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FRANK JOHNSON

Frank Johnson, a former well known citizen and orange grower of Norwalk, this county, died at the home of his niece, Mrs. P. D. Lamb, in this city last Monday.

Mr. Johnson resided at Norwalk many years prior to 1895, after which, owing to the disaster of his orange growing business, he moved to Anthony. He later went to Silver Springs. He was taken ill at the latter place several weeks ago. His condition becoming known to Mr. and Mrs. Lamb, Mr. Lamb went to Silver Springs and finding Mr. Johnson helpless, brought him to his home here on the first of the month. Since coming here the sick man has had the best medical attention and the kindly care of Mr. and Mrs. Lamb, despite which he gradually grew worse until his release by death.

The funeral was conducted by Rev. H. Dutil of the Methodist church at the home of Mr. Lamb on Tuesday and the interment was in West View cemetery. Mr. Johnson was about 65 years of age. He leaves no family.—Palatka News.

Mr. Johnson was engaged for the past five years in the meat business at Silver Springs. He was a good man and citizen and one of the Star's warm friends.

A CASE OF SOUR GRAPES

Anyone reading Tom Appleyard's bright and pungent editorials in this week's Lake City Index will come to the conclusion that it is a case of sour grapes. Tom was a Johnson man "willy nilly," and Bryan doesn't set well on Tom's bay window. Tom says he can't see the difference between a democratic and republican boss. Teddy cracks the whip over the latter and Bryan over the former. But then Tom, the people dictated to Bryan and Teddy to the politicians; that's the difference. The people are always the bosses and you know its democratic for the majority to rule. So let Bryan slide in.

OXFORD BARBECUE AND PICNIC

The annual barbecue and picnic will be held at Oxford Saturday, August 1st. Everybody is invited. Don't forget to bring well filled baskets. Governor Broward is expected to be present and speak to "the greatharted people."

The meeting of the State Farmers' Union which was held at Lake City, July 15th and 16th, was attended by over 300 delegates and the meeting was pronounced a great success. The following Marion county delegates were present: L. S. Light, Reddick; Joe Thomas, W. L. Martin and W. L. Colbert, Sparr; George Carlton, Pine; Mr. Webber, of Oak.

Alex Hall of Eureka, was in town Saturday. He said a month ago he got into such a depressed physical condition that he could not walk a block without prostrating himself. He went over to Salt Springs, where he spent a month and gained a pound a day for every day he was there, all his ailments disappearing.

Mr. Claude Geiger, of Fort King, and bride, returned Thursday from their wedding trip to Augusta, Ga., and Florence, S. C. The bride was Miss Kittie Graby, of Oviedo, Fla., and the wedding took place June 28th, in the Baptist church at Oviedo.

"Uncle" Joe Baskin of Anthony, was in town Saturday and said he had as fine a corn crop as he has ever grown and that a friend from Georgia who is visiting him, said there was no better corn in the Empire State of the South.

Several days ago a negro was shot in the eye at R. J. Knight's turpentine camp in Citrus county and was brought to Ocala and placed in the hospital for treatment. The eye was removed and the man returned home Saturday.

Hamp Brinson, one of the up-to-date and progressive citizens of Oxford attended the Fort McCoy picnic and visited his aged father and several of his brothers in that section.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Priest, of Anthony, who have been visiting at Columbia, S. C., their old home at Cedar Creek and vicinity, returned home last week.

Mont Atkinson, the Oldtown philosopher, was in town Saturday, happy as a clam at high tide in the belief that Bryan and Kern will be elected.

Mr. John Boring and family of Holder, are visiting Mr. Boring's parents, Rev. and Mrs. I. B. Boring of Pine, and attended the Fort McCoy picnic.

"Uncle" Alex McQuail, the pioneer of the Fort McCoy section, attended the picnic Friday and took in all its social and intellectual pleasures.

Mrs. Allen Stevens of Sapp and two of her children, who have been visiting the old home in South Carolina, at now at Demorest, Ga.

Mr. McWhite and his little son, of Summerfield, were visitors to the city Saturday.

Porter Hull upheld the dignity of Reddick Friday at Fort McCoy.

S. F. Rou, of Lowell, was a visitor to the city Saturday.

Kearns wants every piece of old furniture and old stoves to repair. Corner Magnolia street and Fort King avenue.

MR. RENTZ' NEW TOWN

Mr. E. P. Rentz, owner of the immense sawmill at Silver Springs and the moving force in the business, is about to create a new town on the line of his log road, which runs north-east twelve miles from Silver Springs. The new town is right at the place known to all old-timers as Marlon as For McCoy, which appellation still adheres to it. In the palmy days of the not distant past it was a community of stalwart men, men of local prominence, who with few exceptions have paid the debt of nature and their dust rests in the old cemetery in which the present generation takes such a deep interest, holding an annual picnic, at which the proceeds from the refreshment booth go toward keeping green the memory of the sturdy and manly pioneers. Here is where Mr. Rentz will create a town. Heretofore it has only been a scattered community, but now a town is to rise and with its name and fame the genial and sturdy son of Georgia is to create a municipality. He has the land, the location, the business to do it. The new town will be located just north of the old picnic grounds. To its left is a pretty lake and to the north of this lake is the track of the railroad that eventually is to connect Orange Springs to Palatka and Ocala. The object of curving the railroad around this lake is so that the sawlogs may be floated here and drawn in as required into the new mill, the site of which is just to the east of the lake. Here will eventually be three sawmills with a capacity of fully 100,000 feet a day. The machinery for a double mill is now on some flatcars, ready to be unloaded and located on the ground already indicated. When this one is erected and ready for use, the one at Silver Springs will be moved. To the east and a little north of the site of this double sawmill is another fine body of water, soft, clear, deep and well stocked with fish. This body of water will be used for creating steam to drive the machinery of the big mill, for drinking purposes and as a fish preserve, which Mr. Rentz will enclose with some twenty acres including the old and well shaded picnic ground. It will be known as the Rentz Park. The location is ideal for a town, the site of which has just been laid out east of the mill for the white settlers. To the rear of the mill site already some thirty comfortable cottages are ready for the colored mill hands. To the left and north of the mill site is the O'Hara turpentine resort, said to be the latest and most improved pattern. It has ingenious devices that will extract every drop of turpentine from a pine root, stump, limb or burr, not forgetting wire grass, sand spurs and gophers. It has imposing tanks and a number of neat looking homes surrounding it, including that of Manager Atkinson. To add interest to this promising view of the new city of Rentz is an orange grove that Mr. Rentz proposes to resuscitate. He took the first steps towards it last season but desisted when some one told him that the trees, several hundred in number, were nothing but bitter sweets. Mr. Rentz let up on the rejuvenation of the grove, but later some citrus fruit experts told him the trees were the simon pure article and he will give some elixir of life to the trees and make them bloom and bear golden fruit. Things are happening in the Fort McCoy section and all indications point to there being a municipality over there soon. John W. Stevens, one of nature's noblemen, will be its first mayor and Harmon Martin the conservator of its morals, chaplain extraordinary to the new city.

Mr. Rentz will build for Mrs. Rentz an ideal country home on Lake Byle. The mills when erected will be in the midst of 50,000 acres of magnificent timber land, which will take years to cut up into lumber.

IT RACHED THE SPOT

Mr. E. Humphrey, who owns a large general store at Omega, O., and is president of the Adams County Telephone Co., as well as of the Home Telephone Co., of Pike county, O., says of Dr. King's New Discovery: "It saved my life once. At least I think it did. It seemed to reach the spot—the very seat of my cold—when everything else failed." Dr. King's New Discovery not only reaches the cough spot; it heals the sore spots and the weak spots in throat, lungs and chest. Sold under guarantee at all druggists, 50c. and \$1. Trial bottle free.

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B. G. Stewart, a merchant of Cedar View, Miss., says: "I tell my customers when they buy a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills they get the worth of that much gold in weight, if afflicted with constipation, malaria or biliousness. Sold under guarantee at all druggists, 25c."

A BIG BARGAIN

FOR SALE—One entire stock of shoes and fixtures. Big bargain to the right party. Offer good for only ten days. Marion Shoe Co., J. M. Meffert, Proprietor, Ocala, Fla.

A REVELATION

It is a revelation to people, the severe cases of lung trouble that have been cured by Foley's Honey and Tar. It not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs. L. M. Ruggles, Reasnor Iowa, writes: "The doctors said I had consumption, and I got no better until I took Foley's Honey and Tar. It stopped the hemorrhages and pain in my lungs and they are now as sound as a bullet. Sold by all dealers. Odd Fellows meet tomorrow night."

THE TAMPA EXCURSION

The excursion from Tampa today, arriving here at 1 o'clock, brought 1,650 people from Tampa and Plant City. There were eleven coaches of colored and three coaches of white passengers. The extra could haul no more and it is estimated that there were 600 people waiting along the route to come and the agents were instructed to let them come on the regular train. So it is estimated that fully 1,500 people came in and fully three-fourths of them got off at Ocala instead of going out to the Springs. The tickets are good to return this evening on the extra train, or on the regular passenger train at 1:15 tonight. The Plant City baseball team came up and will play the Ocala team this afternoon if the rain permits. Among the excursionists this afternoon from Tampa were Mrs. M. E. Robinson, Misses Fannie and Rosebud Robinson, who came up to visit their sons and brothers, Messrs. Emmet and Julien Robinson.

The Knock-out Blow.

The blow which knocked out Corbett was a revelation to the prize fighters. From the earliest days of the ring the knock-out blow was aimed for the jaw, the temple or the jugular vein. Stomach punches were thrown in to worry and weary the fighter, but if a scientific man had told one of the old fighters that the most vulnerable spot was the region of the stomach, he'd have laughed at him for an ignoramus. Dr. Pierce is bringing home to the public a parallel fact; that the stomach is the most vulnerable organ out of the prize ring as well as in it. We protect our heads, throats, feet and lungs, but the stomach we are utterly indifferent to, until disease finds the solar plexus and knocks us out. Make your stomach sound and strong by the use of Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and you protect yourself in your most vulnerable spot. "Golden Medical Discovery" cures "weak stomach," indigestion, or dyspepsia, torpid liver, bad, thin and impure blood and other diseases of the organs of digestion and nutrition.

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Stock Reduction Sale

WHICH BEGINS

Tomorrow, July 21, at 9 a. m.

We have issued a large circular giving a list of goods that will be on sale. Below we mention a few items from our Dry Goods Department. This merely shows what we will do.

Table listing various goods and their prices, such as Plain and Dotted Silk Tissue, White Mercerized Madras, Colored Mercerized Gingham, etc.

LOOK FOR THE GREEN SIGNS

LOOK FOR THE GREEN SIGNS!

All Summer Dress Goods will be slaughtered in this sale. We have thousands of yards of goods not mentioned here. Come and look.

If you haven't read our circular, you should by all means READ it, as it announces the grandest opportunity for saving money ever offered in Ocala.

Sale begins promptly at 9 a. m. Sale will last 17 days only.

The Variety Store