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DO YOU DESIRE A COUNTY FAIR?

There has been considerable discussion lately about getting up a county fair in Ocala for January 1, 1909. Every person interested in this move will please meet at Dr. Guerrant's new horse hospital, September 1st, at 8 o'clock p. m. to discuss plans and formulate methods whereby the fair can be made a success.

SMOKE AND SCARE

A gentleman who visited Holder Monday witnessed a very sensational scene in one of the mercantile establishments of the place. One merchant dropped into the place of business of another. Between these two no very cordial or neighborly relations existed. Words soon passed and one of the men drew his trusty shooter, not to perforate the body of his competitor with holes, but to bifff him over the head, which he did in true western style. In committing the act he lost control of his Colt's .38, it dropped on the floor and exploded. The man who had been bifffed with the pistol, thinking the other belligerent had been hit, lit out of the back door, while the owner of the gun, thinking the exploded bullet had seriously injured his rival in trade, hiked out the front door. The report of the pistol raised the greatest kind of excitement and everybody rushed to the store building, thinking they would find dead men lying around like flies after a frost, and were struck with wonderment when, upon entering the building, they saw nothing but smoke, an exploded pistol and not a soul in sight. The incident has been the talk of the little phosphate town ever since.

ANTHONY CAMP OF WOODMEN

Mr. C. H. Dame returned this morning from Anthony, where he organized a camp of Woodmen with twenty members Tuesday night. The following are the officers: Rev. N. E. Plummer, C. C.; Ludwig Enderfeld, A. L.; Dr. E. G. Lindner, physician; C. E. Boyle, clerk; F. W. Ellison, escort; H. E. Talton, watchman; E. L. Howell, sentry; managers, C. B. Howell, B. F. Mims and A. A. Brown. The choppers are H. T. Jones, W. C. Crede, J. L. Perry, B. C. Murphy, J. T. Pearson, S. G. Harrison, J. C. Howell, W. T. Lamb, E. A. Shealy. The camp is composed of splendid material and has a very bright future before it, as there are others who will join the ranks of the Anthony Woodmen later. The Star extends congratulations. From Anthony Mr. Dame went to Campville to assist that camp in initiating several new members. He found the camp in a healthy condition and growing. Saturday night Mr. Dame expects to go to Hawthorne to assist in a big initiation of members in that lodge.

FRANKLYN ROSS MORMACK OR J. F. SHERWOOD

As will be seen by a letter published elsewhere J. F. Sherwood, formerly publisher of the Chronicle, was in Florida fifteen years under an assumed name, his real name being Franklyn Ross McCormack. The cause of his being here under an assumed name he tells in a straightforward manner, and has made, rather than lost friends by his manly confession. In his eagerness to aid friends he was indiscreet enough to violate law, and being pursued by enemies he resorted to flight, and under a wrong name he and his noble wife came to Florida, and here they were loved and respected by all. No man can point to a single dishonorable act of his in the past fifteen years, and without doubt this one that he speaks of, is the only one of his life. A nobler man nor truer friend never lived in Florida. Not one of his former friends throughout the state will think less of his because of this one false step of his life. We hope that he and his excellent family will return to Florida for a hearty welcome awaits them.—Citrus County Chronicle. Whatever the gentleman's name is, he certainly gave his friends a square deal during his residence in Florida. If he ever committed a dishonorable action the Star never heard of it, and it had extensive dealings with him.

County Commissioner Norman A. Fort gives Clod Hopper and Taxpayer a good rasping for their vaporing in the Banner about the action of the county commissioners in compelling property owners to keep their line fences off the public roads, and also the complaint about the county assisting in paving the streets of Ocala. Mr. Fort tells why the county commissioners hardened the street in front of the county jail, because the county owns said property and a basin in said road needed filling in and it will be done by the city and charged to the county, and why the county pays back half of the taxes the city of Ocala pays the county for building good roads, for the law says all incorporated towns shall have back half of these road taxes to improve their own streets, for which the county pays not a cent. Now and then a man who doesn't think, doesn't know, jumps up and makes all kinds of ridiculous and senseless criticisms against faithful public officials who do their duty well and according to the law. Mr. Fort did the right thing at the right time and now Mr. Clod-hopper and Mr. Taxpayer will go way back and sit down and think how foolish they acted in saying a whole lot about a matter they knew nothing about.

Dr. H. C. Dozier has had a request from Saluda, N. C., to hold himself in readiness for a consultation in the case of a little child of Mrs. Shaw's, Columbia, S. C., people who are spending the summer at Saluda.

JOHNSON RE-NOMINATED

Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 20.—The democratic state convention yesterday afternoon stampeded for Governor John A. Johnson, and nominated him for re-election with a rush.

WEARY MIDDOWS ARE WANING

New York, August 20.—Two prominent milliners of Boston were among the returning passengers on the Kaiser Wilhelm yesterday and they declare that the large trimmed hat has disappeared in Paris and that the popular hat next season will be exceedingly small, in fact that it will bear about the same relation to the "merry widow" that a pinhead does to an umbrella.

THINKS IT SAVED HIS LIFE

Lester M. Nelson, of Naples, Maine, says in a recent letter: "I have used Dr. King's New Discovery many years, for coughs and colds, and I think it saved my life. I have found it a reliable remedy for throat and lung complaints, and would no more be without a bottle than I would be without food." For nearly forty years New Discovery has stood at the head of throat and lung remedies. As a preventive of pneumonia, and healer of weak lungs it has no equal. Sold under guarantee at all drug stores. Fifty cents and \$1. Trial bottle free.

SERPENT'S FATAL STING

A Florida Farmer, Bitten in the Morning, Died at Night

Branford, Fla., August 20.—Frank Walker, a farmer about five miles from Branford in Lafayette county, was bitten by a large rattlesnake on Saturday morning and died at midnight the same day. He was in the weeds some distance from his home when bitten and was taken to the home of Dr. DeHart and given treatment. He was thirty-five years of age and leaves a wife and two children.

RELIEVING MUSCULAR STRAIN

Of the eyes that rob the vigor of the rest of the body, is our profession. Glasses are intended for more than the aiding of vision. Some of the most distressing diseases have been relieved by glasses after doctors and surgeons had doctored and cut to their heart's content. Do not procrastinate in the matter of having your eyes examined by me. DR. D. M. BONEY, Eyesight Specialist, Ocala, Florida.

Office Hours: 8 to 12 a. m., and 1:30 to 4:30 p. m. Optical office and laboratory, rooms 2 and 4 Gary block.

SPRINGFIELD IS QUIET

Springfield, Ill., August 20.—With the departure of two infantry regiments and by the beginning of a special investigation by the grand jury, began the first steps toward a resumption of normal conditions in this city. Two more regiments will leave tomorrow, reducing the military force to about 1,500.

HEALTH AND VITALITY

Mott's Nerveine Pills The great nerve and brain restorative for men and women, produces strength and vitality, builds up the system and renews the normal vigor. For sale by druggists or by mail, \$1 per box, 6 boxes for 5. Sold by the Anti-Monopoly Drugstore.

NEAR BEER NEAR ENOUGH

This Doesn't Bear Out the Reports of a Sober Atlanta Atlanta, August 20.—Fines in the recorder's court of cases on Monday's docket aggregated \$312.25, which breaks the record for the year. There were 150 cases, about one-third being for drunk and disorderly. Most of the drunks claim near beer did it.

A WEAKLING

is the only way to describe the poor child that is afflicted with worms. No matter how much or how often it eats, the worms get all the nourishment from the food, the child gets practically none. White's Cream Vermifuge gets rid of the worms quickly, easily and with no bad after effects. Price 25 cents a bottle. Sold by Anti-Monopoly Drugstore.

FATE OF A MEXICAN FAMILY

Mexico City, Aug. 20.—Two hungry mountain lions entered the hut of Herculano Flores, in the village of Idoeza de Cabello, state of Iasisco, and killed the whole family, consisting of Flores, his wife and two children. The cries of the victims attracted the villagers and the animals were driven off, but not before they had devoured the two children.

Delay in anything is bad, but it is positively dangerous when there is something wrong with your kidneys. Don't wait until tomorrow. Get something that is to be depended upon to help you promptly at such times. The one remedy above all others that we suggest is DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. They are antiseptic and almost instantly relieve backache, rheumatic pains and all bladder and kidney troubles. We sell them. Sold by Anti-Monopoly Drugstore.

BURNED IN THEIR HOME

Marshal, N. C., Aug. 20.—Last night the home of Wofford Tweed on Laurel Mountain was destroyed by fire and his wife, their three children and Mrs. Murray Tweed were burned to death and their bodies cremated in the flames.

DeWitt's Carbolyzed Witch Hazel Salve is especially good for piles, but it is also recommended nearly everywhere for anything when a salve is needed. It is soothing, cooling and healing. Be sure to get DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve when you ask for it. We sell and recommend it. Sold by Anti-Monopoly Drugstore.

Fishel's (GROCERY DEPARTMENT)

WE HAVE FRESH

- Tomatoes, dozen .....23c. Celery large bunch .....18c. Onions, 2 quarts .....14c. Irish Potatoes, peck .....35c. Rutabagas, pound .....3c. Beets, pound .....3c. String Beans, quart .....15c. Apples, peck .....67c. Pineapples .....5c., 10c., 15c. Limes, dozen .....10c. Sweet potatoes, peck.....29c.

FISHEL'S

AGED WOMAN'S ABERRATION

Mrs. Phillips Jumped Into a Well at Madison and Broke Her Neck Madison, Fla., Aug. 20.—Mrs. Peter Phillips, of Hanson, Fla., suicided here yesterday. Mrs. Phillips was between 55 and 60 years old. She came to Madison some time ago for treatment by a physician and was accompanied by her daughter. The two had rooms at the old Methodist parsonage, where they had been for two or three weeks. Mrs. Phillips had been suffering from nervousness. Yesterday her daughter awoke and found that her mother had left the room. A search found the missing woman in a well, standing erect and her neck broken. She had gotten out of bed and jumped into the well, probably with suicidal intent or during temporary aberration, due to her physical condition.

THE BEST PILLS EVER SOLD

"After doctoring 15 years for chronic indigestion, and spending over two hundred dollars, nothing has done me as much good as Dr. King's New Life Pills. I consider them the best pills ever sold," writes B. F. Ayscue, of Ingleside, N. C. Sold under guarantee at all drug stores. 25c.

FLORIDA MAN IMPLICATED

In the Murder of a Woman at Newaygo, Michigan Newaygo, Michigan, August 20.—Possé of fifty armed men is surrounding a swamp near here, having been led to the place by bloodhounds started from a farm house where Mrs. Minnie Conley was found stabbed to death yesterday. For sixteen years the woman had been known as Mrs. John Conley, but it seems she had gone to live with Conley as housekeeper, and the recent visit of John Ward, who deserted her twenty years ago at White Hall, Mich., and the disappearance of Ward since the murder adds mystery to the tragedy. Letters in Ward's pocket indicated that in November, 1905, he had a wife Ella, Conley, in Jacksonville, Fla.

WILLIAMS' KIDNEY PILLS

Have you neglected your kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and bladder? Have you pains in loins, side back, groins and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face, especially under the eyes? Too frequent a desire to pass urine? If so, Williams' Kidney Pills will cure you. Sold by the Anti-Monopoly Drugstore.

ON THE WAY TO OYSTER BAY

Tampa, August 20.—Governor General Charles E. Magoon of Cuba, passed through the city last night en route to Washington and Oyster Bay. He said: "I go to Washington and then to see the president for a discussion of preliminaries to turning over the Cuban government February 1st, 1909."

What a New Jersey Editor Says

M. T. Lynch, Editor of the Phillipsburg, N. J., Daily Post, writes: "I have used many kinds of medicines for coughs and colds in my family but never anything so good as Foley's Honey and Tar. I cannot say too much in praise of it." Sold by all dealers.

HERE U R THEY R FRESH

- GRAHAM CRACKERS .....10c. SOCIAL TEAS .....10c. MARSHMALLOW .....10c. ARROWROOT .....10c. NABISCO .....10c. FIG NEWTON .....10c. SALTINES .....10c. CHEESE SANDWICH .....10c. OATMEAL CRACKER .....10c. ROYAL LUNCH .....10c. BUTTER THINS .....10c. AND ALL THE REST

O. K. Grocery Clark Bros, Proprietors PHONE 174 Staple and Fancy Groceries

SHIPS ARE AT SIDNEY

American Fleet Received the Greeting of the Australian Continent

Sydney, N. S. W., Aug. 20.—Early this morning a thin veil of smoke on the horizon signalled to the watchers on the coast the approach of the American warships and at 5:30 official notification was sent out that the fleet had been sighted. It was yet twenty miles outside of Sydney harbor, but this word, which had been awaited eagerly by tens of thousands, stirred Australians like a call to arms. Almost instantly those who had not left the city to take up points of vantage among the bay were moving in droves to line the quays, the roof tops and other places on the harbor front to watch the coming of the guardships of the new world.

In perfect alignment, the flagship Connecticut leading, the warships came out of the horizon, first a little smoke showing and then the hulls. Passing in through the Sydney heads in double column at intervals of 400 yards the ships looked to have a world of speed and power under their gleaming sides. The fleet was attended by a roar of salutes from the forts, as it steamed slowly along. The thousands ashore added their cheers to swell the noisy welcome and countless British and American flags were flung to the breeze and were still waving long after the anchors had been swung from the sides.

SET AN EXAMPLE

Which a Great Many Quarrelsome Couples Could Follow With Profit

New York, August 20.—Believing her husband was about to leave her forever, Mrs. Edward H. Hacker committed suicide yesterday by shooting herself. Her husband, who had bade her good-bye after a series of altercations and started from the Hague Court Apartment House, where they lived, heard the shot and ran back to their flat. Upon beholding the lifeless body of his wife he was overcome with grief and remorse, and locking the door of the apartment he picked up the revolver with which she had killed herself and ended his own life by shooting himself three times. When the superintendent of the building and employes broke down the door they found the husband and wife dead, Hacker with his arms clasped about his wife's neck and his lips close to her cheek, as though he died while trying to kiss her.

DISAGREEABLE AT HOME

Lots of men and women who are agreeable with others get "cranky" at home. It's not disposition, it's the liver. If you find in yourself that you feel cross around the house, little things worry you, just buy a bottle of Ballard's Herbine and put your liver in shape. You and everybody around you will feel better for it. Price 50 cents per bottle. Sold by Anti-Monopoly Drugstore.

HAINES BROTHERS HELD

New York, August 20.—After being out twenty-two minutes, a coroner's jury last night brought in a verdict that William E. Anis, who was killed last Saturday night at Bay Side, L. I., came to his death as the result of a pistol wound inflicted by Capt. Peter C. Haines, Jr., U. S. A., aided and abetted by Thornton Jenkins Haines, his literary brother. Both were held without bail.

HERBINE

Will overcome indigestion and dyspepsia; regulate the bowels and cure liver and kidney complaints. It is the best blood enricher and invigorator in the world. It is purely vegetable, perfectly harmless, and should you be a sufferer from disease, you will use it if you are wise. Sold by Anti-Monopoly Drugstore.

TRAGEDY NEAR CRYSTAL RIVER

Recently T. L. Hurst, Albert Wells and J. A. Drew, fishermen at Crystal River, met on Salt River, five miles below town, Hurst in one boat and Drew and Wells in another. Bad blood existed between the men over charges and counter charges regarding the posting of notices declaiming the character of a lady living in Crystal River. At this time, it seems that Wells and Drew pulled up in their boat to where Hurst was, and demanded satisfaction for something they heard that Hurst had said concerning a member of the Wells family. According to Hurst's statement of the affair, published in the News, Wells and Drew wanted to go ashore and fight it out, but he refused. Wells armed himself with a hatchet, boarded Hurst's boat and the latter defended himself with an oar, but fell overboard, and Wells went after him, at the same time throwing the hatchet at his adversary. Drew had a gun, and kept telling Wells to stand aside so he could shoot, but Hurst kept Wells between himself and the gun until they got to the marsh, when Hurst ran off, taking the hatchet with him. As he came up the river next morning, they hailed him to stop which he did. They then demanded the return of their hatchet, but Hurst refused to give it up. They abused him in a shameful manner, but he was unarmed and formed to take it. Saturday morning Drew and Hurst tied their boats near the fish house at Crystal River, another boat being between them. Hurst was shaving, when Drew boarded his boat, armed with a hatchet and advanced toward him, making threats. Hurst warned him not to advance further, but he did so, and Hurst shot him in the right arm, nearly severing that member. He again refused to stop when ordered to, and Hurst fired a shot into his body, killing him almost instantly.—Citrus County Chronicle.

ACTIVE AT EIGHTY-SEVEN

This would be unusual news if men and women would keep themselves free from rheumatism and all aches and pains of which as keeping their muscles and joints limber with Ballard's Snow Liniment. Sold by Anti-Monopoly Drugstore.

8 Big Specials 8 FOR Monday and Tuesday August 24 and 25

The prices tell in a nut shell what this will mean for your pocket book

40 inch white lawn, very sheer, worth 18c, only per yd 10c Silk tissue, plain or dotted, our former price 19c, only 5c

90 inch iron frame mosquito bar, worth \$1.75, only \$1.24 Mennen's talcum powders, violet or borated, only 12 1/2c

70 inch iron frame mosquito bar, worth \$1.50, only 98c Armour's toilet soap, 3 wrapped cakes in box, only 10c for box

ICE CREAM FREEZERS Only a few, and they must go

3 qt Arctic freezer for \$1.50 3 Quart White Mountain Freezer \$1.90 4 qt Arctic freezer for \$1.80 4 Quart White Mountain Freezer \$2.20

Send and get samples of the White Lawn and compare with goods at twice the price.

Look at the window and then come and save money on Monday and Tuesday.

The Variety Store

YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD ---AT---

THE BOSTON STORE See ASHER FRANK, Manager One dollar a week will clothe you and your family.

Closing Out Summer MILLINERY

Throughout the month of August, I will sell all of my TRIMMED AND UNTRIMMED HATS and certain other items in the store at ACTUAL FACTORY COST

The stock is the very newest and most fashionable Summer Millinery, and as the season is just at its height, this is a rare opportunity for the people of this section to secure new millinery at most unheard of prices. I must have room for the New Fall Goods to arrive in a few days.

MISS MARY AFFLECK South Side Ocala House Block, Ocala, Florida

FRESH MEATS AND VEGETABLES

Western Beef, Veal, Florida Stall Fed Beef, Mutton, Armour's Star Ham, Armour's Pork Sausage, Cabbage, Rutabagas, Turnips, Beets, Sweet Potatoes, Irish Potatoes, Spanish Onions

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