

The Celery Movement

Since last week the celery "scarcity" has assumed a different hue. California instead of being dead and buried, only had a fainting spell. Cold weather affects one's feet and makes them numb. This is only what happened to the celery movement...

A California crate holds about as much as three 8-inch Florida crates. California celery is selling in most markets for around \$6 per crate. The celery is good. Buyers prefer it to Florida celery. They prefer STANDARD crates. They abhor a "short" package. When the grower makes up his mind to STICK TO the standard package, he will give the buyer what he WANTS. If you give a buyer what he wants, you will keep stuff moving at good prices. If you try to force him to take a package he does not want, you will be the loser, SURE as shooting.

About 20 cars of celery will roll from the Manatee section this week. The total from Sanford will be about 50 to 60 cars. Next week's movement will be close to 100 cars from here. The heaviest movement the last two years has been through the month of March. This season the heaviest movement will be through February.

Several mixed cars of lettuce and celery were sent from here this week. Others will be loaded next week.

At this time there are many dealers or their representatives in Sanford looking after their share of the business.

The city council has ordered fire escapes on the school buildings in St. Petersburg as a result of recommendation made by representatives of the Florida Fire Prevention Society, who made a thorough inspection of the conditions in that city a few days ago.

WANTS

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

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

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

Room and board in private family for a lady. Inquire at Herald office. 44-2p

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

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

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

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

For Sale—Two family launches, also wholesale fish business with launches, boats and nets. Also lake front lot with three houses. C. L. Vincent, at fish house. 37-tf

Lost—Pair of light trousers on Park avenue. Return to Carl Takach, Pressing Club. 2tf

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

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

Wanted—Orders for fine frost proof cabbage plants; all varieties, \$1.25 per 1,000; cheaper in larger lots. Satisfaction guaranteed. F. S. Cannon, Meggett's, S. C. 31-34tc

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

For Sale—Eggs for hatching from English Pencilled Indian Runner Ducks, layers of large white eggs. Stock direct from Mrs. Andrew Brooks, Vice-President Cumberland White Egg Indian Runner Club. Eggs \$3.00 per 13. Try eggs from our carefully bred Wyckoff-Blanchard strain of White Leghorns, early and constant layers, \$1.50 per 15. Address, Spring Hill Poultry Farm, Glendale, Fla. 46-2p

For Rent—Store room and unfurnished room in Bishop block. Enquire Holden Real Estate Co. 45-tf

Lost—Gold bracelet, engraved, dent on under side. Finder please return to Clarence Hand, 211 Park avenue and receive reward. 45-2p

Wanted to Buy for Cash—Five acres or less of land from private party only. Must be cheap. Box 914, City. 45-1c

NEW GOODS!

Always something new, is our way of doing business. Spring goods have been arriving for days and still more goods to come. For Monday many exceptional bargains will be found in the season's newest styles and latest fashions. Don't forget the date, Monday, January 27th.

MONDAY, JANUARY 27TH PARASOLS Monday will be opening day for the magnificent line of hand painted, lace trimmed also embroidered Parasols. There is prices of every kind and every price means a bargain. See this special showing Monday before they are picked over.

FRUIT OF THE LOOM Monday morning at 8 o'clock we will place on sale genuine Fruit of the Loom Domestic. Sells 12 1/2c everywhere, Monday, one day, a yard (Limit 20 yards to customer) 87c 88c

EXTRA SPECIALS

SILK WAIST SALE For Monday, one day only we will have a sale extraordinary of Ladies' Silk Shirt waist, including black and white, besides a large assortment of colors. Don't forget to see this counter.

36-in PERCALE 12 1/2c This Percale is the leading Percale on the market, full yard wide, heavy weight, comes with neat pattern and dots.

RATINE 21c One day special, for Monday's sale we will place on sale a special line of Ratine, worth 35c, our sale price for Monday 21c

LACE COLLARS Large assortment of Lace Collars in Ratine, Cluny, Shadow and Baby Irish designs. Special values for this sale at 39c, 59c and 98c

50c SILK 39c Just from the manufacturer, a new Silk in all the leading shades, made to sell at 50c, for Monday only, our price 39c

20c RIBBON 10c A value that you cannot afford to miss. All Silk Ribbon, fine quality, wide widths. For Monday's sale per yard 10c

RED SEAL ZEPHYRS Represent the acme of perfection in Zephyr Gingham. A choice line to select from, 15c values, our special price 11 1/2c

LAWN 10c Advance sale of colored Lawns, all new patterns, this season's make, for Monday's sale our special price a yard only 10c

REMNANTS For Monday only, beginning at 8 o'clock, special bargain counter of Remnants. This is a chance to save big money on every kind of goods.

BATH TOWELS A bargain like this, any one can well afford to take advantage of, Bath Towels worth 50c, our price for Monday's sale 33c

DRESS GINGHAMS Amoskeag Dress Gingham are known the country over as the best. Complete line of new patterns and designs, our special price 9 1/2c

\$1.35 DRESSES 98c These Dresses represent the greatest of modern dressmaking, consisting of Gingham and Percaloes, one day only 98c

45-in FLOUNCING \$1.29 An exceptional chance to secure a handsome Embroidered Dress for a small sum of \$2.00, embroidery and lace flouncing \$1.29

\$1.35 Petticoats 98c Black Petticoats made like these out of grade material used will easily sell for \$1.35 each, our price for Monday's sale only 98c

\$12.50 COAT SUITS \$6.98 A snap for Monday's sale only, stylish serge, cassimere or mannish worsted. Special one day price only \$6.98

6 COAT HANGERS 19c At 8 o'clock Monday morning will be placed on sale 6 Coat hangers, hard oiled and varnished 19c

SNOW'S SHOES FOR MEN AND BOYS

Our line of "Union Made" Shoes for men and boys, made by Snow, are the Shoes for service also the ideal Shoe for dress occasions, and our prices mean a clear saving of 50c or more on every pair of Shoes.

\$4.00 SELBY'S \$3.39 These Oxfords and Pumps speak for themselves, each one means comfort to the wearer, combined with smart styles, special \$3.39

SELBY'S SHOES FOR LADIES AND CHILDREN

New Shoes are constantly finding their way to our store from Selby, also Godman shoe factories, with more style, comfort and even better values than any season before. These shoes must be seen to be fully appreciated and our prices are simply below competition.

MUSLIN SKIRTS 98c Very special line of Muslin Underskirts will be on sale Monday while they last. Special sale price each garment 98c

CHILDREN'S SHOES Godman makes this special line in Patent Leather, Gun Metal, Vici Kid. See our large line next Monday. 98c

PRINCESS SLIPS 98c Monday will find a full line of Nainsook, neatly trimmed Princess Slips, also crepe combination corset covers and drawers, choice 98c

GENT'S FURNISHING FURNITURE BARGAINS

SHIRTS 45 Men's Negligee Coat Shirts, large assortment of patterns, all sizes, worth 65c, our price 45c \$3.50 PANTS \$2.98 A chance to buy a fine pair of Men's Pants, light or dark patterns, our price \$2.98

It is a great convenience to many to be able to buy a good bill of Furniture at right prices and on easy weekly payments. See our special plan of a small payment down and only One Dollar a week.

\$2.00 PANTS \$1.39 These pants are a wonder for the price. Made with side buckles, watch and two hip pockets \$1.39

\$10.00 DINING TABLE \$5.98 Full regulation size, 6-foot Oak Dining Table, fine finish, for Monday's sale (one day only) special price \$5.98

HAT SALE 98c Saturday and Monday (two days only) will this Hat Sale last, latest styles and shapes, special values for \$1.50, Saturday and Monday sale, choice 98c

\$7.50 IRON BED \$4.48 A big cut and a big bargain for Monday's sale (one day only) to be able to buy a bed like this for \$4.48

\$1.25 GARMENT 79c Men's natural gray Australian wool Shirts and Drawers, \$1.25 values, special for Monday's sale one day, one positively, per garment we will say 79c

98c 98c 98c 98c What will 98c do Monday? Buy a large size \$1.50 value, 3-panel Screen, Silkline Filling, neat patterns. Will be placed on sale Monday next at 8 o'clock 98c

B. V. D. UNION SUITS A garment for wear and comfort will be found in B. V. D. Union Suits—all sizes. Be sure and see these exceptional values on Monday, per garment 98c

BOYS' SHIRTS 45c We have them in both the sizes and patterns. A special time to buy a Boy's Negligee Shirt at only 45c

\$1.50 UMBRELLAS 98c This is even an exceptional value for us in this 7 rib paragon frame and steel rod Umbrella, \$1.50 grade 98c

WE ARE AGENTS FOR BUTTERICK PATTERNS D. A. Caldwell & Sons CASH DEPARTMENT STORE Two Stores—121-123 East First Street Sanford Florida VICTOR Talking Machines VICTROLAS ON EASY MONTHLY OR WEEKLY PAYMENTS

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VEGETABLES ALL THE YEAR

Sanford Grower Markets Every Day In the Year

HAS DONE THIS 27 YEARS

Remarkable Record of Sanford Soil By a Grower of Three Score Years

The Herald has from time to time enlarged upon the fact that in the Sanford section vegetables can be raised the year round and money can be made by the small grower as well as the large grower. The Herald has advocated the establishment of a city market where the small grower could bring his fruits and vegetables to this city, have a place where they could be sold for cash and the small grower and the people of this city would profit by the plan. The groceryman comes in for his share of criticism because his store at all times cannot at all times have fresh and crisp vegetables at a low price. He is criticised by the vegetable man and the buyer, because he cannot keep vegetables raised here and sell them at a lower price and still suffer the regular loss from the decay of the fruits and vegetables. A city market would undoubtedly be the means of establishing better relations with more small gardeners and the groceryman and the housewife.

This phase of growing and marketing the products of the small farms will come as soon as the tourist hotel and other features that will help this movement are located here.

Along the line of growing vegetables and as sufficient proof that in the Sanford section we have the greatest vegetable section in the world, The Herald will quote Andrew Harper, an old vegetable grower who lives two miles from the city and who is now sixty-six years old and hale and hearty.

Mr. Harper has for the past twenty-seven years brought fresh vegetables to Sanford EVERY DAY except Sunday and has made money. He has never failed to have something growing on his small place every day in the year in twenty-seven years, and has never failed to bring a wagon load of fresh vegetables to town in all these years. This record is one that cannot be duplicated in any other state in the Union, and is a strong talking point not only for the fertility of Sanford's soil but for the health of this locality as well. This affable old, young man has never been sick a day in his life and is as active as a man of twenty working his place every day, making the trips to this city in his wagon.

He has become such a familiar figure on the streets that the grocers could hardly do business without him, and every dealer knows that as sure as morning comes Andrew Harper will be on the street with his fresh vegetables.

There is not a locality in the world probably that could grow vegetables every day in the year and there are not many other fine old gentlemen like Andrew Harper who would stick to the job as faithfully and make such a record. If there is any one contemplating coming to Florida who has any doubts about growing vegetables in this state or who thinks the sand hills of Florida cannot be cultivated and made to blossom like the rose let him visit Andrew Harper on his little farm south of this city and be convinced.

We give this to the state papers also, not as an advertisement for Sanford but as a proof that Florida soil will produce the stuff if the proper man gives the soil the proper attention. This record could be duplicated by other places in Florida, but we believe it has never been done up to the present time, either in this state or in any other, and it is safe to assert that no other state will ever be able to duplicate it.

A Scientific Lecture
Tonight in the Congregational church at 7:30 o'clock Dr. E. O. Taylor of Boston, Mass., will deliver a lecture on Scientific Temperance. His precise subject will be "Some New and Startling Facts About Alcohol," with chemical demonstrations. Dr. Taylor is a lecturer on this subject with a national reputation. His addresses are popular, yet designed for thinking men. I know Dr. Taylor and have heard him, and being able to endorse him absolutely I beg that Sanford people will hear him tonight.
J. W. WILDMAN.

WOODMEN HAVE BANQUET

Installation of Officers Was Made Great Event

A joint installation of the Woodmen of the World and Woodmen's Circle was held at the Masonic Hall Wednesday evening, Jan. 22nd. The hall was tastefully decorated with vines, palms, ferns and cut flowers. Back of the presiding officer's chair was a handsome flag and banner of the Woodmen.

Guardian J. D. Parker took the chair and calling the meeting to order instructed Sovereign Cora S. Fielding of Jacksonville, state manager of the Woodmen's Circle, who acted as installing Marshal, to escort Supreme Guardian Emma B. Manchester of Omaha, Nebraska, and Mr. Hughes of St. Louis, state manager of Missouri, for the Woodmen and Woodmen's Circle to the stumps.

Sovereign Fielding introduced the sovereigns to Guardian Parker, who called the two orders to their feet, and introducing sovereigns Manchester and Hughes had them give the supreme honors to the sovereigns. State honors were also given to Sovereign Fielding.

The officers of the Woodmen's Circle were then installed by Sovereign Manchester in an impressive and graceful manner. At the conclusion of the installation, Guardian Parker turned the gavel over to Council Commander W. H. Underwood, who requested Sovereign Hughes to install the officers of the Woodmen of the World, which when concluded, the Council Commander invited Sovereign Hughes to address the Woodmen Circle on Woodcraft. Mr. Hughes' response was a splendid and far-reaching address. Sovereign Manchester responded charmingly to a similar request by Guardian Parker in a delightful talk on the beauties and benefits of the order.

At the conclusion of the installation, little Evelyn Biggers presented Mrs. Manchester with a bouquet of exquisite roses, red with green and lavender ribbons, the circle colors. Sovereign Parker, in behalf of the circle, presented Mrs. Manchester with a handsome silver souvenir spoon of the Circle. Also in the name of the Circle she presented Mr. Hughes with a sterling silver paper knife and Mrs. Fielding with a set of beauty pins with pearl settings.

Guardian Parker was also presented with a Woodmen's Circle pin, an emblem of the order. The closing song was then sung by the choir.

The banquet, a most pleasing and entertaining feature, was the elegant banquet, at which the guests numbering one hundred and fifty were seated at tables beautifully decorated with cut flowers, graceful vases and lush greenery.

During the most delightful music was enjoyed consisting of vocal solo, violin selections by Mrs. Williams, with piano accompaniment, and the beautiful trio from Gounod's opera Faust, rendered by Misses Margaret Davis, Essie Purdon and Laura Chappell.

After the conclusion of the banquet, a special hour was enjoyed by the two orders and their guests. Delicious punch was served.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. T. W. Williams, the visiting sovereigns, accompanied by Mrs. J. D. Parker, enjoyed a delightful automobile ride in the care of W. C. Hill, over the city, through the magnificent celery delta and beautiful farms, with which the visitors professed themselves very much pleased.

Thursday morning W. C. Hill was host on a charming launch trip to Enterprise, where among other pleasures a visit to Mr. Troup's famous chicken farm, containing five thousand grown White Leghorn chickens, and one thousand little biddies, hatched since the first of January was enjoyed.

The visiting sovereigns of the Woodmen of the World and Woodmen's Circle left Thursday afternoon for Jacksonville.

Marion county is soon to have a very thriving colony. The company, of which Fritz Gleason, chief collector of abandport, an influential German paper in Chicago, is president and the treasurer, and has purchased the plantation of Dr. J. S. Lewis in the Flemington neighborhood. In the "before the war" times this was regarded as one of the finest plantations in the state, and it is situated in the most fertile region of Marion county.

SANFORD WILL EXHIBIT

Celery Delta Will Make Display at the Fair

COMMERCIAL CLUB MEETING

Orange County Fair Will Have Famous Sanford Product Displayed

Sanford will have an exhibit at the Orange county fair in February. That much was settled by the meeting of the Commercial Club at the special meeting called for that purpose last Thursday night.

Vice-President Forster called the meeting to order and the committee from the fair association, Messrs. Dickson, O'Neal and C. E. Howard, editor of the Orlando Citizen, each made stirring addresses on behalf of the fair association, calling attention to Sanford's wonderful crops and that the fair would not be a fair unless the Sanford exhibit occupied the whole half of the main building and demonstrated the irrigation system as formerly. Messrs. Whittier, Rosseter, Hand, Holly, Mayor Spencer and several other Sanford members also gave short talks in favor of the project.

Mr. Howard displayed a large card with mounted views of the fair taken last year and showing Sanford's wonderful exhibit in full flower, and after a few remarks by the chairman it was unanimously decided to appoint a committee with full power to act and arrange a creditable exhibit at the fair.

Messrs. J. N. Whitner, A. F. Rosseter, G. M. Fernald, F. L. Miller and R. S. Newman were appointed on the committee and the members of the Commercial Club will also lend their aid in collecting the exhibit.

C. H. Leffler, the veteran who has had so much experience in arranging exhibits at many cities in the state for Sanford will be placed in charge of the exhibit and will devote all of his time and attention, and as usual Mr. Leffler expects to have the most exhibit on the grounds. In this work he should have the help and cooperation of every citizen of the Celery Delta, for Sanford can make a most creditable exhibit this year. We have the products and the people and the logs and the money and the end of the county would, as we are represented at the Orange county fair. We owe it to ourselves and to Florida in general to demonstrate what our soil, flanked by the greatest irrigation system will do in the raising of every known product in the vegetable kingdom and this season should find our exhibit at the fair the largest and the best that has ever been made. We are known by our works and the best advertisement in the world is the living examples of our products exhibited where the people can see them and the benefits to be derived by a good exhibit cannot be figured by mere results.

The farmers of this section can assist the movement by arranging their exhibits now. The good ladies can assist by arranging the fancy work, the fruits and flowers, etc., and the time to start is now. A representative of the fair association will call upon you and assist in every way to start the exhibits. If you need further information you can secure a premium list at The Herald office that gives detailed information.

Get ready for the biggest Fair on Earth.

ORANGE TO BE DIVIDED

Better Schools Would Be The Result

AND MANY OTHER ADVANTAGES

Under Present Conditions We Are Not Getting Our Money's Worth

The division of Orange county is a subject that is being very generally discussed at present, especially in the county of Orange and vicinity.

Numerous reasons have been given why Orange County should be divided. This being a school paper, naturally we are interested in the improvements of

schools in general and especially in ours and those close around us. With this in mind we take the liberty to at least express our opinion on the subject.

THE SENATOR'S SHOES

Several Prospective Candidates Will Try Them On

Jacksonville, Jan. 27.—Already rumors are going the rounds among the politicians and the near politicians to the effect that both of Florida's United States senators are to have opposition to re-election at the expiration of their present terms. To be gin with it is stated by those claiming to know that ex-Governor Albert W. Gilchrist is to oppose Senator D. U. Fletcher two years hence and that Governor Park Trammell is to fight it out with Senator Nat P. Bryan four years from now.

Neither the Governor nor the ex-Governor will talk and they cannot be quoted upon the subject. However, they have many friends up here some of whom have "framed" it up for them. As far as is now known both members of the upper house of Congress from this state intend to run again, and they will both go out to win. The two men mentioned as probable opponents are also fighters and old hands at the game of politics.

If the program as announced is carried out it is sure to mean a lively time in the state. In both contests, the game would be played without gloves. If Gilchrist should run against Fletcher and be defeated it has not yet been announced as to whether or not he would get into the fight upon Bryan, and if so it has not been stated as to whether he could offer the best against the other senator as a candidate in a third year's candidature.

In times past men from the city have run against one senator and lost with defeat only to come back and defeat the other senator two years later. Likewise it has not been announced as to whether or not their campaigns separated in the middle busy work. This will be the subject of much discussion among the politicians of the state no doubt.

Each state in the Union has its full quota of politicians, but Florida seems to be getting on line with Indiana, the "Hoosier" state, they claim to have invented the game of politics and as it is being planned around here of late it would seem that the Floridians had bought out the concern. At any rate D. U. Fletcher and N. P. Bryan are representing Florida in the United States and will be present at the capital to represent the state.

With this in mind we take the liberty to at least express our opinion on the subject.

We see several ways in which the schools of the proposed new county could be benefited. Let us take for instance the school tax of the territory that would be included in the proposed county. The school tax of this territory last year amounted to about thirty-two thousand dollars. The expenditures for this same territory last year were about twenty-nine thousand dollars. This leaves us a balance of about three thousand dollars, which amount however we have failed to even get a glimpse of.

As may easily be seen from these figures, we are paying in more than we are getting back, somebody must be reaping the benefit of this money.

As is easily seen, with this money our school system could be made much better. And although our's are among the best in the State, there is still room for improvement. But to what expense will we have gone to make them better? We will have gone to absolutely none, all we will have done will be to get what really belongs to us and what by rights we should have.

What we have been doing and what we are doing now is this, we have been making a gift to old Orange yearly of three thousand dollars. This is alright for the recipient but how about the giver.

In other words we have been helping the rest of Orange to have better schools, this would be alright if we did not need better schools ourselves, but we need all that is coming to us.

The majority of the country schools at present only receive six months school in the year from the County. If they get any more they pay for it themselves.

With the money that is due us, these schools might be given eight months school in the year, which is nothing but right that they should be. It is absolutely impossible to accomplish, and to do the work properly, in six months which should be done in not less than eight months.

TAX VALUE NEW COUNTY

Statement Shows Orange Co. With \$6,948,798

HARNEY COUNTY IN GOOD SHAPE

New County Will Have More Assessed Value Than Eighteen Other Florida Counties

The following statement has just been received by the chairman of the Committee of One Hundred Fifty on county division. This statement shows the assessed valuations in the various Florida counties for the year 1912. When we have completed the job of dividing Orange county and have established Harney county out of its north portion, Orange county will have \$4,200,000 in assessable value. This will be more than thirty-four other Florida counties will possess and will give the old bus a lion which to recoup its losses.

The new county, Harney, will have \$2,747,000 in assessed values, which will act as a starter in the matter of incentive for it to sweep onward and upward. The new county will have more assessed values than eighteen other Florida counties have.

It will be seen from these statements that neither of the counties, Orange or Harney will be in an overly bad condition. We will both have splendid backings upon which to build and we will have to make the best of this backing, whether we are of a single mind as to the matter of creating new counties or not.

County	Total Assessed Valuation 1912
Alachua	\$ 6,854,711
Baker	1,545,321
Brevard	2,711,089
Broward	2,707,892
Calhoun	1,980,267
Collier	1,958,300
Clay	1,904,611
Columbia	2,950,379
Dade	7,658,166
DeSoto	5,746,133
Duval	25,262,101
Escambia	12,406,349
Franklin	1,401,896
Gadsden	2,150,708
Hardee	1,971,227
Hernando	1,535,695
Hillsborough	16,207,246
Holmes	1,573,078
Jackson	3,947,944
Jefferson	2,410,010
Lafayette	2,593,597
Lake	3,344,103
Lee	3,026,244
Leon	3,592,000
Levy	2,949,610
Liberty	1,818,025
Madison	2,927,579
Manatee	8,898,060
Marion	5,712,713
Monroe	3,054,014
Nassau	3,022,193
Orange	6,948,798
Osceola	3,676,978
Palm Beach	7,054,445
Pasco	2,371,040
Pinellas	4,854,228
Polk	9,361,461
Polk	3,170,630
St. Johns	4,314,575
St. Lucie	3,614,049
Santa Rosa	4,369,604
Sumter	2,333,116
Suwannee	2,989,707
Taylor	2,595,389
Volusia	7,039,038
Wakulla	930,784
Walton	3,575,111
Washington	3,380,093
Total	\$212,887,818

Citrus Trees Killed in Arizona

Mr. M. F. Robinson of this city has received a letter from a friend who owns an orange and lemon grove in Arizona. He says they had weather close to freezing for nearly three weeks and then the thermometer went down to 12 degrees below zero, and the dead leaves are sticking to the orange trees, which is a bad sign, and the lemon trees are split at the ground. This means that the trees are dead, both orange and lemon trees.

He suggests that California is also badly hit and this should add 20 per cent to the value of Florida citrus groves.

CURBSTONE GLEANINGS

Budget of Opinion "Just Between You and Me."

EVEN THE DATE POST NOT IN IT

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

The increased trade in beer in Jacksonville superinduced by the large orders from adjacent dry territory has caused the establishment of a brewery. The accounts of the said establishment state that Jacksonville water is peculiarly fitted for the manufacture of beer, to which might be added that the constitution of the majority of the people residing in Jax are also peculiarly adapted for the rapid assimilation of the product that formerly made Milwaukee famous, hence the fertile field for the essence of hop that cheers, inebriates and crazies with it a most pronounced, billous headache.

The New Stenographer

I have a new stenographer—she came to work today. She told me that she wrote the Graham system. Two hundred words a minute seemed to her, she said, like play. And word for word, at that, she never missed 'em. I gave her some dictation, a letter to a man. And this as I remember was how the letter ran: "Dear Sir: I have your favor, and in reply would state That I accept the offer in yours of recent date. I wish to say, however, that under no condition Can I afford to think of your free-lance proposition. I shall begin tomorrow to turn the matter out; The copy will be ready by August 10 about. Material of this nature should not be rushed unduly. Thanking you for your favor, I am yours very truly."

She took it down in shorthand with apparent ease and grace. She didn't call me back all in a hurry. Thought I: "At last I have a girl worth keeping round the place." Then said: "Now write it out you see."

The Remington she tackled, now and then she struck a key. And after thirty minutes this is what she handed me: "Dear sir, I have the fever and in a Pile I sit. And I accept the offer as you have reasoned it. I wish to see, however, that under any condition Can I for to think of your free lunch proposition. I shall be in tomorrow to turn the Mother out; The Cap will be red and will Cost \$10 about. Material of this nature should not rust N. Dooley. Thinking you have the fever, I am yours very truly."

My friend Hetherington, of the Lakeland Telegram evidently feels about the visitors as I do. While we like to have them with us we get mortally tired of their eternal kicking about Florida, especially those who have never been accustomed to any better than we can give them. The Telegram gets off the following:

Lakeland has tourists in quantity, some to stay and some to go on. They are seen in groups on the streets and take full advantage of the pleasures and comforts of the park, and nice looking people they are, too, almost without exception. We should like to have them all as permanent residents, and undoubtedly a good share of them will yield to the charm of the climate and the obvious advantages of a new land rich in opportunity and make their homes in Florida.

But scratch the skin and you'll find human nature pretty much alike wherever you go. Some of these tourists hardly touch our soil before they turn loose in invidious comment and comparison, and how much better it is "back home"—is the burden of their complaint. Such talk is as harmless as it is inevitable, and is largely the result of superciliousness. Others return home and above all, never on are very sorry that they, too, didn't stick and are half-minded to come back and try it again. It is merely the difference between the strong and weak types in the great human family—be-

ficial observation and perhaps a touch of homesickness. It will soon give place to a more cheerful view among the stronger type of homeseekers, who will have the intelligence to see that if things here were as they are "up north" where population is much more dense and development further advanced. Florida people of moderate means seeking to better their fortunes. The very essence of opportunity for the settler in a new land is that things are comparatively raw and crude.

The more thoughtful and observant among the immigrants who have the character to stick and face the difficulties of their environment are the ones who win, as thousands now prosperous and well fixed in Florida can testify; the tween the people who succeed and the people who fail.

Florida is serene under all the disparagement of her critics, for she will be here through all the centuries, grown great, rich and beautiful, the mother and home of millions of prosperous American people when her present day critics and generations of her successors have ceased to worry over the affairs of this little planet and are concerned about the society, climate and resources of another country altogether.

My old friend, F. P. Forster, is right in the midst of a warm campaign to create Harney county and cut out a slice of the Orange. When Mr. Forster goes in for anything he goes in with both feet and I know from my experience in the first fight some fifteen years ago that the opposition will know Forster is on deck. Suave, gentlemanly, discreet, honest and straightforward in his dealing with any question, Mr. Forster is a foeman worthy of the opponent's steel and they can always find him on the level and on the job. Handicapped by coming from Ohio, Mr. Forster has managed to get along in this world and live down the fact that he formerly resided in the Buckeye state. Coming to Sanford shortly after Florida was discovered by Ponce de Leon, Mr. Forster has been identified with the city's interests and is a veritable wheelhorse in every movement that will tend to make a greater city or be of any benefit to mankind. Frank Forster, despite his gray hair, is young in heart and active in his efforts to create a good humor and kindly impulses the endeared him with the Saunterer, who perhaps knows him as well as any other man in Sanford and has known him for many moons. I am glad to see him taking up the matter of county division because Forster does not rush in where angels fear to tread nor does he tread long, recklessly and heedlessly. Where Forster leads, most of us are safe to follow and I want my friends in Harney county to remember this, especially those who are not in favor of sluring the Orange because they may think it an ill advised movement of a few agitators. You can't call Forster an agitator, and as I said before, the worst criticism of him is that he came from Ohio and he says Ohio is a good state to come from and that is the reason he came to Florida.

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The Legend of the Golden Goblets and the Predicament of the Knight

It happened, in those days when stranger things than this occurred, that a worthy prince, whose blade and courage were tempered true, had won his way through difficulties passing all belief, and in a palace of enchantment faced the crucial test by which he should win all things to be desired or ignobly perish. Before him were placed two goblets of hand-wrought gold, so like that none should say this were that or that were this. Each contained a sparkling draught of golden hue. The one, if taken by the prince, would give him power to realize all he most desired. The other was a subtle and most deadly poison. The prince made choice, and reaching forth his hand—

But which he chose is quite beside the mark. The point is this: Every time you buy a grapefruit or an orange, you are likely to find yourself in a predicament not unlike that of the prince of yore. Thousands of boxes of unripe grapefruit and oranges, colored by a "sweating" process, have been put upon the market. Not only are they unfit for human consumption, but they are actually dangerous. By appearance you cannot tell this fruit from the healthful, delicious tree-ripened fruit. To all intent and purpose you are gambling with fate, as did the legendary prince with the golden goblets.

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GUAVA DAY FEB. 15

Toothsome Jellies Jams Preserves Etc. to be Recognized Annually Saturday, Feb. 15th, 1913, is to be Guava Day for Florida. On this day the Guava will be proclaimed to the world that it stands supreme as a jelly, or preserved. No longer will the yellow sphere be looked upon with scorn. It is to be given a place in the world where it belongs.

Long wave the guava! Vive le roi! Governor Park Trammell will issue in due time a proclamation to this effect.

The press of the state will sing the praises of the guava. The commercial bodies of the state will do likewise.

And the song will be so long and so loud it will traverse around the world and cause people to set up and take notice.

What is a guava? they will ask. Is it a disease or a name of a new Pullman car?

And the answer will come back: Try it raw--try it in paste; try it in jelly. Try it with a piece of white bread, spread with butter, then spread with guava jelly and then spread with Philadelphia cream cheese.

Nothing more need be said. The guava will be it with a double and capitalized T.

Here ye then, all you people of Florida. On Saturday, Feb. 15, 1913, from the rising of the sun to the setting thereof and then a few more hours--eat guava jelly and paste and preserves. Let it be served at every hotel and restaurant; on the dining cars, on the steamboats and in the homes. Let the merchants make display of the delectable morsel. Insist that every housewife make an order for guava jelly that day. Ask your farmer friends to bring it in. Present glasses of it to hospitals and the poor. See that the tourists get acquainted with it.

Make it a day to be remembered. Let us commercialize the humble guava--let us capitalize the farmer's wife, thereby turning into cash tens of thousands of dollars worth of guavas which go to waste each year in the state.

Will you help? You, Mr. Grocer, man, Mrs. Housewife, Mr. Hotelman, You, Mr. and Mrs. Teacher, of course the press and the commercial bodies will do their share. This year day and night for the good of all communities.

Respectfully, W. B. POWELL Secy. Board of Trade, Tampa, Fla.

Champion Boy Corn Grower

Richard Miller of Baker, Santa Rosa county, has been declared the Champion Boy Corn Grower of Florida for 1912. He produced from his acre 129 1/2 bushels of corn at a cost of 26c per bushel. Hastings Profit Corn was used for seed. The land was plowed 18 inches deep. The rows were 42 inches apart, and the stand in the row about 10 inches.

The Champion Boy Corn Grower gets a free trip to Washington, through county contribution, and \$50 in cash from the Hastings Seed Company of Atlanta, Georgia.

It would not only be well for our boys to note the high yield at a low cost but also for our farmers to consider seriously the low matter of low cost production. Corn can and should be produced in Florida at so low a cost that the farmers producing it would not only receive reasonable daily wages for all the time employed in making the crops but, in addition, a reasonable profit on the investment.

Richard Miller has made good not only in securing a high yield but also, what is vastly better, he has made good from a business standpoint. He has paid for his seed, fertilizer, time for himself and team, and has a splendid profit to show for the brains mixed with the labor.

Santa Rosa county carried away the championship for 1912. What boy will carry away this splendid prize for his county in 1913? There are already about a thousand boys enrolled and other names are coming in daily. Who will win?

Auction Bridge

The Auction Bridge Club was entertained by Mrs. S. O. Chase, Monday afternoon. Three tables of bridge were played, one being a guest table. The highest score was made by Mrs. A. P. Connelly who won the club prize, a pretty picture. Mrs. Forrest Lake won the guest prize, a silver pencil.

When the games of cards were concluded delicious baked crab, beaten biscuit, cheese straws, celery and coffee were served. Mrs. Chase's guests were Mrs. O. W. Brady, Mrs. C. O. McLaughlin, Mrs. Samuel Puleston, Mrs. B. W. Herndon, Mrs. A. P. Connelly, Mrs. Robert Newman, Mrs. Cruise Barnes, Mrs. Barrett, Mrs. F. L. Miller, Mrs. B. F. Whitner, Jr., Mrs. Forrest Lake.

SECURES LARGE CONTRACT

E. E. Brady Will Handle a Two Million Dollar Deal

The many friends of E. E. Brady are congratulating him upon securing the contract for the construction of a bridge over the Lake Harney and it will be up to Mr. Brady to cut the ties and get them to the water where they will be placed on barges and floated down to the mouth of the St. Johns river and there loaded on steamship for their proper destination north. It is said that Mr. Brady's contract will run over the two million dollar mark and this activity will mean much for Sanford and the surrounding territory.

Doll Contest Boiling With Interest

One day this week the doll only being voted on at the Star will be given away. As yet nobody knows which day this is, and in order to help those along who are not on top we will have special days when votes count double. Be sure and be present these days.

Watch for the date of the two red feature: "The Red Man's Honor"

The following is the last count

Anna Kanner	1230
Gladys Wilson	995
Edie Howard	890
Erma Spruoz	845
Jennie Rhoad	820
Honnie Purvis	720
Elizabeth Stafford	705
Ruth Taylor	645
Ethel Singletary	620
Hazel Grow	615
Mildred Lee	595
Kitty DuBose	485
Mamie Britt	425
Fern Ward	400
Ruth Waldron	360
Dorothy Davis	350
Alcega Caldwell	330
Jean Maxwell	320
Edna Peck	310
Mary Barlow	310
Edna Williams	310
Father Miller	310
Mama Gross	290
Sarah Weller	290
Beatrice Hargrave	295
Mary Stee	270
Johnnie Lee	270
Mary Ann Miller	270
Ethel Howard	270
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Myron Whitney Concert

The following concert program will be given at the Star on Saturday night, Feb. 23, 8 o'clock. The program consists of a variety of songs, instrumental and vocal.

Myron W. Whitney, Bass; Margie Gluck, Violinist; Irene Armstrong, Soprano; Marguerite Valentine, Pianist; Scherzo C. Sharp; Chopin.

Miss Valentine, Aus der Heimat; Smetana; Miss Gluck, Bolero; M. Laughlin, M. Long, Pat a Day; Beach; M. Laughlin, Song; C. Adams; Serenade; Dornation of Faust; Berlioz; Mr. Whitney, Aufzug.

Song My Mother Taught Me; Dvorak; L'oiseau Bleu; Daleroze; Pastoral Old English; Carey.

Mrs. Armstrong, Duet "Crude Perehe" Anzora; Mozart; Duet Kathleen Mavourneen; Crouch.

Arranged by Edith Currey; Violin obligato, Miss Gluck.

Mrs. Armstrong and Mr. Whitney, Adagio; T. Lalo; Caprice; Kreisler.

Liebfreund; Miss Gluck; James Rogers; D. Neige; Bemborg.

A Spirit Flower; Campbell-Tipton; The Years at the Spring; Tirindell.

Mrs. Armstrong; Reichart; When the Roses Bloom; White.

Canzone di Toarmins; Molloy; Kerry Dance; Mr. Whitney.

Straw Ride

A party of merry young people enjoyed a straw ride out to the home of Miss Hazel Hand Friday evening, where they had a jolly good time playing a number of interesting outdoor games on the pretty lawn, which was lighted by the moon and a large number of Japanese lanterns. Sandwiches, cherries, ice cream and cake were enjoyed.

Should Make The Campaign A Triumph of Enthusiasm The Prizes Go To the Eager, Enthusiastic Candidates Who Have Absolutely No Doubt of Their Success--The 50,000 Bonus Offer is An Extremely Liberal One

THE PLAYER PIANO IS HERE Owing to an oversight of the printer, the ballot good for fifty votes was left out of the Herald last Friday. To make up for this oversight, the ballot in this paper is good for 100 Votes and is good until twelve o'clock noon, February 3.

Perhaps one of the greatest assets possessed by a candidate in a contest, such as The Herald is conducting, is enthusiasm. No success, either great or small, was ever achieved without a great deal of enthusiasm. Some folks are born with this desirable characteristic, so predominant that they come to be known as optimistic, but there's nothing to it, it is enthusiasm pure and simple. History is filled with achievements of men and women who possessed a solution idea backed by words of enthusiasm which they themselves generated among their friends and supporters. The same conditions exist in a contest. The eager, jubilant, lady who is bubbling over with enthusiasm of her campaign is the person who has all her friends behind her. It is a fact that she is going to win, there isn't the slightest doubt in her mind and the natural result is, every friend becomes a booster to some purpose. Don't Get Discouraged. Contestants should never allow discouragement to affect them. Have confidence, and you will feel the vibration of your confidence. Despondency is more contagious than the grip. Who is going to believe in you if you don't even believe in yourself? Be sure of yourself, your friends will then feel sure of you, and know they are not wasting their votes on some faint hearted person who might in a moment of dejection drop out of the contest and make all their efforts count for nothing. Make Effort Count. Only seven and one-half weeks more of the fifty thousand bonus offer and each and every candidate should make their efforts count going for time. Get every new subscription in sight--collect every promise and then stand-

1 year	2.00	2,000 votes
2 years	4.00	7,000 votes
3 years	6.00	12,000 votes
4 years	8.00	18,000 votes
5 years	10.00	25,000 votes
10 years	20.00	75,000 votes
The list of candidates and their vote exhibit as counted up to noon Monday, Sanford, Fla.		
Miss Helen Rowland	9,250	
Miss Rena Murrell	7,050	
Miss Ruth McDaniel	37,150	
Miss Elizabeth McLaughlin	7,000	
Miss Esther Miller	9,000	
Mrs. J. L. Hart	6,350	
Mrs. R. L. Griffin	26,350	
Mrs. R. A. Newman	31,300	
Sanford, Fla., R. F. D. No. 1		
Mrs. L. Y. Stenstrom	29,500	
Sanford, Fla., R. F. D. No. 2		
Miss Gladys Green	22,400	
Sanford, Fla., R. F. D. No. 3		
Miss Ethel Hicks	18,700	
Miss Isabelle Raynor	7,200	
Miss Maud Cameron	32,850	
Miss Nora Hickson	5,000	
Miss Perry Lee Bell	5,150	
Paola, Fla.		
Miss Sallie Lapford	18,900	
Mrs. C. D. Pearson	12,800	
Geneva, Fla.		
Miss Mary Proxat	8,650	
Mrs. David Speer	21,400	
Mrs. W. L. Adams	7,450	
Chulota, Fla.		
Miss Annie Brown	10,600	
Oviedo, Fla.		
Mr. E. Kinney	12,100	
Lake Mary, Fla.		
Mrs. L. S. McBride	7,250	
Winter Park, Fla.		
Mrs. J. D. Linton	7,100	
Cassia, Fla.		
Miss Ruth Royal	22,650	
Enterprise, Fla.		
Mrs. H. F. Aquilonow	7,850	
Zellwood, Fla.		
Mrs. S. S. Houston	9,100	

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Orlando claims to have more rich residents than any other city in the state. But you'd never think so to look at 'em.—Tampa Tribune.

Orlando is still feeling just awful about the prospect of the division of Orange county, and Sanford continues to grow more jubilant.—Miami Metropolis.

The Miami Metropolis is advocating a Flower League for Florida for the propagation and cultivation of more flowers in Florida. This is a very good idea and we hope the League will be formed for then Florida editors will be assured of plenty of flowers after they are dead.

The Herald is heartily in favor of West Florida becoming a state. We favor state division and county division, and believe that separation should occur whenever existing conditions are such that division will give better results. With the cutting off of West Florida the state capital will then be moved to a more central location, a move that should have been made years ago.

It may never be a saloonless world through the agency of prohibition in politics or the crusade of the Anti-Saloon League and the W. C. T. U.; but other forces for abstinence from intoxicating liquor, intensely practical and utterly without sentiment are now working in the cause and are accomplishing large results. Industrial sanitation is doing the work. An exchange says "Railroads and other large employers of labor fear the accidents and liability to damages that may follow the acts of intemperate employes, have begun to insist upon sobriety, and this has made a desirable impression along the line of labor. Workmen's compensation laws make employers more careful as to the kind of men they employ, and the drinker is an unsafe man to handle modern machinery."—Lakeland Telegram.

MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP

The Herald has long advocated the municipal ownership of the public utilities in Sanford. The Herald has also advocated the bonding proposition for the purchase of the electric light and gas plant and there was never a better time than the present for the city of Sanford to vote for a bond issue to cover the sale of the electric plant and also to cover some of the indebtedness of the city and put our affairs upon a better basis financially. Few tax payers like to entertain the proposition to float more bonds at this time but there is not a citizen of Sanford but what would vote bonds for the purchase of the electric light and gas plant now and also the water works if possible. The consumers are kicking and they've a perfect right to kick upon the exorbitant price paid here for the lights. This city is paying more for electric lights than any other city in the south. The tax payer would not mind paying this price to the city because the money in part would be coming back to him indirectly and in a few years the plant would be on a paying basis and returning money to the tax payers. We could have plenty of street lights all the time and the money now spent by the city for lights would be going into our own plant.

The Herald would like the citizens of Sanford and the city council to take up this matter at once. The electric light and gas plants could probably be purchased at a better price than could be negotiated later on.

The Herald is not in favor of beating down the price of the plant to an unreasonable figure—it wants to see justice done by the stockholders in the plant as well as by the citizens. They have invested their money here in good faith, and they have been most potent and progressive factors in the development of the city. If the plants are acquired it should be at a reasonable valuation—even though they were built up largely on the city's credit and on profits taken

from the people. They are legitimate holdings, and the city should only take up the purpose of purchase with the resolution to deal fairly with the owners of these properties.

But the longer the matter of purchase is delayed the more expensive the acquisition will become. The plants are steadily increasing in value as the city grows. Had the step been taken years ago—as it should have been—there is no reason to doubt that Sanford would have profited immensely—would have been that much "ahead of the game." But no benefit results from "crying over spilt milk"—the best policy is to face the situation as it exists resolutely and intelligently. The present situation is unsatisfactory—let us set about bettering it. Let us exercise good business judgment in the management of our public affairs as we do in our personal business interests. One is as intimately related to the prosperity of the citizens as a whole as is the other.

There is no question of superior importance to municipal ownership of the public utilities.

DIVISION BRINGS RESULTS

Statistics available at the Tax Assessor's office, show that for the year 1912, the assessed values in Sanford DECREASED \$19,600, whereas in Orlando the values INCREASED to the extent of \$160,550. Reporter-Star.

We are glad the Reporter-Star called attention to the fact. The assessed value of Sanford real estate has been entirely too high and when attention was finally called to the matter the property in Orlando was raised to the proper figures. With the scores of expensive residences built in Orlando by wealthy tourists in the past year the figures given above do not make an argument against county division or demonstrate that Sanford has received any gracious gifts. The Herald will state right here that Tax Assessor Butt has tried his utmost to equalize taxes and admitted that property in Sanford was taxed to the limit. The county division question is bringing out many good points regarding taxes and property and we hope will result in a equalization in taxation to Orange county, even after Harney county has been created.

One of the greatest points scored is that by the division of property will pay the proper amount of taxes as the Reporter-Star has so ably shown in the above statement.

Agitation of county affairs is a good thing for the majority of the people and the general public will get rise up and call the Sanford "secessionists" blessed.

HUSTLING BOARD OF TRADE

The annual meeting of the Palatka board of trade this week took the shape of a banquet and smoker to which some 200 members and visiting guests sat down. The meeting was an eye opener in that it showed that a new and young set of men have taken hold of the work of pushing Palatka to the forefront. "Twas ever thus! Men come and men go, but this old world goes on forever. There was a noticeable absence at this meeting of the men who ten years ago were the active leaders in the work of municipal development, and in their places were a bunch of young hustlers who are determined to do things. To our mind the chief value of the board of trade lies in the fact that it is a school for the training of young men to work for the common good. Seeing these active young hustlers interested in the development of their home city and surrounding country means much to Palatka, and results are already apparent. True they are working for the future, but only a night's sleep separates the present from the future. Lend the hand of encouragement to the Palatka board of trade."—Palatka News.

"THE OTHER FELLOWS"

It is estimated that the loss from the damage to the orange and lemon crops of California by the recent freeze will be about \$34,000,000. We are told that that of this loss \$19,169,380 will be sustained by the growers, \$4,792,000 by the shippers and \$9,765,000 by the railroads. If these figures, which came from California, are true show that the railroads and the shippers get almost as much out of the California fruit crop as the growers themselves. They further show that the amount of money coming to the railroads is more than half as much as is received by the men who grow the crops. When you add to this the profits of the commission merchants and the retailers of the fruit it is plain why the consumer pays a high price for his fruit. Between the grower and the consumer there are a number of other fellows who must come in for profits. The grower does not make such big profits, though the consumer pays a big price. The difference is distributed among the other fellows. And these figures from California certainly show up some of the "other fellows."—Pensacola News.

Professor Recited Badly.

One day a college professor, going to his class, came across one of his students who had just fallen down. Asking him how he fell, the student replied, "Notwithstanding." Telling the professor that he had fallen down, the professor said: "I met Mr. Junior the other day, and he made a very bright remark. He had just fallen down, you know; and, when I asked him how it happened, he said, 'Nevertheless.'"—Budget.

Examine Strange Personality.

A Frenchman, named Marguy, said to possess the hide of an elephant. Instead of the ordinary human skin, and therefore believed to be an abnormally constituted person, not accountable for his actions, is to be medically examined at the request of the French attorney general to determine his responsibility for a theft for which he has been imprisoned some months.

Strange Names.

Every clergyman can tell tales of the strange names which he has been asked to bestow upon children at the baptismal font; but the place where that sort of thing is rampant is British Guinea. Nannie Bellona, John Pantaloon, and Frank Locust are among Christian names imposed on the offspring of native converts. Worse still are "Whisky Emmanuel" and "Sorlatim ad Valorem."

Room for Many More.

Labrador has an area of 200,000 square miles, but a population of only 4,000.

China Opening to Foreign Trade.

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Daily Thought.

Time misspent is not lived, but lost.—Fuller



"The Girl from Rectors" Tonight at Imperial

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Young Man Must Have Friends. For boys and young men friendship is a prime necessity of existence. When a man has established himself in life and the interests of home and wife and family have absorbed him, he may, perhaps, dispense with friendship. But as long as he is young, unmarried and unsettled, he is as dependent on friendship as on air or food. Finally. Mrs. Wayupp—"So they have just had their first quarrel?" Mrs. Blase—"Yes. After fifteen years of married life they have just discovered that they belong to opposite churches."—Life. One Proper Form of Pride. Pride is one of the seven deadly sins; but it cannot be the pride of a mother in her children, for that is a compound of two cardinal virtues—faith and hope.—Charles Dickens. World's Meanest Man. We have just heard of the world's meanest man. He doesn't like his wife's red hair, so he is trying, by filling her days with care, to cause it to turn white.



Hear Dr. E. O. Taylor tonight at the Congregational church.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson of Baltimore are housekeeping at the Fairview.

Mrs. S. Puleston and Mrs. T. A. Neal attended the Charity Ball in Orlando last Friday night.

Mrs. Kate Butt arrived in the city last Saturday and will be here several days with the children.

Lewis Leinhardt has returned to Sanford from Tampa and taken his former position as head plumber with C. H. Dinger.

Keep February 4th free of all engagements until you hear of the great attraction booked for that date. Particulars will be given later.

Prof. N. J. Perkins and brother, Braxton returned Saturday night from Carysbrook, Virginia, where they were called by the death of their father.

Mrs. Samuel Puleston of Sanford is the popular guest of Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. Puleston was one of the most admired ladies at the big charity ball last night. Reporter-Star.

F. W. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Dykeman and Mrs. Rutan from the Catskill Mountains, old friends of Mrs. J. H. Ferguson's are stopping at the Fairview for the winter.

Dr. and Mrs. E. New of Dublin, Ga., are expected in the city the latter part of this week to visit their son Norman New of the Sanford House and Dr. R. M. Mason, Mrs. New's brother.

Mrs. T. A. Neal of Sanford is expected to attend the charity ball and is registered at the Summerlin. Mrs. Neal, as Olive Fitts, was one of the most popular girls ever in Orlando. Reporter-Star.

D. W. Sasser, who has been agent, postmaster and express agent on the East Coast for the past two years, returned to his first love, the A. C. J. and was here last Friday after a short route to South Florida to take a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Robinson left Saturday for Washington. Mr. Rayson has been appointed manager of the Southern Express Co. His friends hate to see them leave.

but are glad to hear of Mr. Rayson's well deserved promotion.

Miss Beulah E. Phillips of Fernandina, is the guest of her cousin Mrs. S. Q. Shindler. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anahie Phillips, who were residents of Sanford some years ago. Mrs. Phillips is a brother of Messrs. A. E. and L. R. Phillips, and with his wife, is remembered by their many friends, who will be glad to welcome their daughter, Miss Beulah, who will remain in the city some time.

Control of Insects and Diseases. A neat 168 page book has recently been issued by the Wilson & Toomer Fertilizer Co., Jacksonville, Fla., giving concise but complete directions for prevention, remedy, or control of all insects and disease troubles occurring in Florida groves, gardens and fields. Though absolutely correct according to the latest scientific researches, it is ever-ready, simple and as easy to read as the local newspaper. Paper covers, fifty cents; cloth bindings, seventy-five cents. 46-11p

Now is the time to buy tomato seed, corn, peas, beans, cucumber and melon seed for spring planting. L. R. Phillips & Co. 42-8t

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Every Week Bridge Club Mrs. C. M. Vorce was hostess of the Every Week Bridge Club Thursday afternoon. Two tables of bridge were played. The high score was made by Mrs. R. L. Hughes, who won the prize, a deck of cards in a pretty case.

When the games of cards were concluded several other guests came in and a delicious vegetable salad, olives and sandwiches, crackers and coffee were served. Mrs. Vorce's guests were Mrs. R. L. Hughes, Mrs. O. W. Brady, Mrs. C. O. McLaughlin, Mrs. Forrest Lake, Mrs. G. F. Smith, Mrs. Barrett, Mrs. W. D. Holden, Mrs. W. T. Johns, Mrs. T. H. King, Mrs. H. E. Hester, Mrs. Maples.

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Missionary Society Meets The monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist church was held last night at the church. After devotional exercises Mrs. R. F. Miller, subject leader for the evening conducted an interesting survey of Home Missions. The members also enjoyed the round table on current Missionary Events, led by Mrs. S. G. Kennedy. After the business of the society had been attended to the meeting adjourned.

A post-office department inspector is on his way to Kissimmee to make arrangements for the delivery of mails in that town. It is expected that the new carriers will be appointed about March 1st.

Manatee county's first car of orders shipped this season was sent Tuesday from the Shell Beach farms, where the managers, Petrousa Bros. and C. D. O'Brien, have twenty acres in cultivation, and will have fifty acres planted in tomatoes. Sarasota Times.

One of the latest model Mercedes-Benz motor cars, a three seater, cost \$4,000, has been added to the equipment of the Miami Metropolis. This is the third limotype to be installed in that office.

From "Old Slwash" "We are more frivolous in our college life than in our business," George made business what it is. Fraternal ties are a clearinghouse for ability and ambition." Kansas City Star.

A La Mode. "What was the chief food of the woodchoppers in whose camp you spent your vacation?" "Pork and potatoes, served in the form of chops and chips."—Christian Science Monitor.

Real Optimist. One cannot doubt the optimism of the hunter who, before he starts for the woods, borrows enough money to pay for shipping a deer home by express.

Dilemma. "So you want to marry my daughter. Are you in a position to support a family?" Sultor—"Er—how many of you are there?"

Convincing. "Do you love me, Esmeralda?" "Of course I love you. Since I became acquainted with you I have really gotten to admire pop-eyes."

Probably. The man who spends his life pursuing fame probably does so because he never gets a chance to turn off on a by path that appears to lead straight to wealth.

All He Was Interested In. Mother—"What do you think you will make out of my daughter's talent?" Professor—"About \$2 a lesson, if the piano holds out."—Stray Stories.

Uncle Pennywise Says. Biogene Wombat has got the best library in Plunkville. His father left him a pile of newspapers three feet high.

Few Words of Truth. The attitude of ourselves toward ourselves has a wonderful effect in the way we conduct ourselves.

Contentment. Contentment consists in the temporary forgetfulness of the things we would like to have next.—Puck.

Man's Allotment of Blood. The average man has twenty pounds of blood.

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Swatting Back. Mrs. Hiram Offen—"I'm afraid you won't do. As nearly as I can find out for data workers in '18."

Ham and Eggs. Calhoun Clay says: "Dar am a non-breakable relationship betwixt de cub bud race an' turkey, de reason bein' dat de cullud race is descended from Ham, while turkey comes from eggs."

Had a Good "Take." One of the latest novels says: "He stooped a little and printed a round dozen of swift kisses on her surprised lips." Evidently a job printer.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Daily Thought. A man should never be ashamed to own he has been in the wrong, which is but saying, in other words, that he is wiser today than he was yesterday.—Pope.

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Charity Association Meets

A large number of the citizens of the city assembled at the Star Theatre Sunday afternoon for the first annual...

Rev. J. D. Langley eloquently addressed the meeting, making a strong appeal for greater activity and a broader work along the lines of social service.

Mrs. Speer Hostess

Mrs. George A. Speer entertained at a delightful and very pretty violet card party Friday afternoon.

Seven tables of auction bridge were played. The tally cards were ornamented with violets, and tied with rich purple ribbon.

The consolation prize, a cut glass goblet, was cut for and won by Mrs. F. J. Gonzales.

The favors were pretty little boat shaped violet baskets, filled with candy. After the interesting games of cards were concluded a delicious chicken salad course was served.

Mrs. Speer's guests were Mrs. C. M. Vorce, Mrs. C. O. McLaughlin, Mrs. O. W. Brady, Mrs. J. W. Dickinson, Mrs. S. O. Chase, Mrs. B. F. Whitner, Jr., Mrs. A. P. Connelly, Mrs. E. L. Miller, Mrs. F. J. Gonzales, Mrs. B. W. Herndon, Mrs. J. H. Roumillat, Mrs. May Dickins, Mrs. Paul Keely, Mrs. R. J. Holly, Mrs. R. H. Marks, Mrs. E. B. Brown, Mrs. A. W. Pitts, Mrs. Deane Turner, Mrs. Mary...

Presbyterian Reception

There was so much matter crowded out today that explanation is due the readers, especially regarding the account of the Presbyterian reception, which will appear in Friday's issue, together with several other items left out this week.

Hastings Potatoes Planted

Earlier than ever before, the planting of the Hastings potato acreage is almost completed, and the fields that were...

With but a small per cent of the crop up, it is impossible to form any correct statement of the stand that will be obtained, but judging from what can be now seen, the prospects are for a normal crop.

The outlook is bright for a good crop that will be ready to go forward at a date at least two weeks earlier than usual. With every farm provided with one or more artesian wells, and an open ditch system of irrigation, and by the attention given during the past summer to provide better drainage outlets, the Hastings farmer is now in a position to control extremes of moisture and drought to an extent to assure the successful maturing of his crop of Irish potatoes.

New City Restaurant

The former City Restaurant on First street has given place to a brand new up-to-the-minute restaurant, and although going under the old name is hardly recognizable. Mrs. B. E. Takach, assisted by Julius and Miss Aranka has taken over the two rooms and the second floor, and at a great expense has fitted up one of the nicest restaurants and lunch rooms in the city.

The Girl From Rectors

"The Girl From Rectors," the attraction booked to play tonight at the Imperial was declined by the Metropolitan critics to be the funniest high class production made there in many years. The plot deals with the actions of a young society woman of Battle Creek, Mich., who is charmingly inclined. She spends most of her time in her own circle at home but her husband, a Judge in the Court of Shanghai is away for such long periods she decides to go to New York for recreation.

ETHEL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Tillman and children returned home Saturday night after a stay of one month in Tampa and Zephyr Hills.

Miss Opal Holiday of Illinois is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross of Markham.

T. I. Boyd, while running a race last Saturday was thrown from his horse and was slightly bruised.

Harry Rabun of Monroe was the guest of A. T. Lipford Sunday.

A jolly dance was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross last Saturday night, in honor of their daughter, Miss Opal Holiday of Illinois. There was delightful string music to dance by, and after a series of round and square dances refreshments were served. After which the guests took their leave, each one declaring they had a delightful time.

Fishing is fine in the Wekiva now. Guerney Burton hauled in a fish last week weighing eight and a half pounds.

It is a rare thing to see orange trees cut away to make room for buildings here and there in many orange groves in and around Leesburg that it has become necessary to clear away a sufficient number of the trees on a line bearing grove within the corporate limits of the town to make room for residence building sites.

Cecilian Music Club

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist church Monday next at 7:30 p. m. All are urged to attend.

More Foolish Questions

It is likely that the way will shortly be cleared for determining the successor to County Solicitor George DeCottes.

Dr. Abernethy, chairman of the County Democratic Executive Committee, has written to Governor Trammell, asking for information as to how the position is to be filled; whether Mr. DeCottes' successor is to be chosen by primary, or whether the appointment will be made without the formality of the primary. A reply is expected from the Governor within a few days.

With relation to the candidacy of Mr. DeCottes, this section of the county would like to know what view he takes of county division. Is he prepared to serve the whole county?—Reporter-Star.

Cecilian Music Club

The Cecilian Music Club held their regular meeting at the studio of Mrs. Fannie S. Munson Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The meeting was presided over by Miss Margaret Davis, president of the club. An unusually large number were present to enjoy the interesting meeting and delightful program.

A fine article written by Paderewski giving advice to piano students was read.

After the conclusion of the business of the club, well executed selections by the following young ladies were enjoyed: Misses Margaret Davis, Adelaide Higgins, Lettie Caldwell, Junie Stumon, Marian Packard. Piano solos by the younger members of the club were rendered by Ruth Waldron, Marian Phillips, Antonette Luke, Adele Runge, Jessie Pell, Edna Williams, Duets, Marian and Marjorie Packard. The program concluded with two vocal solos by Miss Mabel Bowler, "Were My Caravan Has Rested," Lohr, "To You."

Can't Do It You Know

Mr. F. P. Forster of Sanford, chairman of the committee of a hundred and fifty appointed to divide this county, hid...

Mr. Forster is one of those gentlemen who finds to be positively refreshing. He is optimistic and his sense of humor is very keen. As an expression of both qualities he said to a representative of this paper: "Now, say, why not take this situation calmly and philosophically. Just say to yourselves this thing is coming and it's well. Let's bid 'em God speed."

How does that look in print? Good speed, eh? What reason can they show for not deserving a good spanking?—Reporter-Star.

You can't do it, you know! Sanford is just a little too lousy and full of colery to take any more spanking and we can and will turn in and spank Mother Orange just below the apron string which means Orlando.

Piano Has Arrived

The famous Stultz piano that will be given away in the great Herald Piano Contest has arrived in the city and will be on exhibition at the Herald office. The piano is a beauty and has been greatly admired by the many candidates and their friends and commented upon favorably. Of mahogany, finely finished and most beautiful in tone, the piano can be played by the performer or by a player arrangement that takes the 88 note rolls and has a wide range that will permit the finest of operatic music to be played from the rolls. It is safe to assert that no piano contest in Florida has ever given away a finer instrument than the Stultz and every one in Sanford and Orange county is invited to come in and inspect this beautiful instrument. Better yet get in the contest and win the piano for yourself free of charge.

Missionary Meeting

The Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. J. N. Whitner Friday afternoon.

Mrs. C. C. Woodruff, president of the society presided over the meeting and conducted devotional exercises. The subject of the program for the afternoon to be considered was "The Assembly's Home Missions." Reports and reviews of the work were read by the president and Mrs. J. N. Whitner.

Plans and details for the present year's work were discussed and decided upon. Mrs. R. C. Maxwell read a beautiful story entitled "The King Comes."

After the business of the society and the program were concluded light refreshments were served by the hostess and the members of the society and visitors enjoyed a social half hour.

A MOTHER'S PRAYER

Utterance of Supplication Learned at Parent's Knee Brings Prosperity and Happiness.

By GEORGE ELMER COBB.

It was merely a business conclusion that Robert A. Jones, lawyer, had offices in the same skyscraper where Robert H. Jones, also lawyer, had an office. The comparison, however, was grotesque: "Judge" Jones occupied a suite on the second floor, about as elaborate as the upholsterer's art could make it. "Bill" Jones, as his friends familiarly called him, had a little ten-by-twelve room at the top story. It contained a worn rug, a small desk, two chairs, and a book-case holding only the most necessary law books required in the profession.

At these, his sole possessions, Bob was staring gloomily. It was the darkest hour in his life, and the late afternoon shadows formed a fitting frame for his environment. The agent for the building surveyed Bob rather pityingly.

"Sorry, Mr. Jones," he said, "but it's the rule. There's two months' rent overdue. I'll just have the stuff here stored with good care. Soon as you get on your feet again you can pay up and get it back."

"No," said Bob definitely, "sell it. I'm through."

"Don't say that," spoke the agent. "And look here, if it's right down to bread and butter, why, I'm your friend," and the speaker jingled some silver in his pocket significantly.

"Thank you," said Bob in a subdued tone, "but you've been too indulgent already."

"I'll be on hand when you call on me," declared the agent cheerily. "Don't give up the ship—always darkest before the dawn, you know."

Bob leaned against the desk. He was indeed "through." He had made a brave fight—no clients, no money, and this was the end. He brushed his hand across his eyes as a flashing



He Faced a Dainty, Lissome Young Girl.

picture of the old farm home, father, mother, dead now, filled his mind. Then he put on his hat and opened a drawer in the desk.

A pencil, a memorandum book, two postage stamps, a meal ticket with all the numbers punched out save two—with a rather bitter smile Bob pocketed the lot. He pulled open a second drawer. As if a devil had stung him, his hand shot out eagerly at the little silver-mounted weapon it contained.

"The quick way!" he said hoarsely. There was a click. Then with a shudder he flung the weapon back into the drawer, crashed it shut, and his face fell across his arms. Some power drove his lips to the low sobbing utterance of a prayer, learned at his mother's knee.

"Is this Mr. Jones?" asked a timid, almost frightened voice.

Bob had heard some sound at the door, but had supposed it was the agent going out. In a startled way he faced a dainty, lissome young girl, so oddly out of place in her bewitching grace and prettiness that he almost fancied it a delusion. He just nodded.

"That is—" the girl was pale and her hand was trembling as she tendered a large envelope. There was no doubt that she had seen the weapon and heard the prayer. She was confused in delivering a message.

"My aunt, Mrs. Cynthia Bell, asked me to give you this. It is—something about—about another lawyer, and—you are to write aunt or '88' her."

Then she was gone. Bob sank to a chair. His heart had leaped up at each loveliness. But—not for him! He, penniless, a failure! He opened the envelope, supposing it to be some papers in one of the few law cases he had assisted in. Around a file of documents two tiny letters lay.

folded. Next to them was a note. It read:

"I am the attorney at Blakeville of Mrs. Bell. She will come to you to assist her in getting possession of some property. I will charge you with a retainer fee, and if we win the case at this end there will be a contingent fee for you."

"Why," exclaimed Bob, glancing at the envelope, "this is for the Jones downstairs. All that money!"

He sat looking at those crisp bank notes hungrily. For a moment there was a vivid picture of a fine cafe, snowy linen, glittering cut glass, the well served meal, and then—

"The Jones downstairs is away in Europe," mused Bob, "but this is his business, not mine. Ah! Here is an address," and Bob placed the envelope in his pocket and went down to the street.

An hour later Bob was ushered into a suite of rooms in an apartment house three miles away. An old lady and a young one arose to greet him.

"Mr. Jones—you are prompt," said the elder lady, holding his card in her hand. The younger one, his office visitor, looked at him with interest, but strangely.

"Mr. Jones, yes," said Bob with a forced smile, "but not the Mr. Jones for whom these documents were intended." And then Bob told of the other Jones, of his absence, and handed the lady the envelope.

"Aunt," almost whispered the young lady, "may I speak to you for a moment?"

Bob sat fidgeting in his seat. It was the young lady who finally returned, alone. She brought back the packet.

"Mr. Jones," she said, her voice trembling slightly, "I am Marion Bell, the niece of the lady you have just seen. I have spoken to my aunt, and my mistake may not be a mistake after all. We must have a lawyer at once, the other Mr. Jones is away, and—will you take the case?"

"You will trust me, a stranger?" began Bob, choking up.

"Yes," she replied, "because—because I know you need a client and because that dreadful temptation, your mother's prayer, have told me to be—be your friend. Have I said too much?"

It was a simple case. A miserly old fellow in the city had some papers of the greatest importance in a lawsuit involving the estate of Miss Bell. He might refuse to give them up. He might demand a prohibitory price for their return.

Here again the star of hope and fortune arose for Bob. The old fellow happened to be a client of a friend of Bob, a struggling young attorney like himself. One week later, at no expense whatever, Bob brought the coveted documents to Mrs. Bell.

In the meantime, through the Bells, he was introduced to some influential people. Two new clients came to him, and things began to look up for loyal, patient Bob.

The day he got back into his old office he called on Marion. He told her the whole story of that dismal afternoon when they had first met.

"And, oh! how sorry I felt for you," confessed Marion, "for I guessed that you were in deep trouble. That dreadful moment when—but that will always be our secret. The sweet mother's prayer drove all the fear and temptation away."

"And you appeared, an angel on the threshold," said Bob. "Yes, that will be our secret, but there is another one. If I only dared to tell it—"

Marion averted nearer to him. Her eyes told him he might speak, her lips invited the lover's kiss, and Bob knew that the full glorious dawn had come at last!

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Calling Down the Nurse. Little Frank's nurse, when finding him in mischief was in the habit of exclaiming: "What in the name of common sense are you doing?" One morning, while she was bathing him, he asked: "What in the name of copper cents do you mean by getting soap in my eyes?"

Small Wonder. A lady suffering from a severe cold directed her maid to procure two pennyworth of ammoniated tincture of quinine. Great was her amusement on the return of the maid, who expressed her inability to obtain "the two animated pictures of Queen Anne."—London Telegraph.

Speech in Marble. Rodin says of the antique masterpieces: "They speak to me louder, move me more, than human beings. In its turn, may the new century meditate more than marble."—New York Mail.

Muddled. The lecturer arose and said imprecisely: "Every time I see a young man coming out of a saloon, I want to go right up to that young man and say, 'Turn right around, young man; you're going the wrong way.'"—New York Mail.

EARLY HISTORY OF ROBINSON

Sanford Man Gets Bouquet of Flowers While Living.

The following article and excellent picture of Mr. M. F. Robinson...

Mr. Merritt Fletcher Robinson, of Sanford, Fla., was one of the most active members of the Old Time Telegraphers and Historical Association...

Mr. Robinson was born at Harmonsburg, Pa., October 10, 1843. In early life he was employed on his father's farm and afterwards clerked in a general store at Conneautville, Pa.

During the Civil war he was engaged in the military telegraph service and at the close of the war he located for a short time in Kentucky, where he leased and bought oil land. He was operator and manager of the United States Telegraph Company at Meadville and Franklin, Pa., after the Civil war, and later became manager and press operator of the Western Union Telegraph Company at Titusville, Pa.

Mr. Robinson's wide activities in other lines are briefly enumerated as follows: Member of the firm of Frederick M. Robinson & Brothers, manufacturers of farm implements and saw mill machinery, besides operating a planing mill and lumber yard at Conneautville, Pa., special agent for the Singer Sewing Machine Company in New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio, chief bookkeeper in the Exchange Bank, Franklin, Pa., acting cashier First National Bank, Conneautville, Pa., city agent at Pittsburgh, Pa., for the Travelers Insurance Company, state agent for the same company at Indianapolis, Indiana, editor and afterwards president of the Band of Seville, Seville, Florida.

Mr. Robinson during most of the time has been dealing in real estate as a sub-agent and at one time owned a large amount of land in Florida, and still owns and manages eleven orange groves, besides owning several large tracts of land in that State.

Mr. Robinson is one of the prominent citizens of Sanford, Fla. He is president of the Sanford Hospital Association and is connected with several business enterprises in Florida. He was a member at Sanford for twelve years, and at the present time is special agent for the Travelers Insurance Company in the real estate and loan department, which position he has held for thirty-five years.

From the foregoing it can be easily seen what an active career Mr. Robinson has had. He renewed many old friendships and made many new ones during the recent reunion. When asked to what particular characteristic he attributed his uniform success, he said: "The key to success is prompt payment. I have never in my life made it necessary for any one to present a bill to me the second time."—Conneautville (Pa.) Courier.

WAS SOME RAZORBACK

On New Year's day D. P. Johnson of St. Petersburg, butchered a hog which tipped the scales at 620 1/2 pounds, the only a little over twenty months old. It was pronounced by many who had had years' experience in the butcher business to be the biggest they ever saw. The hog yielded over half its weight in lard. The head weighed fifty-seven pounds and the hams weighed over fifty pounds apiece. The shoulders weighed fifty-one pounds after taking the fat from them. The St. Petersburg Independent says: "Mr. Johnson was exceedingly proud of his 'pig,' which he was in the habit of showing to people and telling them it was a genuine 'Florida razorback,' especially if they were just down from the North. Mr. Johnson would finally admit that the pig was in reality about half Berkshire. Many people urged Mr. Johnson to send the hog to the fair at Tampa, declaring it to be worth seeing anywhere and superior to any they had ever seen on exhibition in the annual mid-winter fairs." Gainesville Sun.

Work is to begin in St. Petersburg within 90 days on the erection of a new electric light and power plant. The plant will be in operation by the first of next December.

FOR NEARER PORT

Sanford Will Have A Rousing Meeting Thursday Night

Vice President Frank P. Foster... of the club for Thursday evening, January 30th, in the auditorium building of the High School for the purpose of taking up the question of securing deep water at Mosquito Inlet, thus converting the city of New Smyrna into a port of entry and haven for seagoing vessels. The Commercial Club sent a delegation to the meeting of the board of trade of Daytona last Monday evening, where this meeting was under discussion, and where our delegates got in touch with those who have the matter in charge and were requested by the East Coast cities interested to make ready to have this meeting.

Invitations have been extended civily bodies in Palatka, DeLand, Daytona, Port Orange, Oak Hill, Titusville, Enterprise, Orange City, Orlando, Apopka, Winter Garden, Dunelton, Kissimmee, St. Cloud, Tavares, Ocala, Leesburg, Eustis, Hastings, Crescent City, Osteen and other points that will be directly interested in the matter.

Invitations have also been extended representatives to the Florida Legislature to be present and take part in the discussions that will be made of the matter.

In 1897 a survey was made of the Inlet and a recommendation was made to Congress to make an appropriation of \$500,000 for the purpose of cutting away the bar that is now a hindrance to the entry of sea-going craft to the river and New Smyrna docks. Again in 1907 a survey was made of the Inlet and a recommendation was again made to Congress to put this appropriation through. Now the powers of central Florida are combining for the purpose of creating this deep water harbor and we hope that each town in this portion of the state will have its representative at this meeting and lend their help and assistance to this most commendable movement.

A. C. E. TIME TABLE

Table with columns for North Bound, South Bound, and train numbers (No. 84, No. 85, No. 25, No. 21, No. 22, No. 126, No. 127) and their respective departure and arrival times.

Senator Donegan a Banker

Arthur I. Donegan, senator from Orange, Oseola and the proposed new county of Harney is one of the Florida boys who has grasped old opportunity by the forelock and is holding on with both hands. The following news item would indicate that Senator Donegan will not be an applicant for a berth at the county poor farm for some time to come.

Senator Arthur I. Donegan took formal possession of his third banking house Wednesday when the state bank of Haines City opened for business. The Kissimmee banker is now at the head of three banks, the First National of St. Cloud, the Citizens' of Kissimmee and the Haines City Bank. The Senator started poor and made his money by taking advantage of Oseola's rapid growth. He owns two hundred thousand acres of virgin prairie-lands with thousands of fat, sleek steers roaming thereon. He is president of the South Florida Lumber Company, one of the largest express manufacturers in the state. He takes his seat at Tallahassee as State Senator in April.

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NEWS from the COUNTY

CAMERON CITY CLIPPINGS

Mrs. Kay and daughter of Sanford and Mrs. Featherman of Straaburg Pa., were visitors at Minnick Place last Saturday afternoon.

Judge Robinson and wife and a party of friends motored out on Sunday to take a look at our neat little village.

Max Hooks of Clermont was looking at farms here last week with a view to locating.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rich celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary on Thursday the 16th, at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Minnick. Those who enjoyed the pleasant evening and the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Rich, Mrs. Trego, C. C. Worthington and Dr. and Mrs. Minnick.

Miss Aileen Minnick came from Jacksonville Monday and will visit a few weeks at home before resuming her work.

J. W. Powell and wife arrived Wednesday and are at home in the Marshal cottage on Jessup ave. We are all glad they are here again.

Mrs. Granger of Wichita and Mrs. Butterfield of Boston were among the callers this week.

Keep right after the knocker, Mr. Holly, and knock him hard and then knock him again and if you need any help let us know.

Mrs. Minnick and Miss Aileen went across to Enterprise on Wednesday to visit the Methodist Orphanage there.

Terry Malone is planting potatoes for J. C. Rich this week, using his fine new machine.

MONROE HAPPENINGS

Rev. J. W. Wildman of Sanford filled his regular appointment here Sunday afternoon at 3:30.

John Ogleby was in Jacksonville the first of the week on business.

Mrs. Agnes Emery and family of Jacksonville returned to their home there Sunday, after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ogleby.

The church has purchased a new organ of Ludden & Bates, Jacksonville, and same has been placed in the church and is giving excellent satisfaction.

Alfred Erickson of Upsala attended the Christian Endeavor Society meeting on Monday night.

Mrs. Drew Warren of Sanford is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mann this week.

Mr. Cary of Mississippi was in this section Sunday enroute to DeLand on business.

The Monroe ferry opened again on Thursday for business. The manager, E. E. Osteen, has been overhauling boats and wharves since the 16th inst., and the ferry is in fine shape for the accommodation of the public.

Drew Warren and P. Hawkins, of the firm known as Hawkins & Warren Market Co. of Sanford, were transacting business here Wednesday enroute to points on the lower St. Johns for pleasure.

WANTS

Continued from page 4

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

For Sale—Beggar Weed Seed. We guarantee our Tom Watson and all varieties of watermelon seed to be true to name. Write for prices. For 33 years we have grown melons for seed purposes only. Glydeau Seed Co., Monticello, Fla. 42-26tc

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

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

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

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

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

For Rent—Cheap—New one room furnished cottage, with bath on quarter acre, good garden land. Laurel avenue and Second street. Address P. O. Box 1323. 43-1fc

For Sale or Rent—First class farm fully equipped. Fine buildings. Everything modern. Bargain. Box 144, Orlando, Fla. 43-9tc

Wanted—Plain or fashionable dresses to make. Satisfaction guaranteed. 206 E. Third St. 44-8tp

For Sale—White Leghorn, Barred Plymouth Rock chickens, White Pekin and Indian Runner ducks, English Penciled and American Fawn and White. By the pen, day old ducks and settings of eggs. Southern Oaks Poultry Farm, Enterprise, Fla., Volusia Co. 43-4tp

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

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

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

Room and board in private family for a lady. Inquire at Herald office. 44-2p

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Wanted—Orders for fine frost proof cabbage plants, all varieties, \$1.25 per 1,000; cheaper in larger lots. Satisfaction guaranteed. F. S. Cannon, Meggett's S. C. 31-34tc

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

For Rent—Store room and unfurnished room in Bishop block. Enquire Holden Real Estate Co. 45-1f

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UNDERWOOD STANDS PAT

Majority Leader Will Cut Tariff Straight

DUTY CUT ON BOOTS AND SHOES

Other Items of Interest in the World at Large By Telegraph

An unsuccessful fight to have house committee on ways and means retain the present tariff of 10 and 15 per cent ad valorem on boots and shoes occupied most of today's session. Chairman Underwood of the committee flatly told the gathering of representatives of the wholesale and retail shoe industries of the country that the tariff was now prohibitive; that there was no revenue, and that retention of the present rates was impossible. Questions of the committee indicated a sentiment favorable to a big drop in those rates.

The fame of Gen. Daniel Sickles as a soldier shouldn't deter New York state in its efforts to collect the \$23,476 unaccounted for by the general as chairman of the New York monuments commission. This is the view advanced by Attorney General Carmody in a letter today to Mrs. Helen D. Longstreet of Gainesville, Ga., widow of the Confederate general. In a telegram to Attorney General Carmody, Mrs. Longstreet offered to raise \$23,476 from "the ragged and maimed followers of Lee."

The peace negotiations, which reached a deadlock over the cession of Adrianople on January 6, were finally broken today by a note which the plenipotentiaries of the Balkan allies presented to Rechad Pasha, head of the Turkish delegation. Notwithstanding this rupture there still are optimists in the diplomatic world who hope a resumption of the war may yet be avoided either through fresh proposals that Turkey is reported to be including in the note she will deliver to the powers tomorrow or to the fall of Adrianople before activities can be begun again at the Tehatalja lines.

President-elect Wilson announced tonight that his conferences with prominent Democrats generally about "men and policies," which have been in progress ever since he returned from Bermuda, now were at an end. Henceforth, until March 4, he will devote practically his entire time to his duties as governor of New Jersey.

Fare to be Given Here Soon

The people of Sanford are fortunate in having an opportunity to witness "Engaged," the play recently given with such success by the Rollins School of Expression at Winter Park.

"Engaged" is written in the happiest vein of the famous playwright, W. S. Gilbert, who, with Arthur Sullivan, gave to the world "The Mikado," "Pinafore" and other well known productions. The scenes of "Engaged" are laid in the lowlands of Scotland and in London. The plot hinges around the old Scotch marriage law which held that if two persons accepted each other as husband and wife in the presence and hearing of a third party, it became a legal and binding marriage. The susceptible Cheviot Hill ignorant of this law, and proposing marriage to every girl he met, soon found himself in the worst of difficulties. Every act is replete with humorous situations and clever wit, and repartee sparkles in every line.

The play was one of the best given by the Rollins School of Expression in years and is sure to make a big hit in Sanford.

The play is to be given for the benefit of the High School Library and the Lend a Hand Club. Every citizen of Sanford should rally to the support of these two worthy causes; and should give to the visiting amateur company a full house and cordial welcome. "Engaged" will be given in the Auditorium of the Sanford High School, Tuesday evening, February 4th. Price of tickets, 50 c. The tickets are being sold by the Lend a Hand Club.

The New Smyrna Breeze says that M. Leidersorf has just put in ten acres of Irish potatoes and that there are more than a hundred acres in potatoes planted in that section this season with prospects good for a large yield.

FOR REV. E. D. BROWNLEE

Brilliant Reception Held at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Woodruff

One of the most brilliant and certainly one of the most successful social events of the mid-winter season was the reception held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Woodruff for the purpose of meeting the new minister, Rev. E. D. Brownlee of Atlanta, lately called to the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church of this city.

The Woodruff home never looked prettier than upon this occasion, the different rooms being done in different effects. In the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Woodruff, Rev. F. D. Hunt of Atlanta, Rev. J. F. McKinnon and Rev. Brownlee. The hostess wore a beautiful gown of Oriental tissue and in her usual gracious manner ushered the guests into the parlors.

The reception room was in yellow and green, the decorations being yellow nasturtiums and the clinging green vines and yellow and green tissue paper.

Delicious punch was served during the early part of the evening in the room most tastefully decorated in pink hyacinths and crepe paper hangings and here Mrs. Jay Beck and Mrs. R. J. Holly presided, their gowns of pink satin entraining blending with the decorations of the room. The punch bowl was most appropriately festooned by hanging bunches of ripe grapes.

The dining room was beautiful in red and green effect made by roses and asparagus fern and here Mrs. B. A. Howard in black crepe de chine and red roses served chicken salad, assisted by Mrs. F. L. Miller in tan silk. Mrs. C. H. Dungee in blue silk poured the coffee and the refreshments were served by the Misses Chappel, Davis, Purden, Connelly and C. H. Dungee, all attractively attired in red dresses.

The refreshments consisted of chicken salad, mayonnaise dressing, served on lettuce leaves, sultanas and coffee.

The evening was most pleasantly spent in the rooms and on the spacious porch and the lawn, and Rev. Hunt gave several of his inimitable dialect stories that are always a success. Ever he can be prevailed upon to give them. Several of the musicians present rendered selections on the piano and Miss Eleanor Herring gave several violin obligatos that were greatly enjoyed.

As the guests were ushered out and new ones were ushered in the scene was a kaleidoscope of bright colors, merriment and merry laughter interspersed by the quiet conversation of the guests who preferred to gather in the rooms.

The reception was from eight to ten but the hands of the clock pointed to twelve before the last guest departed and the ladies of the Presbyterian church had added another leaf to the social calendar and Rev. Brownlee had the feeling that instead of being in a strange land he had really come home and was in the house of his friends.

SELLS ANOTHER ORANGE GROVE

M. F. Robinson Cleans Up Another Small Profit

M. F. Robinson of this city is the original orange grove man when it comes to the selling end of game and having some of the finest groves in the state and a very low price on them never fails to part with a few during the winter season. His latest sale was a nice grove at Seffner sold last Wednesday and despite the fact that the property sold at a most reasonable price, Mr. Robinson cleaned the neat sum of \$1600 above cost price for his time and expense of looking after the grove. Mr. Robinson has a few groves left which he is disposing of at cost as he does not wish to carry them over for another season on account of the styles changing so often.

Publish Fine Booklet

The East Sanford Land League has recently issued a fine booklet entitled "Removal of the Thrift Family to Geneva," and the booklet is one of the finest expositions of Florida lands and resources that has been printed for some time. The book is embellished by fine half tone reproductions of natural scenes in the country around Geneva and also contains several fine views of Sanford and vicinity and is a source of general information regarding the lands, crops and other items that would interest a prospective homeseeker. The work was compiled by T. K. Bates and shows the results of his careful consideration of facts and figures.

BRYAN BUILDS BUNGALOW

Famous Statesman Will Become Floridian

MIAMI CHOSEN AS LOCATION

Other State Topics That May Interest Busy Herald Readers

Work will begin at once upon the construction of the new winter home of Hon. William Jennings Bryan. The contract was let today to Mr. Roy Swanson of Coconut Grove, the contract calling for completion by July 1. The contract price is not made public. The new home will be erected on Mr. Bryan's bay front estate on the bay front, near the famous punch bowl between Miami and Coconut Grove, which he bought a year ago and which he has been clearing during his two month's residence in this city. A sufficient space has been cleared on the bay front for the building of the magnificent home, the rest of the large acreage owned by Mr. Bryan, with the exception of the beautiful drives and walks which are being laid out, to be left in the native jungle state which, in the opinion of Mr. Bryan and hundreds of others who have visited the estate, could not be improved upon in regards to beauty. Miami Metropolis.

At the very moment that Deputy Sheriff Percy Bowden was serving a writ of attachment on his stock of goods and property in general yesterday afternoon at a little after 5 o'clock, W. E. Daughtry, a merchant of South Jacksonville, drank the contents of a carbonic acid bottle and was within the short space of half an hour a dead man. Daughtry was a man of about 55 years, a member of a prominent Georgia family of artebellum days, a former physician, and for the past four or five years an employee of the Union Lumber Company of that city.

The many friends of Senator Daniel U. Fletcher will be gratified to learn that he has been chosen as a member of the senate judiciary committee, one of the most important and desirable assignments in that august body. Only lawyers who are recognized as possessing exceptional ability are given service on this committee, and his selection is one of the highest compliments that could have been paid to our senior senator.

Preparatory plans are being made for the great Florida Sunday School Convention which will convene in Jacksonville, February 20 to 24. At this meeting the association will inaugurate its Forward Movement throughout the state. Shrove Durham, one of the finest Sunday school specialists in the country, has been secured for the month of February during which time he will travel through Florida in the interest of organized Sunday school work.

One of the biggest deals on record in phosphate lands has just been perfected in Polk county, the home of the pebble mining. On last Monday morning the Davison Chemical Company, of Baltimore, sent by telegraph to Mrs. Laura Swearingen, of Bartow, the neat sum of \$250,000 for the purchase of about 1250 acres of her lands near Chicora, which is in the southwestern corner of the county, near the line of Millsborough.

The Clearwater city council has wisely decided to pave with vitrified brick the streets of that growing town. They had advertised for bids for different kinds of paving material, and after opening all the bids and comparing them the decision mentioned was made.

The site has been selected for the new \$30,000 school building which is to be in Starke, and it is said to be an ideal one. The proposed building will be constructed of concrete or brick, and will be fire-proof, with all modern conveniences.

This afternoon the handsome new postoffice building, erected by J. I. Skipper, will be occupied for the first time by the postmaster and his corps of assistants, and the mail arriving on the afternoon and evening trains today and thereafter, will be handled from the new building.—Lakeland Telegram.

COCA-COLA CO. REORGANIZES

New Company Will Erect Fine New Buildings

The Coca-Cola Bottling Co. of this city will reorganize at once and have recently purchased the interests of Ed. Kummer of Palatka. The new company is now composed of the following members: S. Runge, President; E. Runge, Vice President and Joe DeMont, Secretary and Treasurer, and the company is capitalized at \$15,000. The present site of the Coca-Cola works has been purchased by the new company and a modern two-story, reinforced concrete building will be erected and will be equipped with all the latest and most modern machinery for the manufacture of syrups and soft drinks. Coca Cola will be the principal product although the company has made a reputation in other well known soft drinks.

The location is one of the finest in the city, at the intersection of First and Myrtle and on the tracks of the A. C. L., and in the warehouse district. S. Runge has the reputation of being the most progressive man in the entire southern territory and since his residence in Sanford has been identified with every movement for a greater Sanford and has built up a most profitable business in his line. In fact the Coca-Cola Co. has grown to such proportions that the new building and reorganization was made necessary.

Joe DeMont as secretary and treasurer, will be a valuable addition to the company, because he is a hustler and a fine young business man and has hundreds of friends all over Florida.

Their many friends throughout the south will be glad to hear of the success of the Sanford Coca-Cola Bottling Co. and their plans for the future.

Missionary Society Service

The Social Service department of the Missionary Society of the Methodist church, at their regular meeting, were entertained at the home of Mrs. W. E. Householder, Tuesday afternoon. A large attendance of the members and four visitors were present.

The devotional exercises and Bible study, the subject of which was the "Golden Rule," was conducted by Mrs. M. A. Mint, fourth vice president of the society, who has charge of the social service department.

"America's Social Problems" was the subject considered, with forefudful comment, by Mrs. Mint. Mrs. M. T. Gaines read an article on the "Sweat Shops," which was followed by an excellent temperance talk, by Mrs. A. E. Phillips. Two fine readings were given by Mrs. R. C. Maxwell. "The Two Roads," and "Entertaining the New Minister." A beautiful solo, sacred words to "Annie Laurie," was sung by Mrs. H. V. Perry, who accompanied herself on the guitar, after which the members were turned over to the hostess, who served a delicious orange tea, in little orange baskets, on a sprig of orange leaves in the plate, with cake, and pretty little heart valentines for souvenirs.

FOR THE PANAMA TRIP

Powell Has Had Over Two Hundred Applications

Secretary Powell of the board of trade has had more than 200 applications for place on the boat to Panama, this being the trip arranged for the benefit of the Florida Press Association. So far, because the boat has not been engaged, he has not closed any arrangements.

A. L. Allen is now in Key West interviewing the owners of the boat and on his return more definite information as to just what can be done will be at hand.

There is much enthusiasm over the proposed trip and one lady who applied to Mr. Powell for a place went so far as to send him \$50 as an earnest of good faith and to insure that a place would be reserved for her. The trip is primarily for the benefit of the Press association and when dates and definite information are at hand the members of the association will be given the first call for places. Mr. Powell hopes to have something definite to talk about soon.—Tampa Times.

The death of Hon. W. B. Hale, editor

of the DeSoto County News, and superintendent of public instruction of DeSoto county, which occurred at Jacksonville Saturday, strikes a chord of profound sorrow in the hearts of the newspaper men of the State, as well as among Floridians generally.

DEEP WATER FOR SMYRNA

Mosquito Inlet Harbor Subject For Discussion

BIG MEETING HERE LAST NIGHT

Subject Most Important to Interior Florida Brought Out Large Crowd

A meeting most interesting to all present occurred at the High School Auditorium last night and but for the fact that The Herald is compelled to go to press early to catch the county mails the entire proceedings would be given here. The meeting will be given space in Tuesday's issue. There is nothing that will be of more benefit to the interior and south Florida than the deepening of the bar at Mosquito Inlet and giving New Smyrna 20 or more feet of water for the passage of ocean going vessels, and this is the subject for the big meeting held last night. Strong delegations from Daytona, New Smyrna and other cities on the East Coast and many delegates from interior Florida were present. Several legislators from other counties and Senator Donegan and President Stanford of Kissimmee Board of Trade were also present.

The Organ Installation

The fine instrument is here and unloaded and workmen will soon have it erected, ready for use. The world-famous "Moller" organ will soon be heard in Sanford.

The new pipe organ which arrived a few days since is of this celebrated make. Workmen will soon have it erected, and then will be given one of the best and most interesting musical programs yet listened to here. A skillful solo organist will be engaged for the occasion, there will be piano, cornets and strings for orchestral rendition, and the beautiful voices of our home singers, in whose abilities we all take pride, will resound in one grand paean and triumphal jubilation. The coming event of dedicatory acclaim and felicitation is going to be one of the most soul-stirring and thrillingly enjoyable ever given in a town of this size. Date of same will soon be announced in The Herald.

Republican Appointments Shelved

Washington, D. C., Jan. 30.—By a tie vote the republicans of the senate today lost in their attempt to force another executive session to consider President's Taft's appointments. The democratic forces had a rollcall and prevented the senate from resuming the fight.

The fight in executive session over some 1,400 appointments President Taft has sent to the senate was continued for six hours yesterday afternoon and evening, and when adjournment was taken it was with understanding that the fight would be renewed with the convening of the senate today. The struggle was renewed as scheduled, but the democrats had out-manuevered their republican foes during the interim and were to secure a tie vote on the proposition to go into executive session.

Orange County Medicoes

The Orange County Medical Society held the sixth annual banquet at the San Juan Hotel Wednesday night. Physicians and surgeons attending were Drs. McElroy, Beardall, Porter, Pillans, Edwards, Christ, McEwan, Rush, Kilmer, and Pearson, of Orlando; Dr. Neal, Pubston and Miller, of Sanford; Dr. Marshall, Oviedo; Dr. Thomas, of Wilmington, N. C., was a guest. Dr. T. A. Neal, President, was toastmaster, and a fine time was had.—Orlando Citizen.

Episcopal Church

Services in the Church of the Holy Cross (Episcopal) on Sunday next, Feb. 2nd, will be as follows: Early Celebration 7 a. m., Sunday School 9:45 a. m., Sermon and Celebration 11 a. m., Evening Service with Sermon 7:00 p. m. The Rev. Arthur S. Peck, recently of Galenburgh, Ill., officiating.

All seats are free. The public generally and visitors to our city will be welcomed and shown to seats.

The schedule of services for Lent, beginning Ash Wednesday, Feb. 6th, will be announced later.

A bunch of New Smyrna boosters were here last night attending the deep water convention.