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CURBSTONE GLEANINGS

Budget of Opinion "Just Between You and Me."

EVEN THE GATE POST NOT IN IT

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

¶ Smith college in Northampton, Mass., one of the later colleges established exclusively for the education of women, received a million dollar addition to its endowment.

There is no lessening of the tide that is running in favor of colleges for women. The idea of co-education is less popular than it was not many years ago and does not appear to be working out the best results in the judgment of leading educators, and it is easy to understand why that should be so.

The new endowment of Smith puts it in the class of well to do institutions of its kind and is a source of thanksgiving to those who are interested in that very high class college. Wellesley was rich from the beginning. So was Vassar. Smith had an endowment but not equal to either of the others named though much greater than was ever the fortune of Elmira, which was the first institution for the higher education of women that was chartered to accord the regular collegiate degrees and lived up to the terms of its charter.

It is getting to be a complaint that the girls of today are better educated than the boys, and the women better trained and better read than the men, and there is a degree of truth in it. Perhaps the hard experience of grinding out of a living equalizes things before the boys and girls of a particular time have grown into middle age.

A great deal of money in the United States goes into education. The state of New York invests every year nearly twice the sum appropriated in the entire Russian empire. We do not know any fact more impressive than that.

It is said that Germany is full of very highly educated persons who can barely earn a living, because of their earnings making competition keen in comparison with the opportunities open to educate men, but we are very far from being in that position in this country.

It will be long before we need fear a standard of education that is too high for the average citizen.

¶ William Allen White, the Kansas editor who won fame years ago by his ringing article on "What's the Matter with Kansas?" is now trying to tell the people what is the matter with the schools. He says: "In schools pupils should be taught by every mechanism of the system that good work pays better than poor work. As it stands it takes the tolerably bad student and the excellent student the same number of years to go through the grades into the high school and through college into life. Aside from the injustice of this plan, consider how it propagates laziness by rewarding it. Does not the system of counting equally for promotion every grade except absolute failure, instill in youth the belief that life is a lottery? Suppose that the student who does excellent work—perfect work—in every branch might be graduated from the grades into the high school, and from the high school into college, and from college into life two or three years ahead of his easy going fellows—all accomplished from the system of grades based

not upon the temperament of teachers, of snap or hard courses, but upon the law of human averages; would there not be an immense gain in the moral sense of that youth?"

Dr. Frank Crane of Chicago, too, has been saying things about the school system. He is always vigorous, and what he says has at least the merit of novelty. Here are a few of his notions about schools and the school system:

"Our schools are malodorous with the dregs of class notions.

"The system is a Procrustean bed. If the young one is too short, stretch him; if too long lop off his hands and feet. The main thing is the bed; it ought to be the child.

"The child of today learns more in the school yard than in the schoolroom. Let him play; he learns the principles of Democracy and citizenship. His life should be all play, and the true teacher teaches him to make work play.

"Our educational idea is to make a boy an exceptional man, it ought to make him a well trained common man. It is calculated to bring a child to a certain standard; it ought to bring out what is in the child.

"Grades, examinations and civil service are three arrant humbugs, and the examination is the supreme one. The teacher that needs an examination to ascertain a child's qualifications ought to be plowing corn. Writing about man is a mere trick, and is no sign of a practical knowledge of the thing.

"There is many a girl in our modern schools, who can prattle about the square of a right angle triangle and knows nothing of the flowers that brush her pretty ankles as she walks to school. She knows nothing of the stars at which she gazes when she talks to her beau. She knows nothing about the life sustaining plants growing in the ground on which she walks, she has no understanding of parental domestic problems, not of the care of her body and goes forth into the world totally unfit to be a wife or mother."

NEW SEMINOLE COUNTY

Preliminary Meeting of County Officials Yesterday

Seminole county is a fact!

An unofficial meeting of the county commissioners took place in the city hall yesterday and many matters of interest were discussed and while all the proceedings were unofficial the coming together and discussions were for the best interests of the new county and these preliminaries can best be disposed of now before the real work begins. The matter of bonds for officials and the supplies for the different officials and other matters were taken up and the way the commissioners buckled down to the work demonstrates that they will lose no time when the first official meeting is called the first Tuesday in August.

There is a general good feeling all over Seminole county that the new officials will give the people service and that the new county will start off under most auspicious circumstances.

That the new officers will have much hard work ahead of them is agreed by every one and the general feeling seems to be to uphold their hands and help them in their great undertaking of starting a new county and starting it right.

The full board was present yesterday as follows:

F. L. Woodruff, J. T. McLain, J. A. Clark, C. W. Entzinger and L. P. Hagan.

County Treasurer Jones, Sheriff Hand, County Judge Whitner, Clerk of Circuit Court Douglas, Assessor Bates, Superintendent of Public Instruction Thrasher,

and Member School Board Jacobs were also present and took a deep interest in the meeting.

All the local feeling that was engendered by county division and afterward by the division of offices has been obliterated and the people of Seminole county are a unit for the best county in the states and being a small county there will be a closer bond between city and country and the tax payers will get a square deal. The officials especially will be on their good behavior for they hold office for a short period only and they will be anxious to serve the people to the best of their ability at all times. All in all Seminole will start housekeeping in August under most auspicious circumstances.

New Boat Line at Sanford

It is reported on reliable authority that Sanford citizens will organize a stock company for the purpose of operating a boat line between Sanford and Jacksonville. In competition to the Clyde line which by a recent arrangement operates in conjunction with the Atlantic Coast line and takes away the competition which Sanford has enjoyed for many years. Sanford is justified in this move. The efforts of railroad corporations to smother competition in transportation, and the only way to prevent this is for citizens to cooperate and form their own transportation company. Sanford is happily so situated that at no great outlay a local transportation company can operate opposition boats and not only benefit producers in that locality, but earn good dividends for the company.

The fact that railroad corporations pay higher salaries, to a larger official force than any institutions of America, and pay rich dividends besides takes away the force of their claims of need of protection in freight rates. If Sanford is so situated financially that she can install a line of boats it will prove of great value to the entire public.—Orlando Citizens.

The Gate City House has brought down the high cost of living. Only \$4.00 per week for the finest table board in the city. See Parker. 28-11

DAYTONA BEACH

THE NEW HOTEL NEPTUNE

will open July 5, under the management of Mr. and Mrs. Depland formerly owners of Hotel Depland. Daytona's finest and largest hotel. This gives a guarantee that the cuisine service will be first class. Rooms with private baths. Every room has an ocean view. Be situated on the bluff on a corner lot. You will meet your friends there.

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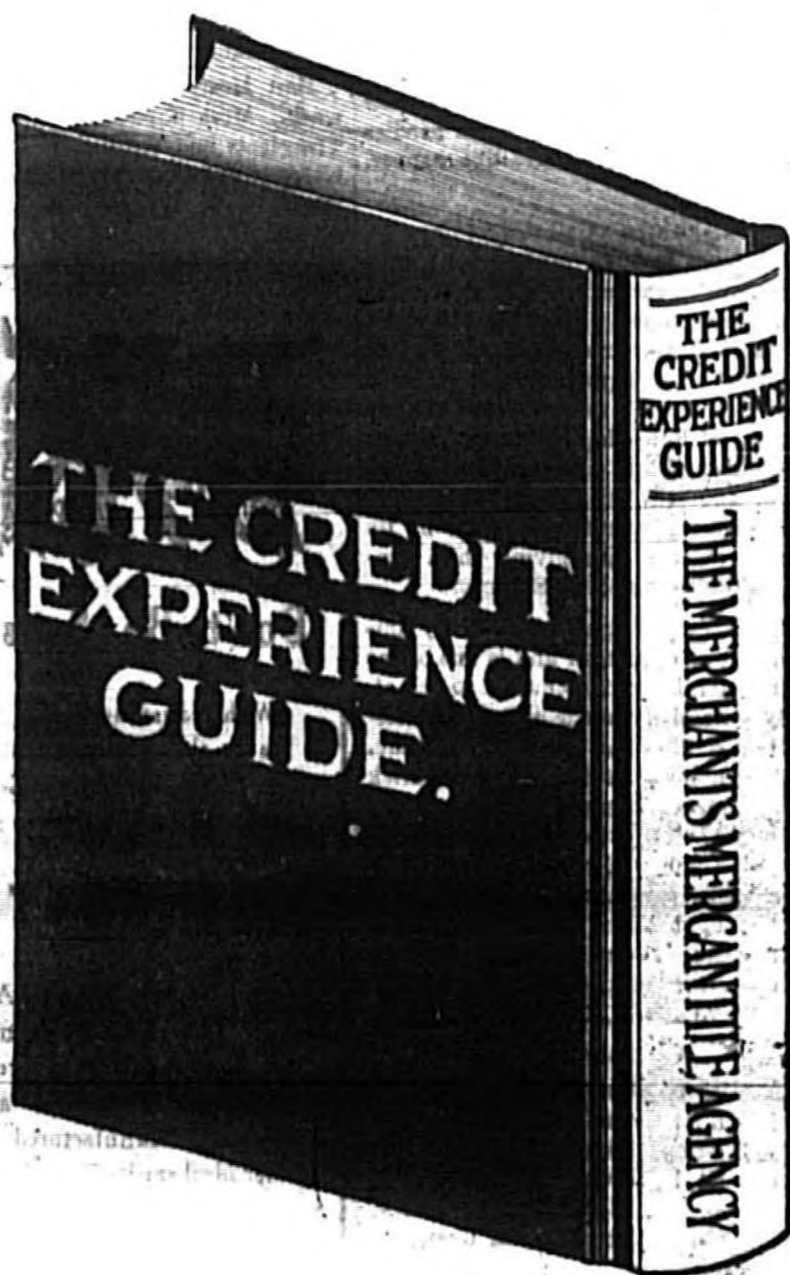
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HOUSES GETTING SCARCE

Difficult Matter To Obtain A House In Sanford

CITY IS FILLING WITH PEOPLE

More New Houses Being Built But Crows Of New People Are Coming

Where are the people coming from? This question is asked every day by the citizens of Sanford, and it is agitated by the constant demand for more houses.

The only solution of this dearth of houses lies in the fact that there are more people coming to Sanford and renting houses than ever before at this season of the year.

County division has been resumed in a measure for the better business new affairs and the credit to the city.

Notes From The Concert

The publisher of The Herald being away attending the Press Association meeting and no one handling in anything relative to the concert given at the Congregational Church Friday evening last.

Public entertainments under similar auspices always draw a full house of the music lovers of our city.

To Stop Shipping Cattle

The United States Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Animal Industry, has set July 9 as the day for a conference of business men, federal and state officers to be held in Montgomery.

A shipment of 40 carloads of cattle was recently made from Okechola county, Florida in one day. They were shipped to Kansas, via Oklahoma City.

Some people of the south seem glad that these cattle are shipped out, as the number of scrub cattle is being reduced and the south will get better cattle as a result.

The south is especially adapted to raising cattle, because of the long grazing season, the enormous areas of cheap land, much of which is now lying idle.

Nothing will be free Thursday at Woodland Park.

SANFORD WELCOMES YOU

This Is The Day We Celebrate And City Is Yours

PROGRAM PUBLISHED IN HERALD

The Day Replete With Good Things And Visitors Should Enjoy Every Minute.

The old town will be split wide open today and every visitor can carry away a piece of it for a souvenir. From early light to electric light there will be something doing for those who want it.

The general program is published in this paper and souvenir programs can be had for the asking at all the book stores and stationery stands.

This is the day we celebrate and Sanford people want the visitors to get every thing that is coming to them. Don't go away at night for the best part of the program will occur at the Imperial Theatre.

Sizing Up The Editors

One of our other towns took long and agonizing at the premises of the Florida newspaper men in Tampa Friday evening and then gave us his opinion as follows, but he was not personally acquainted with any of them, and therefore is liable to be dead wrong.

The one who would be the sweet for anything" man of the crowd is E. P. Hall of the Key West Advertiser. The most distinguished looking one is P. E. Louwengood of the Ocala Banner.

The one who would be the most improved by wearing a toupee is R. J. Holly of the Sanford Herald.

The one who thinks he is about the smartest editor in Florida is Oscar T. Franklin of the Miami Herald. The one I would trust with my pocketbook full of money is J. H. Humphreys of the Monitor Journal.

The most vibrant looking editor is T. F. Merchant of Madison.

The man who looks as though he felt his responsibility as a moulder of public opinion, is A. P. Jordan of the Punta Gorda Herald. The one I would choose for a brother-in-law is M. B. Darnell of the Key West Citizen.

The man who would draw first prize in a "Homeliest Man's contest is A. B. Brown of the Ft. Pierce News. The one I would not like to meet in a back alley on a dark night is A. M. C. Russell of the Palmette News—Orlando Sentinel.

It now looks as if his entire purchase is to revert back to the state for the non-payment of taxes.

In the publication of the delinquent tax list for Palm Beach county the "colles" description of lands occupy nine hundred and twelve lines, and the taxes and costs foot up the sum of \$49,078.28.

Geneva Invites You Who is too old to enjoy a moonlight ride, especially to Geneva July 8, 7:45 p. m. An entertainment to be given by the M. M. S. Society. Music by the Geneva Orchestra.



WE'll here we are, good people. With our pretty flags arrayed Like true and loyal patriots To see the big parade.

Program Of Today's Grand Celebration Of Seminole County

PROGRAM FOR THE DAY

9:30 O'Clock

Grand Industrial, Civic, Automobile and Hunkidori Parade, headed by the Sanford Military Band, starting at the intersection of First street and Palmetto avenues and traversing the principal streets of the city.

10:30 O'Clock

Parade will disband at the Sanford House Park on Commercial avenue. Levotional exercises in which the little children will take part. Music by the band. Singing State Song.

11 O'Clock

Oration by Hon. W. A. McWilliams of St. Augustine.

11:30 O'Clock

Presentation speeches and General Felicitations.

12 High Noon

Adjournment to the Sanford House Park where the fish fry and basket picnic will take place. This occasion will be made a general family picnic among neighbors and friends and the visitors to the city will be made members of the big Sanford family.

1:30 O'Clock

Band Concert: Stay right where you are and don't exert yourself after eating. The sports will be pulled off on Commercial street for your delectation and you need not move a muscle to see the whole performance.

7:30 O'Clock

Grand display of Fireworks

8 O'Clock

The Lucky Sanford Minstrel, one of the finest minstrel troupes in the state, will be given at the Imperial Theatre and this will be a grand opportunity to rest yourself after a strenuous day and enjoy the good music and jokes.

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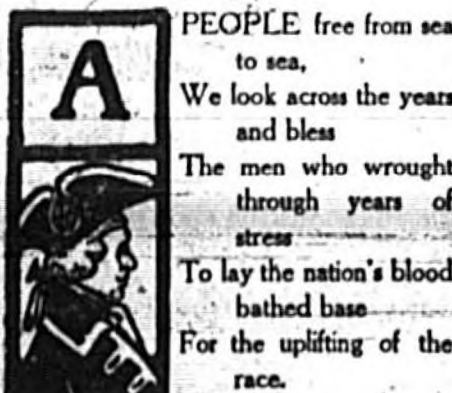
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A National Hymn For July Fourth

JOHN E. DOLSEN

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PEOPLE free from sea to sea, We look across the years and bless The men who wrought through years of stress To lay the nation's blood-bathed base For the uplifting of the race.

O God, to thee we bend the knee As now along the upward slope We press with never dying hope Of better day, of greater good, Of broader, closer brotherhood.

O God of life and peace and strife, Grant that the coming years shall be Greatest in human history In the achievements of the mind That make for good of mankind.

God, give us peace and large increase Of all that makes a people great. Grant to the leaders of the state An outlook broad, with power of brain To render vile temptations vain.

Help us, we pray, to truly say That the great fabric of our laws Is free from fraud and hidden flaws, And let our institutions be The models for humanity.

Harry Floyd has joined the staff of Dixie. Right man in the right place.

Let the eagle's scream and the buzzard buzz today. The new county bids the thousands welcome.

That proof sheet of the Tampa Tribune was the best one that the editors of Florida ever tried to correct. And there were no "outs" in it.

Seminole county is not satisfied with its present limits. It wants to acquire a slice of Lake and a slice of Volusia, so as to give Bob Holly more room to grow.

It is rather difficult for a country editor to get down to business this week after that rather strenuous time in Tampa. We miss the buzz of the trolley and the fizz of the fizzer and the pain of the champagne.

All of these flatwoods lands about here will be valuable ten years from now and every stick of round or turpentine timber will be worth money. We have seen the pine forests cut off in Michigan, and the land cleaned of hardwood, so that now they will buy logs that they would not take as a gift a few years ago. We can remember the time that beautiful hemlock trees were cut for the bark, to be used in tanneries, the timber being utterly useless. Today hemlock lumber brings a good price. Conserve every stick of timber in the state for you'll need it. Pine cord wood sells for \$2 a cord now. We have bought bird's eye maple for \$1.50 a cord. Winter Garden Times.

THANKS

Mr. Holly's elevation to the vice-presidency of the Press Association of the state is a mighty good selection. Our neighbor and contemporary of the Sanford Herald is not only a man of ability, but of such grace of manner and kindness of heart that his official relations can but be of great benefit.

NEWSPAPERS AND PROGRESS

We trust we may be pardoned for the seemingly constant reference to newspapers and their work, but owing to the fact that this is our business, and that we know it pays to advertise, coupled with the further fact that just now we are on the eve of the convention of the Florida State Press Association, we feel that a few words along these lines are not amiss.

We make it a positive statement without fear of challenge, that in no activity has there been more progress during the last twenty years than that of the country newspaper. There are now hundreds of country papers which,

in editorial ability, mechanical appearance, and all that contributes to inspire respect and command attention are fully abreast of their metropolitan contemporaries; in moral tone, and often in editorials they surpass most of the great dailies. In times past the country editor was quite generally regarded with a half pitying contempt as a good natured but chicken hearted chronicler of inconsequential localities. All of this has changed and country newspapers as a class wield the mightiest influence in the nation. The editors are men of character and ability, and they are doing more for the community for less money than any other body of workers.

FRANK MAYES FOR GOVERNOR

From time to time the state press has been firing random shots on the subject of the fitness and eligibility for the Governorship of Frank L. Mayes, editor of the Pensacola Journal. Such expressions have met with no response or comment from Mr. Mayes himself, although they have provoked much favorable discussion among his friends. At the recent State Press Association convention in Tampa there was a pronounced undercurrent of sentiment that the state could not make a better selection for its next chief executive.

One West Florida candidate for Governor has been industriously boomed in certain quarters and an effort has been made to create the impression that he is the logical and inevitable choice. We refer to John P. Stokes of Pensacola. So far as ability, fitness and popularity are concerned, there is no comparison between Mr. Mayes and Mr. Stokes. The latter is practically unknown outside of his immediate section and he has shown nothing in his public career that entitles him to consideration for the high office of Governor. On the other hand, Frank Mayes is not only the strongest man in West Florida, but he is strong in East and South Florida, and is probably the only man in West Florida who could command a large support in this section of the state.

South Florida, at the present outlook, will not have a candidate to offer for Governor in the next election. The last three Governors have come from this section, Jennings from Hernando, Gilchrist from DeSoto and Trammell from Polk. It is regarded as certain that the next choice will fall upon a West Florida man, and if it is the desire of that section to put forth a candidate who will receive the support of South Florida, it cannot do better than select Frank Mayes, a man who is big enough to recognize the needs and rights of all sections of Florida and who stands second to none in those elements of character and ability essential to the making of a good Governor.

No other West Florida man we can at the moment think of could hope to receive the shadow of effective support in this section. We throw out the hint to our West Florida brethren for their guidance and enlightenment in presenting a candidate to the rest of the state.

SANFORD WELCOMES YOU

Today of all days Sanford welcomes her visitors. Sanford has always extended the glad hand and her hospitality is proverbial. But today is an extraordinary day, albeit we have not made any extraordinary efforts to entertain you because the usual visitor would much rather have a quiet time than so much ceremony during the heated term. We want you to enjoy a quiet day with us. We want you to be one of the family to sit down to lunch in the shade and eat a picnic dinner, your first in Seminole county. The occasion is an extraordinary one because we are celebrating the birthday of national freedom and also the birthday of the new county. This day Sanford on behalf of Seminole bids you welcome to the best city in the best county in the best state in the Union. We have diversions for old and young but our main object is to meet you and greet you, have you know Sanford of today. While primarily a day of celebration for the people of the county we welcome the world to our city and the gates are open. Sanford and Seminole county are on the eve of a great awakening. The new county comprises some of the best territory in the south and in a few years will have several populous cities beside Sanford within her borders. The finest truck growing lands, the finest orange groves, the finest roads, the finest lakes and streams for boating and fishing, the finest cattle, hogs, chickens, horses and other live stock, the finest artesian water, health conditions, and the finest people all prevail in Seminole as in no other country in the world. No need to expatiate at length upon all that we have to offer, for every one knows it to be true.

Having all these good things we take pleasure in demonstrating to our visitors today that we not only have the goods but the spirit that goes with them. If any of our visitors are not satisfied in their own minds that they live in a place that has half the advantages of Seminole county come over into a real county and be one of us.

To those already residing in Seminole we want to say that the city is yours. If you don't see what you want ask for it. We have it.

GIVEN WARM WELCOME

Tampa, with that hospitality that never hesitates and knows no limit, has

entertained in the past many gatherings of different sorts, giving them that boundless welcome so generous and unstinted as to have become proverbial; but there has been none in the past, there can be none in the future, that has been greeted with a more spontaneous and sincere cordiality than that which we extend to our friends and co-laborers of the Florida press.

The members of the Times staff consider it an honor to be numbered with the fraternity that gathers here tomorrow animated by high ideals, actuated by the altruism that ever has and ever will be the count of good, this band of devoted workers has directed enterprise, led progress, molded sentiment and constructed the fortunes of the commonwealth to the point where the utmost pride of her citizens is justified.

In the numberless discussions that arise and are waged and subside over the measures advocated or opposed in the columns that they control asperities sometimes develop and exasperation ensues between the earnest editorial partisans, leaving occasionally scars that it takes time to heal. Let us cover these scars with the salve of fraternal greeting and with the handclasp of cordiality obliterate their last trace.

We hope much of good to the fraternity to which we are proud to belong from the session about to commence. In the place of the lack of knowledge of each other's personality that now in too many cases prevails there will be an individual acquaintanceship and an intimate friendship that many a time hereafter will preclude the sharp retort and the wounding words that have heretofore too often marred our columns and we sincerely hope that our guests will return to their pleasantly interrupted labors bearing with them a better understanding of the spirit of the people of Tampa and a higher esteem for them than they have harbored before, and there will also be an even warmer cordiality and closer comradeship toward their brethren of the local press than the past has nourished.

AT GETTYSBURG

The remnants of the firing line of the greatest armies the world has ever known are at Gettysburg today, glorious in defeat, magnificent in victory. When the sword of the vanquished was tendered to the victor—Horace Greely appeared as a bondsman for the president of the late confederacy, the world read a lesson in civilization.

The present generation don't know much about that four years, but it should pause long enough to read the papers of this week and those of next Sunday. Those of our country who are the children and the grandchildren of the men who were engaged in that great struggle may well look back over a few years and stand with uncovered heads while the soldiers who survived are on review before the world today, and place a laurel wreath on the monuments to the dead.

In Edgar Allen Forbes' story in the American Magazine for July 1913, he tells how Bigelow and his Ninth Massachusetts battery were ordered to hold Longstreet at all hazards, but before the last of Bigelow's guns could be extricated Longstreet's men with muskets pointed at the last caisson driver came fushing up, but this blue driver ignored the rain of bullets, smiled at certain death, whipped his horses up. Then Longstreet's officer of infantry shouted to the Gray line, "Don't shoot, we can't kill so brave a man as that" and in his uniform of blue this hero carried his caisson off the field safe.

Mrs. Pickett, in her book, "The Bugles of Gettysburg" relates another incident. General Garnett leading, "Faster, men, faster," they heard above the roar, then the voice fell, Garnett was dead. Then another shouted, "Come on, boys," his sword flashed high in the sun, pointing to the blazing hill ahead. Then this rugged warrior sat like a figure of stone on his black war horse while the battle raged hot around him. On the other side in the line of blue a soldier lifted his rifle, took careful aim; then he lowered his gun and looked around, three of his comrades in blue were lowering their guns, "We can't kill a man as brave as that," they said. And while we are looking back over records of courage and magnanimity innumerable there is one incident that should be of interest to Floridians. In Mr. Walter A. Clark's "Under the Stars and Bars" is his recollection of George Register, color-bearer of the First Florida Regiment. I will use Mr. Clark's words, because no man can pay a more beautiful tribute to a Florida hero.

"Under the murderous leaden hail that swept the open field (Franklin, Tenn.) over which they passed, the First Florida was ordered to lie down to secure some immunity from the fire that was rapidly thinning its ranks. The entire regiment sank to the ground, save one of their number. The color-bearer, unwilling to lower his flag, yet willing to show his foe how a brave man could die, refused to avail himself of the partial protection which a change in position would bring, and standing erect, calmly faced the storm of shot and shell, faced it unmoved, while seven color guards around him were either dead or wounded, at his feet; faced it unflinchingly while the staff he held in his brave right hand was three times shattered by hostile shot; faced it without a tremor while the folds of his tattered flag were thirty times rent and torn by hissing minnies or shrieking shells; faced it until

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the blessedness of night had come to end the carnival of death, and stood there at its close the very incarnation of courage, and yet without the smell of fire on his garments or the mark of shot or shell on his gray-clad form."

And today we are at Gettysburg that the world may look upon a scene no country or continent has been able to stage before. There the grizzled warriors make a bulwark to the nation, while the stars and stripes and the stars and bars are fanned by the breezes that sweep over an undivided country. Soldiers of one side and soldiers of the other paying tribute alike to that glorious manhood that will always live in the memory of every patriotic American.

Absent-Minded Statesman.

Lord Lawrence, who was once governor general of India, was so absent minded in matters of external display that when the Koh-i-noor Diamond, now among the crown jewels, came into his hands for transmission to Queen Victoria after the annexation of the Punjab in 1849, he kept it for six weeks in his waistcoat pocket, having forgotten all about it and only discovered it there by accident.

Self-Knowledge.

Buffer me to recommend to you one of the most useful lessons of life, the knowledge and study of yourself. There you run the greatest hazard of being deceived. Self-love and partiality cast a mist before the eyes, and there is no knowledge so hard to be acquired, nor of more benefit when once thoroughly understood.—Abigail Adams to Her Son.

Rooted in the Human Heart.

There is a smell in our native earth better than all the perfumes in the east. There is something in a mother, though never so angry, that the children will more naturally trust her than the studied civilities of strangers, let them be never so hospitable.—Lord Halifax.

Cause of Fall of Bullet.

The resistance of the air and the attraction of gravitation cause a bullet or cannonball to end its flight and fall to the earth; these two forces operating together cause the projectile to describe a curve dependent on its initial velocity. The greater the speed at the beginning the farther it will go.

Snubbed "Iron Duke."

The Duke of Wellington, who had a taste for anything that Napoleon had liked, applied to David the artist, who had painted Napoleon's portrait, requesting David to execute one of himself. "Sir," replied David, "I paint only historical characters."

Victorian Jest.

The diversions of the court included an anticipation of the spelling bee. When a lady of the court spelled "thermometer" with an "a" Melbourne judiciously observed: "It is a very good way to spell it, but not the way."—London Athenaeum.

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION

To Whom It May Concern: Notice is hereby given that Cruse Barnes, E. W. Howland, O. L. Taylor, L. P. McCuller, R. L. Peck, C. O. McLaughlin and T. A. Neal intend to apply to the Honorable James W. Perkins, Circuit Judge of the Seventh Judicial Circuit, in and for the state of Florida, on the 14th day of July, A. D. 1913, for a charter, incorporating Sanford Lodge No. 1241 of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, for the purpose and purposes of said corporation, which is to be a charitable and benevolent corporation, and to promote the welfare and enhance the happiness of the members of Sanford Lodge No. 1241, and to perform acts of charity and beneficence.

A copy of the proposed charter is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Orange County, Florida, at Sanford, Seminole county, Florida, this 19th day of June, A. D. 1913. Cruse Barnes, E. W. Howland, O. L. Taylor, L. P. McCuller, R. L. Peck, C. O. McLaughlin, T. A. Neal. Geo. A. DeCottis, Atty.

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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

Sanford growers have been successful in raising a record for summer crops.

Hon. E. A. Douglas was in the city yesterday enroute home from Tampa where he spent Wednesday.

There will be quartettes, duets and trios at the evening of song, Congregational church next Sunday night.

Will Watson is sojourning in good old Georgia and report has it that he is married, but no proof is forthcoming.

Dick Calhoun left last Tuesday for Denver and other points in the west, where he will stay for several months.

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

James and Owen Higgins have returned home for the summer vacation. They have been attending school at Baltimore.

Miss Phillips has returned from a pleasant trip to Geneva, where the good people of that thriving city showed her many social attentions.

Smoke the new Seminole brand of cigars made by J. J. Mauser of this city and given away free today with the compliments of the manufacturer.

Braxton Perkins will leave on Sunday for his old home in Virginia, where he will spend several weeks rusticiating for the benefit of his shattered health.

Bicycle Tires—Seventy-five pair just received, all sizes. Price \$4.00, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00, \$7.00 and \$7.50 per pair. Sanford Cycle Co., 108 Palmetto Ave. 91-1tc

D. L. Thrasher and Ralph Sauls spent several days of this week at Coronado Beach, where they yanked in several big ones or at least they said they did.

Mr. and Mrs. John Herby are visiting relatives and friends at their old home in Dayton, Ohio and will spend the summer months in the Buckeye state.

"Love Not the World," from Sullivan's Oratorio, The Prodigal Son will be among the selections sung at the Congregational church next Sabbath night.

Miss Jessie Stinson with cornet and Mr. M. C. Aspinwall with melliphone will assist in the evening of praise service, Congregational church next Sunday night.

Among the many distinguished citizens among us today are Hon. W. A. McWilliams of St. Augustine, Judge Worley of Miami and Senator Donegan of Kissimmee

You can't drown in the Woodland Park swimming pool. Ideal place to learn to swim. Emptied and cleaned daily. 87-1f

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Brumley, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bell and Mrs. Ben Guthrie and little Mary are all enjoying the mountain air at Charlotte, N. C., where they will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Frank and Master Richard have gone to Sarasota where Mr. Frank has accepted a position with the Sarasota-Palmer Co., and will have charge of their immense garden project.

The official program for today's festivities can be found at the Herald office or at the different news stands. They are free and every visitor should take one home and preserve it for future reference.

Mrs. Eugene Laramore of Jacksonville will arrive in the city on Saturday and be the guest of relatives and friends. Mrs. Laramore as Miss Vivian Yeiser was very popular and has a host of friends who will be glad to see her again.

Come in and look at our new line of bicycles, Iver Johnson's and Racycles. The very best bicycles on the market. Sanford Cycle Co., 108 Palmetto Ave. 91-1tc

Mrs. Carrie Jackson of Tampa is in the city today the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. J. Holly of Sanford Heights. Mrs. Jackson is the efficient assistant to Superintendent Moore, of the Hillsborough county public instruction department.

Miss Anna Overman has arrived in the city from Philadelphia and will be the guest of her brother, J. H. Overman for several weeks. Miss Overman is a talented musician and has charge of one of the large conservatories of music in Philadelphia.

A. C. Watson of Tampa, representing the Florida Safe & Scale Co., called upon the local trade this week. Mr. Watson handles the Herring-Hall-Marvin Safe Co. products and also the Anderson Computing Scale Co. scales and will make this territory every few months.

Hotel Breakers, just south of Kentings Pier, Daytona Beach. Open year round. New hotel. Makes speciality of shore dinners Thursday evenings and Sunday noon. 87-Fri-1f

Mrs. Endor Curlett was in the city yesterday and left a program at The Herald office for a big entertainment

which the M. M. S. Society will pull off there on Tuesday night. The Geneva people are a live bunch and the Sanford people who enjoy a good time should go to Geneva on Tuesday night.

A brief, forceful discourse an enlarged choir, special sacred vocal and instrumental interpretations will be features of the evening of praise at the Congregational church, 8:30 p. m. next Sunday. Pastor and people will be glad to see all not church attendants elsewhere, at the Congregational evening of song.

We are agents for the Pope motorcycle and can make you an attractive price. If you are thinking of buying a motorcycle see us. Sanford Cycle Co., 108 Palmetto Avenue. 91-1tc

Mr. and Mrs. James McComb have arrived home from New York, where they have been for the past two months and have taken comfortable quarters at the Perkins home on Magnolia avenue. Mr. McComb is the editor of the Florida Growers News and is making himself famous among the growers for his fearless fight in their behalf.

Mrs. J. P. Moody is in the city for the day, guest of the Robbins' Nest. Mrs. Moody, who is a charming woman, formerly Gertrude Barclay of Dallas, Texas is a direct descendant of David Barclay of the "house of Wry" of Scotland. Mr. and Mrs. Moody are temporarily located in Geneva, where Mr. Moody is connected with the Kissimmee Valley & East Coast Construction Co.

Forster Will Preside Owing to the illness of Mayor Spencer who was to have charge of the civic exercises on July Fourth, Mr. F. P. Forster has been requested to take charge.

Every Week Bridge Club Mrs. Cruse Barnes delightfully entertained the Every Week Bridge Club at her charming home on the Heights Wednesday afternoon. Two tables of bridge were played, resulting in the highest score to Mrs. A. P. Connelly's credit, which won for her the pretty prize, a dainty china cup and saucer.

After the conclusion of the interesting games of cards a delicious salad course, suggestive of the patriotic spirit everywhere was served. The attractive dainties were decorated with alternating flags and shields and a miniature silk flag decorated the salad.

Mrs. Barnes' guests were Mrs. C. M. Vance, Mrs. W. R. Anno, Mrs. W. D. Holden, Mrs. A. P. Connelly, Mrs. Forrest Lake, Mrs. T. A. Neal, Mrs. G. F. Smith.

Old Made Good as New I have a first class harness maker now and we can do anything in this line while you wait. Give us a trial and be convinced. W. H. UNDERWOOD. 82-1f

Appreciated Sanford certainly appreciates the honor bestowed upon Editor Holly by the State Press Association in making him vice president of the association. It is an honor worthily bestowed and is worth far more than its face value in numberless ways. The state press composed of a large body of men who are among the best mentally equipped and indefatigable workers for the advancement, betterment and uplift of their individual communities, and the state in general, is one of Florida's greatest and most valuable assets.—Sanford Cor. in Tampa Tribune.

Dougllass in Tampa Hon. E. A. Douglas, clerk of the court for the newly created Seminole county, was in the city yesterday on a short business mission connected with county affairs. Mr. Douglas has made his home at Oviedo for the last few years, but on account of his election to the county office will move to Sanford and become a citizen of the Celery City. Mr. Douglas states that Seminole county is starting on its career in the best of conditions and that, unlike other new counties in the state, its political factions are combined into one unit. The anti-divisionists, few in number, who were in favor of remaining as a part of Orange county, have joined the successful citizens and are making the development of the new county a hobby. Mr. Douglas, who has a large number of Tampa friends, spent a great deal of his spare time with them yesterday, and went over parts of the city to note the developments. He is of the opinion that Tampa is improving faster than any city in Florida and that it is destined to be the metropolis of the state in the near future.—Tampa Tribune.

Big Excursion Excursion to Woodland Park, Louisiana. Alma May and Mamie will leave city dock at 2:30 p. m., Sunday. 25c round trip. 85-Fri-1f

Congregational Church Next Sunday morning the Lord's Supper will be observed. In the evening a special musical program is to be given, a number of special numbers, in solo, duet and choral work will be given. "Religion and Music" will be the subject of a short talk. All are cordially invited.

F. P. STRONG, Acting Pastor.

NEAT JOKE ON "COLLECTOR" L. P. McCULLER

Chinaware on Which She Had Set Her Heart Really Was Not of Extremely Ancient Make.

Framingham Quizzle made his money in beans; navy beans, the kind best for army soup. He took some of his money to Long Island and bought a pretentious "place." Thereupon Mrs. Quizzle acquired a taste for old porcelain. Now every one knows that many Long Island families are of revolutionary stock. What was more logical than Mrs. Quizzle's deduction that old families have old china?

She attended auction sales of household goods, such as frequently held in Nassau county, and gathered a collection of stoneware and crockery. Recently she was a bidder for some of the goods and chattels of old Mrs. Delmonte, who comes of accepted Long Island ancestry.

"How much for these blue cups and saucers?" asked Steve, the village auctioneer. "There are two cups and three saucers."

"One dollar for each cup and saucer," bid Mrs. Framingham Quizzle.

"They're yours!" shouted the auctioneer.

After paying for her purchase Mrs. Framingham Quizzle turned to Mrs. Delmonte.

"My," exclaimed the old woman, "if I'd only known that I could have bought a whole hoghead of them cups and saucers."

"You—you—bought them?" asked Mrs. Quizzle.

"Yes'm; five cents apiece at the grocer's roun' th' corner they was, only last week."

Many Have Planned New Judea.

Israel Zangwill's plan of a "new Judea" for the Jews has been shared by many illustrious people. Oliver Cromwell in 1654 planned such a new Judea in Surinam, and even before that the Dutch West India company had drawn up a similar scheme for Curacao. Marshal Saxe projected a Jewish kingdom in South America, with himself as king, and in 1825 Maj. Noah purchased Grand Island in the River Niagara and attempted to found on it a Jewish state, and today there are in Palestine some 20 colonies of Jews who have managed to return from exile.

What is Time?

What is time? The shadow on the dial, the striking of the clock, the running of the sand—day and night, summer and winter—months, years, centuries; these are but arbitrary and outward signs, the measure of Time, not Time itself. Time is the Life of the Soul.—Longfellow.

Women and Congress.

The question as to woman's eligibility to congress has never been raised and, of course, not decided, but if the people of a district in a state where woman suffrage existed and where women were eligible to any office should elect a woman to congress she would probably be admitted.

Politician's Ideal.

In the opinion of the average politician the ideal form of government would be one under which everybody could have a public office.

WANTS

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

Found—A pocketbook containing money. Owner can have same upon identification and paying for the local, Newton Stenstrom, Caldwell's store.

For Rent—Good housekeeping rooms, also furnished rooms. 311 Park Ave. 91-3p

For Sale, Lease or Exchange—Small hotel, cool grassy shady lawns, large white sulphur spring. Nice pike roads, worth investigating now. Address Box 210, Morristown, Tenn. 91-1f

Lost on Celery Avenue—Brown rubber poncho. Leave at Herald office for owner. 91-2p

For Sale—A fine large horse, will work anywhere. Good driver. Ten years old (sound). Have no use for him. O. J. Fulton, Ft. Reed, Fla. 91-1f

Choice, solid ripe tomatoes for canning and ketchup, 50¢ a bushel delivered. Drop a postal. Harry Wolff, 1018 First St., Sanford, Fla. 90-2p

Strayed—Gray horse, lame in front leg. Finder notify Andrew Woodward, R. F. D. 1, City. 90-2p

For Sale—Twelve room house in good location for boarders and roomers. Half cash, balance monthly. Price reasonable. Box 867. 87-8tc

For Sale—Block of ten lots on West side, contains two acres, fronts on First street. Cheap for cash and quick sale. Box 311. 87-8tc

For Rent—Cottage, five rooms and bath. Enquire A. R. Key, First National Bank. 72-7f

For Rent—Large front room. Mrs. R. L. Jones, 206 Park avenue. 72-1tc

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

Want to buy a few thousand feet of cedar boards. F. L. Greene, R. 2. 68f

Don't call in Sanford for \$4.00 per week. Most home-like hotel in town. Transients and regular boarders find a welcome at reasonable rates. St. Johns Hotel, R. W. Wathen, Prop., 429 First Street.

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SANFORD FLORIDA

An Invitation

The City of Sanford today invites all of Seminole County to join with us in a dual celebration; first an observance of our NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE DAY; second, to rejoice together that the long desired COUNTY OF SEMINOLE has taken her place among her sister counties.

The First National Bank

Would remind all of it's friends and neighbors that it is the largest, oldest and strongest bank in the county; that it is the only bank in the County under the supervision of the UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT; that its facilities are the best; and that in considering a bank in which to deposit your money or valuables, you should think FIRST of that bank which has a record of over a QUARTER OF A CENTURY of SAFE, satisfactory, progressive banking.

First National Bank Of Sanford, Florida

Seize Your Opportunity

Own Your Own Home

Buy Now and Save Money. Property Cheaper Now Than Ever Again in Sanford.

If you can't buy a home, buy a lot. We have what you want. Come and see us, as we can make the terms to fit your means and sell you what you want at a reasonable price.

Thrasher & DuBose

Over Sanford Shoe & Clothing Co's. Sanford, Florida

Herald Want Ads Will Bring Results

JEFFERSON'S LAST WORDS

He Explained the Influence of the Declaration of Independence.

NINE days before his death Thomas Jefferson was asked to write a sentiment for the forthcoming fiftieth anniversary of the Declaration of Independence...



He wrote: 'The eyes of men are opened and opening to the rights of men. It has become clear that the masses of men are not born with saddles on their backs nor a favored few booted and spurred ready to ride them legitimately by the grace of God.'

FOURTH OF JULY FIFTY YEARS AGO.

People Were Awaiting News of Battle of Gettysburg.

FIFTY years ago this Fourth of July the people of the whole country were in a state of tremendous excitement over the battle of Gettysburg...

The Army of the Potomac was in the field to combat Lee. Its commander, General Joseph Hooker, had been removed June 28...

AN OLD TIME FOURTH.

Indians Celebrated by Wearing Flags For Breechcloths.

One of the most remarkable old time celebrations of the Fourth of July that ever took place in New York state was described as follows many years ago by a woman who witnessed it...

The morning newspaper news of that date was chiefly in the minds of the public on the Fourth except those who received the morning dailies of the Fourth...

The papers stated that General J. F. Reynolds of the Federal forces had been killed, that the Confederates had been 'repulsed' and 'driven' and were 'avoiding the issue'...

The morning papers of July 4 placed before their readers on Independence Day the statement that the battle of Gettysburg had been the severest of the war...

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ment that the Confederates 'have made no impression on my position as yet.' In this dispatch General Meade gave to the people whose relatives were in the army at Gettysburg food for thought by stating that the losses had been heavy...

SHOULD WE CELEBRATE ON THE 2D OF JULY?

On the 3d of July, 1770, John Adams, then one of the representatives of Massachusetts in the Continental congress, wrote to his wife, Abigail:

'Yesterday the greatest question was debated which was ever debated in America, and a greater perhaps never was nor will be decided among men.'

In a second letter, written the same day, he said:

'But the day is past. The 2d of July will be the most memorable epoch in the history of America. I am apt to believe that it will be celebrated by succeeding generations as the great anniversary festival. It ought to be commemorated as the day of deliverance by solemn acts of devotion to God Almighty...

When the resolution was taken up on the 2d all the states, except New York, voted to accept it. Thus on the 2d day of July, 1776, the independence of the thirteen united colonies from the throne of Great Britain was definitely decided upon...

But the weather was oppressively warm, and the hall in which the delegates sat was close to the stable. 'Whence the hungry flies swarmed thick and dense, alighting on the legs of the delegates and biting hard through their thin silk stockings...

It is a mistake to suppose that the document was signed by the delegates on that day. It is improbable that any signing was done save by John Hancock, the president of the congress...

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'It was in 1769, and it happened in the old Indian valley of Onago, now Windsor in Broome county, N. Y. Before the Revolutionary war our valley was the famous residence of an Indian tribe...

'In the year I named these Indians accepted a proposition from the government to remove to lands set apart for them in the then far west and on that Fourth of July we celebrated at one and the same time the Declaration of Independence and the departure of the Indians...

'They danced all sorts of queer dances and went through all sorts of queer ceremonies. Toward midnight they all got pretty well filled up with firewater, and then they rushed about with nothing on but American flags for breechcloths, hurrahing for the Fourth of July and yelling goodby to us all...

CITY RESIDENCES IN SANFORD SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

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WHAT SANFORD HAS

Dear Sir: In Order that you can form a correct idea of Sanford I will state a few facts as published by our commercial Club.

Sanford is in the new county of Seminole, formerly Orange. Sanford will be the county seat.

Sanford is on the south shore of Lake Monroe, a beautiful lake about four miles wide and seven miles long. The St. Johns river runs through it from east to west.

Sanford has a population of 6,300 (city census of 1912).

Sanford has six churches—Presbyterian, Methodist, Baptist, Episcopal, Congregational and Catholic. A High School, Grammar School, Primary School, Kindergarten and Catholic School. Splendid Water Works, Gas Plant, Electric Plant, two Telegraph Systems, Local and Long Distance Telephones, Standard Oil Station, Gulf Refining Oil Station, Railroad Shops, three Automobile Garages and Machinery Shops. Railways to Jacksonville, Tampa, Oviedo, Leesburg, Eustis, St. Petersburg and Cameron City. Railway Shops, with monthly pay roll of \$20,000.00. Two Banks, with a combined capital of \$761,547.82. There were 2,569,010 letters mailed in the Sanford Post Office in 1912. Two Ice Plants, capacity 150 tons per day. \$200,000.00 for Brick Roads to the Celery Farms. Thirty School Teachers, with salaries amounting to \$15,221.00. One thousand one hundred and thirty-three Pupils. Free City Mail Delivery and three rural free delivery Routes. Daily Boat Line to Jacksonville and boat lines up the river. Ferries across the lake. New Union Depot cost \$100,000.00. New Express Office cost \$20,000.00. Sixty-blocks of Street paved with vitrified brick. A paid Fire Department with automobile truck. One Newspaper Office. A Fertilizer Plant, shipping 7,500 tons annually. Two Lumber Yards. A Building and Loan Association. One Steam and Two Hand Laundries. Two Theatres. Four Hotels and many Boarding Houses. One Carriage and Wagon Factory. Three Blacksmith Shops. Two Restaurants. Two Bakeries. One Military Band. One Public Library. One Cold Storage Plant. \$70,000.00 appropriated for a Federal Building. Concrete Works. Cold Storage Plant. Three Artesian Well Drillers. Six Public Parks. One Base Ball Park. Two Tennis Courts. Two Bottling Works. Seven Wholesale Fish Stores. Two Plumbing Contractors. Four Building Contractors. Two Photograph Galleries. Three Livery Stables. Four Attorneys at Law. Splendid Sewerage System. Street Car Line. Masonic, K. of P., W. of W., Elk, Moose, Eagle Lodges. Two Bicycle Shops. One Realty Trust Company. Seven Real Estate Agencies. Three Crate Material Houses. One Wrapping Paper and Printing Factory. Five Insurance Agencies. Five Physicians. Five Shoe Stores. Nineteen Grocery Stores. Eight Dry Goods Houses. Three Clothing Stores. Four Furniture Stores. Three Hardware Stores. Four Drug Stores. One Wholesale Grocery. One Wholesale Feed and Grain House. One 5 and 10 Cent Store. Two Jewelry Stores. Two Musical Instrument Houses. Two Seed Houses. Two Veterinary Surgeons. Three Dentists. Two Civil Engineers. Three thousand five hundred Acres in Vegetables. Twenty-seven Vegetable Buyers, etc., etc., etc.

Sanford is one of the healthiest cities in the state. Splendid street cleaning department, sewerage, a well organized sanitary department and such other organizations as conduce to the welfare and good health. The vegetable output from the Sanford farms for last season, from 2,175 acres of tilled land and 1,325 acres not tilled, was as follows:

Table listing vegetable production: 420,000 Crates Celery (\$525,000.00), 250,000 Crates Lettuce (375,000.00), 250,000 Crates Other Vegetables (215,000.00), 25,000 Barrels Irish Potatoes (125,000.00), 110,000 Bushels Corn (99,000.00), 65,000 Bushels Sweet Potatoes (65,000.00), 19,000 Boxes Citrus Fruit (23,750.00), 2,000 Tons Hay (24,000.00), 81,000 Watermelons (12,500.00). Total: \$1,464,250.00

or 3,118 cars of 40,000 lbs. capacity.

- 1—Five room Cottage, on Palmetto avenue between 4th and 5th streets—toilet and bath. Artesian well connection. Cash \$ 1,500.00
2—Lot 13, Blk 5, Tier 2, House of 10 rooms 2,500.00
3—Lot, 100x150 ft., 10 room House, two stories. Flowing well and rain water water tank 4,500.00
4—Two story, 7 room House, lot 100x110 ft., on Oak avenue. Plenty of flowers and shrubbery 3,500.00
5—Five room Cottage, corner lot, 67x 75 feet. Easy terms 2,100.00
6—Lot 65x117, House 6 rooms and bath, warehouse. Use of warehouse reserved for 5 years. Good flowing well. Half cash 3,000.00

- 7—Four Houses, on 2 lots, Georgetown, Deep well with pitcher pump, cor. 10th and Willow 1,200.00
8—Lot, Markham Heights, 100x110, house, 4 rooms and bath, 500 gal. tank 2,200.00
9—Lot, 100x100, 7 Houses, cor. Sanford avenue and 4th st. 3,000.00
10—Lot on Markham Heights, lot 101x110, well 150 ft. deep, house 4 rooms. Sold 800.00
11—House and 2 lots, cor. 2nd and Elm, 8 rooms and bath 4,000.00
12—A splendid large house, 30 rooms and bath, store house and barn 5,000.00
13—Withdrawn.
14—Lot, Sanford Heights, 67x130, good 10 room house, electric lights, artesian well, tank and engine. Lots of fruits and flowers 3,500.00
15—Fine house on the Heights, modern improvements, lot 134x130, chicken yards, Kewanee System water works, orange trees, flowers, etc 5,000.00
16—House, 4 rooms, on 3rd St., between Palmetto and Magnolia 1,800.00
17—House, 8 rooms on 3rd St, between Palmetto and Sanford 1,300.00
18—House, 2 story, 8 rooms, on Oak, between 3rd and 4th 3,750.00
19—House and lot between 3rd and 4th, on Oak avenue, 5 rooms and bath and kitchen 4,500.00
20—21—Lots, cor. 10th and Magnolia, garage, lawn, etc., splendid house, 2 story and attic, toilets, closets in every bedroom. Furnace in basement 10,000.00
21—A fine new house, 8 rooms, 2 lots, cor. 8th and Park, shade trees, bath and toilet. Steam heat 6,500.00
22—Good, 2 story house on Oak avenue, between 7th and 8th Sts. 5,000.00
23—6 Room house on Sanford avenue, between 4th and 5th streets 1,800.00
24—House and lot, cor. 9th and Laurel— one-half cash 2,100.00
25—Withdrawn.
26—3 Acres on the Heights, 8 room, 2 story house, 30 bearing orange trees 2,500.00
27—2 Lots, six room house, tool shed, flowing well 2,500.00
28—Withdrawn.
29—Block 13, C & T., one house, 2 story, 6 rooms. 1 house, 1 story, 5 rooms. 1 House, 1 story, 2 rooms. One-half cash 2,500.00
30—An elegant house, with nice lawn, and flowers, etc., on Park Ave. 6,000.00
31—Another fine home on Park Avenue 10,000.00
32—House, 2 story, 8 rooms, electric lights, gas for cooking, copper wire screens, 35 gallon boiler. A bargain 3,500.00
33—House, 2 story, 8 rooms, on Magnolia 3,000.00
34—A choice home. House 2 story and attic. 8 rooms, garage, flowing well, A bargain 7,000.00
35—House, 3 rooms and kitchen, on Myrtle Ave., between 5th and 6th Sts. Lot 41x117. \$1,600.00 on easy terms or 1,500.00
36—Over an acre, with 2 story, 7 room house on the Heights. Fine location for chicken farm 4,000.00
37—A fine home, 2 story, 8 room house, with 2 splendid lots (House on corner lot), near business part of town 6,000.00

- 1 3 Lots, between 10th and 11th Sts., on French, each 300.00
2 Lot corner 10th and Laurel 500.00
3 2 Lots, cleared and fenced, good well 1000.00
4 Lot on Sanford Heights 350.00
5 Lot on Sanford Heights 300.00
6 2 Lots in Blk 5, Tier 2 1000.00
7 2 Splendid Heights Lots 1000.00
8 2 Lots in Sanford Heights 700.00
9 2 Lots in Georgetown 250.00
10 Lot on Magnolia, between 8th and 9th 850.00
11 2 Lots on Oak, between 12th and 13th 1100.00
12 5 Lots on Sanford Heights, fronting Park avenue 67x130. Each 550.00
13 2 Lots, corner 10th and Myrtle 1100.00
14 1 Corner lot, 10th and Palmetto 900.00
15 1 Lot between 9th and 10th on Palmetto 800.00
16 1 Lot between 3rd and 4th on Oak 1250.00
17 1 Lot between 3rd and 4th on Oak 2100.00
18 1 Lot, between 1st and 2nd on French 600.00
19 Block 5, Tier 10
20 168x268 ft., on Park Avenue (about 6 lots) 3500.00
21 Lot on 1st Street, between Palmetto and Sanford Avenues 1100.00
22 Nice Lot in Sanford Heights 225.00
23 Lot on corner, bet. 11th and 12th, on Magnolia Avenue. One-half cash 500.00
24 Corner lot Markham Heights 300.00
25 7 Lots in West Sanford 700.00
26 Whole block, 3, Tier 18 1500.00
27 2 Lots in Celery Avenue Addition 200.00
28 1 Lot in Celery Avenue Addition 300.00
29 1 1/2 of a Block (5 lots), on Palmetto 2000.00
30 2 1/2 of a Block (5 lots), on Magnolia 2000.00
31 1 1/2 of Block (5 lots) on Park 2500.00
32 2 Lots, between 10th and 11th on Elm 800.00
33 1 Lot, between 11th and 12th on Magnolia 400.00
34 2 Lots on Magnolia, between 10th and 11th 1250.00
35 1 Lot, between French and Myrtle, on 1st St. 1000.00

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Program Of Today's Grand Celebration

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Felix S. Frank	Interlocut r
C. H. Dingee	Lake Hodges
E. F. Lane	Fun
M. A. Miot	Folks
	Geo. McLaughlin

Good-Bye, Boys	C. H. Dingee
To Have, To Hold, To Love	Mr. Phillips
Tennessee Moon	F. E. Roumillat
If I Forget	Mr. McKim
Rag Time Wedding Bells	M. A. Miot
I Miss You Most at Twilight	Mr. Moore
Where You Going	Geo. McLaughlin
Good-Bye, Rose	Mr. Campbell
Pucker Up Your Lips, Miss Linda	Lake Hodges
Closing Chorus	Company

Curtain lowered for one minute

Piano Solo Huning Windhorst
 Ye Old Songs Seminole Four
 Parker, Campbell, Moore, Harrold
 The Game Hodges vs. Roumillat
 Score—Two and Won.
 High and Hungry Dingee and Hodges
 On the Mississippi, introducing the famous race between
 Robt. E. Lee and Natchez
 Scenic Effects and Decorations by C. J. Rumph

11 O'Clock

Good Night, and Au Revoir until we meet again.
 Three war whoops for Seminole County and Sanford.

True to Nature.
 The tots in a primary class in sense-training were imitating anything they choose. When it was Hazel's turn, she stepped into the center of the room and wriggled her body from side to side. No one could guess what she was impersonating, so she was asked to explain. "Why," she said, "I was a little dog wagging its tail."

Changing Nature Indirectly.
 You are constantly assured that you cannot change human nature; that you cannot make people wiser, more just, or more virtuous. But if you cannot reform men by reforming the conditions that make men what they are, how is it that you can so easily debauch and degrade them by reversing the process?—Collier's Weekly.

Natural Question.
 "I am so very fond of music," said Miss Kittish, as she swung herself round on the piano stool and faced Mr. Harkins, after thrumming away for half an hour for his entertainment. "Ah!" replied the young gentleman thoughtlessly. "Why don't you take lessons?"—Stray Stories.

His Unavailing Search.
 "Well, James Henry Williams, did you enjoy yourself at the seaside?" "Yes, teacher, very much. I liked the sea, but I couldn't find the lighthouse." "The what, James Henry Williams?" "The lighthouse, teacher; where it says in the Bible, 'The sea and all that in them is.'"

Sacrifice for Art's Sake.
 "You say you have devoted your life to art," said the man who tries to be polite, even when surprised. "Yes," replied Mr. Cumrox. "I have devoted myself to an effort to become rich enough to own a gallery of genuine old masters."—Washington Star.

Some Good May Be Done.
 I told something to a friend once and he replied, "Gee do you want a fellow to be perfect?" I said "Yes, but I never expect to see one, but there's lots of rottenness which can be cut out of the efforts of all of us."—Exchange.

Slipper Cases.
 A discarded rubberized raincoat may be used to make cases for slippers or rubbers. Make the cases in envelope style, binding the edges with tape and fastening the flap over with a common snap hook and eye.

Dickens' New Year's Wish.
 So may the New Year be a happy one for you, happy to many more whose happiness depends on you; so may each year be happier than the last.—Charles Dickens.

Riches in Poverty.
 How slight a thing is poverty; what riches, nay treasures untold, a man may possess in the midst of it, if he does but seek them aright.—Coleridge.

Strong in Memory.
 Rural winter joys increase in an inverse ratio to the square of the distance, or words to that effect. It will be noticed that Whittier did not write "Snow Bound" until after he had become a city-dweller—and the memory of frosted nose and ears and tingling hands and feet had become dimmed and vague. A too accurate memory, like acute truthfulness, is a terrible handicap for a real poet, just as it is to an editor.

Most Persistent.
 The art of convincing is never given to the man who is unwilling to persist in an effort to convince.

Daily Thought.
 Who hears music feels his solitude peopled at once.—Robert Browning.

Just Boss.
 A plumber, by the way, is a skilled mechanic who sits on a soap box while his helper does the work.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Foolish Effort.
 Some men not only expect the worst, but take the trouble to hunt for it.



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Among Sanford Merchants

Sanford merchants are among the best people of the earth and have never received the publicity that their square dealings, big stocks, pleasing personalities and beautiful stores would warrant. The Herald will from week to week take them up and endeavor to show the trade the bunch of boosters who go to make up our business world. This week we take up the man whose likeness is given below:



L. P. McCuller

This young man bears the unique distinction of having an unfailing supply of good humor and despite the constant drain that is made upon his wealth, the supply seems unlimited. He has a smile that has never been rubbed off and things never seem to go wrong with L. P. McCuller, familiarly known as "Mac."

"Mac" came among us many years ago from the Apopka mountains. He had received his early training in the country store and there is no better training school in the world. He was first known to fame as the obliging clerk in the Sanford Grocery Co., and ere long he made himself so valuable to the trade that people would stand in the store an hour just to get "Mac" to wait on them. Quick, obliging, courteous, smiling he made himself indispensable to his employers and from Monday morning till Saturday night he was on the job every minute. With a change in business Mr. McCuller was besought to go in business for himself, a natural sequence for a good man in all lines of trade, and ere long the sign of L. P. McCuller floated in the breeze and the new store was a success from the start. Being a proprietor never gave "Mac" the swelled cranium for he redoubled his efforts to please his patrons and his success in business is due to his untiring efforts to please the public at all costs. The former single room became too small for his growing business and a few weeks ago he rented the double store building where many years ago he started in as a clerk. Today he has two fine store rooms in the Rand block fitted up to date, clean, sanitary, carrying one of the largest stocks in this section of the state and here you can find everything in staple and fancy groceries, hay, grain and feed stuffs and with a large force of obliging clerks to cater to the trade. Tracy McCuller, a brother of the proprietor and a close second in all the attributes except looks assists in the management and wears the proverbial

McCuller smile and has the same winning ways.

The success of McCuller is attributed to two things, pleasing his patrons to the exclusion of everything else, keeping the best line of groceries that the market affords and using the columns of the newspaper to let the public know that he is in business. L. P. McCuller is a young man in years and has the world before him. That he will continue to prosper and build a greater business goes without saying and his remarkable success in business from a small beginning is an example worthy of emulation by every young man who wishes to climb to the top.

There is more to business life than the sordid idea of gain, and the successful business man who can count his friends by his acquaintances has not lived his life in vain. The "sunny Jim" are the people who make life worth living and McCuller not only sells you the food but throws in a smile to aid digestion.

"How fast is your car, Simpson?" asked Harkaway.

"Well," said Simpson, "it keeps about six months ahead of my income generally."

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JULY FOURTH AT SANFORD

One of the best and most enjoyable old fashioned Fourth's ever pulled off in this section of the state was that of last Friday and the monster crowds in the city enjoyed the day to the utmost.

The day was a perfect one in every respect, and the minute detail with which the committee, through its two representatives, Mr. Bart Herndon and Thos. K. Bates, arranged each department of the celebration showed thoroughness of management, thereby causing the maximum of pleasure to the great number of persons gathered here to partake for the first time of the generous hospitality of the capital of Seminole.

Everybody was on the qui vive for the morning parade and promptly at the appointed time Marshal of the Day C. M. Hand on his fiery steed, beribboned with official badges started them off on Palmetto avenue and with Chief Underwood carrying a large flag and also mounted, started down the main avenue. The parade was a good exposition of the industries and arts and the fraternal orders were also in evidence, the Eagles as usual carrying off the palm, dressed in white and carrying red, white and blue parasols. The Eagles can always be counted upon to make a Fourth of July parade. The marshal of the day was followed by a platoon of mounted policemen with Chief Tillis. The full number of talented musicians of the Sanford Military Band were in the lead and as usual carried off the palm. The band played all day at the different events and earned their money. The Sanford fire department was another feature and had all the equipment, making a fine appearance. Among the industrial floats were the Coca Cola wagon filled with Indian maidens and piloted by S. Runge, the vegetable display of O. L. Chase placed upon an automobile and showing strings of peppers, green corn and other products of the Sanford farms. There were many other wagons of different firms decorated but the idea of a big mercantile display in the parade did not seem to take root with the merchants until the last minute and this did not give them time to make arrangements. The beautiful automobiles decorated with national colors made a most imposing effect, being fortified with a carload of minstrel men in fantastic costume.

Frank Miller, made up as a Seminole chieftain came in for a goodly share of plaudits from the crowd. There were many other chiefs and maidens and Seminole was well represented in the procession. After traversing the principal streets of the city the procession finally wound up at the Sanford House where the day's festivities were pulled off.

After several charming renditions by the band, the vast audience which had gathered under the friendly oaks of the Sanford House lawn, were called to order by Chairman Forster, who briefly stated the reasons for this celebration, and then introduced Dr. Brownlee, pastor of the Presbyterian church, who offered up a fervid invocation to Him, who holdeth the destinies of communities, towns, counties, states, nations and people as within the palm of His hand, and thanking Him for His mercies and help to the new county of Seminole. The band then delivered another number and the state song, Florida, My Florida, was sung with great zest by everyone present.

The Declaration of Independence was then read by Hon. J. N. Whitner, followed by the singing of My Country, 'Tis of Thee.

Hon. L. C. O'Neal, of Brooksville then made a stirring and patriotic address on Liberty. The address was well received, Mr. O'Neal being very popular with Sanford people.

The next number on the program was an address by Geo. DeCottes, who also delved into the subject of liberty. He was followed by Thomas K. Bates, in a brief address relative to the possibilities of the new county and the cohesiveness with which its population should work in making it one of the foremost units in the fabric of the state of Florida.

Dr. T. A. Neat then took the rostrum, and made a speech of laudation to Hon. Forrest Lake, thanking him for his ac-

tivity in behalf of the new county, and at the close of this address Mr. Lake was presented with a beautiful silver service, properly embellished with Seminole Indian heads. Mr. Lake in receiving this memento from the populace of Seminole county, made a pleasing address, in which he stated that his allegiance to his people and his county would never grow less, and that he would cherish the memory of this day as one of the brightest spots in his whole life.

Mr. Lake then relieved Mr. Forster of his duties as chairman temporarily, and Mr. DeCottes then addressed Chairman Forster and presented him with an elegant Howard watch for his vigilance and activity as chairman of the committee of 150, which had the matter of county division in charge.

The gift so touched the heart of Mr. Forster that he was unable to reply, but that the token was appreciated by him was apparent to all.

The big eating then took place on the bulk headed water front directly in front of the Sanford House, where tables had been arranged and bread, pickles, hot fried fish and many other good things were spread in tempting array and where the guests did full justice to everything. Verily the multitude was fed from the loaves and fishes and they also gathered up ten baskets full and had two barrels of pickles and one of fish left over. Some of it went to the orphan at Enterprise, and the rest went by devious channels, but was finally consumed, and the big feast went down in Seminole archives as the event of the season in gastronomic feats.

After a slight surcease from pleasure Jack Davison started his greasy pole long, lean, keen razor back that had never seen the light of civilization before and after taking a nip at everybody's legs as he passed by took to the tall and uncut timber where he is still trying to get the axle grease from his flea bitten hide. The greasy pole and other sports kept the people amused during the interim and the motor boat race was pulled off on the lake front with Billy Hill wimmer and J. T. Brady second. The Orlando boat entered was afraid of fast company and backed up.

When the sports were concluded, Mr. Bates, with his megaphone marshaled the audience back to the park in front of the Sanford House and then it was that Mr. Lake introduced Hon. W. A. MacWilliams of St. Augustine, who was booked for an address relating to the causes and reasons why we should in this particular instance make of this a double celebration. The speech of Mr. McWilliams in full is given in another part of The Herald and will interest those who heard it delivered, and those who did not hear it.

Hon. E. Noble Calhoun, also a resident of St. Augustine, and a direct descendant of that family of Calhoun orators who have won fame of an international nature, was then pressed into service, and told the hearers a few things for their delectation. He heralded himself as coming from the oldest city in the United States to the youngest county in the United States, and made it plain to the audience that we were undoubtedly one of the best fixed counties in Florida from many points of view, and there was no real good reason why we should not become the banner county in the state from the fact that we had the requisite impetus, and produced the proper potentiality, and were now generating a brand of dynamic that would cause us to become better and more favorably known throughout the nation. Mr. Calhoun made a great hit with his hearers, and was roundly applauded.

When the speech making was completed the entire aggregation took its way to the ball park to witness a game of base ball between Loughman and Sanford. This game was hot and furious, and while at its height Mr. Bates secured the attention of the vast throng in the grand stand and announced that Donegan, the Seminole hero from Kissimmee had just arrived, and would be made the recipient of a gift from the people of Seminole county. An automobile drew up in front of the grand stand, and Hon. E. Noble Calhoun again mounted the impromptu rostrum, and in a well selected verbiage presented Arthur E. Donegan with a beautiful jeweled Elk pin, which had been secured from Tiffany, as were also the other gifts.

Mr. Donegan, a favorite with Sanford, the choice of Seminole county and our representative in the Florida senate, blushed like a maid of sixteen sum-

mers when he arose to receive the gift, and profusely thanked his donors. The ball game then proceeded, and as usual Sanford got busy and bated the head off its opponent, and won the game by a score of 6 to 3 for Loughman. Loughman did fairly well, but the Sanford team had them outclassed and swiped the mats whenever needed.

As the big crowd straggled back from the ball game they were not allowed to rest for on the corner of First street and Park avenue there were a number of local huntmen ready with a real live fox captured the night before and they pulled off a first class old time Florida fox hunt. Master Reynard was turned loose and men and dogs went after him full tilt, much to the great delight of the spectators. Those who caught the fox in his native wilds were Messrs. Evans, Westerlick, Biggers, Hudson, Turner and Rickman and they chased him and caught him in realistic style, finally dragging the trophy down the streets to show him off.

The night was given over to the Lucky Sanford Minstrels at the Imperial Theatre and the S. R. O. sign was hung out early in the evening. There has never been such a crowd in the theatre before and the boys rounded up a nice sum to place in the hands of Mr. Stevens for the ball team.

The music as usual was in charge of Mrs. Turner Houser and the management of the show was in the capable hands of Ed. Lane. The following program was carried out and needs no further comment.

- Ensemble Opening. Opening Overture, including entire company in melange of latest and popular songs. Felix S. Frank Interlocutor C. H. Dingee The Lake Hodges E. F. Lane Fun E. Roumillat E. M. A. Miot Fuiks G. McLaughlin The following selections will be rendered: Good Bye Boys C. H. Dingee To Have, To Hold, To Love Mr. Phillips Tennessee Moon F. E. Roumillat If I Forget Mr. McKim Rag Time Wedding Bells M. A. Miot I Miss You Most at Twilight Mr. Moore Where You Going Geo. McLaughlin Good-Bye, Rose Mr. Campbell Pucker Up Your Lips Lake Hodges Closing Chorus Company Piano Solo Huning Windhorst Ye Old Songs Seminole Four Parker, Campbell, Moore, Harrold The Game Hodges vs Roumillat Score—Two and Won High and Hungry Dingee and Hodges On the Mississippi, introducing the famous race between Robt. E. Lee and Natches Bonnie Effects and Decorations by C. J. Rumph.

Speech of Hon. W. A. McWilliams Mr. McWilliams said in part:

Ladies and Gentlemen—It is with sincere pleasure that I availed myself of the opportunity afforded by the invitation of the Commercial Club of this city to be and rejoice with you on this occasion; joy and pleasure are conditions sought after in this life, and in their pursuit we have a constitutional right, but it has been truly said that the greatest happiness which can be enjoyed is that experienced in participating and contributing to the pleasure of our friends, so my presence here is a pleasure to me as I witness the joy and happiness of this people.

This day is one which is and should be remembered by every patriotic citizen of our country, and it has been appropriately called "Independence Day." When great events are to be produced in this our world great exertion generally becomes necessary, men are usually raised up, with talents and power peculiarly adapted to the purposes intended by Providence, who often, by their disinterested services and extreme sufferings become the wonder as well as the examples of their own and future generations. The obligations of mankind to those worthy characters increase in proportion to the importance of the blessings purchased by their labors.

It is not, then, an unreasonable expectation which, I will know generally prevails, that this day should be usually devoted to perpetuating and respectfully remembering the dignified characters of those great men, with whom it has been our honor to claim the intimate connection of fellow-citizens, men who have purchased our present joyful circumstances at the invaluable price of their blood.

But you must also acknowledge with me that this subject has been so fully

considered and so ably handled by those eloquent and enlightened men who have gone before me in this honorable path, that had their superior abilities fallen to my lot, I could do but little more than repeat the substance of their observations and vary their language.

When those sturdy pilgrims who wrote in the cabin of the Mayflower the first charter of freedom, providing for a government of just and equal laws, and against every form of injustice and tyranny, the leaven of their principles, blazed the way and planted the seed of freedom, and its fruit was the Declaration of Independence, upon which was founded the free commonwealth of the republic of the United States.

And we of the south feel a sectional pride in the knowledge that in Mechlenburg on the 29th day of May, 1775, a Declaration of Independence was also adopted by the patriotic and lively loving people of the grand old state of North Carolina.

Platforms of principles, by petition or protest or statement have been as frequent as revolts against established authority, they constitute a part of the literature of all nations; but the resolution offered by Richard Henry Lee, a member from Virginia, in the Continental Congress which met in Philadelphia in July 1776, that "these colonies are, and of right ought to be, free and independent states," this resolution was adopted July 2, 1776, and brought about the appointment of a committee of which Thomas Jefferson was chairman, and as such wrote and submitted that second Magna Charta, which has immortalized, endeared his name to the liberty loving and down trodden people of this country. An effort was not a protest nor a petition.

The Declaration of Independence proclaimed at Philadelphia, July 4th, 1776, is the only one of them which arrested the attention of the world when it was published, and has held its individual interest ever since. By this act the colonies threw down that gauge which defied all tradition, which stamped upon all past history, which mocked at ancient dogmas and hoary traditions, which introduced upon earth an entirely new and distinctive doctrine. Before that time men had fought for the realization of noble purposes and high aims; they had fought to win succor from distressful conditions, they had fought for relief from oppressions; but they had fought for these as only the gaining of a boon and privilege from powers that were, and everywhere it was conceded that there was upon earth a class of men ordained by Providence to rule, and that the vassal's obediends was the inheritance of the many.

And when men rose up in their might to fight upon the plains of Runnymede, in earnest contest, for ancient privileges, it was after all only asking something of the grace of the sovereign, and no one denied his absolute power to withhold or grant it as he would. But the colonies threw down this defiance to earth, that there was no heaven ordained class to govern men; that man by virtue of his existence, by reason of his creation was a sovereign in his own right; and that in these latter days all just rights in government were derived, not from the will of the ruler, but from the consent of the governed.

It was a new doctrine, I repeat, and if it could be successfully maintained there was no foundation strong enough for a throne to rest securely upon. And so all the startled nations rose up to oppose it, this innovation of all that had been in the preceding centuries; but guided by that star, led on by the resolute courage, the steadfast integrity of Washington, our forefathers went on and on in pursuit of this doctrine, in quest of this precious boon, on through blood and toil, on when the struggle seemed like the madness of despair and on when hope seemed to have fled, but patriotism remained; on over trembling dynasties and crumbling thrones; until they wrested that jewel of their love from the reluctant hands of a sullen king, and set it to glitter forever upon the brow of a newborn nation. Auspicious day, which one hundred and thirty-seven years ago proclaimed both civil and religious liberty to all the populations of the earth.

Today we have set forty-eight stars in our national heaven, through all the years we have gone on adding to the constellation, each one with a radiance of its own, each one with an orbit of its own, but all swinging in delightful harmony in the larger orbit in which we recognize our common country.

Are we mindful and do we fully realize the blessings of a free people,

and is such realization manifested by our measuring up to a proper high standard of citizenship of the greatest country upon which the sun ever shone?

To appreciate adequately the privileges of being free born American citizens it is well on occasions of this kind to be reminded of the patriotism, valor, courage, hardships, and sacrifices of blood and treasure of the founders of our Government.

When we recall the indomitable spirit of the minute men in their efforts to prevent Col. Smith from reaching Concord, and their cry of "Liberty or Death," which was taken up, and became as a torch which set ablaze the fires of patriotism in the whole of New England, and when the Virginia troops joined Washington at Cambridge, the like immortal words of Patrick Henry were embroidered on their hunting shirts, and so from Lexington, Concord, Ticonderoga, Bunker Hill and Long Island in the north, and Moore's Creek and Fort Moultrie in the south, the noble patriots fought on and on, and there came a period of discouragement, many soldiers unable to further endure hardships and privations and their terms of enlistment having expired, left or deserted the army, though compassed with the jealousies of some of his officers, with a depleted force, Washington realized that a supreme effort must be made to rouse his band of patriots and inspire the country in the cause of free government, that they and it may know that the fires of liberty had not been quenched with the fires of adversity, he crossed the frozen Delaware on that memorable Christmas eve, and fought and won the battle of Trenton, then came the battle of Monmouth, the double victory of Saratoga, and it was at King's Mountain on the boundary between the Carolinas, where was dispelled the dream of Cornwallis, that he had succeeded in killing the desire for freedom of the people of the south, and again at Cowpens, Guilford Courthouse, Camden and Eutaw Springs, the men of the south gave up their lives that this land should be the land of the free.

When we think of Washington and his army at Valley Forge, during the winter of 1777-1778, the condition of that army, the soldiers poorly clad, and drilling many times with snow on the ground, enduring pain and want for the sake of liberty we are reminded of Capt. Parker at Lexington and Concord, Ethan Allen at Ticonderoga, Ward and Prescott at Bunker Hill, General Lee in North Carolina, Col. Moultrie and Sergeant Jasper at Fort Moultrie, Col. Starke at Bennington, who told his men "we must beat the enemy this day or Molly Starke's a widow," at Saratoga General Schuyler, and then John Paul Jones, the founder of the American navy in his glorious victory over the English fleet off the eastern coast of England, we cannot but feel that deep sense of patriotism and love of country, inspired by their glorious example. When the drum taps of that struggle are sounded, beside the Father of our Country will be found many Putnams, Paul Bevers, Montgomerys, Warres, Greens, Marions, Lees Moultries, Jaspers and Starkes, and when the curtain of eternal peace is raised, behold there will appear in saint-like ranks on Fame's eternal camping ground,

"The old Continentals, In their ragged regimentals, Yielding not." "as amid the singing of angels in heaven, the scene is shut out from our mortal vision by proud and happy tears." What did these patriots do for us? Look around you. I am reminded there is a monument in St. Paul to the architect of that magnificent building, Sir Christopher Wrenn, upon that monument is inscribed "Here lies the body of Sir Christopher Wrenn, architect of St. Paul's." That building will decay and crumble, but the monument this republic left by our forefathers by their struggle for independence, built of their trials, sufferings, wants, privations, sorrows and blood, and cemented by their patriotism, bravery and valor shall endure until time shall be no more.

It has been said that the shot fired at Concord in the cause of liberty was heard around the world. It was more, it was the blow on the door of the citadel of the Divine Right of Kings, and the reverberations of that shot is still ringing in the ears of the monarchial rulers of the old world.

What changes have taken place since What changes have taken place since the memorable day the Declaration of

Independence was read to the people on this day, 137 years ago.

The Goddess of Liberty has stricken from the people of the western hemisphere the shackles of monarchial government, and in the old world she has smiled upon France, who sent us Lafayette, and Portugal and China who have drafted a constitution modeled after our own, and the doctrine of the rule of people shall and will go on until the last sceptre of royalty has been stricken from kingly hands.

When we review the progress of this free people in the liberal arts, and science, in industries, manufacturing and inventions, it becomes apparent that a government of, and for the people affords the greatest opportunity for the development of man's mental and physical capabilities.

If we would show our appreciation of our country, and be thankful for the sacrifices of those who shed their blood that it may exist, then it should be our constant aim as liberty-loving people to transmit to posterity the government of our fathers, then those martyrs to the cause of liberty will not have died in vain, and these ceremonies will not have been idle, and it can be truly said, this is "The land of the free and home of the brave."

To you, my friends, this day also has a special significance, as you celebrate the natal day of the county of Seminole, and her entrance into the sisterhood of counties of this Land of Flowers, while I do not occupy the position of a parent of this new county, yet, I am proud of having been present at least when it happened. To our friends in that grand county of Orange your loss to them will be keenly felt, similar to that felt by the old county of St. Johns, the mother of the counties of East Florida; yet, when she sees the energy, industry and development of her children, a joyous pride in their progress more than compensates her for her loss, so let us hope it will be with Orange, and that Orange and Seminole will travel the pathway of life hand in hand to that haven of mutual happiness of contentment and peace.

I have no fears of the future of the welfare of the new county, the independent patriotism, energy, perseverance, integrity and honor of this people leaves no doubt that Seminole will soon take her place among the most progressive counties of our state.

Had Fine Fishing

Arthur Yowell, W. J. Thigpen and J. H. Overman were fishing on the Wekiwa yesterday and caught 63 trout and as many more broom and as proof that they caught them brought the string home or at least the trout. They struck them on a cord in the Sanford House yard and had their picture taken, and if any other section of Florida or any other State can beat this catch we want to see them. Fishing in the Wekiwa now is the finest ever and large catches are reported every day. The stream is very swift and the greatest difficulty is in rowing against the current. The trio of lucky sports who went yesterday solved the question by taking a boat out on an automobile and floating down to the mouth of the river, where they were picked up by a launch and taken to town. Some of their trout weighed eight pounds and the string was a beauty.

Death of William Cowan

William Cowan died at the Geneva ferry last Saturday night of heart disease and his demise was so sudden that the body was not discovered until Sunday morning early. Mr. Cowan had been complaining of his heart for some time and was being treated for it but otherwise was apparently in the best of health and had been a visitor to the celebration here on the Fourth.

He was fifty-eight years of age at the time of his death and had spent his entire life in and around Sanford and had many friends who will regret to hear of his death.

The funeral services were held at the home of James Cowan on Park avenue on Sunday afternoon, Rev. Gaines of the Methodist church officiating, interment being made in Lakeview cemetery. Deceased leaves four brothers and one sister and a wife and daughter to mourn his death.

Miss Hattibel Hyer has returned to her home in Orlando after spending the Fourth at Sanford, the guest of Mrs. R. J. Holly. Little May Holly accompanied her home and will remain several days.