

ABOUT PEOPLE AND EVENTS

BEING A RESUME OF SANFORD HAPPENINGS UP-TO-DATE

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The Holiday Calendar

Christmas Afternoon:

Christmas Tree and exercises for the primary department at the Baptist Temple Christmas day, 3 o'clock.

Miss Frances Chappell's Christmas party for the younger set.

Boys' Band concert at the Baptist Temple.

Christmas celebration at the Congregational church Saturday afternoon at 7:30 o'clock.

Every Week Bridge Club will be the guests of Mrs. W. D. Holden at the Sanford House, Tuesday, Dec. 29.

Mrs. Brownlee's party to the Junior Endeavor Society at 3 o'clock. Social Department annual ball at the Sanford House in the evening. Mercer Glee Club at the Baptist Temple Wednesday, Dec. 30.

The It Suits Me Club will entertain. New Year's Eve: Eagles' annual masquerade ball.

Rev. Arthur Peck's reception, January 6th.

Congregational annual business meeting and informal reception.

Music Department entertainment at the Imperial.

Surprise Party

Miss Mamie Kate Wilham was the happy recipient of a delightful attention on Monday evening, when a number of her young friends gave her an old fashioned surprise "pound party." The young people gathered at the home of Miss Edna Williams and went in one jolly, gay crowd to the home of the honoree. It was a complete surprise and a mighty nice one for they carried such a lot of goodies the table fairly groined under the weight of them and there was so much fun playing games and romping. It was with reluctance the party disbanded and Mamie Kate declared she "wished surprises like that would happen every day."

Roberts-Buchanan

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Roberts, Miss Ethel Roberts and Mr. Earnest Buchanan were united in marriage by Rev. George Hyman Wednesday afternoon at half past two o'clock.

The house was attractively decorated in the Christmas colors, red and green; effectively carried out with red bells and quantities of bamboo, ferns, mistletoe and holly. Following the beautiful ring ceremony an informal reception was held. Refreshments were served in the dining room. The table was very lovely with its dainty appointments, centered by the handsome wedding cake iced in white and prettily decorated with red roses.

The bride was very attractive in her handsome going away gown of brown cloth, with which was worn a blouse of tan charmeuse and a black velvet sailor hat.

Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan left on the afternoon-train for Jacksonville and the East Coast for their wedding trip. Upon their return they will leave immediately for Waycross where they will reside.

Many beautiful presents testified to the popularity of the young people. Mrs. Buchanan is the attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Roberts. The groom is an employee of the A. C. L.

Out of town guests for the wedding were Miss Pearl Tillis of Green Cove Springs and Mr. Buchanan of Tampa, a brother of the groom.

For the Orphans

The Junior Epworth League of the Methodist Sunday school has been engaged in the commendable occupation of filling a box for the children of the Methodist Orphanage at Enterprise. Seventy little hearts will be gladdened and seventy pairs of eyes will sparkle Christmas morn when the contents of that box is distributed among them for there was a gift for every child in the home. It has been a happy, busy time for the little shoppers so joyfully engaged in this work of love and Christmas cheer. The box contains toys and useful articles. Other boxes will go over to the orphanage with fruits, candles and other good things for the Christmas feast.

Christmas Party

Miss Frances Chappell will be the charming hostess to about twenty-five girls and boys Christmas night at her home on Celery avenue. Guests are going out in the big holly wagon early in the evening and a jolly Christmas frolic will be enjoyed, for there is not a more popular home in Sanford than the Chappell home. The house is pret-

tily decorated for the occasion with all the lovely suggestions of the Christmas season. The inevitable Christmas tree in all the glory of tinsel and glitter and the much sought mistletoe will tempt the youthful guests to mirth and glee. The long dining room table in all the beauty of red and green and white will be spread in the spacious hall and laden with the good things that Christmas brings. A delightful time is planned but the program of the evening's events is being kept a secret until the fun begins.

Personal Mention

Mrs. George Hyman and children will leave Christmas afternoon for a ten days' visit to Mrs. Hyman's mother at Jasper, Fla.

Miss Jessie Roberts will arrive today from Wilmington, N. C., to spend Christmas with the home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Dickson of Longwood will spend Christmas with their son and daughters in Sanford.

Master Tom Kirk of Jacksonville arrived on Monday to spend the holidays with his aunt, Mrs. H. H. Chappell.

Mr. Buchanan of Tampa came up on Tuesday for the Roberts-Buchanan wedding. He returned to Tampa Wednesday night.

Mr. Robert Bly motored over from DeLand Tuesday and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Chappell at their home on Celery avenue.

Miss Margaret Worsham of Augusta, Ga., is the charming and attractive guest of her sister, Mrs. S. E. Barrett. She will spend the Christmas vacation in Sanford.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Carpenter of Jacksonville will be the Christmas guests of their sister, Mrs. Forrest Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Bachus of New York are guests of the Sanford House.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Thigpen of Florence, S. C., are registered at the Sanford House.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Marlow have returned from several days spent pleasantly in Jacksonville.

Miss Annie Hawkins spent the day pleasantly Monday with friends at Ovido.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Lovell of Plant City are the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Lovell for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Locke have returned from a short visit to Jacksonville.

Miss Elva Watson is the attractive guest of her brother, Mr. George Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Allen of Crescent City are the holiday guests of Mrs. W. P. Fields.

Miss Pearl Tillis of Green Cove Springs is the guest of Mrs. J. C. Roberts for the holidays.

Mrs. Sid Carraway and children of Ft. Ogden are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Betts.

Mr. and Mrs. James Butler of Connersville, Pa., are the guests of Mrs. W. A. Van Buskirk.

Mr. and Mrs. Cheeky of Augusta, Ga., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Shelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Bandy returned from a short visit to Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Betts of Woodbury, Ga., are the holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Betts.

Mrs. R. A. Terheun will leave tomorrow for a week's visit to her old home at Savannah, Ga. She will be the guest of her brother, Mr. Arthur J. Smith.

Miss Edith Stewart will leave tomorrow to visit her sister, Mrs. Chapman at Plant City. Before returning to Sanford she will attend the teachers' convention at Kissimmee.

Dr. Elizabeth Hooper of Port Huron, Mich., spurns medical ex-

aminer for the Ladies of the Macabees, who has been the interesting guest of Mrs. J. K. Johnson left Wednesday for Kansas City, Mo.

Mr. and Miss Wilkinson will motor over from Daytona to spend Christmas day with Mrs. Cecil Butt.

Mrs. Chapman's four children are the guests of their grandmother, Mrs. M. M. Stewart. They will return to their home at Plant City, Tuesday.

Mercer Glee Club Here

Sanford citizens will have the opportunity of hearing the Mercer University Glee Club from Macon, Ga., in a song and musical recital next Tuesday night, December 29. Rev. George Hyman, pastor of the Baptist church is a graduate of the Georgia College and is promoting the program that is to be given by the young men from his alma mater.

The young men from Mercer will give a program replete with glee club numbers. While for the most part they aim to give a program of high class singing they do not make it entirely of the classical standard. The program will be varied. The young collegians have notified Mr. Hyman that they have prepared a special series of selections for their trip.

In coming to Florida the Mercer boys come into a territory seldom covered by a Georgia glee club. Particularly is this the first time that Mercer has ever been to Florida and Sanford people are fortunate in having them here. In particularly all of the Florida towns and cities are to be found Mercer alumni and the glee club boys will be accorded a royal entertainment wherever they go on their trip.

Especially will they be given a big time while in Sanford. The young men will be entertained in the homes of Sanford people. While here they will be taken on automobile trips and given a glimpse of the country surrounding Sanford. This is a splendid opportunity for Sanford people to advertise this section of Florida as the glee club members are young men from all corners of Georgia and it would be a great thing to have them go back to their respective homes and tell of the cordial treatment given them in the "Gator" state.

Sanford will be among the Florida towns that the Mercer boys will visit while on their two weeks' trip. They will go to Kissimmee Wednesday night and to Bartow, Tampa, Lakeland, Plant City and other towns.

They will be in charge of Prof. G. L. Carver, head of the Biological Department of the University. Mr. Carver is president and director of the club. It was through his influence that the organization was started seven years ago. He had been a member of the glee club of the University of Michigan and having had considerable experience was very desirous to see a similar club at Mercer.

Of course there will be some rag on the program but not as much as you might think and not so "Rag-gished" as you might see at a regular vaudeville show. There will be round of the rah, rah, rah yells for the young fellows will surely be feeling like giving vent to the pent up energy which they have doubtless accumulated during the fall term. It is going to be a rollicking good program and all Sanford should turn out and give them a hearty send off.

The personnel of the club is as follows:

B. M. Williams, Macon; S. B. Jordan, of Godfrey, Ga.; G. L. Carver (director); W. L. McClesky, Hartwell, Ga.; H. P. Fleming (manager), Carrollton; Peyton Jones, Macon; R. L. Cowart, Collins; W. B. Beddingfield, Wrightsville, Ga.; Paul Wheeler, Winder, Ga.; N. V. Hawthorne, Plant City, Fla.; E. M. Crawford, Columbus, Ga.; C. G. Duncan, Macon, Ga.; C. G. Campbell, Bowersville, Ga.; C. H. King, Carrollton, Ga.; and D. M. Abrams, Macon.

Turn It Around

A number of Kissimmee pastors have gotten together and realouted in favor of a "real family newspaper calculated to aid in the promotion of all things that tend to the up-building of home and good citizenship." In doing so they specify some of the things that, in their minds, are calculated to make it a real family paper. It must not issue a Sunday paper; it must not insert liquor advertising; it must not print Pastor Russell's sermons.

We are to presume, then, that a paper which does not issue a Sunday edition, which does not print liquor advertisements and does not print Pastor Russell's sermons will come up to specifications and be acceptable to the Kissimmee pastors as a real family paper.

They say nothing about the paper which refuses liquor advertising, but delights in giving the fullest accounts of every religious scandal in all their disgusting details. That according

to the Kissimmee pastors and some local narrow minds constitutes a real family newspaper.

They say nothing about a paper issued on Monday morning, although when it comes down to facts, more of the work for that edition is done on Sunday than is done for the Sunday morning paper.

Evidently Pastor Russell is getting on the nerves and under the skin of the brethren in Kissimmee. They evidently do not want opposition and competition and any such opposition published in a newspaper places that paper outside of the pale of real family newspapers.

It would be interesting to know just where a newspaper would get its revenue if it attempted to follow the idea of the Kissimmee pastor. A newspaper is published for all classes. It knows and it cannot know any difference among its readers. It must furnish the news of the world to all people. Otherwise it is not a newspaper, family or otherwise. Even the Kissimmee pastors would not subscribe to a daily newspaper conducted on the lines they propose.

Supposing, however, that newspaper associations turn around and demand that pupils hereafter be filled only by men who are consecrated and follow the commission which sends them to teach and to preach to men; suppose that the newspapers demand that only broad-minded men of culture be employed as preachers; suppose that newspapers demand that ministers invariably be moral, upright, honest, consistent men and that they invariably and without fail aid in all things that tend to the upbuilding of home and good citizenship; suppose that the newspapers should say to the pastors what they should preach and what they should teach and how they should teach it—can't it be supposed that newspapers would be thought to be highly impertinent, and wouldn't the ministers be highly indignant? Miami Herald

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A SCENE FROM "THE SHEPHERD OF THE HILLS" IMPERIAL THEATER, DECEMBER 30th

THE COUNTY FAIR IS PROGRESSING

HEALTH EXHIBIT WILL BE A FEATURE OF THE OCCASION

Mr. Henry B. Marks, director general for the Seminole County Fair, which will be held in the beautiful city of Sanford Feb. 3, 4, 5 and 6, has never seen a city which he had been given such unanimous support that has been extended to him from the community of Seminole county and the city of Sanford. Practically every business man and many not interested in any business have put their shoulder to the wheel and arduously...

Since the ladies have been invited to take part in the Seminole County Fair they have also gone to work with a will. Mrs. J. W. Dickins, chairman and also president of the Woman's Club of Sanford says that through its various departments they expect to have one of the very interesting exhibits and hopes to give an effective showing of the work it is doing. A special effort has been made and sanctioned to give a health exhibit that will be of general interest and has been secured, as the following letter from Dr. Joseph Y. Porter explains.

Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. 26, 1914. Mr. Henry B. Marks, Sanford, Fla.: My Dear Sir: I am in receipt of your letter of Dec. 24th and in compliance with your request will make all necessary arrangements for shipment of our exhibit to Sanford for display during the Seminole County Fair on February 3, 4, 5, 6 of next year.

The exhibit material will be furnished without cost and transportation charges will be paid by this office, but it will be necessary for you to furnish space, lights and the services of one man to assist our representative in the installation of the exhibit.

The complete exhibit will require for proper display about seventy linear feet of wall space and at least two hundred square feet of floor space, though if necessary it may be crowded into a slightly smaller space.

Kindly let me hear from you definitely at your earliest convenience. Very truly yours, JOSEPH Y. PORTER, State Health Officer.

A letter is in the hands of this committee from Mr. William A. McCabe, commissioner Department of Agriculture, promising his support, and if possible to give lectures will do so; also Professor P. H. Rolfs, director of the Experiment Station, Gainesville has been asked to give his cooperation and is expected to attend or send one of the Professors to give lectures at the Fair.

The foreign exhibits are coming in nicely and much good is expected to be derived from them. The Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. also the New York Life Insurance Co. were among the first to apply for space. These companies furnish a booth in the nature of a rest room, with an attendant in charge, also a trained nurse and is very instructive and interesting.

These are just a few of the things to be undertaken so "Let every encouragement, moral and material be given to this venture, which will not only serve to advertise Seminole county far and wide as the best county of its inches in the state of Florida."

A Musical Treat

The Music Department of the Woman's Club announce the musical treat of the season on January 6th at the Imperial Theatre. The program will include a Japanese girl and an Indian girl in native costume who will sing native songs. The modern dances will also be given by several well known artists and the entire program will be large and varied enough to please the audience. Further announcements will be given through the press and the music lovers of the city should remember the date, January 6th or just one week from tomorrow and the place will be the Imperial Theatre.

The Eagles dance on New Year's Eve at Eagles Hall will be one of the events of the season. Come and enjoy yourself.

Big Attraction Coming

"The woods and the hills are a part of God's handiwork. From this play you may, in some measure feel their influence. My play is the story of a man who took the trail that leads to the lower ground, and a woman, and how she found her way to the higher sunlit fields."

These are Harold Bell Wright's preliminary remarks regarding his dramatization of his celebrated novel, "The Shepherd of the Hills," for its second annual engagement.

He has written a story of rough times in the Ozarks, days before the coming of the railroad, the period of bushings, house raisings, rough and ready settlement of disputes with the lists, laborious farming, highway robberies and so on. It is a "red blood" virile play, yet one that has a deep message. It is filled with unique characters and incidents. The play was made has held the record for five years at the leading "best seller," is ample proof that it is what the public wants, and the play has proven to be one of the most successful dramatic offerings last season.

Advance sale at Phillips drug store.

CONGRESS MEETS TODAY FOR SESSION

THE SHORT HOLIDAY REST GIVES STATESMEN MORE BREATH

Washington, Dec. 29.—Senators and Representatives are assembling here today getting ready for the session after the short recess. With their return evidences of activity begin to appear on both sides of the capitol and Democratic leaders are still determined to expedite the passage of all necessary legislation so as to avoid an extra session after Mar. 4th.

Practically all of the real work of the session is yet to be accomplished. On the house side rapid progress has begun to be made in clearing up appropriation bills and a few general measures, but in the senate in addition to the supply measure the entire administration legislative program remains to be disposed of. There the immigration bill is the unfinished business with prospects of a continuation of the fight against the measure because of the literary test provision.

President Wilson's approval of the literary test and Senator Logan of Illinois has announced his intention to offer an amendment to strike out the provision altogether. Democratic and Republican senators alike who favor the measure believe that if such an amendment were adopted it would cause the defeat of the bill. The supply measures have the right of way, and it is believed that the immigration measure will be displayed by the District of Columbia appropriation bill.

In the house, it is not believed that much progress will be made during the week because of prospects of a lack of a quorum until after New Year's Day. The post-office appropriation bill is pending with general debate on it completed and it now awaits rating for amendment. With this measure disposed of, the Indian, the legislative, executive and judicial and the rivers and harbors bill will be taken up.

The agricultural appropriation bill carrying \$22,627,712, already has been completed. Tomorrow the sub-committee of the house naval affairs committee will again consider the naval appropriation bill. Later it will be considered by the full committee.

Family Gathering

Capt. and Mrs. M. W. Lovell had a family gathering at their home on Christmas Day, all the children being present except Walter who is railroading in the west. A fine Christmas dinner was enjoyed and the family took pleasure in being once more gathered beneath the parental roof tree. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Lovell of Plant City, Vail Lovell of Atlanta, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Lovell of this city and Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Marlowe of this city and Master Lovell and little Dorothy Rose Lovell.

Thanks

We wish to thank all the kind friends who remembered the post-office employees so generously with Christmas cheer.

THE POSTMASTER.

SEMINOLE LADIES' OPPORTUNITY

GRAND TRIP TO THE GASPARILLA CARNIVAL WITH EXPENSES PAID

Through an arrangement made with the Gasparilla Carnival Association, composed of the leading business and society men of Tampa, The Herald is enabled to inaugurate an interesting contest by which the young ladies of Seminole county will have the opportunity to represent the county, free of all expense, at Tampa during the next Gasparilla Carnival, the dates of which are February 12 to 16, inclusive. Railroad and hotel fares, and all other expenses will be paid by the Gasparilla and the successful young lady will have the honor of being placed, with eleven other young ladies of the different counties upon the most beautiful float to be seen in the Gasparilla parade, one devoted to a display of the various products of South Florida. She will also have every attention shown her during the five days of festivity in Tampa.

In order to secure funds with which to advertise the carnival and south Florida in the leading newspapers of the state and nation the Carnival Association has placed on sale thousands of electro gold plated cups with the Paris prize medal of Gasparilla on the top and the seal of the city of Tampa on the other. These are being sold in the twelve south Florida counties to the citizens and tourist visitors and the young lady selling the largest number of cups in each county will have the honor of representing that county during the Carnival, which will rival the New Orleans and Mobile Mardi Gras celebrations in brilliancy and be the greatest social event of Florida's history. Those desiring to enter the contest for Seminole county are requested to call on the editor of The Herald at once for instructions and coupon sale.

The Hillsborough County Board of County Commissioners, the Tampa Board of Trade and Tampa Real Estate Board are also preparing for an exhibit of South Florida products on the court house square at Tampa, which will be free of all expense, and give an excellent opportunity to Washington the resources of the southern states to tourist visitors, who are expected to visit Tampa during the celebration.

The float and the free exhibit will give Seminole county an excellent opportunity to advertise with little expense, and The Herald hopes that the young ladies of the county will immediately enter the interesting contest.

Call at The Herald office at once and get into the contest early.

Masonic Lodge of Sorrow

One of the most beautiful ceremonies ever witnessed by a Sanford audience was that of the Masonic Lodge of Sorrows given by the Sanford Lodge on Sunday afternoon in the lodge rooms. The ceremony was witnessed by Masons and their families only on account of the limited capacity of the hall.

The hall was fittingly draped for the occasion using crape in profusion, and a cataphaque in black being a ranged in the center of the hall covered by a black canopy.

The regular ceremony was carried out in its entirety by the officers of the lodge. Mr. A. C. Martin, one of the first Masters of the lodge was present and made a short interesting address that was thoroughly enjoyed.

It is expected that the Lodge of Sorrow will be made an annual event in the future, although this is the first time it has been carried out by the Sanford Lodge.

Those taking part in the ceremony were: F. L. Miller, W. M. C. J. Rumph, Senior Warden; S. G. K. nedy, Junior Warden; O. J. Miller, Senior Deacon; D. D. Caldwell, Junior Deacon; J. F. Karnatz, Senior Steward; Harry Pilkington, Junior Steward; F. P. Forster, Chaplain; Ed. Biggers, Tyler; L. P. McCuller and R. A. Newman, Ushers; W. A. Parr, J. Mussen, Felix Frank and W. T. Wheelless, Guards.

Those furnishing the music were: Mrs. Claude Herndon, organist; Messdames Morgan, Mettinger and Fox, Messrs. Becker and Harold.

HOUGH IS GUILTY OPINION OF JURY

THE FAMOUS LAKE COUNTY CASE HAS ENDED AT LAST

Ocala, Dec. 25 (Special).—After ten days' legal battle by some of the ablest attorneys in Florida, the Hough murder case, which has now become famous and which has been tried for the fourth time went to the jury last night at 9:12 o'clock. At 11 o'clock the jury had not reached a decision, so were locked up for the night. When court re-convened this (Christmas) morning the jury brought in a verdict of murder in the first degree with recommendation to the mercy of the court.

The case has become one of the causes celebre in Florida, because the prisoner had three times previously been placed upon trial for his life and on each occasion a mistrial has resulted, because its jurors were unable to either agree on the guilt or innocence of the accused.

On July 1, 1912, Albert V. Hough, the accused, and his young wife, Rosa, with their five children, were residing in the village of Clermont, in Lake county. While Mrs. Hough was sitting at the sewing machine the husband and father approached from the rear and fired five shots in the body of his wife resulting in her immediate death.

For several weeks prior to the unfortunate tragedy Mr. Hough had been frequently indulging in liquors.

Mr. Hough gave him to understand she could no longer put up with his drinking to excess. The day of the homicide they did not eat breakfast nor dinner together, some unpleasant words having been passed between them.

The prosecution contended that upon learning that his wife would no longer put up with his drunken spree Hough became enraged and resolved to kill her. Immediately after the killing Hough was arrested and confined in the Lake county jail at Tavares, from whence he was removed to the Marion county jail, Ocala to avert a threatened lynching.

When the case came on for trial the case was referred to Citrus county on motion of the defendant's attorneys, because it was alleged that he could not secure a fair trial in Lake county on account of the knowledge of the people in that county.

The case was tried three times in Citrus county resulting in three mistrials. The list of citizens of Citrus county available for jury duty having been exhausted at the three trials mentioned, the case was referred to Marion county for the fourth trial by Judge W. S. Bullock of this circuit.

The defendant through his relatives and attorneys has made a desperate fight for his liberty. Every stone has been turned to bring about his acquittal and every art of the legal profession has been brought into play on his behalf, and everything that money and brains could do for a man situated as Mr. Hough was situated was done for him.

It is claimed at the trial by the home-bred Hough was insane and because of mental derangement was not legally responsible for his act in killing his wife. To support this plea the history of the Hough family for generations, anW the personal history of Albert V. Hough himself has been fine-combed and every fact or circumstance of an unusual character has been laid before the jury as evidence to show that Mr. Hough was insane.

To support the defendant's plea four physicians and alienists of prominence and reputation were brought forward. All swearing that, in their opinion, the accused was insane at the time he killed his wife.

Through the several trials of the case in Lake and Citrus counties the state relied upon Dr. Ralph I. Green, chief physician of the Florida Insane Asylum, who testified that Hough is sane.

The state also put up Dr. H. F. Watt of this city and on the stand, who in all important particulars corroborated the statements of Dr. Green.

The defense was represented by Cary D. Landis of DeLand, formerly state attorney for the Seventh District and Hon. Raymond B. Bullock of this city. The state was represented by Hon.

John P. Stokes of Pensacola, state attorney for the First Circuit, and Hon. Edwin W. Davis of Orlando, formerly of this city and a former state attorney for this circuit.

Library is Moving

The Sanford Library is being moved today from the building in the Imperial Theatre to the Allied Club building on Oak avenue, where the Woman's Club and the Library will share the same building. They will give the Library more room and it is hoped that the donations of books will increase this year and in the new building the Sanford Library will become the large institution that its good work has insured. The Library is one of our best institutions and all that the Library lacked in the past has been the room for books and tables and for the readers to enjoy a quiet hour each day.

Masons, Attention!

Installation of officers will be held at 8 p. m. Thursday, Dec. 31. Please note change in the hour. All Blue Lodge Masons report at the hall at the above hour. By order of W. M. O. L. TAYLOR, Secretary.

COLDEST WAVE OF THE SEASON

MANY RECORDS BROKEN ALL OVER THE COUNTRY YESTERDAY

Washington, Dec. 28.—The cold wave that crippled the country today, causing record breaking temperatures at many places from the Mississippi river to the Atlantic coast was moderating tonight and gradually rising temperatures were predicted for tomorrow.

The weather was predicted, with the exception of snow flurries in the Great Lake states and rain in Florida.

The lowest temperature reported within the United States today was 32 degrees below zero at Northfield, Vermont.

Winter had seized the country east of the Mississippi river today, setting new cold weather records for December in many places and driving temperatures below zero in New England including New York, West Virginia, Michigan, Kansas, North Carolina, Missouri, Iowa, Wisconsin, Minnesota and North Dakota. The Florida peninsula was practically the only region east of the great valley that escaped the extreme cold. The Florida hardly noticed the change in temperature, as the thermometer did not fall as fast as the weather report predicted.

Yowell Succeeds Sears

Kissimmee, Dec. 29.—D. E. Yowell received 202 votes of the 358 votes cast in the first precinct at the Democratic primary held in Kissimmee to nominate a man to fill the unexpired term of W. J. Sears as superintendent of public instruction for Osceola county. This precinct includes Kissimmee and is the largest in the county. He led all other precincts also except the fourth where J. W. Prentiss polled the largest vote. While this is not the official count, the many friends of Mr. Yowell are confident that he will be appointed to the position.

Prisoners are Grateful

Sanford, Fla., Dec. 26, 1914. Dear Editor—Please give space in your paper for a card of thanks that the prisoners of Seminole County jail would be glad to give to the high sheriff, Mr. C. M. Hand, who furnished on Christmas day a crate filled with soda water, and Mr. L. C. Williamson, the jailor also gave to the prisoners a large quantity of fruit and nuts, which he is one of the best there is in Florida. All of the prisoners are very proud of the high sheriff of Seminole County, Mr. C. M. Hand, his deputy, Mr. W. C. Williamson and his jailor, who have all men to care for all classes of men, yet his patience never seems worried.

But there is one thing I am sorry to say, that of all the preachers of the town of Sanford of both races not one has been to the county jail in the last eight months to speak a word of encouragement. I would like the preachers of Sanford would read St. Matthew 25th chapter. Yours for the right, CHARLIE P. RHODES.

CALL OF THE SOUTH BRINGS TOURISTS

EVERY BLIZZARD THAT SWEEPS THE NORTH ADDS TO THE LIST

"The Call of the South to the Winter Tourist" is clearly set forth in an article in a recent issue of the Manufacturer's Record. Aside from comparing the season as it is in the north and west, and the winters here; where there is no snow and little cold, it points out the way in which many of the tourists become heavy investors in the state. This shows, on its face, that the natural resources of the state are easily recognizable. The article from the Manufacturer's Record is as follows:

"Every blizzard that sweeps across the plains of the west or stalls railroad trains in the snow blockades of New England and Colorado whistles with its driving fury: 'Go South.' Every orange tree, every grapefruit grove, every pine of the south as it sends forth its perfume, every mocking bird that sings its love song—sends forth a call: 'Come South.' The ever swelling chorus is heard by an ever increasing audience. With one ear they listen to the roar of the wintry blast and shiver as the biting cold touches every weak spot, with the other ear they catch the music of all nature as it sings a song of joy into the buoyancy of the youth that comes from drinking in the southern air, more life giving than the famed spring for which Prince de Lasa searched in vain. He found not that for which he looked because he realized not that the very air he breathed was the youth perpetuating fountain of eternal joy to generation after generation.

"As the men and women of the north and west look out upon the ice bound regions where life is hard and suffering for many months severe, their thoughts turn longingly to that other picture where outdoor life is possible amid the tall rock-ribbed pines, with their waving plumes, and their life invigorating odor, or in orange groves whose budding blossoms fill the air with their sweet perfume as they charm the eye with their beauty while the rich yellow fruit still burdens the tree, and to them there comes an irresistible desire to start on the southward journey. Some prefer the glorious mountains of the Carolina or the towering air of the sand hill region of these states and Georgia. Some select the Land of Flowers, where to the true lover of nature 'every prospect pleases,' because it is so unlike anything seen elsewhere; some love the charms of the Gulf coast of Alabama and Mississippi and Louisiana and Texas; some think that quaint old ever pictures the pleasure-loving New Orleans has no superior; some think that far in Texas is to be found attractions nowhere surpassed. It matters not where they go in this favored land, so long as they come south and find all their anticipations realized. Their coming is a blessing to them and to the nation, as well as to the south. Through this intermingling of people from all sections comes a closer acquaintanceship, a broader national spirit and a keener realization of the oneness of the whole land, where no arbitrary lines divide differing nationalities one from the other as in war-cursed Europe. As the south is the nation's greatest asset when measured by its limitless resources for national enrichment, so this winter tourist business is one of the south's greatest assets, from whatever viewpoint it may be studied. The splendid resort hotels that add to the wealth of the whole south are made possible only by this winter tide of travel. The thousands thus employed and the great home market thus created, the vast railroad traffic connected with this business are but a very small part of the value of the tourist to the south. The tourist is more than a mere traveler for health or pleasure, more than a liberal money spender. He is a country upbuilder. Henry M. Flagler was a tourist and because of that fact he finally spent more than \$50,000,000 in Florida. Few others could spend so much, but thousands have in the aggregate spent many times as much. Splendid winter homes, beautiful grounds, active work of upbuilding, heavy investments in a wide variety of enterprises are a few of the easily seen evidences that have marked the trail of the tourist army wherever it has marched through the land."

DECISION ON SEMINOLE OFFICERS

LENGTH OF TERM OF OFFICE HAS BEEN DECIDED BY THE SUPREME COURT

A. H. ROBERTS, IN DIXIE

An important construction of the constitution was made by the justices of the state supreme court in their advisory opinion to the Governor, under date of 17th inst.

By act of the legislature of 1913, the county of Seminole was created out of the northern portion of Orange county, and officers were appointed by the Governor in pursuance to such act, to serve until their successors chosen at the next succeeding general election, which happened to be the "off-year" election held November 3, 1914, should qualify. The county judge having died in office, his successor was nominated and elected last month to the position.

The question then arose, whether the newly elected county judge had been elected for four years, or for the ensuing two years only. Sec. 16 of Art. V of the state constitution provides that "There shall be in each county a county judge who shall be elected by the qualified electors of said county at the time and places as provided by other county officers and shall hold office for four years. His compensation shall be provided by law." On the other hand, Sec. 35 of Art. V of the constitution provides that "When the office of any judge shall become vacant from any cause, the successor to fill such vacancy shall be appointed or elected only for the unexpired term of the judge, whose death, resignation, retirement or other cause created such vacancy."

Though believing that the gentleman elected as county judge in Seminole county at the late general election should be commissioned for only two years, the Governor deemed it advisable to ask the opinion of the supreme court justices upon the subject, which he did in writing on the 14th inst., receiving the following written opinion three days later:

In the Supreme Court of Florida June Term, A. D. 1914. Tallahassee, Fla., Dec. 17, 1914. To His Excellency, Park Trammell, Governor of Florida:

Sir: Your communication requesting an opinion as to the term for which a commission should be issued by you to one who was elected county judge in Seminole county at the general election held in November, 1914, has been duly considered.

In providing that a county judge shall be elected in each county for a term of four years, that the first election for county judge shall be at the general election in 1888, that, unless otherwise provided the terms of office of all county officers shall commence on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January after their election, and that when the office of any judge shall become vacant from any cause, the successor to fill such vacancy shall be appointed or elected only for the unexpired term, the organic law prescribes a

term of four years for the office of county judge of each county beginning with the election in 1888 and the qualification under such election the following January. Thus the terms of the office end in January 1893, 1897, 1901, 1905, 1909, 1913, 1917, etc. Where a new county is organized by law during a term of four years as prescribed the office of county judge exists in the county by virtue of the constitution, and the appointment or election to the office of county judge in such new county should be for the proper portion of the current term and not for a period that extends into another term. Seminole county was formed from a portion of Orange county, and if the county judge of Seminole county may be regarded as being, in the territory now forming Seminole county, a successor to the county judge of Orange county, the term to be filled coincides with the term in Orange county which expires in January, 1917. See *Jameson v. Hudson*, 82 Va. 279. Seminole county was organized under Chapt. 6511, Acts of 1913, and an appointment to the office of county judge in such new county in 1913, under Sec. 6 of Art. XVIII of the constitution would properly be until the qualification of a successor at the ensuing general election in 1914, and an election in 1914 to such office is under Sec. 33 of Art. V, and Sec. 7 of Art. XVIII, for the unexpired term ending January, 1917.

You are therefore advised that a commission issued to a person elected county judge of Seminole county at the general election in 1914, should be for the remainder of the term that ends in January, 1917.

Very respectfully,

T. M. Shackelford, R. F. Taylor, R. S. Cokerell, W. A. Hoeker, J. B. Whitfield, Justices Supreme Court.

That the question decided by the court in this advisory opinion is an unusual one, is indicated by the fact that only one case is cited as a precedent by the justices in their communication to the Governor.

WINTER GARDEN NOTES

Mrs. Winthrop Treadwell of Sanford is a guest of her father, Wm. Dann.

Hon. Hamil E. Tolar of Sanford was a visitor in town this week looking for some famous South Lake Apopka grapefruit to send to his discriminating friends, for whom he says the best is none too good.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurley of Sanford are visiting Mrs. John Baker.

Mrs. Wessener of Sanford visited Mrs. Odum Monday. She returned home Tuesday. Mrs. Odum going with her. Times.

Upward. Make each day a critic on the mat—Pope.

DAMAGED BUILDING IN ANTWERP.



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COUNTY HAPPENINGS

GRAPEVILLE AND UPSALA

F. M. Parker has returned to Sanford to visit his children through the holidays.

Miss Signa and Olga Vihlen were called on Edna Thompson and Laura Parker Wednesday night.

Little Eric Lundquist has the mumps now, the poor child is just getting over the grippe.

Mr. Henry Lundquist received a box of beautiful apples from Tennessee as one of his Christmas presents.

Mother Bertleson was suddenly called to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Karl in DeLand last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson have both been so sick they had to call Dr. Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. Vihlen are expecting their relatives, Miss Edna and Austin Critchley from Fort Pierce to spend Christmas.

Mrs. Della Robinson and daughter, Willie are working in Mr. Warman's racket store during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Clark are expecting their daughter, Florence and child from Connecticut today for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Evans have returned home from a week's visit at his mother's at Lake Mary.

War News Summary

Comparative quiet prevails in the western theatre of war. In Flanders the annoying has been intermittent, but in the Argonne region and Alsace there have been attacks and counter attacks with no material progress on either side.

French aviators in the way of a reply to the dropping of bombs on Nancy by the Germans, flew over the aviator hangars of Frescar, one of the railroad stations of Metz, throwing down bombs in their flight.

Notwithstanding the fact that a recent official statement announced that the Germans had ceased their attacks on the Bura river, in Russia Poland, latest advices from Berlin indicate that they still are advancing in that region. Petrograd asserts, however, that along the Bzura and Rawka rivers the fighting of late has been confined to artillery.

The Austrians in Galacia, the Russian general staff asserts, have been driven back in the neighborhood of Tarnow, where many prisoners were taken. The Austrians are reported to have retreated in disorder. They are also said to have been forced back from the line running from Zmigrod to Dukla, in the Carpathians with enormous losses, including ten thousand prisoners.

The British raid on the German coast with seaplanes apparently netted small results. Four of the aeroplanes were lost and one British officer is thought to have been drowned. The attack brought about a uniface engagement in which submarines, cruisers, seaplanes, destroyers, aeroplanes and Zeppelins took part.

With the return to Paris January 7th of the ministry of war from Bordeaux all branches of the French government again will have their headquarters in Paris.

Italy has ordered the cruiser Calabria at Beirut, Syria, to render any necessary aid to the American cruiser, North Carolina should there be further demonstrations against the departure of Europeans from Turkish territory.

Russia has officially denied the report that she has ceded half of the island of Sakhalin to Japan.

Emperor Nicholas is with the Russian army at the front.

A regiment of Italian sharpshooters are on their way to Avlona, Albania, to relieve the sailors landed there last week to put down disorder. None of the powers have protested against Italy's occupation of Avlona.

Turkey is said to be reinforcing her troops defending the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus with soldiers and artillery from the Adriatic garrison.

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The starting of the new year and the practice which still obtains with some good old fashioned people at such a time, of taking a sort of moral inventory provides an excellent occasion for all good Floridians to see what they can and should do for the general welfare of the state.

The world—the great outside, busy world begins with our next door neighbor and for most of us it does not reach very far beyond him. Each of us actually comes in personal contact with very few others. Our influence is narrow and the real good we do helps only a few. We love to think that we are doing big things, are making the whole world better but we don't, we can't reach the whole world. Wehn we die a or score of others weep; a hundred perhaps are sorry and the rest don't care because they don't know our worth and work.

The path to big things, to large results, lies through faithfulness in little ones, through the improvement of little opportunities that are so near to us that we don't see them. Few men or women, compared with the great masses of mankind are given big opportunities, but each of us may accomplish something worth while, if we use the smaller chances close at hand.

Floridians are lovers of their state, they are proud of it, of its past and of what is to come. But most of them are neglectful of the opportunity to foster its greatest asset—health. Nature has done as much—perhaps more for Florida than for any other commonwealth in the nation in this direction. This state should have the lowest death rate and the minimum of disease among its resident population of all the states in the Union, but there is serious doubt if such is the fact, and it's due to the people themselves. The whole body cannot be strong if any part is weak. Florida as a community cannot be healthful if its citizens, individually and collectively do not work for it earnestly and constantly. And here comes in the matter of individual responsibility.

If your backyard is filthy it is a menace to your neighbor, as well as to yourself. Your unscrupen'd earth closet is a source of danger to all about you. Your attack of malaria or of typhoid or of tuberculosis threatens his safety. In a majority of cases any preventable disease overtakes you because you let it. But if you are its victim, it is a duty you owe to the entire community to stop the spread of the contagion.

Keep your premises clean, the back yard as well as the front. Screen the earth closet, keep the drains clean—screen your house against flies and mosquitoes, the carriers of contagion. These are all moral obligations for they protect your health, and it is a moral obligation to avoid infection and disease. Your infection is an offense against your neighbor.

The ideal community is the one in which the welfare of all is the especial care of each.

Florida's Board of Health has been working for more than a quarter of a century to make the state a better place to live in. It has accomplished splendid results in the management of preventable diseases, and in many other directions. It is working in these later years for better sanitary conditions, for the enlightenment of the citizens in ways in which they may help themselves, showing how to avoid disease, educating them to higher standards of living. It asks that with the new year a renewed sturt shall be made and a more earnest cooperation in these directions shall be given it.

Jude Johnson Going Back. Speaking of lost arts, Jude Johnson can't steal chickens half as cleverly as he used to.—Aitchison Globe.

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Christmas Exercises

Christmas was fittingly observed by the Sunday school of the Congregational church Friday evening with a fine program of music and recitations and a great big Christmas tree, ever the joy and delight of the little ones. The church, always beautifully decorated for Christmas was unusually lovely upon this occasion and the tree was a marvel of beauty and taste. It was lighted by electricity, the myriad green and red lights offsetting the tinsel and ornaments. Swinging among the branches were many gifts for the children and boxes of candy for all. A delightful program was well rendered by the children as follows:

- Prelude. Chorus, Behold, I Bring You Good Tidings, Caleb Limson. Scripture and Prayer, Mr. C. R. Walker. Recitation, Dick Wolff, Primary. Singing, Santa Claus, Primary Children. Solo, Story Land, Miss Aspinwall. Recitation, Santa Claus and His Auto, Helen Randall. Christmas Lights, Lewis Shipp, George Wilbur, Paul Strong. Solo, He Saw Santa Claus, W. W. Solo, He Saw Santa Claus, Kenneth Frye. Recitation, A Stupid Book, Paul Strong. Grandmother's Song, Miss Fank's Class. Song, Carol Children Carol, Primary.

Every Week Bridge

Mrs. W. D. Holden delightfully entertained the Every Week Bridge Club Saturday afternoon at the Sanford House. There were two tables of bridge played, Mrs. Holden's guests were Mesdames C. O. McLaughlin, Forrest Lake, C. M. Vorse, G. F. Smith, Margaret Barnes, T. A. Neal, A. P. Connelly and Mrs. A. W. Browne of Enterprise.

Christmas Party

Beginning the festivities of Christmas week was the charming party at which Miss Frances Chappell was the gracious young hostess Friday night. A gay crowd of young people assembled at the home of Miss May Thrasher for the straw ride that preceded the festivities, finally arriving at the Chappell home where a most delightfully happy time was enjoyed for the rest of the evening. The house was very attractive in its gay Christmas colors of red and green. An innovation that was a pleasing feature of the evening's entertainment were the program games. The boys were given pretty little red programs upon the front of which was a red Christmas tree, the name

of his partner being concealed beneath the Christmas tree, engagements were made for the games after the fashion of dances. A delicious salad course was served buffet style and the happy evening ended with another straw ride back to town. Those invited were Misses May Thrasher, Elizabeth Stafford, Helen Hand, Ruth McDaniel, Agnes Bothamly, Frances Gonzales, Alice Caldwell, Fern Ward, Virginia Brady, Reginald Holly, J. D. Woodruff, Allen Jones, Rush Murphy, Harrold Washburn, Sidney Chase, James Higgins, Arthur Dickins, Paul Younts, Fred Wight, Edward Betts, Frank Chappell and Willie Brumley.

Misses Lucca and Mary Chappell assisted in serving.

Personal Mention

Mr. A. Mettinger of Philadelphia is the guest of his son, Mr. J. H. Mettinger. He will spend the winter in Sanford.

Miss Margaret Strong accompanied Miss Edna Chittenden to Tampa Saturday where they will visit Miss Ruth Waldron.

Mr. Roy Went and bride of Newark, N. J., are spending their honeymoon in Sanford, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Went on the Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Butts returned Sunday from Winter Park for the Masonic memorial service. They will spend New Year's day in Jacksonville the guests of Mr. Butts' mother.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bouchelle with their baby and maid arrived today from Charleston, Va. They are the guests of Mrs. Henry Wight.

Miss Cornelia Smith and Miss Gladys Smith of New Smyrna Beach came for the Social Department dance tonight. They are visiting Mrs. A. W. Fitts Jr.

Mr. R. A. Dawson has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gus Frank for the holidays. He will return to Jacksonville tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McKinnon took dinner at the Epworth for a late dinner on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. DeWalt are stopping at the Sanford House.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Henderson of Leesburg registered at the Sanford House Christmas day.

Messrs. Ralph W. and Lewis McLaughlin, messengers of the city, spent Christmas. They returned to Sanford Saturday.

World News

Twenty-one modern battleships flying the Stars and Stripes and accompanied by their rebuffs, collars and repair and supply units will follow the Oregon to the Red Dog of the Navy, through the Panama canal when the Atlantic fleet goes to participate in the opening ceremonies of the Panama Pacific Exposition. Rear Admiral Fletcher commanding the fleet, conferred with Secretary Daniels today concerning the naval parade. They discussed the advisability of taking in addition a flotilla of destroyers at the trip, but reached no decision. The fleet will leave New York about January 15 for winter maneuvers and go to Guantanamo. Ships in southern waters will join the fleet there. The vessels that go to the Pacific will return to Hampton roads about the last of February.

Nearly every member of the city administration of Terre Haute is in the hands of United States authorities as the result of wholesale arrests last night, today and tonight on indictments charging a conspiracy to corrupt the election of Nov. 3rd last. Early tonight ninety-one persons including Mayor Don M. Roberts, a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor in 1906; Sheriff Shea of Vigo county; Judge Ell H. Redman, City Judge Thomas H. Smith, and other leading Terre Haute politicians had been taken into custody. Unable to furnish bond of \$10,000 demanded by United States Marshal Mark Stefan, Mayor Roberts tonight was included in a party of twenty-one persons who had failed to provide bond and was being brought here to be jailed. The others had been released on bonds ranging from \$2,500 to \$10,000 each. Sheriff Shea and Judge Redman were released on bonds of \$10,000 each.

Must Sign Warrants

The contention held by J. F. McKinnon, county superintendent, that his duties were discretionary and not ministerial, and that he was justified in not signing the teachers' pay warrants, was declared to be wrong according to a brief statement from the supreme court yesterday, stating that the judgment in the case of Jennie Baas vs. McKinnon be reversed and that the cause be remanded with directions to issue a peremptory writ.

The case is well known to Orange county and Orlando citizens. It is the first one of its character in Florida. The complete opinion of the supreme court is expected to arrive today, and in it it is thought that the full definition of the exact duties of the county superintendent of schools will be given. That the county superintendent's duties are ministerial and not discretionary is expected to form a large portion of the opinion.

In June Judge Perkins held that the duties of the county superintendent were discretionary and refused the peremptory mandamus to cause Mr. McKinnon to sign the warrants. Following this the case was appealed to the supreme court, Attorney LeRoy B. Giles, of Davis & Giles, appearing before the supreme court several weeks ago. He won his case, the decision of the supreme court indicates, and is being congratulated.

From the first Mr. Giles has opposed and fought the issue in a clean cut manner. Following Mr. McKinnon's refusal to sign the teachers' pay warrants, Davis & Giles brought suit to mandamus the county treasurer to pay the warrants without the signature of Mr. McKinnon. This was done and J. H. Tucker, county treasurer, paid the warrants. Then came the Marion county case, then the mandamus suit to compel Mr. McKinnon to sign the warrants, then the petition to Judge Perkins, and his opinion, followed by the appeal to the supreme court yesterday.

Look to Your Seed Potatoes

The United States Department of Agriculture has been warning the farmers of New Jersey, other Middle Atlantic States, and the southern States to see that the seed potatoes they buy bear the white label of the Potato Inspection Service of the department. This label is placed on each container and certifies that the potatoes have been examined by Federal inspectors and found free from powdery scab that they were grown on farms free from and have not in any way been exposed to this disease.

They are used against the use of table potatoes for planting purposes. As these, even though they do not show the disease, may have been exposed to powdery scab. Table potatoes are usually shipped from Maine in bulk and the car carries a certificate of inspection and potatoes are not allowed to exceed 150 pounds per bushel container, separately certified.

Some dealers have been buying table stock and selling it for seed. These men are not violating any law, but they are exposing their customers to the risk of the introduction of a disease and a quarantine should the powder scab be introduced. The white seed certificate relates to freedom from powdery scab but potatoes so certified are likely to be of better quality and less mixed than table stock potatoes. The supply of certified seed potatoes in Maine is ample, and the price this year is low, so that there is no excuse for planting table stock potatoes.

The department also states that the rigid inspection and other precautions thrown around certified seed stock from uninfested districts make such stock as safe as potatoes from non-infested areas, and often better selected.

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MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION

Census Day

For the moral and religious advancement of our people a committee of fifty business men elected by the various Sunday schools of Sanford propose to make a census of every home in the city, to ascertain the religious inclinations of our people therefore, I declare Friday, January the first to be known as "Census Day" in the city of Sanford, and urge every one to give the information requested, and to facilitate the work of these men in every way possible.

D. L. THRASHER, Mayor of City of Sanford

Dec. 28th, 1914.

Almost the Happy New Year. Almost time to swear off that swearing.

Almost time to start up the Semirrole County Fair.

Villa now calls Zapata his brother in arms which would lead one to believe that Carranza is his brother in law.

Have you noticed that 1915 gets off on Friday and yet it can do no worse than 1914 which started on Thursday.

Mexico seems to have solved the currency question. They now have three different brands down there and the printing press still going.

Might we be called presumptuous if we ask the St. Petersburg Independent how many copies of the paper they have given away this month.

Bob Holly of the Sanford Herald and Christmas Carroll of the Ocala Star represented the true Christmas spirit—not spirits, mind you.—Clearwater Sun.

Frank Huffaker, doing the publicity stunt on the Gasparilla affair in Tampa states that the newspaper men will have a banquet in that city that will outshine the feast of Belshazzar. Well, if Huff outshines the feast of Stovall he will have to go some and that is coming right down to modern history.

Harry Brown has hooked up with a Blizzard on the Hastings News and they will issue a Brown Book on Florida in general and Hastings in particular. Blizzard is not exactly attractive for a Florida name but if he has the speed he can lose the name and become a Florida zephyr or one of the balmy breezes that Harry Brown says fans the Ancient City in the summer time.

The time will come when a man with a million dollars to invest will land at Stuart and get busy. Such a man is needed here worse than the many who have bought tracts and refuse to either improve or sell the same. Collins at Miami Beach is spending a million dollars on his property and will reap big profits on his investment. Michael Scholtz is also spending a million dollars at Daytona and Daytona Beach and his latest move is to apply for a franchise to build a trolley-line from Daytona to Sanford, which also includes a drawbridge across the St. Johns at Monroe. Things do move and it takes money to move them.—Stuart Times.

The Osceola Journal feels sure that Forrest Lake will be the Speaker of the Florida legislature, while the Live Oak Democrat is equally sure that Cary A. Hardee of Suwannee will win the coveted place. The speakership is largely coveted because it leads to higher places in the political game, every man who serves in the legislature has a speakership bee buzzing in his bonnet and he sees distinctly the stairs that he has climbed successfully. It would be of interest to many people to learn just what Mr. Lake and Mr. Hardee expect to grab in the event of present success.—Apalachicola Times.

Whatever it is, Mr. Lake will get it, Bro. Johnson. He has a great way of getting whatever he goes after and you will hear from him after legislature adjourns.

THE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS Holly of the Sanford Herald offers the olive branch to the Grower editor and says: "We can truthfully say that if any one interested in Florida wishes a real magazine that gives the truth about the state's resources we can safely recommend the Florida Grower."

Thanks, brother, for this display of Christmas spirit. There is no man in the state we would rather have for a friend. Holly is square; he despises hypocrisy; he is always outspoken for what he believes is right. He has been a good friend of cooperation and the Florida Citrus Exchange, and has always had a kindly word for the Grower.—Florida Grower.

Florida has over 20,000,000 acres of tillable land that has not yet felt the touch of the plow or the hoe and which is the best in the world for truck farming or fruit raising. We have a climate that is not equaled any where; we haven't a rival on the Atlantic coast of North America. Florida is the winter garden and winter playground of practically the entire United States. It must grow. It could not stop growing if it tried. Long before 1916 rolls around the million mark in population will have been reached and passed. Every man in the state is a booster and there are thousands coming to the state, that growth must increase enormously year after year. People must come to Florida to find new and better homes and to get a start in the world. They must bring some cash with them and they must create wealth out of Florida soil after they get here. The transportation problem is not as good as it ought to be and the East Coast needs the inland waterway system and more railroads, especially a railroad from the West Coast. The entire state is booming and will grow faster in the next five years than it has in the last fifteen years.—Stuart Times.

THE LEGISLATURE

The red hills of old Leon will soon be resounding with the gladsome cries of the budding statesmen who were sent to Tallahassee to set the world on fire, so to speak. Plans are under way to stop the Georgia crackers from fishing in our mill ponds and transporting our popeyed mullet by bull cart express. The brown eyed youth in red shoes and red necktie who was elected to the legislature because he won the debate in the all absorbing question that there was more pleasure in pursuit than in the possession will be on hand to conquer more fields while the political grafter who elected Tom to the legislature will be there in droves to secure jobs at enrolling a few bills at \$6.00 per day. The cripples who have been promised fat jobs for doing nothing, and the old soldiers who never fired a gun will charge through the capitol like the light brigade. And this is not all. The insurance people, the railroad attorneys, and the special interests representatives will be on hand with their smiles and their arguments that they are the most persecuted people on top of the earth. Oh, it is some sporty times in Tallahassee when the legislature is in session.—Apalachicola Times.

OUTLET FOR POTATOES

The government report gives us 405,000,000 bushels of potatoes. The fall weather was very favorable and the crop gained wonderfully in the month of September, October and November. The September 1 crop estimate usually gives the basis for the season, but not so this year.

We eat and use for seed and other purposes about three and one-half bushels per capita, or about 350,000,000 bushels. This has been proven for several years. We have an excess of 55,000,000 bushels, or nearly ten bushels per Belgian remaining in Belgium. Why not feed the Belgians on potatoes? They are good food. The Belgians need food. We can't carry it over until 1916 in the form of potatoes; while corn and wheat can be kept?

A few shiploads of potatoes, going to Europe would liven the market. A good movement would put some pep into the price and make money for the grower and for the dealer who never can get ahead of a falling market. We are all agreed that the Belgians ought to be fed and that it is up to us. Let us look into the potato as a food for them.

If all the dealers and shippers in the country who are now holding potatoes in large quantities would donate 10 per cent of their holdings to the Belgians, the price on the balance would advance more than enough to make money on the deal. While this may be regarded as a selfish way to look at the matter, yet such a result would follow.—N. Y. Packer.

A MASTER STROKE

The small increase in freight rates by the Interstate Commerce Commission is accepted throughout the country as the dawn of a new era in prosperity. The financial stringency

has affected alike the capitalistic class and the working man.

The depression has resulted in the temporary abandonment of developments by the various railroads—in the laying off of thousands of employees.

The raise in rates, while paid for by the public will not be oppressive. The advance is so slight that none will feel it. A few cents on three dozen pairs of shoes will by no means increase the price thereof. The same is true of other articles which must pay the increase.

The advance gives encouragement to the railroads. Idle men will again be called back to the shops and placed in the pay rolls.

Industrial activity will follow and the transportation companies being placed in a position to renew activities will have employment for the thousands who were suspended because of the depression.

The Interstate Commerce Commission has weighed this proposition most carefully. Its action is in the interest of business activity—in the interest of a vast force of men, who were forced into idleness, which can go back to work and enjoy the livelihood to which they are justly entitled.—Dixie.

OUR WATERWAYS

It is to be noticed that a state waterways association was organized in Palatka this week for the purpose of railroad development in the state, improving the waterways of Florida and to push vigorously the improvement of the tributaries of the St. Johns river.

We heartily approve of this movement in all respects. Next to plenty of railroad development in the state we want all of our waterways utilized. Florida has one of the finest waterway systems in the south and we are neglecting it. This neglect is costing us yearly thousands of dollars in freight and holding thousands of acres of land undeveloped. This newly formed association should be given plenty of publicity as it has a fertile field to work in.

This locality is particularly interested in this movement. It has for years been attempting to get Deep Creek improved. The slight improvement there in the last three years has saved this great farming section thousands of dollars. The creek is but one of hundreds of like nature tributary to the St. Johns river and its importance with others is now established. If we want them improved and utilized we can have them made so. Do we want it done? Answer that question, then be governed accordingly.—Hastings Herald.

POWELL'S PEN PRICKS

When Powell and Bob Holly get together there's going to be some clash. Holly has named Powell a member of the committee on memorials and Powell doesn't like it a little bit. Calls it putting a live man on a dead subject.—Tampa Times.

"We failed to see that kick from Willis, but we want to tell him right now that it takes a good man to write obituaries and the position pays well. Just a natural position for anyone who is buried in Clearwater."—Sanford Herald.

That's the reason we object to the job. We are "not a good man" and we do not need the money. Besides we are out of practice.

But that ain't being buried in Clearwater!!!

Why you bald headed catamaran! There isn't a cemetery within two miles of Clearwater, and there are people who have lived here five years, and used up two automobiles in chasin' over the country who do not know where that burying ground is located. When they die some one will have to lead them to their last resting place.

Dead town?

It pains us to do it, Bob; but we have to.

You say yourself that a newspaper is an index to any town.

Sanford has three times the population of Clearwater.

And it has but one newspaper. Clearwater has two.

And the Evening Sun is a larger newspaper and carries more advertising daily than the Sanford Herald does in its semi-weekly, generally

Earning and Saving

WHEN OLD AGE comes upon a man and finds him without resources, it is usually not because he failed to earn enough, but because he failed to save. It is the money that you save that will make you independent in old age. We cordially invite your savings account in any amount.

PEOPLES BANK OF SANFORD

SANFORD, FLA.

M. M. SMITH President, R. STEVENS Vice-President

H. E. TOLAR Cashier, R. R. DEAS Asst. Cashier

two times as much. Eat some more celery, Bob—your brain needs to be accelerated!!—Clearwater Sun.

You are asleep in the cemetery, you long haired, "ganglion" legged Pinellas pirate or you would know that Sanford has two papers; the Herald and the Grower News and either one in the regular issue will carry more advertising the year round than your Sunstroke that gives away papers every time the sun shines and advertising every day it rains. Small towns that have no population naturally have no cemeteries. Where people cannot live they cannot die.

Therefore, you will take your position on the cemetery committee or be shot at Sunrise.

"Cynthia" at City Dock

One of the finest yachts ever docked at Sanford arrived yesterday and is anchored near the city dock in Lake Monroe. The boat is owned by Commodore M. B. Mills of New York who with a party of friends are cruising in southern waters.

The "Cynthia" will leave today for Jacksonville and from there will probably go down the East Coast.

Those making up the party are Commodore W. B. Mills, Mr. A. C. Foster, and Miss E. Burgeson of New York and Mr. Robt. F. Mills and bride of Greenport, who are spending their honeymoon in Florida waters. Capt. Lawson, a most competent mariner, is in charge.

Christmas Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Foster gave their friends a Christmas dinner and supper at their home on Boardwalk avenue. All the good things to eat that Sanford farmers can raise so well graced the tables and a goodly number of them were present.

Mr. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Foster, Mrs. W. D. Myers, Dr. Hazleton, Mrs. S. F. Leavitt, Mr. S. F. Leavitt, Mr. Claud Vanous, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Foster, Mr. Ed. Ward, Mrs. Ward and Mr. J. Vaughn.

MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE CHEEK-NEAL

As a rule Col. Roosevelt does not like to be contradicted. But he may be a little indulgent with friends and admirers who insist that he is wrong in saying the public is tired of him.

Much of the popular disapproval of the pork barrel is a natural dislike for the human hog.

Soldiers in the trenches would be grateful for hot water bottles filled with hot water or something.

Kipling did not, however, have submarines in mind when he wrote, "Far called, our navies melt away."

Avoiding the crude and Wangero methods of his famous father, young Jesse James has become a lawyer.

What is wanted is a commercial waterway to the gulf, but not necessarily one that will float a pork barrel.

Probably when communities cease to appeal of Government "work" congressmen will cease to work for it.

European soldiers will not care much about having outdoor sleeping porches after their experiences in the trenches.

Some folks are so literary that they do not care for history in the making, but will buy it of the book agent later on.

Avoid Mental Excitement. Anger, fear and other forms of mental excitement it is well known may stop digestion entirely and cause serious kidney diseases.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE TRAINS. Table with columns for Northbound and Southbound, listing train numbers and times for various stations like Leesburg, Oviado, and Triby.

Table with columns for Oviado, Leesburg, and Triby, listing train numbers and times.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE TRAINS. Arrive 10:00 A.M. Leave 11:30 A.M.

Ten Dollars REWARD

I will give ten dollars reward for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who took my motor boat from its mooring at Enterprise, on Friday night, Dec. 25, 1914, and later cast her adrift. JOHN A. WALLACE

HENRY McLAULIN JEWELER

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A SCENE FROM "THE SHEPHERD OF THE HILLS", IMPERIAL THEATER, DEC. 30

IN AND ABOUT THE CITY

Little Happenings—Mention of Matters in Brief—Personal Items of Interest

Summary of the Floating Small Talks Succinctly Arranged for Hurried Herald Readers

Eagles' ball on Thursday night. Everybody is cordially invited to come out and enjoy themselves.

Twine for fancy work. Fresh yeast cakes and pop corn, at Simp'n's. 22-1f

P. Swope of Oviedo was among the visitors to the city yesterday, being on the fair committee and one of the hustling citizens of Oviedo.

Orange boxes with hoops always in soak, at F. F. Dutton's. 27-1f

Mears, Becker and Wallace were in the city yesterday from Enterprise, where they are spending the winter months.

Auto Livery—Prompt service—Day phone 281, Night phone 196. C. C. Wilson. 16-1f

Thursday night the Eagles dance will be given in the Eagles' hall. The chance to enjoy an evening at dancing.

Dr. C. L. Brundage, resident osteopath, graduate of Kirksville school. Office over First National Bank, Sanford. 35-1f

Mrs. J. C. Taylor of Plant City is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Al. Ligia. Mrs. Goddard, her niece from Lakeland is also her guest this week.

Limburger cheese, Holland hering and yeast cakes at Simon's. 37-1f

Stephen Hefield of Orlando has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. Henry Peabody during the Christmas holidays here. Mrs. Peabody's friends are always glad to welcome him here.

For Sale!!!

Three lots facing Park on Myrtle avenue and Seventh street. Desirably located for hotel or residence. Beautiful shade trees ten years old, no other property like it in the city. Apply at once to W. W. Long. 25-1f

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Any Cut Beef or Pork Florida and Western

Oysters

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Fruits

Fruit Cake

Plum Pudding

Candy

In fact, everything that's good to eat.

J. D. Roberts

Next to Postoffice Phone 39

E. B. Brown left yesterday for Tampa after spending the Christmas holidays here, the guest of friends and relatives. Mrs. Brown will remain for several days longer. Mrs. J. A. Richardson of Orlando has been spending Christmas in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peabody, the latter's aunt. Electric reading lamps, portables, specialties, Acme irons, El-Grillos, toasters, coffee percolators, flashlights, dry batteries, electric supplies. Call and get one of our beautiful calendars.

Sanford Electric Co., 117 Hynes Block.

The many friends of A. C. Martin are giving him a warm welcome to the city. He is one of Sanford's pioneers and is now living in Miami with his daughter, Mrs. Chas. Lefler. While here he will be the guest of his daughters, Mrs. Geo. Fox and Mrs. McDaniel.

Mrs. Earl Gormly and little son, Raymond of Jacksonville are visiting friends and relatives in the city. Mrs. Gormly's many Sanford friends are glad to see her again.

Mr. Abe Derby and family, old residents of Sanford have returned for the winter. Mr. Derby was the first master mechanic and general foreman of Sanford shops. He owns several houses around Sanford and a beautiful orange grove in this vicinity.

With the Perils of Pauline last night, the Mercer Glee Club and the Woman's Club dance tonight, the Elks' banquet and the Shepherd of the Hills tomorrow night, the Eagles' ball on Thursday night and several other affairs for the balance of the week the old year will go out with much glory and eclat.

The Seminole County Fair Association is having all kinds of printing done to advertise the big fair and streamlining lithographs will soon cover the fences and bill boards announcing this important event. The big guns that will shoot the line display of fireworks have arrived at headquarters and an corps of men is kept busy attending to all the details of arrangement for the fair, which will start on February 1st. The programs will be started next week, giving full details of the many events.

Notice

There will be an annual meeting of the stockholders of the Geo. H. Foranald Hardware Co. on the 1st and 2nd floors of the building at 2:30 o'clock p. m. at the offices of the company for the election of officers.

F. W. MAHONEY, Vice President

Notice

The library room will be closed after Saturday, Dec. 26. It will be open for the distribution of books on Saturday, January 1st in the new rooms on Oak Avenue between 4rd and 10th streets.

Stockholders Meeting

The stockholders of the National Bank of Sanford will be held at the office of the Bank in Sanford, Florida, on the second Tuesday in January, A. D. 1915, at 10 o'clock a. m.

R. F. WHITNER, Cashier

Beautiful Grapefruit

D. H. C. Baker, who grows the West Side and diversifies his crops sufficiently to grow lettuce, celery, big sweet potatoes, etc., came in today with two fine clusters of grapefruit that were too heavy for one man to lift comfortably. They were the Christmas gift of the editor and he hereby returns thanks for the same. As long as Mr. Baker raises sweet potatoes and grapefruit we expect to live.

Early Morning Fire

The fire department was called out early yesterday morning to the residence of Tom Williams on Oak avenue where smoke was discovered coming from what at first seemed to be under the floor of the home. The fire, if there was any had not damaged anything and after the department had made a thorough examination they pronounced the blaze extinguished and the crowd that had gathered to witness a large conflagration went home visibly disappointed but Mr. Williams' family are thankful that the home is still standing.

Such Bum Weather

We people who have been living in Florida for long are disappointed at the very uncertain brand of weather that has been handed out in the past few days and though some of the visitors to the state think it is lovely in comparison to what they have witnessed at their northern homes the people here do not like the cloudy days and the brand of weather is not like Florida at all. The weather man has promised us a change in a few days and here's hoping that the real Florida weather will come in again to brighten up the drab spots.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

Sanford House Samuel St. Clair, Chicago, Ill.; I. R. Franklin, Cincinnati, O.; H. L. D. Morrison, Augusta, Ga.; J. O. Praxton and wife, Garnersland, N. C.; David Kemple, York, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Henderson, Leesburg, Fla.; H. L. Bryans, Pensacola, Fla.; Mrs. S. Filley, F. C. Reese, D. E. Hinton, Jax; L. D. De Wolfe and wife, Booth Bay Harbor, Me.; Ben J. Kagey, Jr., Daytona, Fla.; T. Frank Liddy, A. L. Chase, Jax; J. Frank, A. R. Nichols, N. Y. city; R. Beach, Houston, Tex.; F. C. Hubbard, N. Y. city; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Thigpen, Florence, S. C.; Jas. A. Romain, Wilmington, N. C.

O. W. Bryant, Samuel D. Miller, M. D., C. E. Scheible, Jax; C. G. Paramore, Crescent City; H. K. Gilbert, Florence, S. C.; E. P. Kingsbury, Olympia, Wash.; Miss A. Stewart, Chicago, Ill.; G. W. Perkins, Boston, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Henderson, Leesburg; S. B. Sharp, Jax.

St. Johns House

J. A. Merrill, Port Tampa City; Dr. C. Griffin, wife and daughter, Clyde, Ohio; Chas. A. Smith, Seabright, N. J.; Miss Clara Griffin, Clyde, Ohio; J. D. Pool, Ft. Myers, W. W. Lee, Atlanta, Ga.; H. Lousberg, Tennessee.

WOMAN'S CLUB

Literature Department

Members of the Literature Department are requested to attend regular meeting of that department Wednesday, Dec. 30th at 2:45.

Program as follows:

Dr. Everett Hale and His Work. Mrs. E. D. Chittenden. Readings to be selected from Dr. Hale's books. John Burroughs and Some Other American Nature Writers. Mrs. Jas. Moughton. Roll Call quotations from Dr. H. B. Talk on Psychology. Prof. G. L. M.

Great Play at Imperial

Occasionally some play strikes a note that rings out clear and true in the midst of the commonplace and impresses its auditor with the thought that it was written not for gain, but for justice. But because some plays had something to say to us, we are glad to read this means of expression.

"The Shepherd of the Hills" Harold Bell Wright's dramatization of the novel of the same name, the kind of a play. Mr. Wright had felt within his soul the peace and beauty of the hills and he wished to set down their beauty before him. He made a play that in plot is compelling, one that never fails in sincerity. The people who most enjoy a play are those who are most sincere in their own hearts.

The shepherd, the man who came to the hills and remained to teach; Old Mat, who cherished the memory of a wrong that could never be righted; Young Mat, Hercules of the hills country, whose strength of heart and soul equalled soul equalled the strength of the body; Sammy Lane, bright and buoyant with the youth of the hills; and the other quartet of characters that enliven the play with humor.

The scene of the play is in the high hills of the Ozark mountains. The mists of the valley, the glories of the sunset, the magnificent vistas from the summits have been brought out by the wonderful ingenuity of the scenic artist and the electrician's craft. It is the spirit of the land that Mr. Wright has caught that makes the play, one that is unique and one that will stand on a field of its own.

"The Shepherd of the Hills" will be the attraction at the Imperial Theatre, Dec. 30th. The enormous popularity of the Harold Bell Wright novels indicates that the second annual engagement of this, his final play will prove a greater popular success with patrons of his house than it did on its initial appearance last season.

The advance sale for this performance Phillips drug store. Prices 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

"One generous difficulty about getting a policy of public economy adopted is that few people are really interested in public economy. Large expenditures are more attractive than large savings.

We may not have as many long range torpedoes as we should, but when it comes to long range strategists the country is almost overstocked.

Many citizens who once regarded the New York Stock Exchange as the root of all financial evil now regard its opening as a hopeful indication.

AT THE CHURCHES

Naboth Bulletin Sunday school, 10:15 a. m. Epworth League, Senior, 6 p. m. Praying, 7 p. m.

Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday Choir Practice, 7 p. m. Friday Junior Epworth League, 7:30 p. m. Friday All visitors to the city have a cordial welcome and are invited to a place in our church life. Come thou with us and we will do thee good. F. E. STEINMEYER, Pastor, 618 Magnolia Ave.

Presbyterian Church Sunday school at 9:45. Morning service at 11 a. m. Evening services at 7 p. m. Services are held in the Imperial Theatre until new church is finished. All visitors to the city are cordially invited to attend the services. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30 at the Presbyterian Manse on Oak avenue. E. DARNELL BROWNLEE, Pastor.

Fruits From Florida Farms August Neubeck of Whitehall market raised fourteen sweet potatoes from one vine on his farm. The potatoes weighed 74 pounds.

Truckers at Iona have been kept busy for the past week picking, packing and shipping, as a great number of acres were planted this season.

The Lake Worth Fruit and Vegetable Growers Association have secured a lot and will proceed to the erection of a suitable packing house at once.

131 1/2 acres of tomatoes will be planted at Punta Gorda and vicinity this season, and it is expected by January that the acreage will be 10 per cent larger than it was last year.

Misses Mitchell and Haynes of Midway have set ten acres of Irish potatoes and twelve acres of tomatoes on their muck land farm for their spring crop.

Two hundred and fifty three boxes per day have been going out by express from Sarasota the last week, considerably more than were made during the same period last year.

H. V. Cook of Paducah has netted 5000 pounds of peaches which netted him \$15.50. They were picked in a seedling tree planted three years ago and are of the common Florida variety.

With flat crates of peas and 100 cases of beans and other scattering shipments going forward daily, the growers of Wauchula are receiving an average of \$2,000 per day for their crops.

The Indian River Growers Association have passed unanimous resolutions calling upon their representatives to urge the legislature to pass a law to require stock owners to fence their cattle in St. Lucie county.

Twenty-five thousand pounds of wool were shipped from Milton Santa Rosa county, last week. The fleece netted the Shippers Twenty-five cents per pound. Weighing in at 100 lbs.

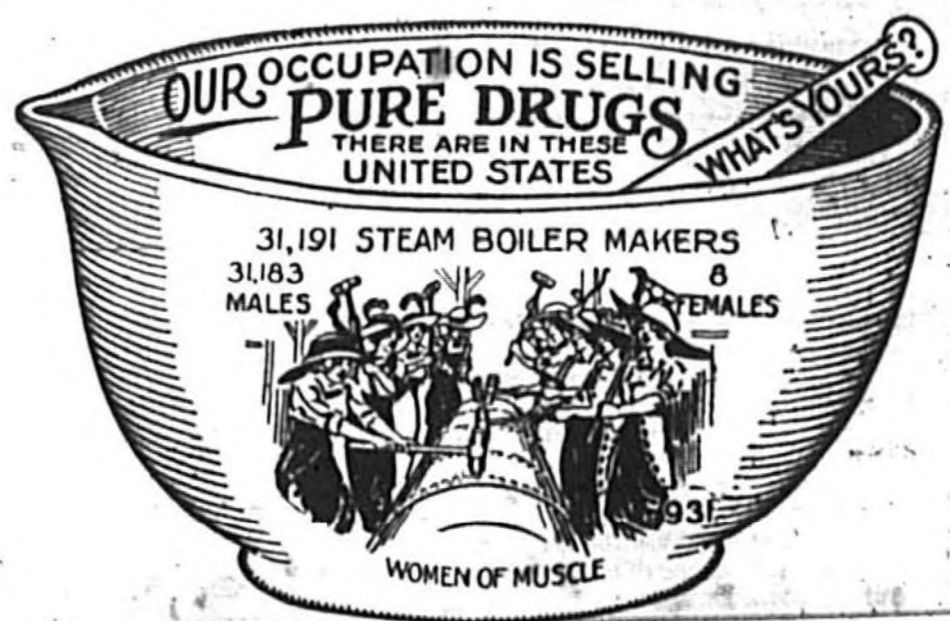
The large packing house of the Moultrie Packing Co. is ready for operation. This packing house will take care of the hogs and cattle of the Gadsden county farmers and mark the beginning of a new industry for that part of the state.

Forty-five refrigerators, containing 1,000 quarts of tomatoes, have been shipped from Plant City up to December 18. The berries netted the growers \$1,863.10 and some sold as high as 60 cents per quart, 10 cents per quart better than prices received last year.

At a recent meeting of the Stock Growers Association of Dade and Palm Beach counties last week an exhibit of cattle ticks was shown. A bottle in which three ticks had been placed a week previous had deposited enough eggs to reproduce the kmw several thousand times. This clearly indicates the absolute necessity for the use of dipping vats to eradicate ticks from cattle in the state.

Worth Dexter, a native Floridian has one of the largest farms in the state, located in mWde FloriWa. T farm contains 3,500 acres of which 700 acres is under cultivation and the rest being rapidly cleared. Last year Mr. Dexter raised 125 tons of hay, 4p acres of cotton and 2,500 bushels of corn besides other crops in proportion. Next season his crops will be about 300 acres on small grains, 200 acres of corn, 100 acres of cotton besides melons, cucumbers and other truck and vegetable crops.

Removes the Sheriff Tallahassee, Dec. 28 Governor Park Trammell has, after careful investigation of complaints and official reports submitted to him found it necessary to suspend from office G. Pottsdamer, sheriff of Suwannee county. Governor Trammell's order suspending Mr. Pottsdamer becomes effective at noon on December 31. The Governor has appointed Major



Just a Double Quartette of Them WHILE THEY MUST BE Women of Brawn and Muscle They are Up-to-Date in the Style of Their Garments and Hats, and no Doubt Depend on Some Good Drug Store for Many Items so Essential to Woman's Comfort SEMINOLE PHARMACY PHONE 275 The Nearest Drug Store SANFORD, FLA.

W. H. Lyle of Live Oak to be sheriff of Suwannee county when Mr. Pottsdamer's suspension becomes effective. Major Lyle is a substantial and highly respected citizen of Suwannee county, and for a number of years was a well known officer of the Florida State Militia, having been retired a few years ago with the rank of Major. The order issued by Governor Trammell, suspending sheriff Pottsdamer from office states that it is officially made known by the report of the state auditor and other evidence on file in the executive office that Sheriff Pottsdamer of Suwannee county, Florida failed to use reasonable and proper diligence and efforts to detect and bring the courts party selling intoxicating liquors within the county in violation of law; and it is shown by the evidence that during the present term of office of the sheriff violations of the law prohibiting the sale of liquors have been flagrant within the said county; and the auditor's report shows that Pottsdamer, upon the date that the report was made had accounted for and paid all fines collected by him, that he had been dilatory and slow in paying over the fines collected by him, having delayed payment in some instances for several months and having quite generally failed to pay over the fines collected by him within the time required by law; and it appearing that the conduct above referred to of the said Pottsdamer as such sheriff constitutes neglect of duty in other.

IMPERIAL THEATER WEDNESDAY DECEMBER... 30

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BASEBALL

There is one thing Ban Johnson can't do. He can't keep Hughie Jennings from talking.

With Bender and Coombs gone, the Athletics may pay more attention to baseball and a little less to golf.

Boston scribes say Otto Hess is twenty-seven. That would have made him a soldier in the Spanish war at eleven.

Bunny Hearne will not wear Toronto spangles next season. The left-hander McGraw sent back will disport in a Federal park.

Johnny Kling states that he will return to baseball next season, as his business is in such shape that he can desert it for the lure of the diamond.

Marty O'Toole is said to be anxious to join the Boston Braves, but the long-distance connection with Jones county, Georgia, appears to be out of order.

FOOTBALL

Judging from the rapidity with which football's "hopeless cripples" recover, they aren't using dumdums in football.

Dalton, former captain and leading star at West Point, helped coach the University of Pennsylvania punters early in the season.

England is all stirred up because the football players will not enlist until the championship is decided. Those Brits take the war too seriously.

Aside from the many upsets which have featured the 1914 season, the poor showing of the Carlisle Indians, who always have been a factor in eastern football, is one of the surprises of the season.

Coach Yost of Michigan is not the only football mentor who owns an automobile. Coaches Juneau and Driver of Wisconsin have purchased buzz-wagons, which enable them to make the long trip from the town to the field without loss of time.

PUGILISM

The only objection we have to Freddie Welsh is that he wears a stick.

"Freddie Welsh is shy of a knock-out punch," screeches the critic, but oh, you left jab.

"Carl Morris hit like a cow when I first saw him," writes McCarney, who claims something in Morris' development.

Pal Brown was given a "Windsor draw" with Drouillard, demonstrating Pal must have won by something less than a mile.

New York and Wisconsin boxing commissions may ban boxers who commit fouls. There is no opposition from the promoters who are on the level.

HORSE RACING

Rosebud McKinney, 2:12 1/4, is a pretty clever trotter this year, having won seven races.

Bill Andrews has been an industrious chap, as he has marked no less than 24 of the 2:10 trotters.

One of the best-looking trotters in California is Ho Tulus, that mare making her record of 2:09 on a half-mile track.

BILLIARDS

Johnny Kling, the former baseball catcher, is representing Kansas City in the Interstate Three-Cushion Billiard league.

In the absence of the English billiard champion, the annual \$5,000 tournament in London has attracted entries from six players who are representative of the highest class of English style playing, including George Gray, H. W. Stevenson, Tom Reece, Edward Diggle, Tom Newman and W. Smith.

MISCELLANEOUS

Meantime, a sink named Avery has acquired quite a reputation in the vicinity of Franklin field.

Yale's new stadium holds more than 60,000 spectators. Certainly it was not designed by a ticket speculator.

University of Pennsylvania graduates are raising \$50,000 for a memorial to the late Mike Murphy.

Boston Technology's new athletic field in Cambridge was constructed by Sparrow Robertson, well known as the builder of the fast track at Travers Island, N. Y. In the Tech track he has used cinders mixed with loam instead of clay, and claims that it will be by next spring the fastest track in the country, and will have a 220-yard straight away, 30 feet wide, the widest in the country.

GEERS DRIVES IN 3,000 TROTTING RACES



"Pop" Geers, Noted Driver and Trainer.

Edward Franklin ("Pop") Geers, the noted harness driver and trainer, would rather engage in a fox hunt than ride in the grand circuit races. He admitted this much in the course of an interview.

"Yes, horse racing is the most exciting sport in the world," said Geers, "but for the real thriller give me a fox hunt. I believe there is more pleasure to be obtained in chasing the elusive little animals than in anything else of which I know."

However, "Pop" is not a traitor to his first love, the race track. He still retains a warm spot in his heart for the game that will know him as long as he is able to climb into a sulky, else he would not be driving now.

"Pop" is sixty-three years old, but he doesn't look it. His features are browned with the accumulated tan of many years spent in the open under hot suns. His color is healthy and his bearing the same. His eye is clear and calculating, his hand is steady, and he appears to be good for many years to come.

Asked point-blank just how much longer he intended to drive, "Pop" answered in the drawl known by horsemen throughout the country: "Oh, I

don't know. If I keep on feeling as fine as I do now, I guess I'm good for a long time; maybe ten years or more. I feel better right now than I did many times when I was younger."

Geers has been driving and handling horses for more than thirty-five years. In that time he has seen many drivers come and go. He has seen them become famous in a day, flash along brilliantly for a time and fall into obscurity. He has seen steady performers in their prime and decline. He has seen drivers at their best and at their worst. He has been able to observe his own work, carefully and note the changes with the passing years. Therefore, he is probably the best judge of at what time a man is at his best in the business.

He estimates that he has been in about 3,000 races since he started to handle the reins. During the last few years he has figured in about seventy-five races a season. Geers is now an institution. He was born in Lebanon, Tenn., January 28, 1851. He drove his first race at a fair in Mobile in 1878. Yearly since he has made pilgrimages out of the South with his fine stables and literally set the racing world on fire with his deeds.

TETZLAFF TO QUIT RACING

Holder of World's Record as Road Race Driver Declares He is Through With Speed Stuff.

Teddy Tetzlaff, holder of the world's record as a road race driver, stated that he was through with the speed



Teddy Tetzlaff.

stuff. "A man is bound to get his if he stays at it long enough," said Teddy.

New York to Get Bowling Tourney. It is very likely New York will be awarded the annual bowling championships of the National association. They will be run off in the Grand Central Palace alleys. Peoria was given the 1915 American Bowling congress and Minneapolis the Western association tourney.

GOOD-BY TO ENGLISH GAME

University of Southern California Last School on Coast to Return to Rugby of American Type.

Since a reform wave struck American football about a decade ago a number of American colleges have tried substituting the English type of rugby for the college game. The stronghold of the English importation has been among institutions along the lower Pacific coast.

As a consequence they were heard of in an athletic way only in the spring track games. Now there is a strong tendency on the coast to get rid of the alien sport. The University of Southern California is the last school to announce a return to rugby of the American type. The athletic management characterizes the English sport as "a comparatively monotonous game" and describes it as much rougher than the college variety.

The trouble seems to lie in trying to substitute a purely foreign sport for one that has been developed under American conditions. Games are necessarily a reflection of the character of a people, and the English character is somewhat different from that of the American. As long as American football was busy reforming itself there was a chance for the British importation. Now that the great autumn sport of the colleges has been trimmed of the "old army game" brutalities it looks like good-bye to the English variety.

Yost's Idea of a Football Team.

Coach Yost, of the Michigan university football team, is reported to have declared: "Give me 11 good tacklers and blockers, and I will defeat the greatest team of kickers and runners in the country. Tackling and blocking are two fundamental plays of football. A tackle is the essential defensive play, and blocking is the important element of a strong offense. Anybody can run with the ball if you've got the other fellow spilled."

Brown Staging Comeback.

"Knockout" Brown is making an earnest effort to "come back." He recently outpointed a youngster named "Frankie" Callahan, and is confident that he is just as good as ever, and wants to take a crack at some of the top liners.

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STIMULATED by that special inspiration which seems to come to the help of the designer of translucent, the maker of the motor bonnet and coat pictured here has distinguished himself. All brides, and other fair ladies, who elect to go motoring in crisp weather, will only need to copy this cold weather outfit to assure themselves of comfort. One need not look twice to see how very attractive it is.

The heavy, enveloping coat of zibeline is cut on rather straight lines, flaring enough to be roomy and ample. The straight sleeves are large enough to be easily slipped on, and finished with turnback cuffs and a huge oblong bone button. The wide, square collar is arranged to button up about the neck and roll over, or to lie flat over the shoulders, according to the desire of the wearer. The coat fastens a little to one side of the front with large bone buttons.

There is a good range of heavy cloths to choose from for coats of this character. It includes boucle cloth,

Ural lamb, chinchilla and fancy mixtures. The ready-made garments embody more style and are cut on simpler lines than has been the rule for several seasons. One cannot expect to get better results in a made-to-order coat than those to be found in the displays of reliable houses showing motor and sports coats.

Heavy cloths, plushes, satin and novelty weaves are used for motor bonnets. Practically all of them have soft padded crowns. That in the picture is of satin, with warm interlining and thin silk lining. At the front a lined band of uncut velvet is trimmed in points. A frill of plaited satin falls like a cap about the face.

The very long chiffon veil is shirred into a cap that veils the satin crown. But there is ample length to bring the ends over the face, around the neck, and tie them in front, so affording ample protection.

Brill and button ornaments make just the right finish for this exceptionally fine motor bonnet.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

Trim Visiting Dress of Panne Velvet



NOT startlingly new in style, but de-lightfully effective, this trim afternoon gown of panne velvet shows an adaptation of modes to material that commends it to the woman of taste. The use of the new fur-cloths, light-weight plushes and long-napped panne velvets in entire dresses is an innovation which furnishes novelty enough for those who value it above all else.

The bodice and sleeves of the model appear to be cut in one, although the sleeves are long and close fitting about the forearm. They taper to the wrist and extend in a rounded point over the hands. A ruffle of the material, doubled, finishes the edges of the bodice at the front and across the back. In many dresses of napped or pile fabrics narrow borders of fur are used for finishing edges.

The upper part of the skirt is set on to the bodice, overlapping the front and extending up in a square tab at

the left side. At the bottom this upper part of the skirt is hemmed in a wide hem. The lower part is cut separately and set on under the hem. This makes a one-piece garment with the effect of a short tunic, and shapes the skirt prettily to the figure.

The very wide, crushed girdle is made of the same material as the dress and tacked about it below the waist line. It fastens in with the bodice at the left side.

A double ruffle of plaited lace fills in the neck, and frills of the same finish the sleeves.

The gown is in taupe color, worn with patent leather shoes having tan cloth tops, and a black velvet turban. A long ornamental bar pin is fastened below the bosom.

For materials, the body of plush and velvety, simple and trim lines, should be exacted of the modiste.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

BET LAST CENT ON ROULETTE

American Refugee in Ostend in Dire Distress Financed by Lucky Turn of Wheel.

A San Francisco real estate firm has received a letter from a client telling how he replenished his purse by risking his last coin at roulette, when his appeals home for money were fruitless on account of conditions following the breaking out of hostilities in Europe. He was in Ostend when the actual fighting began, and had been travelling in Europe for some months. For obvious reasons his name is withheld. The letter says, in part:

"We had made Ostend our objective point, considering it the most favorable point for awaiting developments. The morning after our arrival there a complete paralysis of the financial situation established itself, nothing available had any circulating value, checks, letters of credit the American Express company or travelers' checks, or even Belgian paper money, all shared the same fate. That evening our limited capital consisted of eight francs in my pocket. Of course, I had depended upon my letters of credit.

"We went in silence walking down the ocean shore. Both myself and wife wondered where we would go next, and what would become of us. When we came upon a brilliantly lighted kiosk, it occurred to us we might expect our fortune by striking it all upon the roulette wheel. At the most it couldn't render our lot any worse than it was. To our horror, however, the inscription, 'Five francs entered' confronted our eyes. That would leave us but three francs in our pockets. Once again the situation was saved by my wife. From the bottom of her hand satchel she produced a five franc piece which she had laid away during the fat years, looking forward to contingencies. So in we marched, and, after having gotten on to the arithmetic of the gambling table, we selected No. 28 to decide our fate.

"The wheel whirled round and round, and it became black before our eyes, but in our ears it sounded like poetry, and when it stopped I had my hands enough to gather the money. My number had won, and they paid me 35 for 1. Remembering it was easier to make money than to keep it, I also proved ourselves worthy of the honor by withdrawing from the ring, and sought our exit, feeling once again we were able to take care of our selves for a day or two."

Studying Health Insurance

The National Civic Federation has instituted inquiries into the methods in foreign countries of insuring wage earners against misfortune, and as a result the social service department of the federation is considering the desirability of recommending legislation to provide for compulsory insurance for illness.

A committee has been in London to study the operation of the national insurance act of Great Britain. Employers were asked about the cost of the insurance and its relation to business. Wage earners were asked to give information regarding the effects on wage rates on the conditions of employment and on their general welfare. Changes in the cost of poor relief and any reduction in the death rate from preventable diseases were investigated.

This general survey will prepare the way for an investigation by a commission next spring when an effort will be made to bring together all information which will serve social insurance purposes in the United States.

The Next Great Man

They are all anxious to get in on the matter of hotel names. Well, if it comes to signboards, what of our own 'King of Prussia'? About half a dozen such in London still commemorate Frederick the Great, and over all England you may still find widespread the tavern glory of the victor of Rosbach. Shall we proceed to paint them all out, as has just been done at Barnet? One recalls Goldsmith's tale of the alehouse keeper of Islington, who made of his French King sign a 'Queen of Hungary.' Under the influence of her red nose and golden scepter he continued to sell ale till she was no longer the favorite of his customers, he changed her therefore, some time ago, for the King of Prussia, who may probably be changed in turn for the next great man that shall be set up for vulgar admiration. Now, who is the 'next great man' that shall emerge from the fog?—London Chronicle.

Objects to Milk Pasteurization.

Dr. Ralph Vincent of the Manchester (England) Infants' hospital says that pasteurization cannot be relied upon to kill tuberculosis bacilli and claims that in his experience children fed upon boiled or condensed milk have been more prone to consumption than those fed on raw milk. One of his arguments against sterilizing milk is that we do not pasteurize butter, although it is a raw milk product. He wants to prove that, although harmful bacilli exist in raw milk they are useful in destroying other harmful bacilli in the liquid.

Mean Brute.

"My, my," exclaimed Mrs. Gabb, as she looked up from the newspaper, "it says here that a girl wrote her name and address on an egg and secured a husband. What do you think of that?" "Rats," growled Mr. Gabb. "Marriage always was a shell game."

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The Gift Cigar
By Wilbur D. Nesbit

Don't laugh! But she gave me cigars,
Selected the things by their color,
They came in one of those jars—
I think they were called "the
"Maud Muller."
I've read all these gift cigar jokes,
I know I must read them here-
after;
Please wait for the place for the
laughter.

Don't smile! But she bought them
her self.
I know how she talked to the
dealer—
She looked at each box on the shelf
And spoke of the wrapper as "peel-
er."
O, beautiful looking were they—
I think they were called the
"Maud Muller."
Of course you think now of hay,
Unless, as I was, you are duller.

Don't grin! They wore gilt and red
bands,
And really looked quite artistic.
She says that she now understands
Why smoking has charms that are
mystic.
She says that's it cheering to see
How much as I smoke I enjoy
them.
I know you are choking with glee
And think that I wished to des-
troy them.

Now, wait, Well, I sat down and
smoked;
She placed the ash tray on the
table,
I chuckled and subtly I joked—
"Maud Muller," you know was
the label.
Well, talk of your jokes on cigars!
I said you might laugh when I'd
ended.

These came in one of those jars—
And, honestly now, they were
splendid.

est prosperity in this country. He
says:
"The planets indicate the year
1915 will be the most prosperous
year known in the history of this
country. There will be great waves
of prosperity throughout the
United States; plenty of labor for
the laboring classes; better condi-
tions for the poorer classes. Peace
will reign throughout the world.
The European war will end during
the early months of the year, not
later than April, with satisfactory
results to all nations."

Good for Prof. Marsh. That is
the kind of talk we like to hear, no
matter what the source of the inspi-
ration. But the professor does not
stop with predicting good times and
the end of the war for he delves into
the future and predicts good rains
generally throughout the year, "well
watered." And while there is a
tendency on the part of some
people to make fun of all kinds of
professional predictors, our hat goes
off to Prof. Marsh if he has the dope
mixed so that it will take.

A Washington despatch of Yes-
terday says the success of experi-
ments by 33,420 members of girls'
garden and canning clubs, organized
in the south by the department of
agriculture has prompted many
southern farmers to plant vegeta-
bles suitable for canning purposes
as substitutes for cotton. That is
characterized by the department as
an important step toward solution of
the problem of reducing the cotton
surplus. The statement said:
"Daughters of southern farmers,
who have been members of the de-
partment's garden and canning clubs
have been able to give their fathers
practical demonstrations of the value
of diversification during the present
bad cotton year. The actual prod-
ucts which the girls have put up
are proving a valuable asset in many
farm homes where the cotton crop
has not brought the customary re-
turns and many farmers are now
substituting whole acres of onions
and tomatoes in place of cotton
after seeing the success which the
young women have made with these
crops."
Would it not be a good plan for
the girls of this section to organize
canning clubs?

Only a few years ago the auto
was looked upon merely as an ad-
junct for the pleasure of the rich.
Less than a score of years ago when
even the expensive machines were
very, very crude, none believed that
the use of the machines would ever
become almost universal—for there
were two objectionable features: the
extremely high cost and the in-
efficient service they gave. Step by
step—or literally bound by bound,
there came an era of excellence of
manufacture and a reduction of
price until it seems now that nothing
better need be desired.

But for the auto there would still
be millions of acres adjacent to
thousands of growing cities still in
their primitive state—for the ma-
chines have done more to improve
suburban tracts than anything else,
and rendered it possible for a busi-
ness man to reside at a considerable
distance from his place of occupa-
tion. And now comes the war—
where the auto is much in evidence
for every purpose imaginable—and
the source of supply is, of course,
in turning out a product far superior
to those made elsewhere. In one or-
der the British government is now
about to close a deal for 6,500 motor
trucks—and this will prove but the
beginning if the present conditions
shall long continue.

Did You Ever Drink Perry?
Did you ever drink perry? It is to
be seen what cider is to apples, and
although it is little known in America,
it is widely used in England and
special varieties of pears, which make
especially good perry, are grown for
that purpose.

OLD LONDON JOURNAL

GAZETTE IS MOST VENERABLE BRITISH NEWSPAPER.

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Modern newspaper enterprise has somewhat dwarfed the importance of the London Gazette, Britain's oldest newspaper, which for 250 years has officially chronicled the history of the country. Today it is practically only used for such announcements as the king's birthday honors list and legal notices. Time was, however, when the Gazette was the only medium through which the public could learn any foreign news or any public announcement which royalty and statesmen had to make.

Nowadays such announcements, while being sent to the London Gazette, are simultaneously communicated to the more important newspapers. But even today the London Gazette is controlled by the government, and a particularly watchful eye is kept on the advertisements in its pages, which are regulated by law. These advertisements are mostly of an official or legal character, of which it is necessary to keep a record, and earn for the nation about \$60,000 a year. No great manufacturer could obtain a puff in its pages, even though he were willing to pay \$50,000 a line for it. Altogether, the Gazette yields the country a profit of about \$100,000 a year, although practically the only people who buy it are government officials and lawyers.

One of the most curious facts regarding the London Gazette is that while it is Britain's oldest newspaper, it is also one of the youngest, in the sense that it was not until 1788 that it was registered at the general post office for transmission by inland post as a newspaper. Previously it had been regarded as a government publication only, and was dispatched "O. H. M. S."—in this way escaping postal charges altogether. But apparently the government saw a way to reap a few extra halfpence by having it registered.

The Gazette varies in size very considerably. Sometimes it consists merely of one page, and sometimes of between four and five hundred, but the price always remains the same, viz. one shilling. There was one memorable week in 1847, which was known as the "Railway Year," when so many parliamentary notices had to be published that the Gazette for the week totaled about three thousand pages.

One of the most interesting numbers of the Gazette ever published was the Diamond Jubilee number, the whole paper being devoted to an official record of that historic celebration.

As an illustration of the importance of the Gazette in the old days, it might be mentioned that as recently as the Crimean war the Gazette was the first to publish that important item of news, the victory of Alma. At one time the London newspapers had to wait for the publication of the Gazette in order to secure such news of public importance as the list of casualties, which the war office in those days sent direct to Fleet street.

It is the proud boast of Messrs. Harrison, who for more than one hundred and thirty years published the London Gazette, that although kings and cabinet ministers contributed to its pages during the time they published the paper, and although thousands of employees were engaged on the work of producing the Gazette, no official secrets sent to them for publication have ever leaked out.

The Gazette is probably the only paper which returns the original copy to its authors along with the proof. This is done in the case of communications from sovereigns and cabinet ministers.

Activities of Women.
It is claimed that women medical students complete their course much quicker than men.

The average earnings of women employed in the clothing trade in England is \$2.12 per week.

Women among the lower classes in New York have started a crusade against high rents.

Women constitute only four per cent of the persons engaged in transportation in this country.

Women are now prohibited from working between certain hours at night in 14 European countries.

In Persia women are forbidden to go unveiled in the presence of any man but her husband.

A Pennsylvania woman paid \$25,000 to a beauty doctor to make her a physical ornament to her home.

Teachers in the Newtown, Mass., kindergarten schools receive only \$300 a year salary.

Waterproof Cement.
It is said that the United States army engineers have long used the following mixture for waterproofing cement: One part of cement, two parts of sand, three-quarters of a pound of dry powdered alum to each cubic foot of sand. These are mixed and dried, and to them is added water in which has been dissolved three-quarters of a pound of soap to each gallon. This, it is said, is nearly as strong as ordinary cement, and is quite impervious to water, and does not effloresce. For a wash, a mixture of one pound of lye and two pounds of alum in two gallons of water is often used.—Scientific American.

WITH BOGUS PISTOLS

INSTANCES OF THIEVES HAVING BEEN SCARED OFF.

Trick is an Old Oge, But Baldom Falls of Success—Prank of New York High School Boys That Looked Serious.

Recently Solomon Herman of Manhattan scared into flight two thieves who entered his store by pointing his index finger at them and fooling them into supposing that he had a revolver. It is an old trick and yet it succeeds, just as the confidence man can always sell a gold brick to a farmer who never heard of Hungry Joe.

A short time ago river thieves boarded a tug moored along the Hudson and attempted to enter the captain's cabin and secure money and valuables from a small safe he had there. The engineer of the little boat heard the thieves, and creeping up out of the engine room called: "Halt! Who's that? Halt, or I'll fire!" At the same time he ran around the side of the cabin with a dipper handle.

Not until the thieves got ashore did it seem to occur to them that there couldn't have been a pistol in their disturber's hand or he would have fired. When it came to mind they retreated to a safe distance, and then shaking their fists at the grinning engineer cursed him profusely.

Over near Hunt's Point a few months ago they had an amusing case of cross "pistol" purposes. Several dwellings had been robbed and everybody in the vicinity became suspicious of the slightest unusual movement after dark. Two high school boys planned a masked holdup of a citizen after dark. They held him up all right, both presenting proper looking pistols with shuffling barrels. After the citizen handed out all of his valuables and whined abjectly that he had nothing more the boys revealed themselves.

In a great rage the citizen then blew a police whistle and a mounted officer galloped up. The boys protested they had only joked with a neighbor. The citizen declared they should be punished. The officer was willing to look lightly on the affair until it was pointed out that pistols had been brandished.

This made the matter serious. The officer arrested the boys and took from them the weapons that might bring them a term of years in prison, so heavy is the New York penalty. But when the pistols were exposed the whole matter was dropped. The pistols were first rate imitations of the real thing, only in this case they could explode nothing more deadly than a cap.—New York Herald.

When Poisoned by Ivy.
After exposure to poison ivy, the ill effects can often be warded off by prompt removal of the irritating substance. Vigorous washing with soap and water, preferably using a hand brush, and after that with alcohol, will do this. This often prevents the ill effects, and often when the characteristic inflammation has become manifest it can be reduced to slight intensity by the same measure. This cannot be done, however, after the irritation has become intense; vigorous washings are impossible and alcohol painful. Witch hazel water, followed by application of dusting powder, is comforting. Salves are not well borne as a rule, and if the poisoning has reached a stage not controlled by these treatments, it is best to have professional treatment, as few, if any, of the innumerable domestic remedies prove to be entitled to reliance.

Cat Led Him Home.
Smith and Jones met in the smoke end of a Pullman car one afternoon, and during a gabfest Smith referred to the town into which he had just moved.

"The streets of the blooming burg," he eloquently described, "are the crookedest of anything in that line on the face of the earth. You may not believe it, but a couple of days after we got there my wife had a cat that she wanted to lose and told me to take it over and leave it along the river about a mile distant. Well, sir—"

"I see, old pal," smilingly interjected the other. "That's where you lost the cat all right."

"You've got another guess," returned Smith. "If I hadn't followed the cat I would never have found my way back home."

Long and Merry.
A short life and a merry one! The most fallacious quip ever uttered. Why need a life be short to be merry? Rather make it a long and a merry one. There's more sweetness in a dollar's worth of sugar than in the lump or two that goes in the coffee at dinner.

A long life and a merry one, sanely, usefully, wholesomely merry. That is the life. The other counterfeit maxim came when youth and folly first tasted the quick dregs that come to those who try the short and merry.

A short life and a merry one! Bah! There's no such thing, unless it be by accident—the chance cutting off of a life that was to have been a long life and a merry one.—Kansas City Star.

Benedict's Dilemma.
"You seem to be having a struggle over that letter."
"Yes; I want my wife to think I miss her, but I don't want her to get to feeling so sorry for me that she'll hustle home."—Kansas City Journal.

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For Sale—Special Bargain on three city lots, on French avenue, between 8th and 9th streets, facing the park, east front. Inside lots \$450 each, corner lot \$600. Terms good. Must be sold. Owner needs the money. See me at once. N. H. Garner. 30-8tc

FOR SALE

For Sale—Five White Wyandotte Cockerels. Rex Packard, R. D. 2, Sanford.

FOR SALE

For Sale—Orange grove at a bargain, 1 1/2 miles from Geneva, Fla., on the new East Coast Ry., the coming section of Florida. Also 33 acre of rich hammock at same place. J. C. Davenport, Adams, Madison, Fla. 31-8tp

FOR SALE

For Sale—\$3,000 buys a fine piece of property in the city paying 8 per cent on the investment. Address Box 1074, city. 29-1f

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For Sale—Wholesale shipping fresh water fish business, including fish nets, fish boats and gasoline launches also fish house, etc. Inquire of C. L. Vincent. 29-1fc

Houses for sale or rent. J. Musson.

For Sale—Fine Paper Shell Pecan Nuts grown by Fogg & Osteen on their Oak Knoll fruit and pecan groves at Altamonte Springs, Seminole county, Florida. 34-1tp

FOR SALE

For Sale—23 foot launch 6 H P. Eagle engine in good order. \$100.00 takes it. M. Hanson, shoemaker, 113 W. First St., Sanford, Fla. 37-2tp

FOR SALE

For Sale—2,000 stalks green seed cane. M. M. Stewart, Union avenue. 34-4tc

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

For sale or exchange log orange grove, celery farm at a bargain, 15 acres right in village, 500 feet from R. R. siding. Cheap and on easy terms. 8 acres all plowed and irrigated. Fine flowing well. The land is all fenced and just ready to start planting. You can make the price of the land this year. If you want a bargain call on owner, 209 E. Fifth street, Sanford, Fla. 37-10f

FOR SALE

For Sale—Farm of 5 acres, water, small house, at Moore's station. Price \$2,000. Terms \$25 down and balance at \$10 a month. The D. R. Moss place. See J. F. McClelland at Moore's station. 37-6tp

FOR SALE

For Sale—Lot 15, block I Cameron City. Price \$50 down and \$5 a month. Write Dr. S. D. Miller, 44 E. Ninth St., Jacksonville, Fla. 37-6tp

FOR RENT

For Rent—Rooms with board, 703 Palmetto. 36-1f

FOR RENT

For Rent—Several nice office rooms over Yowell's. Enquire N. P. Yowell & Co. 32-1f

FOR RENT

For Rent—To refined couple, four nice rooms. Excellent location. Ten dollars per month. No small children. Enquire R. Herald Office. 13-1f

FOR RENT

For Rent—Five room house nicely furnished. Electric lights, telephone, good barn, chicken yard and garden. Apply W. L. Harney, c/o Robbins Nest Hotel. 37-1f

FOR RENT

For Rent—Good seven acre farm, barn and house, near Beck Hamrock Station, known as Castle Garden. Address Cora C. Hollinger, 1205 Center St., Canastota, New York. 12-1fc

FOR RENT

For Rent—Two big stores on East First street. Joe DeMont, Coca Cola Company. 24-1f

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For Rent—Two furnished rooms. Gentlemen preferred. Mrs. R. E. Tolar, 807 Magnolia. 26-1f

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Good table board at Mrs. R. L. Jones, 206 Park avenue.

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Friendship's Strength
But surely for nothing less than a future in integrity must you ever fair your friend.—Ruth Oeden

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LEGAL ADVERTISING

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETING
A special meeting of the stockholders of the State of Florida, to be held at the office of said corporation, at the County Court House, in the City of Jacksonville, Florida, at 10 o'clock a. m. on Friday, the 15th day of December, A. D. 1914, for the purpose of determining and acting upon the following resolutions: That the stockholders of said corporation, whether or not the capital stock of said corporation is paid up, be and they are hereby authorized to increase the sum of \$10,000.00 to the sum of \$15,000.00 (SEAL) George A. DeMont, Secretary.

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that I, Michael Shotts, on behalf of myself, my associates, legal representatives and assigns will apply to the county commissioners of Seminole County, State of Florida, at their regular meeting in January, to-wit, on Thursday, January 8th, A. D. 1915, for leave to establish a toll bridge across the St. Johns river, and on the Sanford and Ireland roads, the St. Johns river at that point being approximately fifteen hundred and ten feet wide, and the depth of the water being approximately from one (1) to fifteen (15) feet deep.
MICHAEL SHOTTS.

In re Estate of Charles W. Cheesman
Notice is hereby given all whom it may concern, that on the 15th day of May, A. D. 1914, I shall apply to the Honorable George G. Herring, Judge of said County, as executor of the estate of Charles W. Cheesman, deceased, and that at the same time I will present my final accounts as said executor of said estate, and ask for their approval. Dated November 11th, A. D. 1914.
CHARLES W. SCHENCK, Executor.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT 6 MONTHS PERIOD, ENDING JUNE 30, 1914. SPECIAL TAX SCHOOL DISTRICTS, SEMINOLE COUNTY

Items	1913	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	Total
Treasurer's Balance Dec. 31, 1913	512.05	122.05	72.25	4.84	7.45	14.18	733.80
Warrants outstanding Dec 31 1913	246.50	3.29					249.79
Receipts Jan. 1 to June 30, 1914.	8831.71	784.08	592.90	205.02	252.00	84.42	64.03
Disbursements							
Salaries of Teachers	150.00	90.00	90.00	60.00	15.00	7.50	412.50
Repairs to Buildings	1122.97	18.00					1140.97
Furniture	261.63	119.00					380.63
Apparatus	205.80	23.63	45.00				274.43
Insurance	970.00	1.10					971.10
Janitors	168.00						168.00
Fuel							
Travelling							
Transportation of Pupils				3.33	11.10		14.43
Incidentals	262.00	31.26	300.00	27.50	108.47	25.53	654.76
Losses Repaid	600.00						600.00
Treasurer's balance June 30, 1914	822.00	602.15	781.19	143.06	144.81	87.45	34.81
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