

IN THE SOCIAL WORLD

Items of Interest Concerning Society People.

POINTS PURELY PERSONAL

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

An Attractive Guest.

Sanford has a soloist of rare ability this week in the person of Mrs. J. L. Meek of Atlanta, who is visiting her cousin, Mrs. H. P. Driver. Mrs. Meek hitherto spent her winters in Orlando, where her talent was a valuable addition to the concerts and musical circles. Having visited Sanford for the first time this season, Mrs. Meek is greatly attracted by the advantages of the city as a winter resort, and will hereafter make the Sanford house her winter home.

Sanford society will suffer a decided loss in a few weeks by the departure of Mrs. Keelor and Miss Charlotte Keelor, who depart for their home in New York to spend the summer. Only the hope of an early return in the fall will lessen the void left by their departure.

English Musical Program

The program of "Selections from English Composers" will be given in the studio parlors of Mrs. Fannie Stenbridge Munson Thursday evening, March 25. Besides piano and vocal there will be a male quartette, double and mixed quartette, ladies' trio, violin solos by Miss Tennie, violin obligations by Malcolm J. Wade, a chorus of twenty from Sanford's many pretty and attractive young girls. All are cordially invited. Admission, 25 cents. Benefit of music club and program expenses. Program commences at 8:15 o'clock promptly.

The semi-monthly reception of the Welaka Club last week was more than interesting from the fact that such a fine musical program was rendered as follows:

- Violin Solo..... Mr. Wade
- Recitation..... Mrs. R. C. Maxwell
- Vocal Solo..... Mr. Geo. Derry
- Recitation..... Miss Charlotte Keelor
- Piano Solo..... Mrs. D. L. Thrasher
- Vocal Solo..... Mr. Weeden
- Recitation..... Miss Simmons
- Violin Solo..... Mr. Wade

A success in every way. All responded to encores. At the close of the musicale, Messames Brown, King and Smith served a two-course supper.

In Honor of Mrs. Meek.

Mrs. H. P. Driver gave a course luncheon on Tuesday in honor of her cousin, Mrs. J. L. Meek, of Atlanta, one of the prominent visitors to the city this week. Those present were Mrs. W. L. Palmer and Miss Antoinette Slemmons of Orlando, Mr. Hamilton and Mrs. Harrison.

New Factory Progressing

The large two-story building being erected by the Sanford Carriage Works is assuming larger proportions and will soon be ready for occupancy. The front of concrete and white pressed brick presents a good appearance and ample space inside will give this factory facilities for a large output. W. H. Underwood, the proprietor, may add an auto garage to the factory as Sanford will soon need more storage room for the many new automobiles that are being purchased.

Negro Will Hang

The negro, Jesse Willis, who murdered Section Foreman Hammock last November will be hanged in April. The Reporter-Star has the following regarding it: "The death warrant for Jesse Willis has been received by Sheriff Kirkwood. It will be remembered that Willis murdered Section Foreman Hammock at Paola last November. The time for the hanging is April 16th, between ten and two.

More New Residents.

C. C. Whittaker and W. T. Burnett of Camden, S. C., have arrived in the city and will make it their future home. Mr. Burnett has purchased the Capt. Whitner place on Silver Lake for a residence, and has also purchased some valuable celery land on Beardall avenue. Several other families from Camden are expected to arrive later.

Sanford an Automobile City

The smoke wagons are getting to be numerous in Sanford, and soon will be so common that even an editor can ride in one. In the past few weeks six new cars have been added to the list, and ere long Sanford will become an automobile center. A new garage will soon be erected to accommodate the new influx of cars. Verily, prosperity is upon us.

One Hundred Cars of Celery

According to the amount of celery that has already gone forward this week, Sanford will ship over one hundred car loads in six days. The price still remains firm at \$1.75 per crate.

MUSICAL FESTIVAL

Prices of Seats to be Increased Without Further Notice

The committee of the Jacksonville Spring Musical Festival give notice that the associate membership tickets which are now being sold at \$5, and which entitle the holder to one seat at each of the four concerts on April 19th and 20th, will be withdrawn from sale at any time without further notice, and the regular-price tickets, costing between \$6 and \$8 will be substituted. If any reader of The Herald has postponed his or her reservation of seats, immediate application should be made to the secretary, Mr. T. T. Elmore, Jacksonville, and funds should accompany all applications.

The railroads will place on sale reduced tickets from Sanford to Jacksonville, thus everyone will have an opportunity of taking in the festival at a nominal investment.

The festival will consist of three big features: Walter Damrosch and the celebrated New York Symphony Orchestra, four world-renowned soloists, orchestral, miscellaneous, artists, and "The Creation" sung by the Jacksonville Choral Society.

The New York Symphony which will appear in Jacksonville is becoming more and more the national American orchestra. No other orchestra in the world ever achieved the feat of giving three hundred concerts in one season. This splendid organization has been on a permanent basis for four years, and is the crowning feature of Mr. Damrosch's twenty-five years of activity in the interests of orchestral music.

Pamphlet of Sanford

Descriptive of Sanford, celery center and progressive city, The Herald has just gotten out a beautiful pamphlet and is sending copies of the text matter broadcast through Florida to the various resorts for distribution. The pamphlet deals with the history of the Celery City and the marvelous growth of the past few years, and is handsomely embellished with a number of cuts showing the principal business enterprises, residences and glimpses of fruitful landscape. In Tampa a number of these pamphlets have been received at the city ticket offices of the Coast Line, and they are being distributed to callers by city ticket agent Y. R. Beasley and his assistants.—Tampa Tribune.

Mistrial in Webb Case

The case of E. E. Webb which occupied the attention of the criminal court last week, resulted in a mistrial, and will come up again at the next session of the criminal court, May 24.

Col. Palmer of Tampa and A. M. Thrasher of this city represented the defense. County Solicitor Warlow was assisted by Hon. J. M. Cheney of Orlando. This case promises to cost the county a neat little sum before it is settled.

Will Build on Sanford Avenue

Realizing the need of more store rooms in Sanford and that the trend of business will be along the line of Sanford avenue, J. M. Stumon, the restaurant man, is arranging to erect two stores on his property on the avenue at an early date. The building now on the lot will be moved to a lot on Fourth street and put in first-class condition for residence purposes. The new stores will be modern in appearance and suitable for almost any class of business.

The Florida Blossoms.

(Orlando Sentinel)
Messrs. George Adams and T. W. Pesson, of Sanford, and Mr. Jim Hammond of Orlando were at the Pastime Theater last Friday and Saturday nights. Everybody seemed to enjoy their latest jokes and songs. They certainly made a hit in Orlando, and we would be glad to see them back at the Pastime any old night.

Road Gang at Work

The county road gang has finished the work on the Munry road and are now working on the road to Sylvan Lake. It is to be hoped that the county will build a good road all the way to Sylvan Lake, as this road is traveled extensively and would prove a great convenience, and induce more trade to come to Sanford.

Making Pressed Sand Bricks

The Pope Contracting Co. now have their new brick making machine in operation and are turning out a fine quality of pressed sand brick. These can be sold to the trade at a very low figure and the Pope Contracting Co., expect a fine trade in this line.

Ladies Take Notice

Albert Gramling, proprietor of the tonorial parlors in the Fico block, opposite the express office, announces that he is now prepared to do ladies' hair-dressing as well as ladies' facial massage. Experts are employed, who will be sent to the homes of all making request. The prices are reasonable, and only white people are catered to. 31-1f

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SANFORD, FLORIDA, SATURDAY, MARCH 20, 1909

First Year

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.

George J. Gould and party are enjoying themselves in Florida waters this month in Mr. Gould's \$2,000,000 palace steam yacht.

Wm. D. Gonzalez, 18 years old, died of lockjaw in Pensacola last week. Some days before he had broken an arm by a fall from a trapeze at his home. Although the injury was painful, nothing serious was thought of it until symptoms of lockjaw set in.

The Baptists of Palmetto Beach have organized a church. Rex L. D. Geiger presided over the meeting. The organization is the result of revival meetings recently held by Rev. Mr. Sims.

The quartermaster's department at Washington has authorized the contract for the construction of a \$23,500 barracks building at Fort Barrancas. The building will be 180 feet long and two stories high and will be erected near the present barracks building. The department has also authorized the following contracts for buildings at Fort Barrancas: One mess hall, to cost \$5,200; lavatory, \$3,800; plumbing for the same, \$3,600; one double fireman's quarters, \$5,385.

An unoccupied building in West Tampa, used occasionally for storing tobacco, was destroyed by fire last week.

The dead body of Felip Fraga, a cigar maker in Tampa, was found hanging from a limb of a tree that projected over the river a short distance above the city one day last week. It was evidently a clear case of suicide, judging from a note pinned to his shirt bosom which read: "No one is responsible for this but me."

The Geiger grove at Lakeland was recently sold for \$13,500 to Major Webb of Baltimore, Md.

The Florida State Sunday school convention is to be held in Tampa next week, commencing Tuesday and continuing Wednesday and Thursday. The sessions will be held in the First Baptist church.

T. J. Appleyard, of the Lake City Index, has purchased the plant of the Capital City Publishing Co. of Tallahassee, and will take possession April 5. It is understood that the state printing is included in the deal.

St. Petersburg is to have a new Government building. The site has been selected and cost \$7,500. The lot is 100 feet square, and is between First avenue and First alley north.

The three-masted schooner Mystic, lumber laden, Jacksonville to New London, Conn., has reached the port of destination after a stormy passage of twenty-one days, in which she lost most of her sails and rigging and a portion of her masts. During the gales encountered she was blown 180 miles off the coast.

Thieves last week broke into the store of H. W. Grady at High Springs and got away with about \$600 worth of goods, mostly clothing. Later, three men were arrested at Live Oak, who had a portion of the stolen goods with them.

At a meeting of the Florida head camp Woodmen of the World, Division V, held in Tampa last week, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: J. Mack Towne, Tampa, head consul commander; Dr. T. S. Anderson, head advisor; R. E. Bray, head banker; J. E. Davis, head clerk; Eppes Tucker, head escort; Charles S. Noble, head watchman; Louis Johnson, head sentinel. Miami was selected as the next place of meeting; time, second Tuesday in March, 1910.

For the week ending March 6, 6,250,000 cigars were made in Tampa.

Capt. Joseph Price of Palatka was elected vice junior commander of the Blue and Gray association at the annual convention held in Fitzgerald, Ga., last week. The gathering was an enthusiastic one although lacking in numbers, on account of weather conditions.

Miami is to have a new Government building to cost \$180,000 exclusive of the lot, which cost \$15,000 and is 150 feet square.

Engineer W. H. Caldwell has been furnished from the Government service, at his own request, indefinitely, to become

manager of the Florida Bridge and Engineering Co., a corporation with \$75,000 capital, with headquarters at Tampa.

The railroad between Arcadia and Plant City is being rushed to completion. The company is advertising for 500 more laborers.

Fofoest fires in the vicinity of Gainesville are doing considerable damage to fences and other property.

Upton Sinclair, author of "The Jungle," which caused the Chicago packing house investigation some years ago, is ill at a hospital in Tampa.

For running a gambling house in Tampa, A. Alvarez is sentenced to pay a fine of \$500 and costs and serve three months in jail.

The Palm avenue Baptists of Tampa are to build a new church to cost \$30,000.

Lakeland is to have a \$40,000 tourist hotel to be completed in time for the next season's guests. Dr. J. L. McKay and Mrs. L. Falls of King's Mountain, N. C., are to furnish \$30,000 and the citizens of Lakeland the other \$10,000.

Charles Petty, a former resident of Key West, shot and instantly killed his wife at Sparks, Nevada, last week. He is under arrest.

While explaining how to repel the attack of a highwayman, A. B. Gebhardt of Pensacola shot and killed John Waxwell, an honored guest at his home. It was another case of didn't know it was loaded.

ARTESIAN WATER OF FLORIDA

United States Geological Survey Cautions Against Waste

Following information is taken from the United States Geological Survey Bulletin: "The ease with which flowing wells can be obtained by drilling in many localities along the East Coast of Florida has caused them to be regarded as sources of inexhaustible supply, and deep drilled wells from which the water is allowed to waste may be seen at many places in this part of the state. The effect of this waste of water on the flow of the wells has recently been studied by geologists of the United States and Florida geological surveys in connection with a general investigation of the ground-water supplies of the state. A comparison of some wells that are shut off when not in use with others that are allowed to flow without regard to waste shows a decline in the head or volume of water from the uncapped wells after a few years. In localities where wells are far apart the decline may be so slight as to be unnoticeable; but where many wells of nearly the same depth have been drilled in the same town the amount of water now flowing is decidedly less than it was originally. This condition is shown by wells at Jacksonville, St. Augustine, New Smyrna, Daytona, Palatka and elsewhere.

Experience in other artesian areas should serve as a warning to users of the Florida wells. In Indiana where water flowing out between the casings of hundreds of abandoned gas wells has been allowed to waste for years, many of these wells have ceased to flow. In California and elsewhere farming districts once made fertile by irrigation from flowing wells have now become desolate through their reckless misuse.

The exhaustion of the artesian waters of Florida is not, perhaps, imminent, but it is easy to understand that when the water flowing out of the ground exceeds in amount that supplied from its ultimate source, the flow will gradually diminish, and that every well from which water runs to waste lessens the common supply of neighboring wells. Owners are therefore urged to see that wells are capped or otherwise shut off when not in use.

Ponce deLeon Celebration

The next event of note to take place in Florida will be the Ponce deLeon celebration at St. Augustine on March 31 and April 1 and 2. This celebration commemorates the 397th anniversary of the finding of Ponce deLeon, the founder of the city of St. Augustine by Menendez and the change of flags, and in past years has been one of the most spectacular events ever presented in this country. This year it will be on a much larger scale than ever and the various nations will be represented in costumes that are historically correct. Every visitor to Florida should remain in the state long enough to attend this celebration. The various transportation companies will give low rates from various points in Florida for this occasion.

The Herald is on sale at T. J. Miller & Son's store, and the City cigar store.

BRICK PAVING TO START

Granite Curbing Is Being Laid This Week

PAVING WILL START AT ONCE

First Street Will Soon Present A Fine Appearance And A Most Busy Thoroughfare

The plans and specifications for the brick paving have been approved by the City Council and the work of placing the granite curbing is being done this week. The workmen are now laying the curb west of the railroad at the intersection of French avenue and the work will be carried through to Sanford avenue. When the curbing has been laid the real work of brick paving will start and the company that has it in charge propose to rush it to completion.

It is not now known whether any other streets will be paved or not, but should the Council so decide at its next meeting this work will be taken up before the contractors leave. The merchants on First street are jubilant over the prospect of a paved street as this will eliminate the dust that formerly made life a burden and at times necessitated the closing of the front doors.

With the brick paving and a street railway Sanford has left the primar class of small cities and joined the larger cities of the states.

The need of good streets for Sanford has been a long felt want, and the city council should devote their attention to the other streets of the city and place them in better condition.

FOR A SOUTH FLORIDA LEAGUE

Sanford Will Get In The Game With A Good Club

The great national game will receive a new impetus this summer, and several South Florida cities will form a league. Sanford will have a first-class ball park along the route of the new car line, and preparations should be made at once to organize a strong team and get in the game. As there are to be other amusements at the park, it would be well for the citizens to meet and discuss the subject, and organize for the common cause. The ball diamond could be made in the center of the proposed half-mile track, and both could be made at the same time. When there are no games scheduled to take place the horsemen could have races, and in the evening other amusements could be arranged for.

Regarding the proposed league, the Tampa Tribune has the following:

"Declaring that Bartow, St. Petersburg, Arcadia, Lakeland, Orlando, and possibly Plant City, are already prepared for entering a South Florida baseball league, B. B. Marquis of Bartow, one of the most enthusiastic promoters of the national game, spent yesterday in Tampa talking over matters with those who are interested in the game here, and before leaving for his home declared that he believes it is certain now that South Florida will have a league.

"During his stay here Mr. Marquis talked over the situation with Fred Ball and Dad Groves, two of the most enthusiastic devotees of the game in Tampa. Both of these gentlemen assured Mr. Marquis that they will see to it that Tampa has a club in the field this year, and that there are several others, among them Dave Woodward, who stand ready and willing to give Tampa the fastest ball team that it has ever had.

"It is proposed to play two games in each city every week, if the schedule can be so arranged, and to have a strict agreement as to the transferring of players, and the jumping of contracts. So far as is possible, the league will be made up of amateur players, but it will be necessary to import some talent to fill in the weak places.

Arrival and Departure of Mails

Effective November Fifteenth.

Arrive From	7 00 a. m.	2 05 p. m.	5 40 p. m.
North	7 00 a. m.	2 35 p. m.	
South	7 00 a. m.	11 35 a. m.	
Tampa only	9 00 a. m.	5 40 p. m.	
Titusville branch	9 00 a. m.	5 40 p. m.	
Orlando branch	7 00 a. m.	1 10 p. m.	
Tribby branch	7 00 a. m.	1 10 p. m.	
Tavares branch		1 55 p. m.	
Leave For	1 55 p. m.	2 35 p. m.	9 00 p. m.
North	1 55 p. m.	5 30 p. m.	9 00 p. m.
South	9 00 a. m.	2 25 p. m.	
Titusville branch	9 00 a. m.	2 30 p. m.	
Orlando branch	1 45 p. m.	9 00 p. m.	
Tribby branch	1 45 p. m.	9 00 p. m.	
Tavares branch	6 40 a. m.	2 25 p. m.	

Branch trains daily except Sunday; others daily. A daily express pouch received from Tampa at 11 55 a. m.

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COUNTY HAPPENINGS

A Budget of Interesting Items From Correspondents

THE EVENTS OF ORANGE COUNTY

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ENTERPRISE ETCHINGS

Special Correspondence to The Herald:

The large animal killed by the train about a week ago is still unburied at the railroad crossing just east of town, which is very detrimental to health. From eight to ten automobiles have to pass it daily.

On Sunday afternoon a party of young people from DeLand were over and the team ran away and broke the carriage, but fortunately no one was hurt.

P. O. Inspector G. M. Brown, of Atlanta, Ga., was in town Monday. He complimented Miss Thayer on the condition of her office.

Two children from DeLeon Springs were entered at the orphanage last week and one from Lakeland.

Mrs. J. Lee McHenry and Mrs. Florence I. Richards of DeLand were here yesterday to see about entering Mrs. Richards' children at the orphanage.

We are sorry to lose from our little town today Mr. and Mrs. White who return to their home in Braddock, Pa. Also Mr. and Mrs. Coleman, Mrs. Barbee and Mrs. Cushing, all returning to their homes after a pleasant winter spent at the Epworth Inn.

Mr. Vickers goes to Daytona today to attend the races.

Miss Rebecca Quackenbush will leave tomorrow to visit friends in St. Augustine.

Dr. T. A. Neal made a professional visit at the orphanage on Mr. Stephens, uncle of Miss Hendry, last week, also at the Epworth Inn to see Mrs. White.

LAKE MARY MELANGE

Special Cor. to The Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Perdue, of Pine Castle have been up here on a visit to their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. Perdue.

Mr. E. Hawkins spent Sunday here visiting his many friends.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ring, Mar. 5th, a girl.

Miss Sallie Whitty returned Saturday from Tampa, where she has been spending some time with relatives.

Mr. J. B. Stryker has gone to Philadelphia for a few days to look after his interests there.

Mr. A. E. Sjoblom is having improvements made on the King property which he bought last fall.

Miss Mary Nicholas spent Tuesday in Sanford.

Mr. W. O. Nolan was a visitor in Lake Mary last Sunday.

Sunday night an attempt was made to break into Mrs. Catherwood's house. The would-be robber got nothing, however, unless it was a load of buckshot.

Rev. J. F. Sundell has been getting Irish potatoes out of his garden this week.

APOPKA AFFAIRS

Special Correspondence to The Herald:

Mr. J. J. Combs has returned to Apopka, after a stay in Atlanta.

Rev. R. N. Cate now has charge of the Crescent City and other near by Baptist congregations.

Rev. L. D. Geiger went to Tampa last week and assisted in organizing a church at DeSoto Park.

Mrs. Kittle is enjoying a visit from her son, John, who arrived from South Dakota last week.

For the present Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Johnson will continue to reside here, although they recently purchased residence property in Jacksonville.

Eighty-six was the mark in years scored by our venerable townsman, Capt. Jas. B. Welch, one day last week.

Orange trees hereabouts are now blooming profusely.

W. P. Ivanson, of Sanford is visiting his sister, Mrs. Grace Combs.

A protracted meeting is being held in the Methodist church. Revs. McLeod and Boyd are conducting it.

A medal contest was held at the Methodist church Thursday night. Louise Smith and Queenie Womble were winners of 2 medals.

Dr. Nelson preached two fine sermons in the Baptist church Sunday.

Miss Kate Witherington spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents and returned to her school Monday to resume her studies.

An ice cream supper and "donkey party" was held at the residence of Mrs. S. A. Cunningham Tuesday night by Class

No. 4 of the Baptist church, of which Miss Minnie Franklin is teacher. Quite a sum was netted, to be applied on the new church.

The regular meeting of the Minerva Literary Society, which was to have been held next Tuesday night, has been postponed until the following Friday on account of the meetings which are being held in the Methodist church.

Prof. J. H. Newman is preparing a beautiful Easter service to be held the first Sunday in April.

The Minerva Debating Club met Friday afternoon. Meeting was called to order by the president, and debate followed. Question: "Resolved, that child labor should be abolished." Reese Combs, affirmative, Carl B. Lin, negative. The contestants put up good arguments. The judges gave the decision in favor of the affirmative.

B. H. Caldwell and family of Nashville, Tenn., who have been residing at the Hoffman place, several miles from here, have decided to move to town. We are glad to welcome such excellent people.

OVIEDO OCCURRENCES

Special Correspondence to The Herald.

R. L. Wheeler, one of our enterprising young men, made a business trip to Sanford Wednesday.

The Ladies' Club have succeeded in raising over \$100, which they will use in town improvements. They have expended part of the money in shade trees which have been set out along the roadways, and will use the balance, together with what further funds they are able to raise, in paving the sidewalks. The various ladies comprising the membership of this club are certainly to be commended on their public spirit.

Rev. Rogers filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church here Sunday and preached to very good congregations both morning and night.

James Lee has moved to Sanford temporarily where he will be associated with Contractor Carter of that place in building a lumber yard at Cameron City, the new place which is just being developed.

Dr. and Mrs. Mosier, who have been spending the winter here, have returned to their home in Canandaigua, N. Y. Dr. Mosier is an eminent divine, and has a pastorate in that city. He has conducted services at Lake Charm during his residence here every Sunday, preaching to large congregations.

Fred Polhill, who for some time has been on the Coast Line run from Sanford here, has departed for the East Coast on a visit to his father, who is extensively engaged in the trucking business.

ALTAMONTE ACTS.

Special Correspondence to The Herald:

These are busy days in the social swim of this popular tourist and winter home resort. On the afternoon of the 9th inst. about fifty friends and neighbors assembled at the beautiful winter home of Mr. Charles H. Brown to celebrate his 89th birthday. The weather was ideal, which added to the exuberant spirits of the cheerful gathering. Mr. Brown seemed to forget the passage of the four-score and nine years, and was cheerful and active as most men some years younger. His has been an active and strenuous life, and he has always been well and favorably known in the business world, especially among inventors and manufacturers—being the inventor and manufacturer of the world-renowned Brown steam engine, which has taken first prize at nearly every industrial exposition in the United States, and at the Paris exposition, which he visited, accompanied by his wife. The afternoon was spent most pleasantly in social conversation. A beautiful poem was read by his long-time acquaintance and friends, Mrs. Frank Smith, of Lancaster, N. H., and appropriate remarks were made by Mr. Frank Smith, Mr. S. Maxwell McIntyre, and others. Delicious refreshments were served, consisting of ice cream and cake, the most conspicuous being a huge birthday cake presented by Mrs. Frank Smith. Thus Mr. Brown's 89th birthday passed into history.

Wednesday evening, the 10th inst., Mrs. Franklin P. Davis entertained the members of the card club and their friends to the number of about fifty, at her palatial residence. The large parlors and beautiful grounds were brilliantly illuminated with Japanese lanterns and other lights. The decorations were as beautiful as a sweet summer dream, and joy was unconfined.

Every player received a handsome memento, and no one was left. The most noticeable prize was the first, a painting by "Mike" Angelo, won by Mrs. S. Maxwell McIntyre. Mr. Kellogg won the gentleman's prize. Dainty and delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by several young ladies, all gowned in spotless white, which lent enchantment to the festive occasion. Mrs. Davis is a most charming entertainer, and the function was declared one of the pleasantest of the season.

Mrs. Tabraham has returned from DeLand where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Lewis for a week.

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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 street and Fifth street; parsonage, corner Main street and Seventh street; phone 234.
Sunday morning service at 11; evening service, 7:00; Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Jno. K. Metzger, Supt. Epworth League, 3:00 Sunday evening.
Preaching morning and evening, subject at 11 a. m.: Temperance.
There will be a union temperance meeting in one of the churches at 3 p. m., address by J. J. Thomson of the anti-saloon league.
Revival services will begin on Sunday, April the 4th. Rev. W. A. Myers, conference evangelist, will have charge of the meeting. We earnestly invite all Christians to unite with us in this meeting.

The People's Congregational
Rev. R. L. Kirkland, pastor; Sunday morning service, 11; evening service, 7:30; prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:00 p. m.; Sabbath school, 10 a. m.; J. C. Examinger, Superintendent.

Congregational Church revival meetings will begin next Sunday, conducted by the pastor, Rev. R. Lee Kirkland, assisted by Rev. Dr. Dilly of Avon Park, Fla. Mr. Kirkland will do the preaching and Dr. Dilly will lead the singing. The pastor extends an invitation to all the churches of the city to join in this revival effort.
The following is a list of subjects for the first week.

Sunday, 11 a. m., Dr. Dilly will preach.
Sunday night, the pastor will take for his subject "The unpardonable sin."
Monday night, Closeted with the Lord Almighty.
Tuesday night, "The rich man and the poor man. What will their eternity be?"
Wednesday night, Life's ladder and how to climb it.
Thursday Night, "Following the Baby's Footprints to Heaven."
Friday Night, "Mother, Home and Heaven."
Sunday, Mar. 29th, 11 a. m., a sermon to old folks.
Sunday Night, "Reckless drivers, unmanageable team, the doomed soul."
These meetings are only expected to continue two weeks. Those interested in a great revival in Sanford should put forth their strongest effort with us from the very beginning. To every service we extend a special invitation to strangers and to working men.

First Baptist
Rev. J. W. Boyd, pastor; Sunday morning service, 11; evening service, 7:30; Sabbath school, 9:45 a. m.; Dr. J. T. Denton, Supt.; B. Y. P. U. Sunday at 8:30 p. m.; H. E. Tolar, Pres.; prayer meeting every Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Sunday morning, subject: Giving.
Sunday evening, subject: The young man's fall.
You should not fail to hear Dr. J. J. Thomson, our prohibition man, at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Holy Cross Episcopal
Rev. B. F. Brown, rector; A. D. Key, sepior 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.

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

Rev. J. F. McKinnon will preach at the morning and evening services. All are cordially invited to attend.

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.

An Editor's Love Letter

Dear, Darling Delinquent; Our precious subscriber in arrears; you are so shy! Do you think we have sold out and gone? No little sugar plum, we could not get away if we wanted to. We are at the same old stand, dishing out the advertisers on sweet promises and bright expectations. They make an excellent diet darling, with a little pudding flavored with a word of encouragement to serve as a dessert. We are waiting and watching for thee, our turtle dove we long to hear thy gentle footsteps on the stairs below and to hear the happy dollars within our office.
Dear one, we feel unusually sad and lonely without you, dear. Now little pleaser, will you come? Do we hear you answer in a voice so soft and beguiling, "I'm coming," or is it only the winds that around our office roar? We pause for further development.—Selected.

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W. J. Woodward to J. W. Skates, sat. mtg., \$300.
Cook Auto Co. vs. E. W. Knox, lien \$214.87.
Otto Breckner to A. E. and L. C. Sjoblom, wd., \$170.
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Joe Cameron and wife to Naa S. Brock, wd., \$1.
Theo. Anlin to B. F. Wheeler, chat. mtg., \$1705.34.
H. Hillman, et al., to Jas. C. Brown, wd., \$325.
Jas. W. Savage and wife to Jackson Cox, wd., \$100.
Wm. O. Clarke, et al., to W. E. Martin, wd., \$250.
Joe Cameron and wife to L. R. Phillips, et al., wd., \$1.
County of Orange to N. J. Patrick, qcd., \$1.
N. J. Patrick and wife to County of Orange, bs., \$1.
C. H. Barnes to Daniel McKinnon, agrt., \$10.
Geo. H. Fernald Hdwe. Co., to Alex Vaughan et al., lien, \$446.35.
W. B. Messenger et al., to Mrs. S. M. Overman, chat. mtg., \$627.70.
W. J. Thigpen to Ed. Foster, wd., \$300.
Nellie Brown to Frank Howard, wd., \$150.
Overstreet Turp. Co., to Consolidated N. S. Co., mtg., \$4600.
T. A. Neal and wife to Frederic H. Rand, mtg., \$3500.
Richard Nelson to Thos. S. Green, mtg., \$250.
I. N. Johnson, et al., to H. W. Metcalf, mtg., \$1000.
W. P. Woods and wife to P. F. Laubach, wd., \$1.
A. Wright to Jessie A. Davis and husband, sat. mtg., \$73.50.
City of Orlando vs. S. D. Smith, et al, lis pendens.
W. J. Parker, et al., to W. S. Bell, bl., \$150.
Poors Addition to the Town of Lake Maitland.
Jno. A. Thompson to Jas. H. Kelsey, wd., \$100.
Adeline C. Morton to Agnes Paeglow, bt., \$108.
Wm. H. Holt and wife to Martha Clarke, deed, \$135.
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J. W. Graves to American Agricultural Chemical Co., lien, \$348.90.

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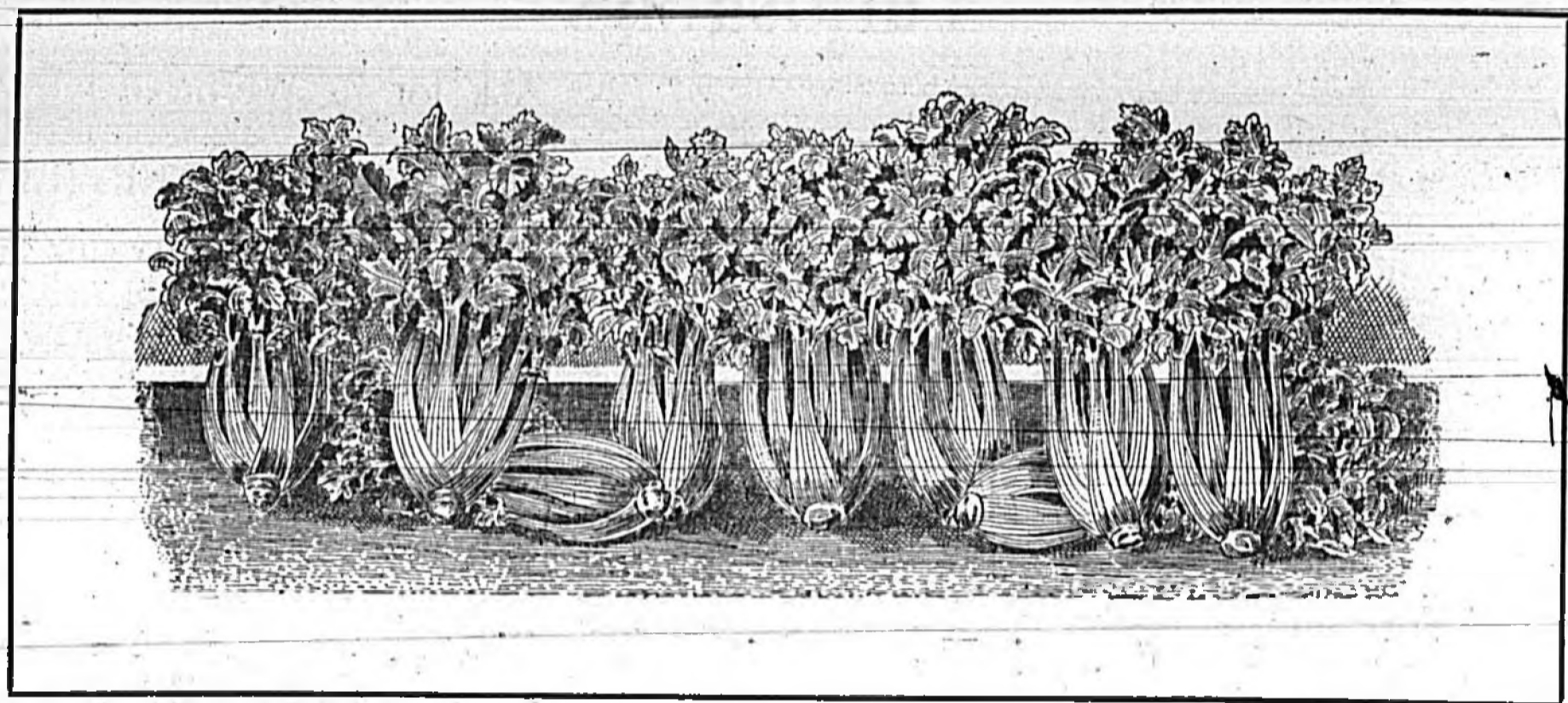
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MARKETING SANFORD CELERY

EARLY IN 1901 The Sanford Celery Grower's Association was formed and the growers of Sanford signed an agreement to sell their celery at Sanford, or failing to do so to turn it over to a committee of five of their number to market. At the end of two seasons it was found that the crop of celery was being sold at Sanford and there was no further use for the Celery Growers' Association to hold meetings. The sales were effected through buying brokers representing celery dealers and local brokers acting as selling agents for growers; all uniting in a home market at F. O. B. prices By this method



Sanford Celery Has Found Ready Buyers Through a Wide and Annually Increasing Territory at Satisfactory Prices

This business has been done principally by local men, such as Chase & Co., J. E. Pace, Cameron & Whitner, C. C. Woodruff, G. R. Calhoun, and W. C. Post, who live at Sanford, and whose books are always subject to inspection and easy of access. These gentlemen, it is easy to say, have handled and do handle eighty to ninety per cent of the whole output

These conditions are highly satisfactory, and the undersigned see no reason to change them: because, under this plan any grower could sell his crop to or through any buyer or broker, and any individual or firm could become buyers or brokers of Sanford celery at Sanford. Last season an effort was made by Crutchfield & Woolfolk of Pittsburg to destroy **This Highly Satisfactory Home Market** by organizing the so-called Sanford Celery Union with them as sole selling agents. They at once advertised to the world, in effect: If you want Sanford Celery write or telegraph Pittsburg, Pa. Their next move was to try to change the Standard Celery Crate; the purpose of which seems to be to deceive the buyer into thinking he was getting more celery, while the otherwise innocent grower was well aware that the crates held the same. When this specious claim was exploded this firm, Crutchfield & Woolfolk, by a page advertisement in The Sanford Herald, and circular letter, claim their ability to sell our celery at twenty-five to fifty cents a crate higher than competitors, and go so far as to say they could not fill orders last week at \$2.25 per crate; when, in a public meeting, their agent admitted that their only sale at that price was to themselves. The trade, as well as the growers know that no market in America would justify a \$2.25 f. o. b. price last week; and any of the above named brokers could and would have filled those orders in **EITHER THE EIGHT-INCH OR TEN-INCH CRATE**, and left Crutchfield & Woolfolk a handsome profit. This firm had the business of the next to the largest and one of the best growers last season and lost it. Why?

We have no wish for a controversy with either the Sanford Union or Crutchfield & Woolfolk, and are working to preserve what we have—a home market at Sanford—open alike to buyers and sellers, and as far as we know, free from even the suspicion of graft or trickery. We regret the introduction of questionable methods.

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Wm. Adair, one of the first and oldest railroad engineers in Georgia, died at Rutledge last week, aged 88 years. He ran the first train between Augusta and Atlanta.

Recher Baxter and family, consisting of himself, wife and four children, were poisoned last week, at Ghent, Ohio, by drink-

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

An express train, running "wild" at 20 miles an hour, crashed into the Montreal station last week, killing four persons, injuring twenty or thirty others and causing \$100,000 damage to property.

Because the contents did not conform to the requirements of the "pure food law," 15,000 bottles of catsup were dumped into Barnegat Bay last week.

Father J. H. Carroll of the Holy Trinity Catholic church at Waterford, Conn., last week stopped a moving picture show that was being held in the basement of the church, because he did not consider the pictures suitable for church exhibition.

By a recent decision of the United States court of appeals, Capt. Oberlin M. Carter loses his case against the Government, which practically leaves him a poor man.

The Metropolitan street railway of New York city is to be sold at auction June 1st, to satisfy a mortgage of \$14,000,000.

Wells college, Ithaca, N. Y., has been closed a week ahead of time, owing to an epidemic of tonsillitis.

Since Hattie Green's daughter married, that wealthy woman has invited two shop girls to share her apartments with her.

Dominado Gomez, a labor leader at Manila, Philippines Islands, has been imprisoned for inciting a strike.

Two new cotton mills are to be erected at LaGrange, Ga., at a cost of \$850,000.

While playing on a balancing boulder at Middletown, N. Y., Wm. Cox, aged 14 years, was killed one day last week by the rock toppling over and crushing him.

In the trial of D. B. and Robin Cooper and ex-sheriff Sharpe for the murder of ex-senator Carmack of Tennessee, the jury brought in a verdict of murder in the second degree against the Coopers and not guilty against Sharpe. Motion for a new trial was made, pending which the Coopers were admitted to bail in the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars.

Mrs. Morse, wife of ex-millionaire Chas. Morse of New York, has disposed of nearly all her personal property, including her jewels, to pay her husband's debts.

The Arbuckle Wrecking Co. have succeeded in saving the steamship Massachusetts which ran on the rocks at Martha's Vineyard. Compressed air was used to float the vessel.

Fire was discovered in the hold of the Ward line steamship Havana on her north-bound voyage last week, but was extinguished before any great damage was done.

A Siberian band of robbers has been annihilated by Russian soldiers.

At a recent election in Denmark quite a number of women were chosen to fill important public offices.

The tax collector's office in Pazyas, Portugal, was sacked and burned last week by the tax-riders populace.

The Norwegian steamship Mascot from Rotterdam to Sunderland collided with the German ship Margretha from Iquique for Hamburg last week, sinking the ship and causing the drowning of twenty of the crew.

Believing that it will prevent headache so often experienced by the traveling public on railroads, the Pennsylvania railroad Co. will furnish all Pullman car passengers free tea and coffee, as often as they desire, while traveling on their trains. Passengers are instructed to answer all calls from a charge.

Gold, amounting forty dollars to the ton, has been found in a vein of gravel at Beech Grove, near Massillon, Ohio.

Van Amburg's big circus is giving six performances this week in Atlanta, the entire proceeds of which will be donated to the Firemen's Relief Association of that city.

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TEST CELERY CRATES

Contention at Sanford About The Various Sizes

THE GROWERS MAKE BIG MONEY

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One night last week the contents of the crates over the size of the crate came together and in the presence of a large number of those interested, a four dozen 8 inch crate, taken at random from a load, was placed on a counter and beside it an empty 10 inch crate. A disinterested packer was asked to repack the celery from the 8 inch to the 10 inch. When he completed the job there remained three stalks which could not be gotten in the 10 inch crate. The same celery was taken out of the ten inch, repacked into the 8 inch and there was one stalk left out. This proved the contents of the crates to be about equal. It was explained that when an 8 inch crate was regularly packed, the ends rested on two boards, leaving the under slats so that they give and when full and nailed the crate bulges considerably. So far no move has been made for all the growers to use the same crate. It was claimed that buyers would pay 25c more for the 10 inch crate than the 8 inch. Those who favored the 8 inch crate disputed this.

Last fall when the question of the size of crates was under consideration, Chase & Co. of this place wrote 60 receivers of celery in the various markets, asking which of the three sizes was preferable. There were 26 replies, as follows: 14 for the 8 inch; seven for the 10; five for the 10. As rule the New York receiver preferred the 12 inch crate, as that is the crate used in the Manatee section and is just half the size of the crate used in California.

REGARDING SANFORD DRAINAGE

Committee Reports Favorably on the Petition

The work of the drainage commission and the plans and specifications have been reported upon by the committee appointed to examine same, and bids for the work have been offered.

The following report was handed in to the county commissioners at their last meeting:

Orlando, Fla., March 24, 1909
To the Board of County Commissioners of Orange County, Florida:

Your committee to whom was referred the Sanford drain and ditch petition beg leave to report that they have made a cursory examination of the same and do recommend that the Board of County Commissioners advertise for bids for the work according to the plans and specifications and estimates on file in the clerk's office, and that the bids be received up to the night of Monday, March 3, 1909, and bids to be sealed, and that they do further recommend that in said notice be incorporated that the County of Orange reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and that it does not assume or become liable for any expenses or expenditures in and about the making of said ditch, ditches or drains other than for any such sum as it may be able to raise by assessment upon the property to be benefited by said drain.

Respectfully submitted,
M. O. OVERSTREET,
J. D. BESS.

Purchased Grocery and Bakery

D. J. Monroe has purchased the interest of C. W. Tate in the bakery and grocery business in the Clark building and will conduct the same under the name of D. J. Monroe.

Mr. Monroe will make many improvements in the store and when finished will have a first class bakery and grocery. The wagon will canvass the city every day for orders and same will be delivered promptly. Everything in the grocery and baked goods line can be purchased at this new store. Having a thorough knowledge of the business Mr. Monroe proposes to keep a first class establishment and solicit the patronage of the people of Sanford.

Baby McEwan

The following item from the New Orleans Times-Democrat will prove interesting to the people of Sanford. Mrs. McEwan was formerly Miss Dunn of this city:

"Dr. and Mrs. John McEwan of Orlando, Fla., are the proud parents of a son born in New Orleans on March 6th. Mrs. McEwan is a cousin of Judge Monroe of the Louisiana Supreme Court and has many friends in the city who are offering congratulations. The baby will be called John Adair after his maternal great-grandfather, Gov. John Adair, the distinguished Kentucky soldier and statesman."

Sensational Prices

Watch The Herald next week for the regular page advertisement of the Sanford Grocery Co. They will quote you prices on different lines of fine groceries that will take away your breath. Don't purchase until you see their ad and then be the first one at their store on Friday. An extra force of clerks will wait on you.

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Keep the Fountains

To the Editor of The Herald:

I wish to protest most emphatically to the removal of the fountains on First street. These fountains are an attraction. The one at the intersection of Park avenue was put there by the citizens headed by Wm. T. Deane. I only wish there were more fountains. They cannot and should be kept clean. The streets should not obstruct traffic. The streets should be regular for the street railway and the regular use of the street. If only for a sentiment they should remain. I urge all citizens who feel as I do to sign the petition to the City Council that will be sent around this week. Save the fountains!

Geo. H. FERNALD.

The Grate Agitation

It appears from the article published in The Sanford Herald under date of March 20th, 1909, and signed by a number of growers, that the grate question has resolved itself into a controversy between the growers. This, at least, is the impression one receives upon reading the article.

In behalf of the members of the Sanford Celery Union, we wish to correct this impression so that it will be thoroughly understood by all interested that our members are not disposed to engage in this sort of practice, but were drawn into the controversy against their wishes. In fact, a number of gentlemen, whose names appear at the foot of the article in question, have informed us that they did not intend, by signing the article to create any feeling among the growers of this section, nor to reflect in any manner upon the integrity of members of the Union or its sales agents, Crutchfield & Woolfolk. We were unable to call personally upon all of those gentlemen, however, but of those number have stated that they signed the article in the belief that it was simply and only a signification of their preference for the eight-inch grate—nothing more, nothing less. We do not intend to convey the impression, by this, that the other gentlemen who signed the article did intend to question the integrity and business methods of the Union and its agents, but rather believe that they, too, misunderstood the article in its entirety.

While discussing the article, we take this moment of making other corrections. In the Sanford Celery Union publication, the article which appeared in The Sanford Herald's issue of March 13th, that Sanford Crutchfield & Woolfolk, that the Sanford Celery Union adopted the ten-inch grate as its standard, not Crutchfield & Woolfolk, this grate being introduced into this section, as most growers probably know, by G. R. Calhoun and M. O. Overstreet, of the Overstreet Crute Company, Lockhart, Florida, as may be recalled by the readers of The Sanford Chronicle, which journal published a debate between Messrs. Calhoun and H. H. Chappell, on this very question, something over a year ago.

In behalf of our sales agents, Crutchfield & Woolfolk, we wish also to state that since the much discussed \$2.25 f. o. b. price was made they have consummated other such sales, which disproves the statements contained in the article in question. In this connection let it be known thoroughly understood that Crutchfield & Woolfolk have contracted with the Sanford Celery Union to market its celery crop exclusively, and do not buy any stock from outsiders with which to fill orders. For this reason they were unable to supply carts to apply on orders from various parts of the country for 25 cars at \$2 to \$2.25 f. o. b. mentioned in their telegram of March 10th, which was published in The Herald under date of March 13, 1909.

The Sanford Celery Union is growing steadily in favor with the growers and it is generally admitted that our advent here has been a blessing to the industry. We cordially invite all growers to unite with us in our effort to rescue the celery industry (as was the case of the California growers) by placing it in the hands of the producers where it absolutely belongs.

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By K. R. Murrell, Pres't.

Tomato Can Fire Brigade

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The members of the brigade are Nauh Fry, Wesley Fry, Chas. Murrell, Ollie Sweet and Green Smith.

Catholic Church Services

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