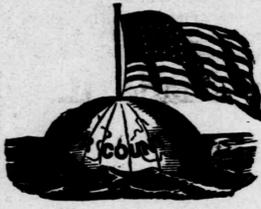


THE OCALA BANNER

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MOTTO: THE BANNER, BELIEVING
THOSE AT THE TOP WELL ABLE TO
TAKE CARE OF THEMSELVES, HAS
TAKEN ITS STAND IN THE BARRI-
CADS WITH THE COMMON PEOPLE
AND ITS FIGHT WILL BE MADE FOR
THE BETTERMENT OF THOSE AT THE
BOTTOM.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1905.

November greets us with chilly fingers.

Education is an inspiration to the creative powers of man.

It is said that General Gilchrist is looking for a hotel location.

The interest in the wet and dry election continues to drag.

The doctors say that the dengue has about run its course.

Advertising is the handle that moves the business world.

The president's trip to the south was satisfactory to all concerned.

Starks will present claims for the permanent military encampment site.

Usters, overcoats and wood fires will soon be very popular companions.

It is pleasant to hear the sound of hammer, saw and trowel in different parts of the city.

It might be remarked in passing that just now many people are arriving from manywheres.

Miami people, with B. B. Tatum at the head, are going to establish a large Keely sanitarium in Jacksonville.

Governor Broward and several members of his family have had the dengue fever. It is no respecter of persons.

Who will be Mallory's successor, and who will be Florida's next governor, are questions that are being freely asked.

Dr. Otto Grothe, chemist of the city, now has a position with Mr. Thomas Edison, the world renowned inventor, at East Orange, N. J.

If the president was half a southerner before he started south, he was nearly a whole one before he got back.

Col. Tom Appleyard says that a person ought to first become a subscriber to a newspaper before he criticizes it.

The president now thinks better of the south and the south thinks better of the president. It is all well that ends well.

John M. Caldwell has gone back to the tripod. Now, there'll be something doing in journalism. Watch the Jasper News.

It seems that the republican party believe in "protection" for the president of the company, but what of the policyholder?

An idea of some of the things the President will say in his forthcoming message may be obtained by a careful perusal of his addresses in the south.

In these days of cheap books and cheap newspapers, it is better to build railroads than libraries. Flagler is doing a better work than Carnegie.

Long Beach refused a Carnegie gift of \$12,000 because it was not considered enough. Those cities which built their own libraries appreciate them more, at any rate.

The Miami Sponge Mattress Company, of Miami, is doing a large business. Almost the first order came from London, Eng. Mr. B. B. Tatum, treasurer of the company, says it is proof of the old adage that a prophet is not without honor save in his own land.

HEARST AND TAMMANY.

According to our code of political ethics it does not look like the proper thing to see a democrat fighting Tammany. It looks to us like party disloyalty. We fear that Mr. William Randolph Hearst is making the mistake of his life. Tammany is, and has always been, true to the faith of the founders. It is, and has always been, loyal to every democratic tradition, and it occurs to us that it is the duty of good democrats to stand by Tammany, hold up its hands, and make it more rigid and rock-ribbed than it is.

Tammany has never flunked a party nomination. It is as true to its colors as any military or naval hero. It was true to Cleveland and it was true to Bryan. A loyalty like this deserves commendation and devotion.

We have said that Tammany is loyal to its leaders, but it is loyal to them only so long as they are loyal to the trusts reposed in their hands.

But when its leaders are not loyal to the trusts committed to their keeping they are pursued, disgraced and punished.

What other political organizations in this country have pursued its leaders, hunted them down, even in foreign lands, made them face the courts and finally put them in prison stripes?

Has any such thing ever happened in Philadelphia where the political machine is so rotten that Champ Clark says that the man in the moon is forced to hold his nose as the moon passes over the city?

Has it ever been done in Boston or Chicago, or in any other city, big or little, in the United States?

Not one. Tammany's example has no parallel. And this is the organization Mr. Hearst is trying to disrupt; an organization to which he is indebted for his political elevation.

Whatever may be the object of his attacks the result will be to turn the city government over into the hands of the republican party if he succeeds in mustering any respectable following.

Hearst should be battling for McClellan's reelection.

Don't destroy Tammany, Mr. Hearst!

It is to the democratic party what the "ark of the covenant" were to the Jews.

It is the citadel of refuge and safety in time of gloom and discouragement and its notes are as clear and limpid as the clarion notes which rang out from the liberty bell in 1776 that told of a nation's birth and a people's freedom.

It is the duty of every loyal democrat to support the Tammany ticket.

The Way Georgia Newspapers Talk.

It is rumored that congressman Lester of Savannah is another of the Washingtonians who will have opposition. It would be a blessing if we could get a new deal all around on this congressional game. It would hardly be possible for us to draw a worse hand than we now hold. We don't hold but one face card and a ten spot.—Thomasville (Ga.) Times.

The Growth of Zolfo.

There is not a vacant house of any kind in Zolfo, and dozens are wanted. An excellent opportunity for some one to get rich building houses and renting them.—Zolfo Advertiser.

The law requires that the statutes enacted at a session of the legislature should be printed and ready for distribution within sixty days after the adjournment of that body. It is now nearly five months since the adjournment and the statute book has not yet made its appearance. Does the state printer have such a pull, even now, that he can do as he pleases without reference to the requirements of the law.—Tallahassee True Democrat.

The famous Buckman bill may cost the state the expense of an extra session of the legislature. If the supreme court should declare it unconstitutional, an extra session would be necessary to appropriate funds for the state colleges. If there should be such a session, it would be well for it to inaugurate a system of state life insurance.—Punta Gorda Herald.

Looking in the Direction of the Gubernatorial Chair.

It was indeed a pleasure to the numerous friends of Hon. T. A. Jennings, of Pensacola, to greet him last Saturday. Mr. Jennings attended President Roosevelt's reception, and says Jacksonville and the Board of Trade deserves much praise for the manner in which the President was welcomed. Mr. Jennings is one of Florida's most popular and distinguished men. He is a leading naval stores factor and is engaged in numerous enterprises. He has scores of friends who declare that if the next chief executive should come from west of the Chattahoochee, no man could poll as many votes as this enterprising Floridian.—Jacksonville Metropolis.

And Still They Thrive.

Over in Gainesville the other day a "blind tiger" criminal was arrested, tried and convicted in the mayor's court, and the fellow was fined \$500 and costs. That way of enforcing the law makes "blind tigerism" too costly to be popular.—Live Oak Democrat. That's good, but Polk can beat it. This is what our county judge holds out to them: Twelve months in the county gang, but, on payment of \$500 and costs, the twelve mouths is suspended during good behavior.—Bartow Curier-Informant.

Editor Wilson, of the Times-Union, is now publishing cooking recipes, but has given no new method for cooking okra.—Ocala Banner.

Nor has he ever had a word to say to his readers about the iniquities of the Jennings regime. Have you noticed it?—Tallahassee True Democrat.

Perhaps he thinks that the Jennings regime belongs as much to ancient history as the Mitchell, Fleming or Bloxham regime. The people just now are interested in the Broward regime. Tell us something about it, Mr. True Democrat, and if what you say be the truth, whether good or evil, it will be appreciated. The water that is passed is gone forever, and discussing it is rarely profitable. Turn your search-light on the now!

All Florida is divided into two parts—"dry" Florida and "wet" Florida. The "dry" counties at this writing are Alachua, Baker, Bradford, Calhoun, Columbia, Citrus, DeSoto, Hamilton, Hernando, Holmes, Jackson, Jefferson, Lafayette, Lake, Leon, Levy, Liberty, Manatee, Pasco, Polk, Sumter, Suwannee, Taylor, Volusia, Wakulla, Walton, Washington. The "wet" counties are Brevard, Clay, Dade, Duval, Escambia, Gadsden, Franklin, Hillsboro, Lee, Madison, Marion, Monroe, Nassau, Orange, Osceola, Putnam, Santa Rosa, St. John's and St. Lucie.

Fighting the Flames, the most costly and spectacular amusement attraction ever seen in the south, has been secured for the Tampa Fair. This attraction was originally produced at Coney Island, New York, and proved the greatest drawing card ever seen at that famous resort. The attraction will appear at no other southern city than Tampa, and was only secured by a personal visit of President Brown to the managers in New York and at great expense to the Fair association. No man, woman or child in Florida should fail to see Fighting the Flames, nor the horse racing, which will be the best ever seen in Florida.

William R. Hearst, candidate of the Municipal Ownership party for mayor of New York, was arrested a few days ago. William was called on to contribute a \$15 fine for speeding his automobile in Nassau county. A few minutes later Mr. Hearst had distinguished company in the person of Theodore Havemeyer, the sugar magnate, who handed over \$25 and cost for the same offense.

Lake City is entitled to free mail delivery and the city council and board of trade have passed resolutions praying the postoffice department at Washington to grant it. The department will send an inspector to investigate.

Advertising creates many a new business, enlarges many an old business, preserves many a large business, and secures success in any business if properly conducted.

A Cup of Cold Water.
A Beautiful Little Sermonette

RICHARD L. METCALF IN THE COMMONER

Kindness, like mercy, "is twice blest; it blesseth him that gives and him that takes," and is, indeed, "an attribute of God himself." The One whose every act showed love and sympathy and kindness for men said: "And whosoever shall give to drink unto the little ones a cup of cold water only in the name of a disciple, verily I say to you he shall in no wise lose his reward." There is in this world today an opportunity for every human being to give the cup of cold water; and there is no waiting for the reward to be bestowed. The moment the cup is extended, that moment the reward is obtained.

A man bowed with grief because of the death of his beloved wife is given the warm handclasp that needs no words to explain what it means. That's the cup of cold water.

A woman, broken hearted, yet, woman-like, strong even in the presence of the greatest sorrow, is the beneficiary of these little neighborly services, which, while they have no voice, speak volumes in sympathy and love. That's the cup of cold water.

A merchant, staggering under adverse conditions, honest, although unfortunate, and striving to save the remnants of his business, is given a little extra patronage by appreciative customers and a little unusual encouragement by merciful creditors. That's the cup of cold water.

A man struggling against the power of an overwhelming appetite and sinking sometimes even to the gutter, is urged to try again and save himself from social oblivion. That's the cup of cold water.

It is interesting to note that the wife of the next Russian minister to Japan will be an American woman.

The "Ocala editor" tells, in a recent article, of his early experiences in New York. It is noticeable that he refrains from telling any of his experiences after his eye teeth were cut.—Pensacola Journal.

Ocalians are so busy talking Tampa fair nowadays that they have almost forgotten that we are in the midst of a "wet" or "dry" campaign. If talk is any indication, Ocala will be well represented at the big Florida fair.

Now that it has been decided that the angels are men, a German sculptor wants a handsome man to pose for a statue, and the Atlanta Journal says "Now, don't all speak at once."

The Atlanta Journal reiterates what President Roosevelt says, viz: "The south will solve the negro problem," but says the north must quit insisting on doing all the battling for the team.

There is one state whose delegation in congress will be unanimous on all questions. The Oregon delegation will be solid. It will consist of Senator Fulton, all the other members of the delegation being under conviction or indictment for penal offenses.—Pensacola News.

The Montecello News states that a sugar manufacturing plant can be secured for Jefferson county if farmers of the county will agree to plant 1000 acres in cane to be sold to the plant. From this distance it would appear that the proposition is one that should be accepted.

The orange crop on Alligator creek has been picked and shipped. It was all sold to Mr. S. M. Stephens, of Lakeland, and amounted to about 20,000 boxes. The total price paid was about \$30,000. It took sixty men nearly six weeks to pick pack and deliver the crop to the cars.—Punta Gorda Herald.

Frank Clark knows that a rainy day cometh to every politician; that there will be a turn in the lane—a parting of the ways, and he's taking time by the forelock and is preparing for it. He is setting out a large pecan orchard near MacClenny to which he can go when his official life is a tale.

The sisters of the Good Shepherd, devoting their lives to the rescue of fallen women. That's the cup of cold water.

The good sisters and the faithful nurses at the hospitals—all devoting their energies toward alleviating pain—none of them with proper recompense in the way of money, many of them without any recompense whatever. That's a cup of cold water.

The noble work done at the orphan homes in caring for the little ones who but for that work would be homeless. That's the cup of cold water.

The man who, thrown from a position through no fault of his own, finds assistance in obtaining means of a livelihood, through the intercession of some busy yet sympathetic neighbor. That's the cup of cold water.

The little garments that are sent to cover the nakedness of some child of the poor. That's the cup of cold water.

The contribution to the empty larder of the destitute, the supply of medicine to the poor and sick. That's the cup of cold water.

The visits to the sick and injured. That's the cup of cold water.

The word of cheer to the stupid or thoughtless lad who finds the greatest problem of life to be the mastery of his simple studies. That's the cup of cold water.

The mending of the broken toy provides comfort to the little lad and the repairing of the tattered doll checks the sobs of the little girl; and that's the cup of cold water.

Mr. John P. Keep, of Washington, contributes an article for the National Magazine entitled "The Future of the Negro in America" in which he takes the position that the negro, owing to his habits of life, flocking from the country to the towns many of whom are ill clad and ill fed, live shorter lives than the whites and the death rate already shows a larger percentage than the birthrate, and in time the negro, like the Indian, will disappear and this vexing problem will solve itself.

WOULD KICK AND SCREAM

Baby's Awful Suffering from Eczema—Could Not Hold Her—Tore Face and Arms Almost to Pieces—Grateful Mother Says:

"CUTICURA REMEDIES SAVED HER LIFE"

"When my little girl was six months old, she had eczema. We had used cod creams and all kinds of remedies, but nothing did her any good; in fact, she kept getting worse. I used to wrap her hands up, and when I would dress her, I had to put her on the table, for I could not hold her. She would kick and scream, and when she could, she would tear her face and arms almost to pieces. I used four boxes of Cuticura Ointment, two cakes of Cuticura Soap, and gave her the Cuticura Resolvent, and she was cured, and I see no traces of the humor left. I can truthfully say that they have saved her life, and I should advise any one suffering as she did, to give Cuticura a fair trial. Mrs. G. A. Conrad, Lisbon, N. H., Feb. 7, 1898."

FIVE YEARS LATER

Mrs. Conrad Writes "It is with pleasure that I can inform you that the cure has been permanent. It is now six years since she was cured, and there has been no return of the disease since. I have advised a lot of friends to use Cuticura in all diseases of the skin." Instant relief and refreshing sleep for skin-tortured babies, and rest for tired, fretted mothers, in warm baths with Cuticura Soap and gentle anointings with Cuticura Ointment, the great skin cure. This is the purest, sweetest, most speedy, permanent, and economical treatment for torturing, disgusting, itching, burning, scaly, crusted and pimply skin and scalp humours. Sold throughout the world. Cuticura Resolvent, 50c. (in form of a beverage). Cuticura Pills, 25c. per trial of 60. Ointment, 50c. Soap, 25c. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Boston, Sole Props. Send for "Cuticura Skin Book."

Consumption

There is no specific for consumption. Fresh air, exercise, nourishing food and Scott's Emulsion will come pretty near curing it, if there is anything to build on. Millions of people throughout the world are living and in good health on one lung.

From time immemorial the doctors prescribed cod liver oil for consumption. Of course the patient could not take it in its old form, hence it did very little good. They can take

SCOTT'S EMULSION

and tolerate it for a long time. There is no oil, not excepting butter, so easily digested and absorbed by the system as cod liver oil in the form of Scott's Emulsion, and that is the reason it is so helpful in consumption where its use must be continuous.

We will send you a sample free.

Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.

Scott & Bowne Chemists 409 Pearl Street New York



LOVE.

Some say that Love's a malady; It may be so; Yet well I know I would not from Love's pangs be free For all the vaunted health of those Who never felt its tender throes. —WILL HILL.

Everybody in Ocala is getting married. The Daily Banner contains an average of about two wedding notices every day.—Punta Gorda Herald.

"Show me the local newspaper," said a visitor to Ocala yesterday, "and I'll not ask who are the most progressive business men in the community."

A family—named Okniski—from Japan, consisting of father, mother and four children, arrived here last week to settle on the plantation of Rev. E. Warren Clark, near Lake Jackson, in this county.—Tallahassee Democrat.

Col. Tom Appleyard, of the Lake City Index, is in high glee because Columbia county has a jackass worth \$300 that is named Carpenter. He results more over the name than the value of the animal.—Punta Gorda Herald.

At the recent meeting of the National Prison Congress held at Lincoln, Nebraska, Governor Mickey, of that state, made the remarkable assertion that the state of Nebraska had the best class of Anglo-Saxon race in the United States. As evidence he cited the facts that there was less than ten per cent illiteracy, a less number of criminals and not one cent of public indebtedness.

Do You Wish to MAKE MONEY

Growing Good Watermelons Next Year FROM EDEN SEED?

If so I can help you start right by supplying seed at a reasonable price. Last spring the ravages of rats forced me to plant my watermelon crop three times before a stand was secured. Consequently my melons ripened too late for profitable shipment, and instead of allowing them to decay I saved seed in the following painstaking manner: selected perfectly shaped, sized and ripened melons, marked melons, the first on five vines. Both ends of each melon were cut off and thrown away, the melon split and the perfectly matured seed taken from the center and dried with special care. No seed were saved from rejected or decayed melons. I guarantee these seeds to be strictly first-class as good as have ever been grown. I will plant my next year's crop from seed in the same box from which I will sell to my customers. As I have only 1,000 pounds on hand the sooner orders are sent in the surer they will be filled. Price 75 cents per pound, cash. As to my responsibility I refer to any mercantile agency or responsible business concern.

Henry D. Still, Blackville, S. C. Eden Seed.