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TEN CENTS A WEEK

GREAT CO-OPERATIVE CONTEST IS CLOSED

Misses Goode, Bryant and English Win On Face of Returns--Contests Filed in Two Districts.

Miss Addie Goode wins the diamond ring.

Miss Hattie English wins the piano in the Eastern and Southern Section.

Miss Lucinda Bryant wins the piano in the Western and Northern Section.

Following next in order will be the candidates in each section who will receive a certificate for \$100 from A. R. Harper Company of Jacksonville, while each and every candidate in the contest will receive a certificate for \$25.

Two contests were filed against the count last night, one by Miss Ella Jolly on account of certain votes given by the Eddins Manufacturing Company, and one by Miss Estelle Beal on account of certain votes issued by Crawford & Davis, but while these votes are held up it does not effect the result, for Miss Goode has sufficient number besides this to come out victorious.

By far the most exciting contest that was ever pulled off in Florida outside of Jacksonville, is the Co-Operative Contest which came to a close in this city last night.

For the past week the leaders have been exerting their every energy to procure votes, and the count last night was far beyond the expectations of the successful contestants, for early in the day they were all amassing large numbers to their already large "stacks" that were being held in reserve for the final count.

During late in the afternoon some of the contestants practically gave up the race and pooled with other candi-

dates to win the coveted capital prizes, and had not this been the case the result would have doubtless been a different story for this morning.

The merchants, as well as The Sun, came in for their share of the very liberal business that was being given out by the candidates yesterday, and it is safe to state that in many instances supplies have been purchased for the next year, while a number took advantage of the contest for the means of getting bills paid up, some of them being in advance.

The total vote cast yesterday was in the neighborhood of 40,000,000 divided as follows: City, 11,213,780; Southern and Eastern Section, 12,153,240, while the Western and Northern cast a vote of 16,165,055.

Following is the result of the votes polled and counted by the committee last night:

Gainesville—Central Section.	
Miss Addie Goode	13,176,955
Miss Estelle Beal	8,140,995
Miss Margaret Ledbetter	1,429,890
Miss Gertrude Harrod	219,100
Miss Nora Stalls	198,985
Miss Bessie Carver	107,950
Miss Mary Fernandez	72,745
Miss Myra Swearingen	49,445
Miss Blanch Thompson	43,965
Miss Alice Schafer	33,380
Miss Aura M. Lewis	34,635
Miss Mabel Williams	14,545
Mrs. N. W. Taylor	13,325
Miss Eva Bauknight	11,210
Miss Annie Bell Taylor	8,065
Miss Grace Bullard	6,175

ORLANDO PLAYS THE "OAK HALLS" TODAY

GAME WILL BE CALLED PROMPTLY AT 3:30 THIS AFTERNOON.

Both Teams Are in Fine Shape and the Finest Games of the Season Promised.

The Orlando baseball team will arrive in the city this morning at 7:45 from Ocala, where they have just finished a series of three games.

This strong combination of players will go up against Manager Davis' boys at the ball park this afternoon and the very best exhibition of ball playing that the Gainesville public have seen this year will be shown today.

The Oak Halls are all in fine shape; they have worked just enough to be in first-class practice, and what they want to do, and say they will do, to the fast line-up from South Florida will be "a plenty."

Orlando has not only defeated Ocala, but also the swift Celery City lads, and our people can rest assured that one of the very best ball teams that can be found in the State will play us in the three games.

Talk the game, tell your friends about it, and see that they all go out and "root" for the home boys.

The game will be called promptly at 3:30 this afternoon, so don't stay away just because the weather might be just a little threatening, for Manager Davis says they will surely play.

Miss Ella Bailey	5,555
Miss Curtis Pitts	3,425
Miss Fannie Whiting	1,480

Eastern and Southern District.

Miss Hattie English, Tacoma	8,812,235
Miss Ella Jolly, Orange H'ts.	7,772,550
Miss Mabel McCredie, M'copy	1,273,100
Miss Lorna McCredie, M'copy	999,895
Miss Martie Chamberlin, Micanopy	607,455
Miss Wilma Maines, M'ntocho	238,915
Miss Bessie Waits, Hawthorn	232,430
Miss Myrtle Hammond, Hawthorn	89,120
Miss Annie Lewis, Hawthorn	78,600
Miss Cordelia Crown, Rocky Point	72,775
Miss Pattie Zetrouer, Rochelle	54,365
Miss Vandalia Staf, Waldo	45,385
Miss Lula Perry, Rochelle	38,210
Miss LaVerne Bobbitt, M'copy	32,555
Miss Effie Tison, Earleton	29,380
Miss Jewel Godwin, Hawthorn	24,635
Miss Gertrude Smith, Fairbanks	15,970
Miss Mary Hall, Orange H'ts.	15,885
Miss Georgia Snowden, Hatchet Creek	12,455
Miss Mary Louise Atwater, Waldo	7,225
Miss Nellie Reeves, Micanopy	4,800
Miss Emma Entenza, Waldo	3,340
Miss Mamie Bailey, Waldo	200

Western and Northern Section.

Miss Lucinda Bryant, Bell	9,328,270
Miss Hattie Ludwig, Tioga	6,692,580
Miss Gertrude Guinn, Hague	5,113,510
Miss Vida Barron, Bell	1,226,140
Miss Annie Kirkland, Alachua	705,380
Miss Eva Powell, Alachua	608,540
Miss Ellen Beville, Arredondo	263,490
Miss Rosa Lee Rives, High Springs	243,320
Mrs. I. Ware, High Springs	198,620
Miss Jewel Standley, Hague	195,160
Miss Aileen Holly, Arredondo	72,555
Miss Annie Beville, Arredondo	59,780
Miss Emma Williams, Trenton	35,775
Miss Katie Akin, Arredondo	25,965
Mrs. R. B. Baker, Hawthorn	13,400
Mrs. J. E. Parker, LaCrosse	11,315
Miss Ada Pearce, Newberry	7,050
Miss Pearl McLeod, Alachua	3,515
Miss Lula Gay, Bell	1,885
Miss Lizzie Smith, Newberry	630

Some article that is simply "in the way" at your house might, if advertised, be sold to someone who is anxiously looking for it.

VICTORY FOR PROHIS. IN SOUTH CAROLINA

Fifteen Out of Twenty-One Counties Went Dry in Tuesday's Election---Three Are in Doubt.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Aug. 18.—The unofficial returns from the elections held in twenty-one of the so-called "wet" counties of South Carolina yesterday for the purpose of allowing the voters of each county to choose between prohibition and the county dispensary system indicate that the prohibitionists have won victories in fifteen of these counties. Complete returns from some precincts not reported last night may change the result in two or three counties, but the probabilities are that prohibition has carried in Abbeville, Bamberg, Barnwell, Berkeley, Calhoun, Colleton, Dorchester, Fairfield, Hampton, Kershaw, Lee, Lexington, Orangeburg, Sumter and Williamsburg counties. The dispensary has won in Alken, Charleston and Richmond counties and is leading in Georgetown and Beaufort. In Florence the vote is tied, but is claimed by prohibitionists. The election was without excitement or special incident in any

county and a small vote was polled. The majorities for prohibition, according to the present returns which are in most cases practically complete, range from 14 in Calhoun county to 982 in Orangeburg county. The largest majority for the dispensary is in Charleston county, where it received 1,525 votes against 305 for prohibition. One-half of the State was already dry, and the act under which yesterday's election was held was a compromise measure adopted at the last session of the Legislature to defeat a bill providing for State-wide prohibition. The general belief is that the prohibitionists will again move the passage of such a law at the next Legislature, next January. The election yesterday was on the question of voting in the dispensary, prohibition having been decreed since August 1 last, under the bill providing for the election, which permitted the counties then "wet" to vote back the dispensaries if they so desired.

The Florida State College Will Have Good Opening

TALLAHASSEE, Fla., Aug. 18.—The Florida State College for Women, in its School of Liberal Arts, has made some valuable additions to its faculty. This body, already strong in an able corps of instructors, has secured the services of Dr. C. E. Body of South Carolina to fill the chair of Greek and Latin. Dr. B. C. Boudurant, the former professor in this department, a gentleman so highly esteemed for his scholarly attainments and Christian manhood, is in ill health, and cannot continue his work. But the College is exceedingly fortunate in securing a gentleman of such fine ability as Dr. Boyd. He is a graduate of Woofford College, and afterward did graduate work at Vanderbilt and at the University of Missouri, and this year received the doctor's degree at the University of Wisconsin after a year's residence there. In each of these noted universities he won distinction in his research work. Dr. Boyd has also had a wide and successful experience as a teacher of Classics, and comes with the reputa-

tion of a scholar and excellent gentleman. Prof. A. E. Chrislip, now of New York, but whose home is in West Virginia, has been appointed to the Deanship of the Normal School and Professor of Education in the College of Liberal Arts. Dr. Chrislip graduated in the Peabody Normal College and in the Teachers' College, New York. He has studied in the University of Chicago and is now completing the work of his Ph. D. degree in Columbia University. He has had a wide experience and marked success in teaching and in superintending schools in Mississippi, West Virginia and Tennessee, and the Normal School of Florida is fortunate to secure such an excellent director. To the people of the State, Dr. Conradi is no stranger. The history of the changes of Dr. Murphree to the State University and Dr. Conradi to the Florida State College for Women, is now well known to the people of

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President Taft Played Golf In a Soaking Rain

BEVERLY, Mass., Aug. 18.—President Taft braved a northeast storm and a steady downpour of rain to play eighteen holes of golf at Myopia with Charles P. Taft, his brother, and Samuel Carr of Boston, a cousin, as opponents.

Mrs. Taft's return to health has progressed so far that her sister, Mrs. Lewis More of Pittsburg, who has been her constant companion since the nervous breakdown in Washington, will leave Beverly on Monday to spend the last end of the summer with her husband, Prof. More, at Biddeford Pool, Maine.

Additional details of the President's visit to various cities were decided upon yesterday. On November 2, the President will stay for several

hours at Columbus, Miss., the birthplace of Secretary of War Dickinson. Mr. Dickinson will be with the Presidential party at the time. Arriving at Columbus at 11:25 a. m., the President will be entertained at lunch, after which he will witness a barbecue at the girl's industrial school.

At Charleston, S. C., on November 5, the President arriving at 5:15 p. m., will hold a public reception at the city hall, and be entertained at a banquet in the evening.

At Houston, Texas, October 23, the President arriving at 7:10 a. m., and remaining until 10:30 a. m., will make a speech from the balcony of Rices Hotel, and will be given a ride through the city and will review a procession of school children.

Most Intense Heat Prevails All Over South and West

MEMPHIS, Aug. 18.—The heat wave which swept the country from coast to coast Monday is still rampant and yesterday new records were established. From all over the South and Southwest comes reports of intense heat. The cotton growers are rejoicing over the heat wave as they claim it is rapidly destroying the boll weevil.

From reports which reached here last night, Fort Worth, Texas, was the hottest city in the South and Southwest. The Government thermometer went as high as 111 degrees while instruments in the business district registered as high as 129 degrees. The mercury climbed as high as 116 degrees in many other Texas cities and at Dennison it reached 106, breaking all other previous records.

Not since July 1, 1901, has the heat been so intense throughout middle Arkansas. At Little Rock a temperature

of 105 was recorded and two prostrations were reported.

Vegetation throughout the Shreveport territory of Louisiana wilted under the scorching heat yesterday, the maximum of 104 degrees being reported at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. All Tennessee is in the grasp of the hot wave and the weather bureau thermometer here yesterday recorded a maximum temperature of 95 degrees at 4 o'clock. A cooling breeze starting late in the day gave promise of relief before morning.

111 at Fort Worth.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Aug. 18.—With the weather bureau thermometer registering 111 degrees from 2:15 to 3:15 yesterday afternoon and street thermometers in the business district recording 129 degrees, yesterday was

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To Feed His Dying Wife New York Man Turns Thief

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—William L. Bancher, a man of 45, who said he had seen better days, and had been driven to desperation by the need of his dying wife for nourishing food, which he had been unable to provide for her, was arrested charged with breaking into a meat shop and stealing a quantity of beef. "For several

months," said Bancher, "I have been unable to obtain work. My wife is a consumptive, and slowly dying, and I had no way to get the nourishing food she needed."

The man's story excited Magistrate Breen's sympathies, and he detailed a probation officer to investigate the case.