by so doing the markets were overloaded, causing a big slump in price. This does not mean that Florida is raising more oranges than the consumer can eat, or over-production. It means there is no system, or organized movement on the part of the grower in Florida. Most of the packing houses all over the state closed down for the holidays, and by the time the fruit will begin to move freely, there should be a large demand and good market at all points and by careful packing and judicious shipping, market should remain firm until the end of the season.

### CURBSTONE GLEANINGS

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

#### EVEN THE GATE POST NOT IN IT

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

Special Correspondence to The Herald.  
Good Morning!—"I wish you ever well and ever prospering to greater height."

When We'll All Be Good  
I don't know when the day will come,  
But you and I, we know  
That after while our good resolves  
Will into being grow.  
Some day, when we both have the time,  
We'll both cast our faults away,  
And you'll be good, and I'll be good—  
We'll all be good some day.

We'll run our business affairs  
With thought of fellow men,  
For we will let our good intent  
Go into action then,  
We'll make our friends all happier,  
And life will really pay,  
For you'll be good, and I'll be good—  
We'll all be good some day.

Some day—of course, it's way ahead—  
But I know—so do you—  
That some day we will take a turn  
And try the good and true,  
We'll do our best for other folks,  
The world will be more fair,  
And you'll be good, and I'll be good—  
When we've the time to spare.

Don't condemn anybody on somebody else's hearsay. Judge for yourself, and never pass judgment until you are fully certain of the case as it stands, and then take as good a view of the case as possible. Charity is the back-bone of good form.

Over in Memphis, Tenn., a judge has declared that "bad" grammar does not make an indictment necessarily worthless. The indictments are against W. D. Parr and Jigi Jones. Parr is charged in the bill with "driving a pair of mules to a scoop with sore shoulders," while Jones is said to have "worked a mule to a plough with a sore leg."

Counsel for the defendants asked that the indictments be quashed, as insufficiently setting forth the offenses with which his clients were charged. He asked the court to say which it was that had sore shoulders, the scoop or the mules, and which the injured limb, the plough or the mule.

The court quickly decided the matter by holding that as the indictment charged cruelty to animals and not to the scoop and plough, it was plain that the offense alleged to have been committed was against the animals, and not the implements to which they were driven. He then overruled the motion formally.

How about the phrase, "bad" grammar? Bad is an adjective, the opposite of good, and relates to conduct. It would seem that it may not properly qualify the word "grammar," as this word cannot be said to have "conduct." Correct, or incorrect, grammar appears to be the better phrase, for "correct" is an adjective meaning to lead straight—not faulty—to amend—to improve. English grammar is something wonderful in its ramifications, and fills all students of the language with deadly fear and brain storms.

A prominent young society lady rather impetuously said to me yesterday: "It would be a tremendous blessing if all women would at least try to cultivate the art of seeing without looking—or, at least, without seeming to look. Who has not withered under the scrutiny of a friend or acquaintance who, meeting us casually, has let her eyes wander up and down our entire costume—from hat to shoes—as if she were an assignee employed to inventory every detail and afterwards appraise the whole?"

There is, of course, a natural desire among womanhood to see and take in a toilette of a friend, but nothing, absolutely nothing, is more illbred than the prolonged and wandering stare that very few women know how to control. Stylishly gowned ladies are cynosures of all eyes, but they excrete gapping eyes of idiot wonder. You may look, but do not stare—push, but do not shove!

If you have a tale of woe, choke it or step on it and ram it back into the skeleton closet and nail the door. The world loves you in sunshine and despises you in tears. Sometimes the temptation is very great to tell of one's sorrows. It seems almost as if they would be cast aside in that way; but you tell of your sorrows to your particular friend and it goes to this particular friend, and to somebody else's particular friend, and in time it is the gossip of the town, and you are justly blamed for not keeping your affairs to yourself. The world isn't anxious to hear of people's troubles; it has only time to jeer at them, and wonder why, instead of talking about pleasant things, it is bored with stories of people's suffering.

While you are enjoying the so-called happy days, my boy—and they surely are

for you, as you will discover and realize later on in life, when sorrows and cares like a wind deluge come—don't do anything that will make your life in mature and old age a burden to any one. Build well, and do not cultivate bad and vicious habits that will undermine and pull down nature's work prematurely.

The carefully built body of youth yields good health and dally comfort all through life. There is no "good time" on earth that equals the "good time" every day.

Just to breathe sweet air, feel the pulses thrill, step with a swing and spring hard to hold in leash, and know yourself to be possessed of the greatest gift of the gods—health—will be a source of true happiness to you, my boy, when old age comes creeping on.

Many business men say they do not believe in advertising, and their local newspapers show it. What right has such a man to howl about "patronizing home trade?" Has he any claim whatever on the patronage of the community? What does he more than the mechanic for the public benefit? It would seem as if some business men believed they had an absolute right to all the money earned by their neighbors and that their neighbors were meant to send about-face goods if they thought they could do better. No spirit of reciprocity pervades their narrow business ideas. But these men who do not advertise want a good newspaper to "build up the town." They are like the man who wanted his wife to get him an extra good dinner, but failed to furnish the cash or food.

A lot of local Indians strayed away from their reservation the other night and serendoned some of our prominent citizens, to whom they sang—if you can call it singing:

Rockety, rockety, rockety, jig!  
Rockety, raw Daugherty, sig!  
Ripity, stipity, hipity, bon!  
Sigma Alpha Applaud!

And yet millions are spent every year on foreign Missions.

Looking backward, a year, I felicitate the people of this favored Celery City on the substantial growth the city has attained. The future is fraught with greater promise of growth and progress along all lines. Blessed Sanford!

A new era should begin in Sanford in the way of business uplifting and increasing. The first thing necessary is some new buildings on the main streets, and new stylish, up-to-the-minute fronts to attract trade by giving merchants a chance to make fine displays of the stocks of elegant goods carried by the local dealers. The stocks carried here in this city equal those of any place in the South. All that is wanted is some good, modern rooms and buildings to show them off properly. Two or more good three or four-story modern office buildings will also have to be provided, and then, with a handsome progressive city of modern buildings, the location of factories will come as an easy sequence.

The speller at "Ten Nights in a Barroom," last Wednesday night, in announcing that Coburn's Minstrels would be here Friday night, gave this recommendation:

"They have given universal satisfaction every place."  
Nov. Brö. Powell and Dr. Law, "got after" this grammar.

"Ten Nights in a Barroom" was presented at the Opera House Wednesday night by a lot of amateurs by "request." At least it was so stated by the management of the aggregation, which usually shows under a tent (should be under ground). I do not know who requested it to show in the Opera House, but whoever he was he should be held personally responsible. The barnstormers were not to blame. They were requested, and were too polite to refuse. I have seen worse performances than the imitation given by them, but I cannot now remember where it was nor what it was. I am laying for the man or woman who made that "request."

But in all seriousness, it is a crime against the fundamental law of society as it is taught in this country to force such a thing upon the public and ask a price of admission. So long as such "fakes" are permitted to "gull" the public, so long will the theatrical business of Sanford be where it is. The local management should first investigate the merits of a company before giving them "the boards." When this is done, then the public confidence will be restored and the theatrical business of Sanford will be improved.

I venture the assertion that during the past two weeks no less than twenty-five persons from different sections of the country have come to Sanford with the purpose of going into business, but all have been forced to abandon those intentions because of the fact that no room could be had for business purposes. The same is true of those seeking residences

here. There are no desirable houses to be rented. How long will the monied men of our city hesitate to make such an investment? The fact that there are no rentable store rooms, and no vacant houses is seriously and greatly retarding the growth of the city. If we would have a Greater Sanford, something must be done in the way of housebuilding at once. Get together!

The man with the green hat! Ugh! He gives me the creeps, or at least his hat does. It fairly shrieks, yells at, and defies all comers to beat it in loudness, sauciness, pertness, chic, or whatever other name or phrase will adequately express the power it has to dazzle, terrify, and frighten all men of more sedate and sober tastes as to lids, top-pieces, helmets, stovepipes or other manly headgear. It has them all beaten at all weights, catch-as-catch-can, and has them on the mat with both shoulders down. It is proclaimed an easy winner of the title to ugliness as a head shelter.

"Yes, when you have made your mark in the world, you can call me yours," she sweetly murmured.

"What is the mark which you wish me to aspire to make?" he asked.  
"With a look of infinite disgust she scornfully replied:—"Why, the dollar mark, of course."

The dictum has gone forth from the four hundred of New York City, that "Mabelle Gilman Corey must be accepted into the sacred circle." This has now become a very exclusive set. None will be eligible hereafter who is not a divorcee, or married to one. As Marse Henry once said: "In morals the only line drawn is at murder." But this line does not bar infanticide, nor suicide. From the hills of Central Park region to Morningside Park, and from Fifth avenue to Yubadam there are not enough babies among the smart set, alive and legitimate, as there are in one block over on the east side, where high prices for the necessities of life, from meat to heat, and from roots to rent, would make it appear, seemingly, that children were undesirable.

You know what the home-grown garden variety of philosopher says about women keeping secrets. He says a woman can keep all kinds of secrets but two: Those that are not worth keeping, and those that are too good to keep.

He had just pulled the old man out of the lake, where he was drowning. "You have saved my life," he cried; "You may have my daughter as reward." The man took a hurried glance at the daughter, and then quickly dropped the old man back into the water and ran for his life.  
Yours for Progress,  
—THE SAUNTERER.

#### Novelty in Jewelry

Henry McLaulin, the jeweler, has one of the very latest and one of the prettiest jewelry novelties that has ever come out. The articles in the line embrace belt pins, stick pins, hat pins, brooches, sleeve buttons, watch fobs, etc., etc., and are made in the following manner: A coin of one realm, dimes, quarters, half-dollars and dollars are stamped with a very powerful die, forcing from the rear the goddess of liberty to the front in heavy bas relief. The stamping is one of the prettiest and most perfect ever turned out, and the beauty of the face is striking. There are also pennies stamped in the same way and gold-plated. The coins are all genuine and the work is not in conflict with the government's edict against mutilating coins for the treasury department says that the coins are done in such a manner that they cannot possibly be passed again and this is different from punching holes in them. Every one who sees the display in the window goes into raptures over the pretty articles.

#### Surrey for Sale

We have a new \$125.00 one-horse surrey that has only been used one month, which we offer for \$75.00.  
—SANFORD CARRIAGE WORKS.

#### In Circuit Court, Seventh Judicial Circuit, Orange County, Florida

Carmelia Villano Rotundo and Mike Rotundo, her husband, and Mike Rotundo in his own right, } Bill for Partition

Victoria Villano.  
To Victoria Villano: From the middevents of Mike Rotundo and Carmelia Villano Rotundo, herein duly filed, they depose and say upon oath that they are the complainants named in the foregoing Bill of Partition; that the respondent, Victoria Villano (or Victoria Villano), is a non-resident of the State of Florida; that she is an infant under the age of twenty-one years; that she is a citizen of the Kingdom of Italy and now resides with her mother, Cattolica Sargeni Villano, at Landedimmi, Marigliano, Provincia di Caserta, Kingdom of Italy, and that there is no person in the State of Florida the service of a subpoena upon whom would bind the said Victoria Villano.

You are therefore ordered to appear to this Bill for Partition on Monday, the 1st day of March, 1909, the same being a rule day of said court. It is further ordered that this notice be published for eight consecutive weeks in The Sanford Herald, a newspaper published in Orange County, Florida. Witness, B. M. Robinson, Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for Orange county, Florida, and the seal of said court, this 2nd day of January, A. D. 1909.  
A. M. THURGOOD, Solicitor for Complainants.  
By M. A. Howard, D. C.

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COUNTY HAPPENINGS

A Budget of Interesting Items From Correspondents

THE EVENTS OF ORANGE COUNTY

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CELERY AVENUE NEWS

Special correspondent to The Herald. We learn that the county is soon to finish laying Celery avenue from Mr. McBride's to the East Coast ferry, a distance of about 800 yards.

From the amount of steamboat and naphtha launch travel up the St. Johns river to Lake Harney from Sanford, we living near the East Coast ferry often wonder why the government doesn't beacon the river from Sanford to Harney.

Will Mr. Conroy please advise we Celery avenue built Cameron avenue crackers just when to prime our ears to hear the locomotive whistle? You know, Mr. Conroy, there are quite a number of farmer railroad men out here.

When the trains on the new railroad begin to run, the county should make some arrangement whereby the school children living in the celery delta could be carried to and from school, as the bus is overcrowded.

And right here, speaking about overcrowding, what's the matter with the Sanford postoffice. Isn't it usually overcrowded, especially on Sunday and at mail time. Wint Sanford needs a larger and better ventilated postoffice.

Some of the latest homeseekers, or I might have said health and wealth seekers, to settle in the celery delta are Messrs. W. M. Cust, R. C. Bradshaw and D. B. Magill, recently settled on Cameron avenue.

Mr. Cust has just completed his fine stone residence, and it is a model of beauty and comfort, and is equipped with all modern conveniences, including electric lights. In this home, assisted by our fine climate and health-giving artesian water, Mr. Cust will rebuild his broken health.

Mr. T. P. Compropt entertained during New Year's Mrs. Frank E. Bond of De Land, Mrs. G. F. Storm and Miss Storm of Cleveland, Ohio. On their return to De Land Mr. Compropt carried them in his fine yacht, the Sophia, to Beersford.

Tom Hawkins and his sister, Miss Annie, were very agreeably surprised by their mother, Mrs. John Hawkins, paying them a visit, remaining through Christmas and New Year, and returning this week to her home at Commerce, Ga.

Another of the wealth seekers, for judging from his looks he is not a health seeker, is congenial Benjamin E. Squires of Good Ground, Long Island, who has recently purchased five acres on Cameron avenue, to commence building a fine residence this week.

The celery and lettuce in the celery delta traversed by Celery, Cameron and Beardall avenues is looking fine, Messrs. Chapell, Williams, Aldridge, Hawkins, Doerner, and Rossiter leading as usual. Mr. Compropt has out three acres of celery and two of lettuce; Charlie Merriweather has eight acres of celery, cauliflower, lettuce, etc.; (say, Charlie, can't you get that Virginia farmer dad of yours to come down here?); W. J. McBride has his place covered, and looking nice, in cauliflower and celery.

Mr. and Mrs. McBride entertained a party of young folks a few nights since. Singing and story telling were the chief attractions.

Miss Beattie J. Wynn returned home this week to Clyde, after a pleasant visit to Miss Bertie Riley.

I would like to suggest that there be held at the end of the busy season a picnic at the shell mound (if Hon. J. N. Whitner will consent), this picnic to be given and participated in by the truck growers and their families and recent settlers that we may become better acquainted, as we are gathered here from near and from far. Let us have a fish-fry and general good time. Let the North, South, East and West shake hands that day, swap grab and jest, and get wise. Come on boys, put your shoulder to the wheel. Will someone else kindly add to and help the suggestion?

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Compropt have just completed the inside finishing of their elegant home, and it is a marvel of beauty.

Mrs. H. H. Chapell chaperoned a party

of young people over to Reedy Ellis in Volusia county to a cane grinding. All report having a grand time.

Miss Annret Clark of Oviedo is visiting Miss Annie Hawkins this week.

Charles Hawkins of Commerce, Ga., returned home after a pleasant visit to his brother and sister, Tom Hawkins and Miss Annie.

Mrs. G. C. McDougall and two children returned home this week after spending the holidays with the old folks at home in North Carolina.

Barney Beck is the proud father of a ten-pound celery setter. He's a boy. Barney smiles now when you meet Jim. All are doing well. —A. FARMER.

LAKE MARY MÉLANGE

Special Correspondence to The Herald: Another year has gone by and now we have to write 1909 on all our letters.

Mrs. Aubray Moran and children of Geneva spent New Year's day with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Sundell.

Little Elsie Norstrom is going to spend the winter with her aunt, Mrs. J. A. Nyland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Schute were visitors at Lake Mary, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stryker attended the ball at Orlando on New Year's eve.

School commenced Monday after a vacation of a week for the holidays. Both teacher and pupils were glad to get back to work.

We are glad to see Mr. Cline back again. He has been spending the summer in the North.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Perdure are back again after spending several days visiting relatives and friends at Braidentown and Pine Castle.

OVIEDO OCCURRENCES

Special Correspondence to The Herald. B. G. Smith, the popular conductor of the A. C. L. on this run is erecting a nice residence on his property near Gos Hammock. He has several acres under cultivation.

T. H. Dean left Wednesday for his old home in Alabama on a short visit.

A large congregation was in attendance at the Methodist Church Sunday both morning and evening to welcome the new minister. He delivered two very forcible sermons.

Charles Lee went over to Sanford today to visit relatives for a few days.

Misses Martha and Nellie King and Ella Belle Jones returned to De Land Wednesday to re-enter Stetson, after a vacation pleasantly spent with parents.

Rev. R. W. Lawton, one of Oviedo's oldest residents, died in Biloxi, Mississippi Sunday morning, and was buried here Tuesday. His funeral was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The deceased was a public-spirited man, taking a keen interest in the upbuilding of his community, and served for a number of years on the County School Board, which position he still held at his death.

School has reopened again after the usual Christmas holidays and both teachers and patrons are anticipating a most fruitful session.

N. J. Tanner, an old Oviedo resident, spent several days here this week greeting his many friends. Mr. Tanner is now located at Sanford, where he is engaged in the mercantile business.

Theodore Aulin, one of our young business men, makes frequent trips to Chuluota. He says the hunting is fine along the way.

Headquarters for Iron Age tools. Anything you want in hand plows, fertilizer distributors, etc., Harry J. Wilson.

Wanted

A wife, by a middle-aged widower with two boys aged eight and eleven. One not over thirty-five, with no children and some means preferred. However, any offer considered. My property consists of an orange grove, city lots, and a salary of \$60 per month.

Give particulars in first letter. Address, Box 753, Orlando, Fla.

Stockholders' Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Sanford will be held at the office of the bank, in Sanford, Fla., on the second Tuesday in January, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. 16-5 —F. F. FORSTEK, Cashier.

Notice

Annual meeting of stockholders of the Sanford Light & Fuel Company for election of directors will be held at office of the president Monday January 11th, 1909, at 2 o'clock p. m.

F. H. RAND, President, Sanford Light & Fuel Co. Geo. H. FERNALD, Sec'y, Sanford Light & Fuel Co. 17-5

Furnished Rooms For Rent

Two good-sized rooms, in good location, will be rented to desirable persons. Clean and sulphur water on the premises. Inquire at The Herald office.

A Tongue Twister.

A member of the Players' club whose simple delight in life is collecting old blue china returned the other day from England and as usual after such a trip had some new blue treasure got on one of his customary off the beaten path trips. He showed it freely, talked about it eloquently, but always when asked where he found it evaded answering. Finally one who had noted several such evasions said to him: "You've reached the very worst stage of the collector's mania. You refuse to tell the place of your treasure house for fear of rival looters."

"You are wrong as to my motive, but right as to the fact that I won't tell. I can't, but I'll write the name for you." Laboriously he wrote on a card this fearsome thing: "Mnyyddyslwyn." As his questioner stared with startled eyes at the nerve-shattering word the collector explained that it was the true and lawful name of a parish in Monmouthshire, near Pontypool, England. —New York Sun.

The Funeral Sponge.

"If you attend a Persian funeral they hand you at the door a small, fine sponge." The speaker, a popular undertaker, smiled. "It is amusing to think of," he said. "Imagine it—by means of these sponges all the mourners' tears are collected and preserved in tiny vases of crystal. They are used afterward as medicine, for they are thought to have wonderful healing power. During the service each mourner keeps his sponge ready, and every tear that wells into his eye is sopped up before it has a chance to escape. The undertaker tiptoes politely about, he extends tentatively the crystal vase, and those who have anything to add to its contents squeeze their sponges solemnly there-in. Then, with a bow of acknowledgment, the undertaker tiptoes on his way, extending the vase politely, now to the right, now to the left, murmuring in his gentle and soothing voice: "Have you shed, sir? Madam, have you shed? "

Too Scarce to Throw Away.

"They pipe water now through the burning Australian desert that lies between the coast and the Klgoorle gold fields, a distance of about 250 miles, but in my day in that forsaken country water was the scarcest commodity known," said a San Francisco mining engineer. "It was often hard to get enough water for drinking purposes, and the man who was reckless enough of his money to buy a bucketful for a bath was the talk of the community. I once indulged in this luxury, and after I had finished I noticed that the water was carefully collected again by the vendor. "What are you going to do with it? I asked the man. 'Sell it to some other fellow for half price,' he answered, 'and after that I'll sell it several more times, for, you see, it's too scarce, mister, to throw away after only one or two men have washed in it.' "

A Modest Request.

The young man and the girl were standing outside the front door, having a final chat after his evening call. He was leaning against the doorpost, talking in low tones. Presently the young lady looked round to discover her father in the doorway clad in a dressing gown. "Why, father, what in the world is the matter?" she inquired. "John," said the father, addressing himself to the young man, "you know I have never complained about your staying late, and I am not going to complain of that now. But for goodness' sake stop leaning against the bell push and let the rest of the family get some sleep."

Explosive Diamonds.

A curious fact about diamonds is that it is not uncommon for the crystals to explode as soon as they are brought up from the mine. Sometimes they have burst in the pockets or the warm hands of miners, due to the effect of increased temperature. Large stones are more likely to do this than small ones. Valuable stones have been destroyed in this way. To safeguard them some dealers place large diamonds in raw potatoes for safe transport from South Africa.

"What is the matter with Mrs. Spicy? I saw her sitting on her porch, as I came by gritting her teeth and looking daggers into vacancy."

"Her husband is a half hour late, and she is giving him absent treatment."—Chicago Journal.

Excelsior.

Uncle—And what will you do when you are a man, Tommy? Tommy—I am going to grow a beard. Uncle—Why? Tommy—Because then I won't have nearly so much face to wash.—Harper's Weekly.

Getting Personal.

"How does a man get a 'game leg,' pa?" "Well, you see"— "Is it by getting into a game and having it pulled?"—New York Press.

An ugly criticism makes more noise than a good book.—Talleyrand.

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Office First Floor in the Bishop Block, First Street Telephone No. 148.

It is now Governor Gilchrist.

Don't forget "Sanford Day" at the Exposition.

The Tallahassee pie counter is now the Mecca of the late spell-binder.

The subscription list of THE HERALD is rapidly growing. During the present week more than a score of people requested the paper to be sent to their addresses.

It is amusing to read the profound advice given General Gilchrist by some of the little 2x4 papers. Already his policies are laid out for him, and his general conduct in the great office is prescribed.

Sanford is now encased of electric light and the paving of First street with vitrified brick. These improvements will swing Sanford into the front ranks among the cities of Florida.

Wasn't that a hard jolt Carnegie gave the tariff hogs before the congressional committee? He simply knocked them over the fence into the back lot and they are still wondering where they are "at." The canny Laird o' Skibo said that the steel industry was not in need of protection. That steel should be put on the free list. That labor would be in no wise harmed by such action. Sensible men who have been students of the tariff question realize that Carnegie stated the whole truth. But the ways and means committee which has charge of the tariff legislation is dominated by the interests that are benefitted by the tariff exploitation of the people, and these high protectionists will not be convinced, although the whole country has been assured of the iniquity of this robber tariff. Carnegie started in business as he himself states, on fifteen hundred dollars borrowed money and realized a fortune of four hundred millions of dollars. That's going some.

The Tampa Tribune gives a most eloquent greeting to Governor Gilchrist and closes its remarks with the following paragraph, which THE HERALD earnestly endorses:

He will be a Governor without a Fad or a Folly; a Governor without a Collar; a Governor without a Machine; a Governor of Purpose and Purity, in whose hands Power will be an implement of Public Good; a Governor who will represent all that is best in Florida's Past, stand for all that is helpful in Florida's Present, and stand for all that is worthwhile in Florida's Future. To such a Governor, Florida gives greeting today; and when his term is finished and he steps again into private life, or, called betimes by public acclaim to higher honors, to such a Governor will Florida speak the merited verdict: "Well done, good and faithful servant."

BUILDING A GREATER SANFORD

There is no city in the United States to-day that is growing so rapidly as Sanford. Faster than the famous gold mining towns of the West and upon a much more substantial basis is the Celery City growing and developing and most of the people entering the State for the first time this season have been attracted thither by the lure of Sanford's famous vegetable district.

The rich farming lands, supplied with flowing wells are being rapidly taken up by people from all parts of the world and the country is growing so rapidly that the city has difficulty in keeping pace.

A good farming section is the most valuable asset for the development of a city and Sanford is being pushed to the front along every line. A trolley system will be installed within a few months and thus the suburban dweller will be within a few minutes' ride of the city, and while enjoying the delights of a country home can still attend to business duties in Sanford.

City property is changing owners rapidly and several new business blocks and many residences are to be built.

A new electric light plant will furnish light and power and do much toward giving the city a more metropolitan air. With the many new enterprises now in the course of construction and contemplated, the future of a Greater Sanford is most rosy.

Capitalists seeking an investment could do no better than buying city lots and erecting business blocks and dwellings.

FLORIDA'S NEW GOVERNOR

Florida has a new Governor and that he will make a most capable executive is conceded even by those who voted against him.

Albert W. Gilchrist is a broad-minded, well balanced man who takes a liberal view of the affairs of state and people and will administer his office with a view of benefitting all instead of a favored few. Governor Gilchrist is well endowed mentally and is capable of keeping in touch with the officials and the legislature. It will be his duty to suggest his views but not to force them upon this august body and in this particular the new Governor will never exercise his prerogative to the limit or attempt to ride any hobby. Governor Gilchrist in his address reiterated his statements made before the election and those who know him best have no doubts about his carrying out every pledge.

He will serve the people faithfully and to the best of his ability and no one could do more.

Once again we will go back to the days of yore when the state was governed by real men and not machines.

OUR NEW COUNTY OFFICIALS

On Tuesday of this week our new county officials took their respective offices. County Commissioners Dickson and Chapman retired to private life, succeeded by M. O. Overstreet and Alex. Vaughn while John E. Merrill took the office made vacant by the late H. K. Fuller.

The retiring county commissioners have served the people of Orange county faithfully and well and won their confidence and esteem.

The new commissioners are men of marked ability and can be depended upon to do their full duty toward the citizens and tax payers.

Jas. A. Kirkwood succeeds Sheriff Vick, and having served for many years as deputy sheriff and being thoroughly conversant with the duties of the office, will fit into the new grooves with ease and perfect discipline.

Hon. George A. DeCotes succeeds Hon. T. P. Warlow to the office of county solicitor, and being a Sanford man, none of us have any doubt of his ability to fulfill the duties of this position in a capable and efficient manner.

THE HERALD in common with the people of Orange county appreciates the work accomplished by the retiring officials and the best wishes go with them while we extend a warm welcome to the new.

TAKING PRIDE IN YOUR PAPER

The editor of a newspaper, be it ever so small, should keep the editorial columns free from advertising and every issue of the paper ought to contain an expression of the editor's views upon local or foreign matters. If a community is too small to support a newspaper the editor ought to seek pastures new where a sustenance could be extracted and enough life be infused into his system to write an editorial on "putty" or "glue" or some other interesting subject. Commenting on this phase of newspapers the Miami Metropolitan remarks:

"There is nothing that makes an editor feel more like 'cussing' his own father than to pick up an exchange and look for an editorial column and not find one. What is the matter with some of the editors of the Florida papers, are they henpecked husbands, afraid even to have a word in the newspaper? For instance, there are papers of the state that publish 'city fathers' proceedings' in the editorial column and others recommend the use of Carter's Little Liver Pills or kindred patent medicines.

"Of course, some editors will say it is better not to say anything. That is not true however. It is much better to say something, no matter whether it has any weight or not than to give the world the opinion that the editor of such and such a paper has no mind of his own.

"Sometimes, yes, often, editors 'put their foot into it,' so to speak, whenever they attempt to overstep their ability as an editor, but nevertheless, it is better to put your foot in it trying, than to have the world believe you a quitter.

"It must be indeed a poor town that supports a paper that won't support the town. If a paper does not boost its home town, county and state, it is indeed a dull thing, and could be properly classed with the town knocker. Tell the world of Florida editors, if your paper goes beyond its borders. If it don't make a 'fuss' in your columns that the noise will be heard at least in your own state."

REMEMBER SANFORD DAY

The Sanford office at Jacksonville will present a busy scene from now until the season closes and during the Mid-Winter Exposition our people should not lose sight of the fact that a Sanford Day would give the city the greatest publicity. The idea is meeting with general favor and plans are on foot to arrange for the band and several other special features. Keep the idea alive.

IN SANFORD CHURCHES

Where Devout of the Celery City Worship Tomorrow.

RESUME OF ALL CHURCH EVENTS

Of Interest to Those Religiously Inclined—Subjects of Discourses for the Sabbath.

The Pastors of the Churches in the City are Earnestly Requested to bring or send their Announcements and other Church News to this office not later than Thursday afternoon.

First Methodist

Rev. A. E. Householder, pastor; church, corner Park and Fifth street; parsonage, corner Main and Seventh street; phone 234. Sunday morning service at 11; evening service, 7:00; Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Jno. K. Metzinger, Supt. Epworth League, 3:00 Sunday evening.

Sunday, at 11 a. m. Subject: "God's Love." 7 p. m., "Christ Receiving Sinners."

The stewards are requested to meet in the church Monday, 11th, at 7:30 p. m. We hope all the stewards will be present, so we may plan for the present conference year. Let the people come and worship. Strangers in our city have a pressing invitation.

First Baptist

Rev. J. W. Boyd, pastor; Sunday morning service, 11; evening service, 7:30; Sabbath school, 9:45 a. m. Prayer meeting, 7:00 p. m. First Friday, 3 p. m. V. M. Z. last Friday, 7 p. m.

The revival meeting conducted by Pastor J. W. Boyd at the Baptist church has been very successful. All who have attended these meetings have been greatly helped, some have joined the church, and many have manifested an interest to be saved. Prof. W. H. Cornett has charge of the music. A cordial invitation is extended to every one to attend and take part in these services. Rev. W. A. Nelson of Atlanta, who is now at Arcadia, is expected to help do the preaching.

Presbyterian

Rev. J. F. McKinnon, pastor; morning service, 11; evening service, 7:00; Sabbath school, 9:30 a. m. Henry McLaughlin, Supt.; prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:00 p. m.

Preaching Sunday morning and evening by the pastor. At the morning service the communion of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated.

The service last Sunday was made more interesting by the reception of twelve members into the church.

Congregational

Rev. J. W. Richards, pastor; Sunday morning service, 11; evening service, 7:30; prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:00 p. m.; Sabbath school, 10 a. m. J. C. Ensminger, Superintendent.

The Quarterly Communion services will be held tomorrow morning.

On Wednesday night, the 13th inst., the annual business meeting of the church will be held. New officers will be elected and other important business transacted.

The services tomorrow evening will be in the nature of a talk, and the sermon illustrated by the black-board.

Catholic

Rev. M. Fox, rector; services every second and fourth Sunday; early mass, 7 a. m.; mass and sermon, 10 a. m.; Sunday school, 9 a. m.; vespers, 3 p. m.

First Sunday after Epiphany. Sunday school, 9 a. m. Mass and sermon, 10 a. m. The offerings will go to the Italian sufferers.

Monday, 11th—Mass, 7 a. m. Instruction to children, 3 p. m.

Holy Cross Episcopal

Rev. B. F. Brown, rector; A. D. Key, senior warden; Sunday morning service, 11; evening service, 7:30; Sabbath school, 9:45 a. m.; B. F. Whitner, Supt.; prayer meeting, 7:30 Wednesday evening.

Install Carrier System.

The Sanford Grocery Co., of this city believes in making improvements and their latest is the cash carrier system, one of the latest and most improved. This carrier system is the first installed in Sanford, if not in Orange county. It will greatly facilitate handling the business of this mammoth grocery business.

Notice of Meeting

The annual meeting of the Sanford Library Association will be held in the library room, Thursday, Jan. 14, at 3:30. C. R. Walker, Pres.

A New Dining Place.

With Sanford's rapid growth new eating places are opened, but none surpass the dining rooms of R. L. Jones, opposite the postoffice. The quick lunch counters and tables are under the direct management of Robt. H. Dingley, who is an experienced caterer, as is evidenced by the reputation of his chef, W. C. Connor, who, after much difficulty, he secured from Baltimore, Md. Mr. Dingley has oysters at all times and makes his place of business particularly inviting to ladies and gentlemen.

Lawn Mowers

Special prices to reduce stock. If you want a good mower at a low price, now is the time to buy. Also good stock of scythes, grass hooks and lawn rakes. Harry J. Wilson.

Murray's Cement Tile

For drainage and irrigation is the best. Perfect joints, durable and well made. This is made in Sanford. Patronize a home industry and get better goods. Made in "2" and "3" size. Sold by the Geo. H. Fernald Hardware Co. 22-4t

LOOK FOR D. L. THRASHER'S STORE IS IT CLOTHING?

The line we carry is second to none, and we can fit you, or do you want YOUR FEET CLOTHED?

Try a pair of our Stetsons, Kneeland or King Quality Shoes for men—either is famous for style, fit and quality.

We also call your attention to the complete line of Hats and Furnishings which we carry in stock all the time.

Yours for honest merchandise,

D. L. Thrasher

DEATH OF R. W. LAWTON

Well Known Resident of Oviedo Passes Away

After several years of declining health, Rev. R. W. Lawton died last Sunday at the Biloxi Sanitarium, Biloxi, Miss., where he had gone four weeks ago in the hope of regaining his health. During the first two weeks in the sanitarium he seemed to be improving; then for some unknown reason his strength began to fail rapidly. On Christmas eve he became unconscious and became so until his death at two o'clock Sunday morning, January 3rd. His son William was with him during all his recent illness, and his wife and eldest son, W. J. Lawton, arrived at his bedside a few days before he died. He leaves to mourn his death a wife, one daughter and four sons, one sister, Mrs. Clara I. Wheeler of Oviedo, and one brother, Capt. Ajax C. Lawton, of Sycamore, Ga.

Funeral services were held at the Oviedo cemetery Tuesday morning, by Rev. J. B. Rodgers, pastor of the Oviedo Baptist church.

The pall bearers were Messrs. S. E. Ives of Orlando, H. H. Witherington of Apopka, G. M. Jacobs and J. T. Jacobs of Chuluota, and T. L. Cushing and A. J. McCutley of Oviedo.

By the death of Mr. Lawton Orange county loses one of its oldest and best citizens. He was born at Albany, Ga., June 18th, 1847. Although quite young he served in the civil war; after the war he lived several years in southern Georgia. In 1870 he came to Florida, making his home at Oviedo, then called Lake Jeanp. Two years later he was married in Tallahassee to Miss Mary Gwynn, who now survives him. At the age of 28 he entered the Christian ministry in the Missionary Baptist church in which he has labored with love and patience through the varying fortunes of the past twenty-five years. And many devout Christians love, honor and praise him for directing their wandering steps to the way of salvation. His last pastorate was at Chuluota, which he held at the time of his death. There his last sermon was preached, on the third Sunday of last October. This was a memorial service of Mr. J. P. Jacobs, a life long friend. His many

loyal and devoted friends in Chuluota will be sorely saddened to learn that he has been taken from them forever. Besides the Chuluota church he has been pastor of a number of other places, among them Geneva, Fort Christmas, Osteen, Longwood and Oviedo.

For fourteen years he was moderator of the Wekiva Baptist Association resigning about a year ago on account of ill health. Mr. Lawton was always deeply interested in the educational progress of his county and was for twelve years the esteemed and honored chairman of the Orange county board of public instruction, in which capacity he served his fellow citizens with zeal, fidelity and success. Before the last election he declined re-nomination and his term of office expired two days prior to his death.

A man of excellent business ability; of perfect integrity and honor, an indefatigable defender of justice, a pastor of zealous and successful labors, a citizen loved and respected by all worthy of his friendship, in short, a Christian gentleman, whose whole life was dominated by high and noble principles, has been called by his Heavenly Father to receive his reward in that brighter land "where the sun of immortality shines forever," and has left a host of friends and loved ones saddened and broken-hearted, consoled only by the hope of rejoining him in the Great Beyond;

"Love shall live as pure and whole, As when he loved us here in time, And at the resurrection prime, Revaken with the dawning soul."

Returns From New York.

John V. Denton has just returned from New York where he found business resuming everywhere and the prospects look as though Florida growers will realize good prices for all their products. It will be remembered that Mr. Denton handled the first carload of lettuce from Sanford this season which netted the growers large returns. In fact, Mr. Denton states that his firm has handled more high-priced lettuce than any other New York house this season.

Winner Washing Machines. A few more of these still left, sold strictly on guarantee. If they do not do what we claim, money is refunded. Harry J. Wilson

IN AND ABOUT THE CITY

Little Happenings—Mention of Matters in Brief.

PERSONAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

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

**Are You working For a Greater Sanford?**  
Wade, the tuner, Orlando.  
Charles Padgett is the latest addition to The Herald force.  
Sheriff Vick of Orlando was in the city Saturday.  
The Cecilian music club meets today at 3 p. m.  
See C. A. Reed for furniture and piano moving.  
Fresh oysters served in every style at the Pico restaurant.  
Judge Beggs of Orlando spent Monday in this city.  
Oysters served in every style at the Pico restaurant.  
J. P. McCuller and Arthur Yowell spent Sunday at Orlando.  
The Clyde Line buildings are undergoing a wonderful transformation these days.  
Ham sandwich, 5 cents; Mrs. Takash's lunch room, opposite the depot.  
Merle McElroy of Orlando was a visitor to the city yesterday.  
The lack of store rooms in Sanford is retarding the city's growth.  
Romeo Coffee, 3 pounds for one dollar.  
Chas. Evans.  
Brush, the magician, played to a crowded house Tuesday night.  
We cannot anticipate a Greater Sanford without more houses.  
Women's coats at reduced prices to make them go. At Mettinger's.  
With electric lights and paved streets Sanford will soon be better than the best.  
Harry Alexander, of The Herald force, spent Sunday with his wife in Oviedo.  
Get estimates from Pell on house printing.  
Garner & Roberts open their Sanford avenue grocery today. Everything in groceries, hay and grain.  
D. G. Monroe returned Friday from a business trip to the county seat.  
S. W. Johnson, representing the Painter Printing Co. of De Land, was in the city on Monday.  
The famous Fox River Butter for sale at W. W. Long's Grocery.  
I sold the celebrated Macy wagon. Harry J. Wilson.  
Steak, ham and eggs, pork and beans and other toothsome articles, at Mrs. G. L. Takash's lunch room, opposite the depot.  
J. P. Musselwhite, of the firm of Drew & Musselwhite, spent Friday in the city on business.  
High grade Cigars and Tobacco. Smoking and chewing. Most complete line in the city.  
Chas. Evans.  
Silk shirt waists at big reduction at Mettinger's.  
See Pell for paper hanging. New fall patterns, just in.  
John Mallon, a prominent merchant of Palatka, spent Sunday with his brother, A. P. Mallem.  
Messrs. T. E. Wilson and A. M. Thrasher spent several days this week at Orlando on legal business.  
The merry-go-round has departed for new fields, after a successful two weeks business here.  
WANTED—Party to contract to furnish engine wood on rack, for S. & E. railway.  
A. P. CONNELLY.  
D. M. Thrasher spent Thursday in Orlando on business connected with the county school board.  
Jos. Von Bergen has gone to Jacksonville, where he has secured employment in the office of the Florida Fruit and Produce News.  
Commencing January 1st, 1909, George W. Venable, contractor and builder, will employ only union labor, and work eight hours a day.  
The members of the Sanford W. C. T. U. are invited to hold a meeting at the residence of Mrs. A. E. Phillips, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.  
Olives in bulk and in all size bottles.  
Chas. Evans.  
Don't forget that L. R. Phillips has the best prices on all sorts of garden seed.  
Rugs, from 75 cents up. E. A. Heffield Furniture Store.  
Street Commissioner Cowan has had the street force busy this week scraping the grass from the sides of many of the streets and otherwise cleaning and beautifying the appearance of our thoroughfares.

More houses.  
And better houses.  
Is the crying need in Sanford.  
Long's Preserves in glasses. Finest on market.  
Chas. Evans.  
A colored Baptist minister baptised several converts in Lake Monroe, Sunday noon.  
Harry P. Driver, the genial proprietor of the Sanford House, visited Orlando friends Monday.  
Dill Pickles, sweet mixed, cucumbers, mangoes and sour pickles in bulk.  
Chas. Evans.  
Robert McGlon, lately proprietor of the up-to-date restaurant, has gone to Miami on business and recreation combined.  
Messrs. J. N. Whitner, B. A. Howard and W. A. Ginn formed an auto party for Orlando, Monday. They were all bent on important business.  
Ben Solomon, a well known merchant of Orlando spent Friday in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kanner.  
Mrs. Joe R. Chassen of Atlanta, Ga., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Laing.  
See H. H. Hill for Celery City Blend Coffee, finest on earth for 24 cents.  
Kennedy McCook, representing the Armour Packing Co., called upon the local trade Monday.  
There is much activity in real estate circles and property is rapidly changing hands.  
Eight hundred lightwood fence posts for sale.  
W. J. THIGPEN.  
Dried Salt Shoulders at 12 1/2 cents found at H. H. Hill's grocery.  
FOR RENT—Two medium-sized front rooms and pantry, up stairs. Apply at 501 Fourth street.  
Fresh fish every day—Guaranteed to be fresh—also oysters.  
S. C. RICHARDS, Leffler Block.  
Men's overcoats and cravenettes. Must be sold. Priced away down.  
At Mettinger's.  
Planting time is here. M. M. Smith will sell you land on easy terms.  
Will Stringfellow, otherwise known as "whispering Bill," was in the city Monday in the interest of his firm.  
Wale makes frequent trips to Sanford. Write him at Orlando.  
Are you a subscriber to THE HERALD?  
The Royal Tailors Brand of Clothing means perfection. See samples at D. A. Caldwell & Son's.  
WANTED—Children's sewing to do. Mrs. Marie Ketchum. 510 Magnolia street.  
Ladies' Trimmed Hats at cost at Kanner's.  
Furnished room for rent. Good location; only two dollars per week if taken at once. Call at Herald office.  
Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Shelfer and family left Wednesday for their home in Havana, Florida, after spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Laing.  
Now is the time to buy your sub-irrigated land. See M. M. Smith.  
Goodwin's high-grade Preserves, Jellies and Jams, at Garner & Roberts.  
Colburn's minstrels at the opera house last night gave a very creditable performance. Such companies as Colburn's are always welcome and receive hearty and substantial support.  
Low prices on beans for spring planting at L. R. Phillips.  
Chase & Sanborn's tea and coffee, the best there is. Garner & Roberts.  
Beans, English peas, tomatoes; all seeds for spring crops, at exceptionally good prices. L. R. Phillips.  
Garner & Roberts sell high-grade Cigars and tobacco. Try them.  
Faultless white cherries, Lima Beans and succotash, at Garner & Roberts.  
Women's coats at reduced prices to make them go. At Mettinger's.  
Zebedee Ratliff of Braidentown was in the city Tuesday, the guest of The Herald. He is a practical printer and pressman, and next Monday will be added to the working force of the office.  
Just arrived, Snider's canned goods catsups and preserves, at Garner & Roberts.  
Mattings of all kinds and patterns, from 20 cents per yard to 50 cents, at E. A. Heffield's Furniture Store.  
New stock Evaporated and Dried Fruits for Christmas cakes, at Long's Grocery.  
J. D. Davison, of the Sanford Furniture Co., has had erected on his lot adjoining his residence a fine new warehouse in which he will store furniture and household supplies.  
Contractor Geo. W. Venable informed The Herald that he made estimates this week for five four-room tenement houses, and two eight-room residences, and that it is very certain that these will all be built in the immediate future. Good About one hundred more five to eight room houses are needed at once.  
W. M. Dickens spent Thursday in Orlando.

J. C. Snead transacted business in Jacksonville the first of the week.  
Step into Mrs. G. L. Takash's lunch room and get a cup of good coffee. Five cents.  
Buy Henry Clay Flour of W. W. Long. The best on earth.  
Silk shirt waists at big reduction at Mettinger's.  
Go to H. H. Hill for everything in the grocery line.  
Best Elgin creamery butter at 35 cents per pound, at Sanford Grocery Company.  
Fresh Mackerel at H. H. Hill's grocery.  
Mrs. Emmet L. Greer and daughter, Miss Effie, returned to their home in Green Cove Springs, Tuesday, after spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Laing.  
One million feet of cypress bleaching boards. Place orders now. G. R. Calhoun.  
"Ten nights in a bar room" as presented at the opera house Wednesday night was much worse than ten bar rooms in a night.  
It will be difficult for Sanford to grow if no more stores are built on First street. People are here every day looking for business locations.  
"Our Own" coffee, best 25 cent coffee on the market, at either store of Garner & Roberts.  
North Carolina seed cowpeas, \$2.75 a bushel, f. o. b. Sanford. File your order with G. C. McDougal, Box 74.  
Men's overcoats and cravenettes. Must be sold. Priced away down.  
At Mettinger's.  
If you want a first-class tailor-made suit for \$12.98, call at D. A. Caldwell & Sons.  
Deputy Sheriff Sam Griffin was in the city Monday settling up the affairs of the sheriff's office.  
Some people seem to think Florida is slow. Let them try Garner & Roberts with an order. Phone 39.  
See L. R. Phillips about cucumber and squash seed.  
For an up-to-date tailor-made suit, see D. A. Caldwell & Sons.  
A little money now and a little now and then is the way to buy celery land. See M. M. Smith for particulars.  
W. J. Thigpen and Miss Sadie Symes returned Tuesday from a trip to the East Coast and Jacksonville, accompanying Miss Thigpen as far as the latter place, en route home to North Carolina.  
\$18 Art Squares for \$15, size 9x12. E. A. Heffield Co.  
Electa Brand Tea and Spices.  
Chas. Evans.  
Reginald Cassie has severed his connection with The Herald and contemplates resuming his position with a printing firm in Hawkinsville, Ga. We wish him an abundance of success wherever his field of labor may be.  
The latest styles in Millinery at Kanner's.  
Low prices on tomato seed at L. R. Phillips.  
P. A. Ruhl, editor of the Ft. Myers Press, was a visitor to the city last Sunday. Mr. Ruhl has one of the best weekly papers in Florida and will shortly install a typesetting machine in order to handle his rapidly increasing business.  
Just arrived, a fresh line of imported macaroni, spaghetti, vermicelli, A B C French peas, etc. GARNER & ROBERTS.  
When you have an item of news call phone No. 148.  
B. R. Pond, representing Ludden & Bates Southern music House of Jacksonville, was in the city Saturday and Sunday. He is one of the best piano salesmen in Florida, and stands at the head of the vast army of salesmen who are in the employ of Ludden & Bates.  
M. M. Smith has 1,000 acres of celery land. Sold on easy terms.  
EXPERIENCED NURSE—For information address "Nurse," Box 103, City. 19-4  
Turkeys, geese and chickens for sale. Mrs. A. C. Doudney, Phone 59, Sanford Fla.  
Mrs. Edgar E. Brown and mother, Mrs. Hurst, left Wednesday for Baltimore, where Mrs. Hurst hopes to receive medical treatment.  
Frank Takash returned Tuesday from a months' visit to friends on Indian river, during which he did some fine fishing stunts.  
WANTED—By young man, nice, open, sunny room, with or without board. Give terms and location. Address, D. C. H., Herald office.  
\$18 Art Squares for \$15, size 9x12. E. A. Heffield Co.  
Connected with this paper is a printing office capable of producing the highest grade of office and society stationery.  
Wilbur McCoy, the immigration agent of the Atlantic Coast Line spent several days in the city this week. Mr. McCoy was carried away with the celery delta and the bright prospects in store for Sanford.  
Dr. R. S. Keeler left Thursday for New York city, after spending a few days getting acquainted with his family.

**N. P. Yowell & Co**  
**January Specialties**  
Ladies' Collars, Ladies' Belts  
Fine Line of Ruchings  
Extra Wide and Full  
Large Barettes, Complete Line of  
Notions, Wool Dress Goods  
and Silks, Yard-wide Satins  
Full Line of Gents' Furnishings  
**N. P. YOWELL & CO.**

**Hunting - Season**  
**IS HERE**  
You Want Guns, Shells and Supplies  
We carry a Full Line of  
New Club and Referee  
Shells, 10, 12, 16 Gauge.  
High Base Smokeless in  
"Premier", "Ideal" and  
"Leader."  
A Large Stock of Guns  
and Fishing Tackle and  
General Sporting Goods.  
GUNS FOR RENT  
**The Geo. H. Fernald Hardware Co**  
SANFORD, FLORIDA



Robert Holmes, wife and sister of Danville, Ill., spent Wednesday in the city.  
The City Cigar Store has taken charge of the Atlanta Journal agency in Sanford.  
Special Sale of ladies' Trimmed Hats at Kanner's.  
The Howard-Packard Land Co., has just issued a fine booklet upon the merits of the celery delta.  
C. H. Leffer left on Thursday for Jacksonville where he will have charge of the Sanford office.  
A fine line of ladies' Pattern Hats at Kanner's.  
Just as the New Year's resolutions were in a fair way to be kept "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" comes along and drives them all to drink again.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Brodwater and daughter and Tom Brodwater were in the city Tuesday from Orlando. Mr. Brodwater is the popular representative of the Painter Fertilizer Co.  
Dr. C. S. Butt has opened dental parlors in the Pico Block, room 13. He has recently installed some fine office fixtures and furniture, and being a general favorite, will enjoy a lucrative practice.  
Ladies, see the fine line of Trimmed Hats at Kanner's.  
Miss Gladys Gardner has accepted a position with the First National Bank as stenographer. Both the Bank and Miss Gladys are to be congratulated, the bank on securing the services of this most excellent young lady, and she on securing so desirable a position.  
An English lady with a thorough musical training and some years experience in teaching would give lessons in Sanford at pupil's home on violin or piano. Terms at rate of one dollar an hour. Address Miss Tinne, Sorrento, Fla. 22-3t

**For Manufacturing Brick.**  
The Pope Contracting Co., have recently installed a fine plant for making concrete brick. The machine will make 10,000 brick per day and is also equipped to make stone piers and blocks for buildings. The bricks are of good quality and the Pope Co., should do a large business in this line.  
**Just Arrived at Sanford Grocery Co.**  
Buckwheat flour, old, homestead flour, graham flour, hygienic and superlative flour. Snider's catsup, chilli sauce, oyster cocktail, and salad dressing.  
Since the last issue of THE HERALD our people are responding nobly to the call for contributions of fruits and vegetables to supply the Sanford office in Jacksonville.  
**Lettuce Plants**  
Lettuce Plants for sale; any quantity.  
C. F. WILLIAMS, Box 33.  
**Clay Tile For Sale.**  
Palatka Tile for sale in any quantity.  
G. F. SMITH, Box 371  
If it's printing you want, send it to THE HERALD office. First-class work guaranteed.  
**Just Received**  
The largest line of sporting goods ever received in Sanford—guns, rifles, hunting clothing, etc.  
Harry J. Wilson.  
**Notice**  
All parties concerned are hereby notified that my wife and I have separated and I will not be responsible for any debts she may contract.  
Dec. 28, 1908. THADEUS DAVIS.  
Samples of engraved visiting cards and invitations in the latest and best styles may be seen at The Herald office.

**ALL AROUND FLORIDA**

The General News of "The Land of Flowers"

**CULLED FROM THE STATE PRESS**

An Epitome of the Week's Most Important Happenings in the State's Domain.

The Nic Ahren property on Bay street, Jacksonville, sold last week for \$105,000.

At a reunion at the home of the Boyd brothers, Winter Haven, Dec. 31, Mrs. Knox Campbell of Tampa was severely burned by the explosion of a hanging lamp which fell to the floor, setting fire to Mrs. Campbell's clothing.

Miss Esther Utley, society editor of the Tampa Tribune, was married last week to J. B. Prevatt. The couple will make a wedding trip to the Pacific coast, and on their return will make their home in Charlotte, N. C.

The People's National Fire Insurance Co. of Philadelphia has established Florida headquarters in Tampa.

Tampa Bay Hotel opened last Saturday.

The quality of the Florida orange this year is of fine flavor, and the quantity—judging from present estimates—is also acceptable, the price, however, is commensurate to encourage the grower to do his best in the care and fertilizing of his grove for the coming crop, says the Fort Meade Observer. Perhaps the market has not yet recovered from the chafe it got when so many green oranges were dumped into it.

We have on exhibition at this office a potato which weighs at this time five and a half pounds. This tuber was raised by Tully Brown on the natural soil without fertilizer of any kind. We have seen one larger than this at the office of the Gulf Coast Breeze, which was also raised in this county. If we can raise such potatoes without half trying we could exhibit creditably and profitably at the state fair if we tried.—Sopchoppy Argus.

The discovery that the stalks of the okra will make finer paper than that produced from wood and at one-third the cost, means much. It means cheaper paper, mills for the manufacture throughout the south, and that paper material will be grown annually hereafter and the destruction of the forests checked. If it is true that corn stalks and cotton stalks will also make paper, the outlook for cheap prices and an abundant supply of that prime necessity for civilization is favorable indeed. All these are at present but waste products.

J. P. Donnelly of Mt. Dora is one of the most successful citrus fruit growers in the state. By intelligent effort he has, we think, made a success second to none. Off of 18 acres of pine land grove of oranges, tangerines and grapefruit he reaped a reward of his intelligent and economic effort that brought to his coffers \$11,400 last year and \$8,000 this year. Mr. Donnelly sprayed his grove twice this year and was greatly rewarded with bright fruit. Before the fruit was gathered the grove was delightful to behold—luxuriant foliage of green studded with bright golden fruit. The success of Mr. Donnelly has caused the growers in and around Mt. Dora to agree to spray their groves next season and produce bright fruit and advertise the Mt. Dora brand. Such efforts will prove a boon to the orange growers of that section. Good things command good prices at all times, and best is the community that produces a simon pure thing of any description.—Tavares Herald.

Mrs. Florence Maybrick, who spent fifteen years in an English prison for the alleged killing of her husband, and was pardoned by the British government, will spend a portion of the winter in Florida at the resort hotels.

On the property of R. W. Brown, eight miles south of Miami there are growing thirty-four varieties of fruit trees, fourteen varieties are now in bearing and specimens of the fruit were served to guests on Christmas day.

Five hundred and eight thousand acres of Everglade land was sold recently to R. J. Bolles of Colorado for two dollars an acre. Half of the purchase price goes to the state for its individual use, the remainder to be devoted exclusively to the drainage of the land purchased, by the digging of canals. The land is to be paid for at the rate of \$150,000 a year for three years, the remainder being paid in full in the two years following.

Lost.—Wednesday, Dec. 30, two mileage books, between Sanford and Gee Hammock on Lake Jessup. Address of C. A. Hawkins, Commerce, Ga., in books. Five dollars reward if returned to Sanford House office.

**DR. C. G. BUTT**

DENTIST

Room 13 Pico Building  
SANFORD, FLORIDA

**Mark Twain Caught Out.**

A poet, a pair of trousers across his knee, sat in his attic trying to thread a needle.

"The proper way," he said, "is to hold the thread still and push the needle toward it or to hold the needle still and push the thread toward it. Mark Twain says both ways are right. Then he says they are both wrong."

Taking down "The Prince and the Pauper," the poet read:

"He did as men have always done and probably always will do to the end of time—held the needle still and tried to thrust the thread through the eye, which is the opposite of a woman's way."

Then the poet, taking down "Huckleberry Finn," read:

"Bless you, child, when you set out to thread a needle don't hold the thread still and fetch the needle up to it. Hold the needle still and poke the thread at it. That's the way a woman most always does, but a man always does t'other way."

**Who Would Want to Be a Lama?**

The lama pilgrims among the Tibetan Hindoos, as they pursue their mountain pilgrimages, literally measure off the distance with their bodies. The distinguished traveler Sven Hedin, writing of his discoveries in Tibet in Harper's Magazine, describes them as lying down full length on the ground, making a mark on the road, rising and stepping forward to the mark, once more to fall full length. One such walking journey as this, says Dr. Hedin, equals thirty ordinary ones. Among the lamas also are to be found those who immerse themselves in a dark cave for life, food being passed in through a passage or hole underground. Should the dish be one day untouched those outside may know that the sacrificial prisoner has died—seated, since all good lamas must die seated, in the wooden frame which was fashioned for him when he was entombed.

**Useless.**

There was some speculation as to whether the instrument would benefit the old gentleman or not. One was holding the ear trumpet, while another was explaining its use and showing old Mr. Borrowers how to hold it to his ear.

"Say something to him through it, Joe," said one to the other.

Now, Joe had long waited for an opportunity to reach Mr. Borrowers' ear. So, speaking very distinctly into the trumpet, he said:

"You've not paid me that sovereign you owe me yet, Mr. Borrowers."

But the old gentleman put the instrument down, with disappointment on his face, and they could see it was a failure even before he had time to say:

"That thing's not a bit of good to me!"

And he sighed, but his sigh was not so deep as that which came from Joe.—London Express.

**Talking Down.**

The superintendent of a Sunday school class in Philadelphia recently called upon a visitor to "say a few words" to the class, the members of which are mostly children of tender age.

The visitor, a speaker well known for his verbose and circumlocutory mode of speech, began his address as follows:

"This morning, children, I purpose to offer you an epitome of the life of St. Paul. It may be perhaps that there are among you some too young to grasp the meaning of the word 'epitome.' 'Epitome,' children, is in its signification synonymous with synopsis."—Philadelphia Ledger.

**Nonreversible.**

Lang—Didn't you tell me that you made yourself solid with Mrs. Vane by asking her if she was herself or her daughter—couldn't tell them apart, and so on?

Strang—I did. What about it?

Lang—Why, I tried the same gag with the daughter, and it didn't go for a cent.—Boston Transcript.

**Took the Cue.**

"Now," said the teacher, who had been describing the habits of bears, "what is the fiercest animal in the polar regions, Johnny?"

"Why—er—er," stammered Johnny.

"Come, don't you remember? The pol!"

"Oh, sure; the polecat!"—Philadelphia Press.

**An Explanation.**

Little Dot—Mamma, I was playing with your best tea set while you were away, and when you bring it out for company you'll be shocked, 'cause you'll think one of the cups has a hair in it, but it isn't a hair. Mamma—What is it? Little Dot—It's only a crack.—Pick-Me-Up.

**Called the Turn.**

"What's the old lady doing now?" asked the old stocking in the work basket.

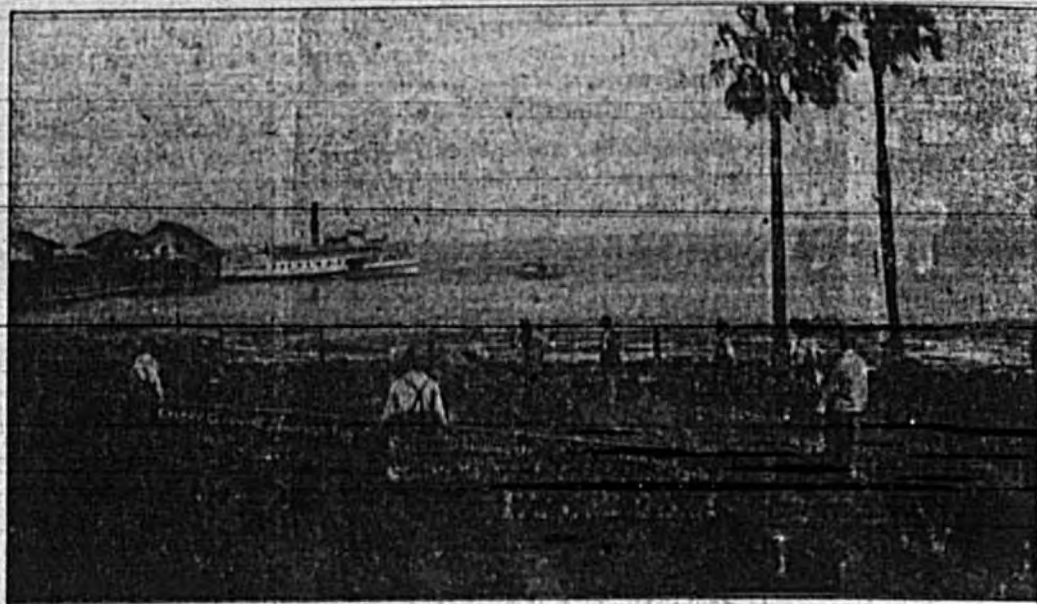
"She's getting out her needle and yarn," replied the scissors.

"Well, well," exclaimed the stocking, "I'll be darned."—Philadelphia Press.

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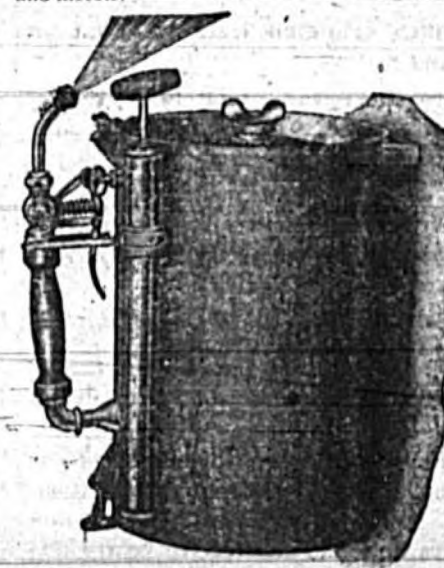
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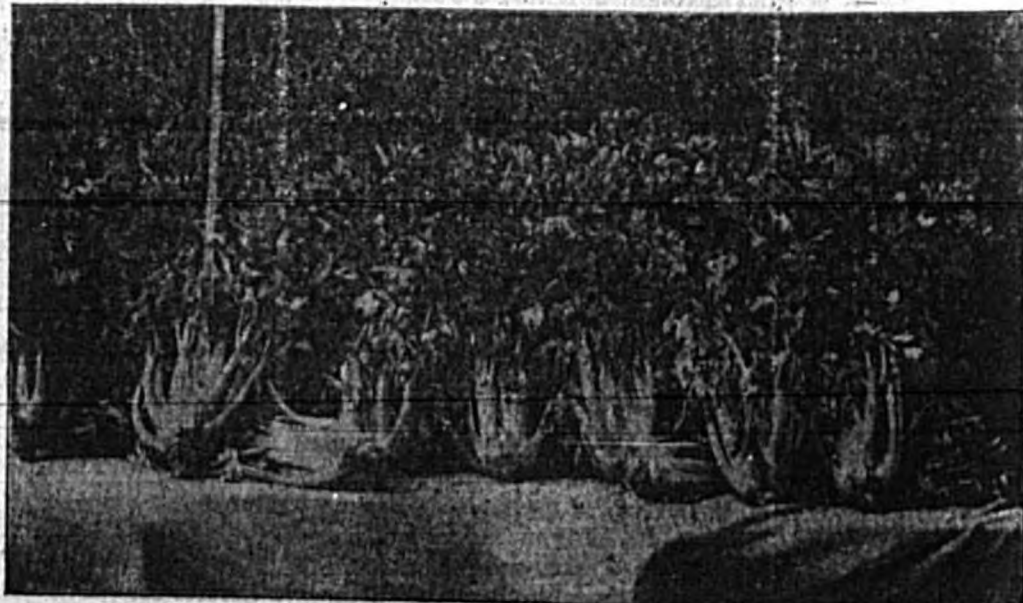
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**The Editor on Carelessness.**  
 "Yes," said the editor as he put his gum brush into the ink bottle and tried to paste on a clipping with his pen, "yes, the great fault of newspaper contributors is carelessness."  
 "Indeed," he continued as he dropped the copy he had been writing into the wastebasket and marked "Editorial" across the corner of a poem entitled "An Ode to Death," "contributors are terribly careless."  
 "You would be surprised," said he as he clipped out a column of fashion notes and labeled them "Farm," "to see the slipshod writing that comes into the editorial sanctum."  
 "Misspelled, un punctuated, written on both sides of the sheet, illegible, ungrammatical stuff. Contributors are terribly careless. They are!"  
 Just then the office boy came in with that dictatorial and autocratic manner he has and demanded more copy, and the editor handed him the love letter he had just written to his sweetheart.—London Globe.

**Queen Caroline's Pastime.**  
 Queen Caroline, wife of King George IV, of England, with whom she was on the worst possible terms, is described in "The Diary of a Lady in Waiting," written by Lady Charlotte Bury. The queen seems to have tried witchcraft on the king. Lady Charlotte writes on one occasion: "After dinner her royal highness made a wax figure, as usual, and gave it an amiable addition of large horns, then took three pins out of her garments and stuck them through and through and put the figure to roast and melt at the fire. If it was not too melancholy to have to do with this, I could have died of laughing. She indulges in this amusement whenever there are no strangers at the table, and some think her royal highness really has a superstitious belief that destroying this effigy of her husband will bring to pass the destruction of his royal person. What a silly piece of spite! Yet it is impossible not to laugh when one sees it done."

**Just Like a Lazy Man.**  
 An elderly gentleman, who would rather sleep late than eat the most attractive breakfast, was leisurely wending his way toward the subway when he was accosted by a breathless woman.  
 "Oh, mister, a lot of toughs are beating a hurdy gurdy man to death. Can't you help?"  
 "Where?"  
 "Right around the corner. Oh, please come with me!"  
 The late sleeper peered through his gold rimmed glasses at the complainant and asked:  
 "Is he a very big hurdy gurdy man?"  
 "Oh, no, sir! He's a very small man."  
 "Then surely, my good woman, they can't need any help from me."—New York Press.

**Doomsday Book.**  
 The Doomsday Book is a British institution. It is a book of the general survey of England, commenced in the reign of William I. (the Conqueror), about 1086, some say about 1087. It was intended to be a "register to determine the right in the tenure of estates, to discover the extent of any man's land, to fix his homage and to settle the question of the military aid he was bound to furnish."

**Won Every Time.**  
 "Have you ever loved and lost?" signed the swain.  
 "Nope," responded the maiden promptly. "I've won every breach of promise suit I ever brought."—Cleveland Leader.

A young Canadian humorist who went over to England hoping to find London editors in receptive mood forwarded a contribution to Punch with this note: "Dear Sir—I arrived in London this morning and paid a visit to Westminster abbey this afternoon. I found this call depressing for a man naturally shrinks from inspecting the spot where he is to be buried."

**NOTICE OF INCORPORATION**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That we, the undersigned, intend to apply to the Honorable N. B. Broward, Governor of the State of Florida, at Tallahassee, Florida, on the 6th day of February, A. D. 1909, for Letters Patent incorporating THE HOWARD-PACKARD LAND COMPANY, under the following proposed charter, the original of which is now on file in the office of the Secretary of the State of Florida.

B. ADNA HOWARD,  
 CLAUDE C. HOWARD,  
 JESSE O. PACKARD.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THE HOWARD-PACKARD LAND COMPANY.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, have agreed to associate ourselves, and do hereby associate ourselves together for the purpose of forming into a body politic and corporate under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Florida, and do hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I.  
 The name of this corporation shall be THE HOWARD-PACKARD LAND 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 Florida and in other States of the United States, and in foreign countries, as the board of directors may determine.

ARTICLE II.  
 The general nature of the business to be transacted by said corporation shall be as follows, to-wit: To hold, buy, own, control, work, develop, sell, convey, lease, rent, mortgage, pledge, exchange, cultivate, improve and otherwise deal in real estate of all kinds, and any right, title, interest or estate therein, in the State of Florida and in other States of the United States, and in foreign countries; to plat, improve and develop lands for the purpose of sale; and to do and perform all things appropriate or needful for the development and improvement of the same for any purposes for which the same may be adapted; to undertake and direct the management and sale of all or part of the property of the corporation; and to undertake and direct the management and sale of property, buildings and lands of others, and to transact all business in the general business of real estate agents and brokers.

To acquire, own, lease, develop, use and develop farms, farm lands, town sites and territories; to lay out, plat, irrigate, drain and subdivide the same; to operate farms, ranches, orchards and plantations, and establish colonies of immigrants; and to erect and construct houses, buildings and works of every kind on the land of the corporation. To manufacture, purchase, or otherwise acquire, to hold, own, mortgage, pledge, sell, assign, transfer, or otherwise dispose of, invest, trade and deal in and with timber, lumber, naval stores, and other goods, wares and merchandise of every class and description, which may be calculated directly or indirectly to effectuate its business.

To issue bonds and to secure the same by pledges or deeds of trust or mortgages, or of upon the whole or any part of the property held by the corporation, and to sell and pledge such bonds for proper corporate uses, as and when the board of directors may determine; to loan and borrow money on notes, bonds, mortgages or otherwise; and to buy, own, hire, lease, mortgage, pledge and otherwise deal in and dispose of all kinds of personal property.

To guarantee, subscribe for, hold, purchase, or otherwise acquire, sell, transfer, assign, mortgage, pledge or otherwise dispose of the shares of capital stock of, or any bonds, securities and other indebtedness issued or created by any other corporation or corporations of this State, or any other State, country or nation; and while the owner of such stock, bonds, or other obligations, to exercise all the rights, powers and privileges of ownership thereof, and to exercise voting powers thereon, to the same extent that a natural person might or could do.

To receive payment of the capital stock subscribed for, in money, or in property, labor or services, at a just valuation thereof, to be determined by the board of directors; to make contracts of any kind whatsoever for the furtherance of its business and purposes, and generally to exercise such powers as may be incident to the purposes and business of said corporation, and to have, exercise and enjoy all the rights, powers and privileges incident to corporations organized and existing under the laws of the State of Florida.

The foregoing clauses shall be construed as independent objects, businesses and powers, and the enumeration of any specific business or power shall not be held to limit or restrict in any manner any other business or power of this corporation.

ARTICLE III.  
 The amount of the capital stock of this corporation shall be One Hundred Thousand (100,000.00) Dollars, to be divided into One Thousand shares of the par value of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars each. All or any portion of the capital stock of this corporation may be payable in, issued, or used for in the purchase of property, real or personal, or for the payment of labor or services, at a just valuation to be determined by the board of directors.

ARTICLE IV.  
 This corporation shall continue and have full power to exercise its corporate rights and franchises for a period of ninety-nine (99) years from and after the commencement of its corporate existence.

ARTICLE V.  
 The business of this corporation shall be conducted by the following officers: a President, a Treasurer, and a Secretary, elected by the board of directors, and a board of directors of not less than three nor more than five directors, who must be stockholders of the corporation, to be elected by the stockholders annually.

Until the first annual meeting of the stockholders hereinafter provided for, and until their successors are elected and qualified, the officers of this corporation shall be: B. Adna Howard, President; Jesse O. Packard, Treasurer; and Claude C. Howard, Secretary; the Board of Directors shall be: B. Adna Howard, Jesse O. Packard and Claude C. Howard.

The first organization meeting of the stockholders of this corporation shall be held in the City of Sanford, Orange County, Florida, the principal place of business of the corporation, at the offices of the corporation, on the 20th day of February, A. D. 1909, for the purpose of adopting by-laws and completing the organization of the corporation, and also for the purpose of electing such officers of the corporation as are hereinbefore provided for, and thereafter the annual meeting of the stockholders of this corporation shall be held on the first Tuesday in January of each and every year.

ARTICLE VI.  
 The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation shall be subject shall be the amount of the capital stock of this corporation.

ARTICLE VII.  
 The names and residences of the subscribing incorporators of this corporation, and the amount of the capital stock subscribed by each, are as follows:  
 B. Adna Howard, Sanford, Fla. 149 Shares  
 Claude C. Howard, Sanford, Fla. 150 Shares  
 Jesse O. Packard, Cadillac, Mich. 150 Shares  
 In Witness Whereof, the subscribing incorporators have hereunto subscribed their names.  
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**Items of Interest Concerning Society People.**

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**How Celery City Vanity Fair While Away the Golden Hours—Social Gossip.**

**Kindergarten Piano Recital**

Despite the threatening weather of last Saturday afternoon a large audience was assembled in the studio of Mrs. Fannie Strawbridge Munson to enjoy her kindergarten pupils' piano recital. It was indeed a very cunning programme. The little misses acquitted themselves beautifully. They were ably assisted by Maud Alice Wagner, whose playing for a mere child was remarkable. Her fine technique and artistic interpretation applied with equal fluency to the heavy chord work as well as brilliant scale passages. Her numbers were as follows:

- Rider's Story
- A Strange Man
- Concerto
- Bridal Chorus
- Shower of Stars
- Mazurka
- Schubert's
- Mendelssohn
- Wagner
- Wachs
- Chopin

Most delightful features of the program were the songs by Miss Bowler in her voice of rare sweetness, and the hearty encores recitations of Mrs. Richard Maxwell.

The little kindergarten pupils taking part were Sereta Lake, May Thrasher, Helen Peck, Ada Wagner, Thelma and Ernestine Webb, Fannie Reba Munson.

Preceding programme a duet was rendered by Misses Mabel and Charlotte Hand.

The beautiful home of Mrs. R. S. Keelor is a mecca for her many friends who desire a short ride from the city and a pleasant visit with such an entertaining hostess. Mrs. Keelor and Miss Keelor will be at home Thursdays after 3 o'clock.

Master Arthur Dickens celebrated his tenth birthday Thursday and invited a number of his friends to assist him in enjoying the afternoon. After they had assembled they were all bundled into a large wagon and took a delightful ride into the country. Upon their return games were indulged in and after choice refreshments the young folks left with many well wishes for Arthur.

**Parents' Club to Meet**  
The Parents' Club will hold their regular meeting at the High School auditorium next Monday at 3 p. m. A most interesting program will be rendered as follows:  
Instrumental Solo..... Mrs. Smith  
Paper—The child's study hour at home..... Mrs. Dunn  
Vocal Solo..... Mrs. Hamilton  
Address—The child's study hour and help he needs..... Mr. C. W. Bowman  
Discussion..... By Club

**BAD FOR NEGRO INCENDIARY**

**Frank Harris Carried to Tampa on Murder Charge**

Frank Harris, the negro who knew so much about the laundry fire in this city and was rewarded for his knowledge by arrest, was taken from Orlando to Tampa last week on the charge of murder. There seems to be no end to this negro's crimes, and it is doubtful as to whether he will be turned back to the Orange county officials on the charge of arson, as the charge of murder will have precedent.

**Sanford's Trolley Line**

The Herald has the assurance this week that the new trolley line would be started as soon as the Sanford & Everglades railroad is finished. The trolley system will use the rails of the new railroad as far as the city limits and then their own rails into the city. This will be great news to the people of Sanford, as a trolley system has long been needed to connect the city with the suburban residents.

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**SANFORD'S NEW RAILROAD**

**Sanford & Everglades Line Making Rapid Progress**

One of the greatest factors in Sanford's march of progress is the Sanford & Everglades railroad that is now being built through part of the famous celery delta to Lake Jessup.

The rails are being laid and are nearly to Beardall avenue. Next week the work will be pushed rapidly and the road will be finished this month to the lake, thus giving the growers an outlet for their products. The engine and flat cars are now in operation and greatly facilitate the work by hauling supplies to the front.

Everywhere along the line of the new road houses are being built and land taken up and cleared, and this section will soon assume the appearance of a city of beautiful homes and gardens.

**SANFORD WILL HAVE LIGHTS**

**Electric Light Plant to be Installed at an Early Date**

The Sanford Light & Fuel Co. have their new franchise now pending and in a few weeks will prepare to install a fine plant for furnishing light and power to the city. This has long been needed and will be another step toward making a Greater Sanford.

**Typical Florida Weather**

So far, we must confess, Florida has never been blessed with a finer winter than there appears this year. Just a trifle warm, in the main, perhaps, but ideal nevertheless. Water in the lakes, is the reason some one suggests. Hardly that. Plenty of water in the lakes and rivers is calculated to temper a severe winter, once it comes upon us, but the fact is, there has been no winter. The cold comes howling out of the north. The normal condition of Florida is warmth and sunshine. But when one of these northern blasts comes sweeping down over the country, and its fog and hits this little neck, poking between the ocean and the gulf it chills it mightily suddenly and then heaven be praised, for our protecting water. A moderate chill we don't object to. It is healthful. Chases away fevers and invigorates us. But we don't want to take chances on the blast that blasts. It should be remembered, however, that there is but a trifle over one month until the Florida spring time opens up. So that if we are going to have any cold, it must come in a hurry.—Orlando Star.

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W. D. Holden and W. J. Thigpen, as )  
Holden Real Estate Company, etc. )  
J. K. Westbrook and William Gamble )  
To J. K. Westbrook and William Gamble:  
From the affidavit of Andrew Johnson, herein filed, in which he swears that he is the attorney of the above named plaintiffs, that he is informed and believes that the above defendants are each non-residents of the State of Florida; that he believes the defendant J. K. Westbrook is a resident of Albany, Georgia; and the defendant William Gamble's residence as place of business is 222 Washington street, New York City; and that said plaintiff knows no one or other person on whom service can be made that would bind said defendants. It is therefore ordered that this notice be published in The Sanford Herald, a newspaper published in Orange County, Florida, for four consecutive weeks. It is further ordered that you appear to this bill on the 1st day of February, A. D. 1909, the same being a rule day of said court. Witness, B. M. Robinson, clerk of the circuit court and the seal of said court this 30th day of December, A. D. 1908.  
B. M. ROBINSON, [sca.]  
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## LETTER FROM GOTHAM

A Former Resident of Sanford Writes Interestingly

### FLORIDIANS NOW IN NEW YORK

And What They Are Doing—General News of Interest to the People of This Section

New York, Dec. 31, 1908.

To the Editor of The Herald:

In making my first contribution to your columns as a special New York correspondent, I wish to give your readers the assurance that the interests of the State of Florida are very dear to me, and that I shall make it my particular endeavor to gather and transmit all the news more directly concerning that section.

This assurance is unnecessary for my old friends and neighbors who are familiar with my record in settling and developing Orange county, and know of my life-long devotion to the landed interests of the state, but is meant and given for the information of the younger generation among your readers.

**Floridians in Gotham**

I have met quite a number of Floridians in the busy marts of this metropolis. Among them I can recall at present the following:

Henry Papworth, ex-mayor of Sanford, who is connected with large interests in the steam engine manufacturing industry.

L. C. Vaughn, former proprietor and editor of the Orlando Sentinel, who is accompanied by his wife and three charming daughters. Mr. Vaughn is identified with the cotton manufacturing business, to which he has been giving successful attention for several years.

Thomas A. Darby, ex-senator from Putnam county, who, in connection with John P. Jones, has offices at Exchange Place, in the heart of the financial district, and is devoting himself to the promotion of large mining interests in far off Alaska. He speaks most enthusiastically about the resources of that remote possession and considers it a veritable land of promise.

Charles White, from Citra, who has also cast his fortunes in Alaska, and represents extensive copper interests.

George Wilson of Fort Meade, who is here in the interests of Florida phosphates, minerals and lands.

Elma Girard, a young mechanic of Orlando, who is operating very successfully in real estate both here and in Atlantic City.

### Richard Croker

The metropolitan press contains the announcement that this distinguished New Yorker will leave on Monday next for Palm Beach, Fla., where he intends taking up his residence until April of the coming year, and then return to his estate in Ireland.

The presence of Mr. Croker in New York is at all times mysteriously significant. There is a sphinx-like quality in his movements and intentions which is particularly puzzling and distressing to the press. Many wise and varied commentaries have been made by the New York newspapers as to his coming on the heels of the late national election. The general impression prevailed for some time that his present mission involved nothing less than the political execution of the Tammany chieftain, who failed to "make good" in the last state election. Nothing of the kind having happened, the press is at liberty to guess again.

A dinner given in honor of Mr. Croker by a host of friends and former political associates was made the occasion of a bitter personal attack by an eminent Jewish rabbi, who construed this purely social function as an evidence of their humiliating submission to his concealed power of domination. This lead was followed in still more acrimonious fashion by the Rev. Aked, Mr. Rockefeller's imported English missionary, who denounced Mr. Croker and his friends from the safe elevation of his pulpit. The Jewish rabbi abstained at least from making his attack under the cover of religion, and addressed himself to the public through the channels of the press. But the Christian zealot perceived no degradation of his church and office in harranguing his hearers from the pulpit on subjects political. In this connection it would be interesting to know what Mr. Aked is under contract to undertake the political regeneration of the American people. If so, I

would suggest he commence at once with the members of his own congregation. There are some among them who are even now undergoing investigation for continued and persistent infraction of the law, tending to enrich them at the expense of the general public. There is at least one notorious subpoena dodger, equally celebrated for his professions of piety and abstinence, whom a touch of true religion would benefit immensely.

In short, the Rev. Mr. Aked had better put his own house in order before venturing on more distant crusades.

The cabled reports of the recent disasters in Sicily and Calabria would seem to indicate that the world has been brought to face the greatest calamity in recorded history.

New York, with an Italian population estimated at four hundred thousand, is very generally concerned with this appalling catastrophe. There are few cities in Italy containing a larger Italian population. In view of this circumstance the contributions from New York for the relief of the sufferers should be the largest from any foreign source. If the Italian element fails to respond in fitting measure and allows the contributions from outside sources to exceed its own donation it will stand revealed in no creditable light.

Tammany has made an initial contribution of \$2,500. While it is not meet to question at this time the motive underlying this act of humanity, the cautious critic may be excused for connecting it in some manner with Tammany's great partiality for the Italian vote.

What did Tammany contribute to the San Francisco sufferers?

New York's latest sensational murder case, with which it is seldom unprovided, is the Haines case. As usual, there is a woman at the bottom of it.

The most remarkable feature of this case, from a professional point of view, seems to be the indisposition of the prosecuting attorney to exclude evidence favorable to the defense. In so doing he has departed from the time honored rule of procedure which commits him strictly to prosecute and secure a conviction at all costs. Mr. Darrin, the prosecuting officer, seems to incline to the sentimental theory that the interests of justice are best served by the admission rather than the suppression of evidence, irrespective of the side it may favor. Most lawyers will dissent from this view, but there are many, outside of the profession who will be in hearty sympathy with Mr. Darrin. Among these will be found all those who believe that it is a lawyer's duty to aid rather than defeat the ends of justice.

Police Commissioner Bingham has received a piece of friendly advice from one of the New York papers. It takes the form of a sugar-coated pill, recommending him to resign his post, because he is too much of a gentleman to meet existing conditions, and therefore incapable of contending with the peculiar difficulties of his position. These difficulties consist in the main of a criminal population liberally estimated at 50,000, exclusive of the insubordinate members of the police force. The same paper suggests that nothing short of a second Napoleon the Great can meet the emergency, but drops no hint as to where he may be found. Gen. Bingham may console himself with the reflection that if he falls short of the required standard it is at a high one.

The truth of the matter is that things have come to such a pass that the New Yorker need no longer attend the Wild West show to see a stage held up. He can get the genuine sensation by taking a quiet ride in the broad light of day in a Third avenue trolley car.

### Discussing the Orange Box

Jacksonville, Dec. 29.—There is a great deal of discussion among the fruit growers of Florida, in regard to what size orange box shall be adopted as the universal box. A large number of the growers favor the California size box, which is 11x11x26, while the Florida box is 12x12x27. They claim they can see no reason why they should give more oranges per box than California, while others are willing to change the size, if it is adopted and made a law by the state, so that the whole state will make the change at the same time. Others do not want the change at all, and some want any change, if they will decide on which box to use and stick to it. It is hoped an amicable agreement will be reached before another season.

## LOSS TO SCHOOL FUND

The Supreme Court of Florida Decides Against Act of 1905

The Supreme Court has rendered a decision which will be a serious blow to the public school interests of Florida, from which it will take many years to recover, says the Tallahassee True Democrat.

The reporter found Superintendent Holloway very much distressed on account of the decision, as he is more vitally interested in the school interests of the state than any other man.

He considers the opinion far reaching in its effects. While the court considered only one chapter, 5281, from the acts of 1905, yet every reason advanced tending to establish the unconstitutionality of that chapter seems to apply with logical force to the 1902 act, which is known as the junior and senior high school act, and to chapter 5657, which provided for the appropriation of \$40,000 by the comptroller, on the basis of the property valuation of each county.

The opinion, said he, deals a hard blow to the public school interests, and in a large measure places the schools about where they were ten years ago. There is already due the teachers of the state \$167,756 under the 80 per cent act and the high school act. In addition there is also due them the \$50,000 referred to, which should have been appropriated by the comptroller on the first of January, 1908. If at that time there had been money in the treasury for that purpose. The aggregate amount, therefore, due the schools under the three acts mentioned, on the first day of July, 1908, was \$207,956.

This large amount is lost to the schools, together with \$165,000 which would have accrued by the first of July, 1909.

The law establishing a system of high schools was enacted in 1903, and the other acts coming under the decision of the court, were passed in 1905.

While it seems from this decision that the state is not able to appropriate any money to the schools, there may be made a county levy of seven mills for school purposes, and in addition to this, a levy of three mills may be assessed in the special tax school districts, and under this arrangement it is possible for the schools to be kept up to their present standard without the aid given them under chapters 5381 and 5657, but the abolishment of the high school system is the most serious blow to public education in many years.

It may require a constitutional amendment to remedy the objection pointed out in the decision handed down by the supreme court.

If this recourse is not taken it will be necessary for the legislature to enact a law providing that each county shall maintain one high school to be supported entirely out of the county school funds. This plan, however, would be far inferior to the state system, since there would be no uniformity of standard in the operation of such schools.

### List of Unclaimed Letters

Remaining in the Sanford Postoffice at close of week ending Jan. 6, 1908:

**Ladies**  
 Hostell, Mrs. Lorraine  
 Celia, Miss Mary  
 Dunavart, Mrs. Beale  
 Kouen, Miss Myra  
 Lohd, Miss Rosinbee  
 Mallory, Mrs. Louberta

**Gentlemen**  
 Adams, Master W. H.  
 Anderson, Mr. Louie  
 Alexander, Mr. Frank  
 Clark, Mr. Frank  
 Clark, Rev. Mr. Henry  
 Cox, Mr. J. A.  
 Conner, Mr. Chas. E.  
 Dumaran, John B.  
 Duncan, Mr. J.  
 Hallack Sons D. Y.  
 Hall, Mr. James  
 Grouch, Mr. Ed

Persons claiming the above will please say "Advertised," and give date of this list.  
 CHAS. F. HASKINS, P. M.

### Deserted Old Landmark

Joe Mack, one of the most reliable and responsible colored men who do business on Sanford avenue, has moved out of the old rookery on the west side, occupied by him for years, and now occupies the large two-story building opposite between Second and Third streets. The upper floor is devoted to boarding rooms, and on the first floor is the restaurant and grocery store. Aunt Mary still does the cooking to the delight of all patrons.

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## The Scrap Book

### Who Had the Best Show?

During a session of the Pennsylvania legislature a well known member was made head of a state department. As there were a large number of lucrative positions in his department he was besieged by congressmen on behalf of their friends who wanted good, fat jobs.

Messrs. Jones, Smith and Brown were all applicants for the same position, and their claims were equally pushed. Finally two representatives who were for Brown went to the new executive and asked how the contestants stood.

"It's this way," was the reply. "Jones is a good man, and the corporations and the judiciary are with him; Smith is a fine fellow and is backed by the newspapers and the people generally, and your friend Brown is an excellent young man, who is being pushed by the politicians and the members of the legislature."

"Well, but who has the best show?" asked one of the friends.

"If you won't repeat it," was the answer, "I will tell you."

Both promised. "Barnum & Bailey."—Ladies' Home Journal.

### FRIEND DEATH.

"Friend Death," quoth he, "a moment stay  
—I'll have finished my score with life,  
Who has fooled and cheated me all the way  
With a witless strife.

"Friend Death," quoth he, "a moment stay,  
I have a duty yet to do.  
There is the devil still to pay—  
A good, stiff reckoning too.

"Friend Death," quoth he, "a moment stay,  
What of my wife and little one?  
I must warn them well while yet it is day  
Of the setting sun.

"Friend Death," quoth he, "a moment stay,  
A drink and a kiss for luck at the last,  
I was ever one for a daring play,  
Staked all on a cast.

"Friend Death," quoth he, "a moment stay,  
I must have time to think on God,  
Surely you give one time to pray—  
So soon a clod.

"Friend Death," quoth he, "a moment stay,  
It will all be over so soon, so soon,  
I hear the pipes of ray boyhood play  
An old, old tune.

"Friend Death," quoth he, "Oh, friendly Death,  
The music is calling and I am faint—  
Pain for the home where I first drew breath  
And my mother again."  
—R. W. Gilbert in "Goldenrod and Lilies."

### He Was Dipped.

Charles Lamb had been told by his physician to take a course of sea bathing. As he descended the steps of the bathing machine in the shallow water the cold increased his natural stammer, and it took him a long while to inform two stout attendants that he was to be "di-di-di-dipped."

Impatiently they ducked him, and, coming up spluttering in their embrace, he began, "Once more I tell you I am to be di-di-di-- and down he went again. The third time he stormed; "Is it mum-mu-murder you me-me-mean? I tell you I'm to be di-di!"

And then, after the third ducking: "Oh, HUBBARD BAHAB! It's now too late! I tell you that I am--no, that I was--to be di-di-di-dipped only once!"

Voluntarily,  
"Did I understand you to say that this boy voluntarily confessed to running away?" asked a truant officer, addressing the determined looking female parent of a small and dirty boy.  
"Yes, sir, he did," the woman responded. "I just had to persuade him a little, and then he told me the whole thing voluntarily."

"How did you persuade him?" queried his worship.  
"Well, first I gave him a good licking," said the firm parent, "and then I put him to bed without supper, and I took his clothes away and told him he'd stay in bed till he confessed what he'd done, if 'twas the rest of his days, and I should lick him again in the morning. And in less than half an hour he told me the whole story voluntarily!"

**Beer Money and Churches.**  
In the eighteenth century there were no temperance societies or bands of hope, nor Rechabites and blue ribbon army. To be as "drunk as a lord" was the height of human felicity. It was the age of "three bottle men," of convivial toasts, of drinking songs. Even the church indirectly encouraged intemperance. There were certain districts where at Whitsuntide the churchwardens were accustomed to levy contributions of malt from the parishioners. This was brewed into strong ale and sold in the church. The Whitsuntide toasts had, however, a pious method in their madness.

The money spent on the beer was expended by the churchwardens in church maintenance, and the muddled rolsters no doubt believed themselves to be pillars of the church even when, under the influence of the alcohol, they rolled upon its pavement.

They thought themselves supporters of the church when they wanted "supporting" themselves and deemed themselves most saintly when they were most saddened. Until as recently as 1827 (when the license was withdrawn) a church and public house were covered by one roof at Deepdale, midway between Derby and Nottingham. A door that could be opened at will served to separate the consecrated interior of the church from the common taproom of the tavern!—Chambers' Journal.

### Good Bait.

"I got Cleveland's autograph," said the friend, "by addressing to him a little ode on his splendid work in the White House about the Russo-Japanese war—or was it something else? At any rate, I shall never forget my delight when, by return mail, Mr. Cleveland wrote:

"Dear Sir—I have read your verses with interest. They appear to me very deficient in sense and substance."

"I sent a sonnet of sympathy to Bernard Shaw on the failure of his play, 'His House in Order,' or some such title. Mr. Shaw replied on a post card as follows:

"Thank you very much for your sonnet, which seems at least sincere."

"I once ventured to address a rondeau to Ellen Terry. In it I praised her beauty *passionately*. Miss Terry sent me a long and interesting note of acknowledgment, in the course of which she said:

"I noticed many faults and weaknesses in your rondeau, which, however, made me laugh heartily." Exchange.

### At Last.

Mrs. Silas Bennett was a philosopher. On a certain dismal occasion some of the neighboring women were condoling with her. With commendable cheerfulness she replied:

"I've raised four girls an' three boys, expect'n' every time they'd be twins and red headed like their Grandpa Bennett, an' yet they ain't."

"An' I've worried consid'ble over smallpox breakin' out in my big family. So fer 'tain't."

"Last summer durin' July an' August an' mebbe part of September I was real meloncholic, fearin' I'd got an appendix, but I guess I ain't."

"An' through it all it never onct occurred to me that I'd be the one to fall through them rotten old meetin' house steps an' break my leg in two places, but I be."

### In Extremis.

Late one night a clergyman was called out to minister to an old man—a worker upon the adjacent railway—who was supposed to be dying. The summons was brought by another old man, the elder brother of the stricken one. While he was bustling about, making preparations for departure, the clergyman forgot momentarily the social status of his visitor and asked, "Is he in extremis?"

The old man was not going to be bent. "Aye, he's right in, your reverence." After a pause he added as a clincher: "Clean in, poor chap. Right up to the neck, sir."—Cornhill Magazine.

### He Had Been There.

Rodrirk—Howdy, old man? We are going on a camping trip soon. Did you ever enjoy a camping trip where you had to do your own cooking and sleep beneath the stars? Van Albert—Nope. Rodrick—What? Do you mean to say you have never been on a camping trip? Van Albert—No, I mean to say that I never enjoyed one.—Chicago News.

### Hospitality.

Mamma—Tommy, I see you took two pieces of cake instead of one, as I told you. Why did you do that? Tommy—Well, mamma, I was playing that another little boy was visiting me, and I know you wouldn't mind me giving him a piece.—Chicago News.

### Learning Early.

A Sunday school teacher had been telling her class the story of the good Samaritan. When she asked them what the story meant a little boy said, "It means that when I am in trouble my neighbors must help me."—Universalist Leader.

### Won't Figures Lie?

Mrs. Hoyle—I am just twenty-three. Mrs. Doyle—I don't see how you figure it. You were twenty-two when you had your black silk, and you haven't had a new dress for ten years.—New York Press.

### He Crowed Too Soon.

She—You'll be glad to learn, dear, that I've got out of visiting our relatives. He—Grand! Splendid! It hung over me like a cloud. How did you manage it? She—Oh, I asked them here!

### 'Tis Narrow.

Grimsey—What is the psychological moment? Cholley—it is when you get a tip on a dead sure thing and do not happen to have the money to back it up.—New Orleans World.

Modesty is only another name for self-knowledge.—Hera.

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## Notice of Intention to Apply For Letters Patent

The undersigned subscribers and incorporators hereby give notice that on the 9th day of January, 1909, the undersigned and their associates will apply to the Honorable Napoleon B. Broward, as Governor of the State of Florida, for Letters Patent "Sanford Grocery Company," in accordance with the following articles of incorporation, which they have adopted as their proposed charter. Dated this December 9th, 1908.  
T. F. WILLIAMS,  
W. M. DICKINS,  
W. W. STRIPLING,  
Subscribers and Incorporators.

### PROPOSED CHARTER OF THE SANFORD GROCERY COMPANY.

The undersigned incorporators hereby associate themselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, as prescribed by the Revised Statutes of said State, and by the Acts of the Legislature thereof, and adopt the following proposed charter:

#### ARTICLE I.

The name of the corporation shall be "Sanford Grocery Company," and its business shall be conducted in the State of Florida, and in other States of the United States of America, wherever necessary or convenient. The principal office of said corporation shall be Sanford, Orange County, Florida.

#### ARTICLE II.

The general nature of the business to be conducted by said corporation is as follows: The buying and selling of groceries and any and all other articles of general merchandise which the corporation may see fit to trade. The corporation shall also have the power of buying, leasing, selling or otherwise acquiring or disposing of any and all other articles of personal property, and also real estate which may be necessary for or incidental to the proper carrying on of its grocery and general merchandise business. The corporation shall also have the right power of selling, mortgaging or otherwise pledging or disposing of any of its real or personal property, also the borrowing of money and securing the payment of the same in any manner permitted by law as to natural persons.

#### ARTICLE III.

The amount of capital stock of this corporation shall be FIFTY THOUSAND (\$15,000) DOLLARS, to be divided into one hundred and fifty shares, each par value of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars each. All or any part of the capital stock of this corporation may be payable in property, labor or services, at a just valuation to be fixed by the incorporators, or by the directors of the corporation, and shall be purchased and paid for with the capital stock at a just valuation of such property, labor or services to be fixed by the directors of the corporation at a meeting called for the purpose.

#### ARTICLE IV.

The corporation shall exist perpetually, as provided by law.

#### ARTICLE V.

The business of this corporation shall be conducted by a president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer, and a board of three directors, and such other officers and agents as from time to time may be appointed. The stockholders shall hold their annual meeting on the first Monday in May of each year, unless otherwise determined by the by-laws. At the annual stockholders' meeting there shall be elected three of the stockholders of said corporation as directors, and said directors, at their meeting to be held on the same day, shall elect a president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer, and such other officers and agents as the corporation may authorize. All officers shall hold their respective offices until their successors are duly elected and qualified. Any two of said officers, except that of president, may be held by one person. The names of the officers who are to conduct the business of said corporation until those elected at the first election aforesaid shall be qualified, shall be: T. F. Williams, President; W. M. Dickins, Vice-President; T. F. Williams, Secretary and Treasurer; T. F. Williams, W. M. Dickins and W. W. Stripling, Directors.

#### ARTICLE VI.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation may at any time subject itself shall be FIFTY THOUSAND (\$15,000) DOLLARS.

#### ARTICLE VII.

The names and residences of the subscribers, and the amount of capital stock subscribed for by each, are as follows:  
T. F. Williams, Daytona, Fla. 50 shares  
W. M. Dickins, Sanford, Fla. 50 shares  
W. W. Stripling, Sanford, Fla. 50 shares  
T. F. Williams  
W. M. Dickins  
W. W. Stripling

STATE OF FLORIDA,  
County of Orange.

I hereby certify that on this day before me a Notary Public in and for the State of Florida, personally appeared T. F. Williams, W. M. Dickins and W. W. Stripling, to me well known, and known to me to be the persons described in and who subscribed their names to the foregoing articles of incorporation as incorporators of the "Sanford Grocery Company," and severally acknowledged to me that they subscribed their names thereto for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal, this 9th day of December, 1908.  
Notary Public, State of Florida

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#### FROM MACARONI DELTA

From The Herald's Special Correspondent By Wireless Telephony

The Hoplight family are all ailing with bad colds and quite crumpy.

Sylvester Putterbaugh looked quite cute in his new striped newlign shirt last Sunday.

Bill Duckworth called on Josie Toddhammer last night and remained quite late. Have a care, Bill.

Steve Jenkins, who is past fifty and has planted two wives already, was seen flirting with Ras Dingman's hired girl last Sunday. Wonder what next?

Jason Snodgrass' married daughter, Le-tecia Swisher, of Arizona, is home on a visit. Her husband runs a restaurant and a barber shop and is quite well to do. Jason is much exhilarated.

Dan Spooner, our new undertaker, is quite a dude. Guess his business must be good.

The weather has seemed much changeable round of late, but settled weather is predicted.

Pinky Dutcher and Sile Billingly rode their bikes over to Bungalow Corners last Sunday and participated in divine services at the Newlight church.

Bill Sweeny killed his lumpy-jawed helper yesterday and remembered Preacher McSwatt's family with a nice burk of liver. We need more Sweezys in the world.

A new floor will be laid in the Hardshell church soon. Many of the members caught rheumatism in the legs during last winter on account of the big cracks in the floor, and the smell of liniment some days was something awful during church services.

A new misfit and second-hand dental parlor has been opened over Dug Stillman's undertaker store.

Aunt Hulda Dingman had one of her back teeth yanked out by our new painless dentist yesterday, and she yelled like a wild Camanche.

Shiny Jane Slocum is going to shabby-roon the young ladies of the Macaroni female Seminary over to Sanford next Saturday to see Geo. Adams' moving picture show.

Aleck Smithers, our house painter, is painting the scene for Uncle Tom's Cabin that is going to be played in the Macaroni temple of music by Geo. Adams' Sanford stock company next week. Aleck is quite

cross-eyed and red-headed, and the scenery will be pretty hot stuff, it's thought.

Grandma Kinderhook is quite feeble of sluggish liver at this writing.

Steve Finkblower sold his stump-tailed bull to the widow Linkenbooster for \$40. It's understood that Steve sold the bull on the installment plan.

Sile Gudgeon is suing his wife for divorce. Both are very red-headed and have fiery dispositions and some think spontaneous combustion is the trouble.

Miss Lou Skinner, while practicing contortion stunts in her dad's barn last Sunday, got her right leg over her left shoulder and couldn't get it off until she hopped on one leg to the house and got her dad to yank it back in place. She's done it twice. —HAYRUBE

#### Quaint Quibbles From Sis Hopkins

Ma says most belts go to waist.

All broad ladies don't go abroad.

A rue usually lives to rue the day.

Five-cent "variety is the vice of life."

Many a devil is served with angel cake.

Many a capable artist is incapable of making money.

The advice of critics is like medicine after death.

Some plays are like a bakery—so many notes there.

Ma says only thick-headed girls wear thin-soled shoes.

Your best friend indeed is the one who is never in need.

Boys just out of college usually attend the College Inn.

It is easier to be an artist's model than a model artist.

Ma says it's all right to call a fat lady auntie, but not auntie fat.

Lillie Pond wants to know if Esther Waters is any relation to Lena Rivers.

In Florida the mistletoe has gone out since the rubber-tired buggy came in.

Ma says the things you get for nothing ain't worth what they cost.

Ma says a crowded department store is like a window that won't stay down. Too much counter-weight.

Ma says the only time two women can keep a secret is when one of them is dead.

A boy who has the Sunday excursion habit has lost whatever usefulness he may have had behind the plow on week days.

Sweet corn seed at L. R. Phillips.

#### FLORIDA ORANGES SELL WELL

The Demand Absorbs the Supply and Prices Rule Firm (New York Produce News)

New York, Dec. 31.—So far as prices are concerned, there has been practically no change in the Florida orange market this week. Toward the close of the week, however, there was a stronger feeling and the fruit cleaned up more closely and rapidly than at any time this season. Receipts have been moderately heavy, but the demand has kept pace with them and there has been no falling off in prices to any material extent. The condition of the fruit was a little better, but there has been no improvement in the quality. Some receivers say that none of their oranges that came by steamship lines arrive in good order, while practically all of the all-rail shipments came in fairly good condition.

There has been considerable rain in the orange sections of Florida and the growers have been shipping a good deal of soft fruit. This will hold up on an all-rail shipment, but will not stand the longer water haul. There is still an unsatisfied demand for the extra fancy fruit and some good prices have been realized at the auctions this week. Choice, ordinary fruit is selling \$1.75 @ \$2.10, with the fancy \$2.25 @ \$2.50. A number of receivers ordered a few cars to be here this week, anticipating a better market. They were not entirely disappointed. These people think that next week will see a still further improvement as they look for a decrease in shipments. Various estimates are made as to the amount of fruit still left in Florida, and hardly any two agree. Some say not over fifty per cent has been shipped and from that the guesses range up to 70. Advertisements in The News from Jacksonville indicate that at least forty per cent of the crop still remains in the state. It is almost a case of paying your money and taking your choice.

#### Arrival and Departure of Mails

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Arrive From			
North	7 00 a. m.	2 05 p. m.	5 40 p. m.
South	7 00 a. m.	2 35 p. m.	
Tampa only		11 35 a. m.	
Titusville branch	9 00 a. m.	5 40 p. m.	
Oviedo branch		10 30 a. m.	
Trilby branch		1 45 p. m.	9 00 p. m.
Tavares branch	7 00 a. m.	1 10 p. m.	
Leave For			
North	2 52 p. m.	9 00 p. m.	
South	1 55 p. m.	5 30 p. m.	9 00 p. m.
Titusville branch	9 00 a. m.	2 25 p. m.	
Oviedo branch		2 30 p. m.	
Trilby branch		1 45 p. m.	9 00 p. m.
Tavares branch	5 40 a. m.	2 25 p. m.	

Branch trains daily except Sunday; others daily. A daily express pouch received from Tampa at 11 05 a. m.

CHAS. F. HARRIS, Postmaster.  
H. C. HARRIS, Ass't Postmaster.

## Of Course You Are Not Going to Die

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First Year

NEWS OF THE WORLD

Items of Interest Gleaned From Various Sources

HAPPENINGS DURING THE WEEK

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

By an explosion of gas in the Zeigler coal mine near Duquoin, Ill., Jan. 10, twenty-five persons were killed. Only one person in the mine escaped. The explosion was caused by an electric spark coming in contact with a pocket of gas.

During divine service in an ancient church near Sion, Switzerland, last Sunday, the entire congregation lost their lives or were badly injured by the collapse of the building.

The United States battleship squadron, on its way around the world, arrived in Italy last Sunday.

Mrs. Salome Sellers of Deer Isle, Me., died Jan. 10 at the age of 108. She was born and always lived in Deer Isle.

The entire western coast of Mexico was shaken by an earthquake Jan. 9, which was most severely felt at Acapulco and Oaxaca. No fatalities are reported, and the damage to property was slight.

Edgar S. Wallace of New York recently received a reward of \$2,000 for finding and restoring to the owner, Mrs. George B. Hamlin, a pearl necklace valued at over \$6,000.

A measure has been introduced in the Italian chamber of deputies to exempt the earthquake sufferers from building taxes during a period of fifteen years.

Russia has negotiated a loan of \$240,000,000 in France, paying 4 1/2 per cent interest. The bonds were taken at 89.90.

The "coming out" event of Miss Marcia Gould, daughter of George Gould in New York last week, cost about \$50,000, \$7,500 of which was for orchids.

A bill to increase the salary of the president to \$100,000 a year, and that of the vice-president and speaker of the house of representatives to \$20,000 each is now pending in congress.

A National Blue and Gray encampment will be held in Fitzgerald, Ga., March 11, 12 and 13.

The shah of Persia has revoked the order granting a constitution to his people.

Three fires in one day last week in New York City destroyed property valued at \$1,325,000. Forty engines and 600 firemen were called out to fight the fires, although the engines were not used owing to the perfect working of the new high-pressure hydrant service.

The late Mrs. Mary E. Duncan of Atlanta by her will gave to her faithful old colored nurse, Pinky Candler, \$3,000 as a token of appreciation.

Eight of the Tennessee night riders charged with the murder of Capt. Rankin several months ago, have been found guilty—six of murder in the first degree and two in the second degree. Their cases will be appealed to the supreme court.

The body of Lieut. Foertsch, the German aviator who was lost in the North Sea last October during a balloon race, was picked up last week by the crew of a fishing vessel.

Being bitten by a rat at Conway, La., Jan. 8, came near causing the death of Ed Dairon, a baker. Dairon was asleep at the time he was bitten.

Tampa now has a wireless telegraph station in working order. The first message of long distance sent to Charleston was relayed to New York.

The twenty-seventh annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal church was in session in Miami last week. The next session will be held in Euflata.

The state teachers' convention next year will be held in DeLand.

The cigarette factory of George Thematics & Co. of West Tampa was burned last Saturday morning. Loss over and above insurance about \$4,000. Origin of fire is unknown.

The Tennessee legislature passed a state-wide prohibition bill this week.

For the second time within about two weeks a terrific explosion of gas in the Elk Branch, Va., coal mine caused the death of many miners. The number is estimated at between 90 and 100. So great was the force of the explosion that large quantities of debris were blown out of both ends

of the mountain tunnel which is four miles long.

Today the University of Virginia will begin the celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Edgar Allan Poe. The exercises will continue for several days.

In Lewisburg, Pa., the opera house and several business houses have been destroyed with a loss of \$75,000.

The next annual encampment of the Republic will be held at Salt Lake City, Utah, Aug. 9-13.

The Russian duma has adopted a measure by which any citizen having political literature in his possession is liable to a fine of \$1500.

It is now charged by a prominent Chinaman, formerly high in authority in his own country, but now a resident in the United States, that a physician was given \$35,000 to poison the late Chinese emperor.

An effort is to be made to raise Japanese carp in the United States. It is said the fish can be sold for a cent a pound. The experiment is to be tried near South Norwalk, Conn.

FIRST CAR OF CELERY

E. E. Brady Will Ship One Next Week

The premium for the first car of celery will go to the west side this year, as E. E. Brady expects to ship about next Thursday.

Mr. Brady has one of the finest tracts of land in this section and has been very successful each year. On this same tract Mr. Brady had a good crop of lettuce, which netted him a neat sum, and from his celery he expects to get fine returns.

Mr. Brady purchased another fine tract of land this week and is now the possessor of twenty-five acres of good land, all near Rand's siding on the west side.

This land lies near the lake shore and has a good protection from frost. Next to Mr. Brady's farm R. R. Murrell has a fine tract of land, and besides a good crop of lettuce and celery, has two acres of strawberries, from which he will ship in a few days.

SANFORD LANDS ARE VALUABLE

Eight Acres Sell For the Sum of \$11,000

Prospective purchasers of land in the Sanford district are apt to think the price per acre for uncleared land is exorbitant as compared with land in other sections of Florida. But the price paid for this same land, after it is ready for cultivation, more than pays for the expense incurred. Last week Artie Smith sold eight acres of land on the west side, near Rand's siding, for \$11,000. The land was purchased several years ago and put in good condition, and at the time of the sale had a good crop of vegetables, which will net the purchaser a neat sum. Where could you buy land, improve it and make such a profit in two years' time?

A Florida Postmaster Honored

Tampa's postmaster, G. W. Bean, has been singularly honored by his selection as one of a commission of four, together with the postmasters of Milwaukee, Wis., and Atlantic City, N. J., and the postoffice inspector in charge at Washington, D. C., to make an investigation of time recording devices for the postoffice department.

The commission will hold its first session in Washington on January 15 and will probably be engaged on its investigations for about a month, following upon which it will report to the postoffice department which it considers the most suitable and practicable for the keeping of the time of clerks and mail carriers.

Mr. Bean has gone to Washington.

Sanford Shipping Cauliflower

[New York Produce News] Now it is cauliflower! The truckers have just had time to draw a full breath and send in their subscription to the Pink Sheet, after marketing the crop of lettuce, and now comes on their cauliflower, which they have started in small shipments. It is bringing \$4.50 a basket. These truckers, before the lettuce was shipped, had planted lettuce between the rows, and by January 15 will begin the shipments of celery, and by February 1 it will be moving in great quantities, the largest ever marketed in one season. They will also realize good profits from Irish potatoes and strawberries, which have been planted on new land for first crop.

When you have an item of news call phone No. 148.

DEARTH OF BUILDINGS

Sanford's Great Need of Rooms and Dwellings

SITUATION SHOULD BE RELIEVED

Capitalists Could Find no Better Investment for Their Money Than Right Here

From time to time The Herald has advocated the building of more residences and store rooms in this city, and while the situation was not enough in the early summer, it has grown worse as the crowds of tourists and home-seekers are coming to Sanford every day and must perforce be turned away because there are no houses to rent. Last week there were seven different business men in Sanford looking for a location intending to open up stores of various kinds. Several of them left for other cities and among them purchased lots and will build stores.

This week the heads of seven families in one party were here looking up dwelling houses and could not find even a small house to store their furniture. Wednesday four more families sought in vain for houses.

Sanford today presents the best field for the man who wishes to invest in city property that can be found in the United States. For a small investment a large return is insured as rents are high and the demand in the next ten years will exceed the supply. While this feature presents a good picture of the growth of Sanford, these people who are seeking to locate should not be allowed to leave for other cities. The generous advertising and wonderful inducements have brought them here and when here they should be located.

It is to be hoped that the situation will be relieved at once, and more buildings erected before the season is over. Other cities are taking care of our overflow, and despite the fact that Sanford is the destination of hundreds of people, coming into the state, if they cannot find houses here, they must of necessity seek other locations for the time being at least.

BOLD ROBBERY OF SAFE

Daring Burglars Carry Off Safe of P. M. Elder

AT SAFE DISTANCE IS RIFLED

Safe was Found to be Safer When Carried to Safe Place, and is Safely Robbed

The safe of P. M. Elder is not as safe as the owner would wish it to be, for some daring cracksmen successfully rifled it last Tuesday night. The store of Mr. Elder is situated at the cross roads made by the intersection of Celery avenue and the Fort Reed road and is about 200 feet from his dwelling.

Mr. Elder is doing a large business here in the general merchandise line, and being some distance from the city is obliged to keep quite a sum of money in the safe at the store. This fact became apparent to the robbers who seemed to have the lay of the land down fine. After gaining an entrance to the store the safe was taken out and placed upon Mr. Elder's wagon and hauled down the road to where the Sanford & Everglades railroad crosses. Here the tool chest of the railroad was broken open and by the aid of the tools the safe was cracked open and over one hundred dollars in cash taken out.

The robbery was discovered by Mr. Elder upon entering the store Wednesday morning, and the authorities were immediately notified.

Several suspects were arrested and the guilty parties will probably be found among them.

Deadwood Dick Coming

This Company, numbering forty people, comes Wednesday, Jan. 20. They have been highly spoken of by all our exchanges wherever they have played in the South and are undoubtedly the strongest attraction on the road this season. Their band and orchestra is under the personal direction of Prof. J. S. Kertchfield and is one of the finest musical organizations ever in the South. Be sure and hear their noon-day band concert, Wednesday, Jan. 20.

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WHAT THEY SAY OF US

Comment of the State Press on The Herald's Achievement

Orlando, Fla., Jan. 3, 1909.

To the Editor of The Herald: The Sanford Herald is all to the good and I can't help but congratulate you. I enjoy it every Sunday. The news from Macaroni Delta is alone worth the price of a year's subscription. The article on "Miss Peruna Tucker's Pink Tea" has kept me laughing all day. I am not writing for publication but only to wish success to you and The Herald, and for a Happy New Year. —JOE DAWSON.

[Pensacola Journal]

Here is a genial little Christmas resolution from Editor Holly, of The Sanford Herald, which has a soft musical ring about it we seem to have heard in the long ago when life was in its spring and about once a year along about the first of January ever since. But, though fractured times innumerable, it has an infinite capacity for being successfully repaired and made as good as new, as we personally know, and it is a noble resolve which we should all make even more frequently than we do. Says Editor Holly: "The editor of this primrose sheet having turned over a new leaf and posted it down, will now proceed to fill it full of noble deeds and other interesting memoranda."

[Citizen, Winter Garden]

Many of our exchanges appeared last week in large, handsome Christmas editions. The Reporter-Star of Orlando, and Herald of Sanford, were not surpassed by any. It discourages us very much to know that we must attain this excellence or be forever outclassed.

[Sentinel, Orlando]

That Christmas edition of The Sanford Herald was a daisy. Bro. Holly is a humorist, and is surely pulverizing the clods in the newspaper field of the Celery City. May his crop be commensurate with his hustle.

GREAT ACTIVITY IN REAL ESTATE

City Lots Are Being Rapidly Sold Every Day

The great sale of city lots recently inaugurated by the Holden Real Estate Co. is proving a success. This property is located just south of Tenth street and is between Park and Sanford avenues. Twenty-five of these lots were sold this week and the people who purchased them will erect dwellings at once.

This will mean a healthy growth in the south end of the city and the land being in such a good location will prove very valuable from the start. The very cheap price of \$175 for corners and \$150 for inside lots, at the reasonable terms of \$10 cash and \$5 per month is attracting many buyers, and very few of the lots will be left in the next few days. Every one contemplating the purchase of city property should see these choice lots.

SANFORD'S NEW THEATER

Well Equipped Amusement Place to Open Today

Some time ago Messrs. Grayam, Perry and Adams conceived the idea of putting in a first class electric theatre. For the past week workmen have been busy installing machinery and adding repairs. They will open today, and these gentlemen are to be congratulated upon giving Sanford one of the most up-to-date amusement places in the South.

An elegant drop curtain will be added and a nice stage with three aisles reserved for specialties. Several arches filled with electric light bulbs gives the front of the theatre in the Bishop Block a grand appearance. We wish the new venture all the success which it deserves.

T. J. Check Returns

T. J. Check has returned to Sanford, and as usual he celebrated the advent by purchasing more property. Mr. Check on Thursday purchased the one-story stone building of Yancy Gold, who has been conducting a barber shop.

We are glad Mr. Check purchased this property and glad that Mr. Gold sold out, as he can now depart for his beloved Tarpon Springs.

Mr. Gold has not disposed of his fixtures and will remain until he can sell them.

Sanford is now assured of electric light and the paving of First street with vitrified brick. These improvements will swing Sanford into the front ranks among the cities of Florida. —Gainesville Sun.

ALL AROUND FLORIDA

The General News of "The Land of Flowers"

CULLED FROM THE STATE PRESS

An Epitome of the Week's Most Important Happenings in the State's Domain.

A. P. Jordan, editor of The Punta Gorda Herald, has been appointed pure food inspector for the State of Florida in place of W. W. Trammell, resigned. Mr. Trammell now occupies the position of chief clerk in the office of his brother, Hon. Park M. Trammell, the new attorney-general. The Sun congratulates Governor Gribble upon the appointment of Mr. Jordan. We presume he desires this particular position, and he was certainly entitled to whatever he asked for under this administration. —Gainesville Sun.

A special train bearing the cadets of the Kentucky military academy passed through Jacksonville last week en route to the winter quarters of the school at Eau Gallie on the East Coast. The special train came over the Atlantic Coast Line from Montgomery, to which place it was operated via the Louisville and Nashville from Bashaw, Ky. From Jacksonville to Eau Gallie the Florida East Coast railway handled the special to its destination.

Fire on Tuesday morning damaged the three-story stone building in Lakeland owned by Morgan & Groove. The fire is supposed to have started from a furnace in the pressing club quarters. The first and second stories were mostly occupied by the Bates department store, the stock of which was damaged to the extent of several thousand dollars.

Charged with entering the postoffice at Stempier, Hillsborough county, during the night of January 9, Frank Hall, a young negro, was given hearing before United States Commissioner Crane and held for trial before Federal court in February.

Mme. Emma Calve, unanimously conceded the world's greatest dramatic soprano supported by a company of European artists, comes to the Tampa Bay Casino on February 4.

The order of railway conductors held their annual banquet in Lakeland Jan. 8. It was a pleasant and successful affair.

At a meeting of the state educational society held in Gainesville last week, Prof. F. A. Hathaway of Orlando was elected president for the ensuing year.

John H. Farrington, private secretary for general manager Conant of the old Florida Southern railroad, died in Punta Gorda Jan. 9.

Don Vincente Guerra, the most prominent Spanish citizen in Tampa and largely interested in the cigar industry in that city, died at St. Luke's hospital in St. Louis Jan. 9.

The convocation of the Episcopal church was held in Tampa this week, lasting four days. This is the seventeenth convocation of the church in the missionary jurisdiction of South Florida.

Last week United States Commissioner Crane of Tampa caused the arrest of two men from Cuba, charged with smuggling cigarettes.

Rush orders for 83,000 railway ties has been received in Tampa from the German company of Brunswick, Ga. Vessels will be loaded at Tampa and shipped to designated points.

The Florida blue laws were strictly enforced Sunday in Pensacola. Sheriff Van Tetter tried to prevent all persons attempting to perform Sunday work being limited only by the instructions of the county solicitor, who advised him that he would have no right to stop the operations of trains, street cars and public hacks, the solicitor holding that these were public necessities. Prominent business men, upon leaving their offices where they had gone to read their morning mail, were placed under arrest, charged with violating the law prohibiting working on the Sabbath. All stores, including fruit stands, soft drink establishments, etc., were closed, and not even a cigarette could be bought.

A Fine Entertainment

Prof. James Madison Chapman who gave his readings at the Congregational church last year and which were thoroughly enjoyed by his large audience, will give another entertainment at the Congregational church on Thursday night, Jan. 21st. Admission 35 cents, children under 12 years, 20 cents. Everyone should attend.