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POINTED PARAGRAPHS GATHERED HERE AND THERE

BY TALLAHASSEEAN REPORTERS

If You Don't Find it Here Look Elsewhere.

Call and see D. B. Meginniss, Jr.'s stock for holiday goods.

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Mr. M. T. Moore, has been here this week from Lake Jackson.

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Hon. A. S. Mann left Thursday on a busines trip to Jacksonville.

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Red D. B. Meginniss, Jr.'s ad for this week concerning holiday goods.

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Gents' and boys' clothing at bottom prices at Ball, Demilly & Co.'s.

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The County School Board met Tuesday in regular monthly session.

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Attorney General W. B. Lamar made a business trip to Monticello yesterday.

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Mr. H. L. Ball is off on a trip to South Florida to be gone several days.

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The best place in town to make your Xmas purchases. Call at D. B. Meginniss, Jr.'s.

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Mr. R. R. Shaw, of Quincy, has been circulating on the streets of the city this week.

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Mr. T. J. Weston, of Grand Ridge, was among the visitors to the Capital City yesterday.

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Ladies' Fine Pat. Vici Kid Beaded Strap Slippers for evening wear at D. B. Meginniss, Jr.'s.

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Mr. Augustus Farmer has returned to Tallahassee from a visit to his old home in Monticello.

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Governor Jennings and wife will attend the Florida Baptist Convention in Marianna next week.

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Mrs. M. H. Chandler is suffering from an attack of pneumonia at her home on the Boulevard.

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Mr. H. B .Chaires, a prominent tiller of the soil at Chaires, spent the week in the city on legal business.

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Senator C. L. Wilson, of Marianna, was here yesterday renewing old acquaintances and making new ones.

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Aside from the allowance of bills, the county commissioners transacted little business at their meeting Tuesday.

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See T. B. Byrd's new ad in the Tallahasseean today, and then call on him to make your Christmas purchases.

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If you wish to purchase a Christmas present that will be useful as well as ornamental, attend the bazaar at the armory today.

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The subject of beautifying the streets and parks of Tallahassee is still an open one, and we would like to assist the Tallahassee Improvement Association in the labor.

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Dr. V. H. Gwinnn, chief physician and surgeon of the State Insane Asylum at Chattahoochee, was in the city Sunday and Monday.

Hon. C. H. Dickerson, Governor Jennings' private secretary, has been over in Madison this week spending a few days.

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WANTED—Board in a private Christian family, by a young man, at a reasonable price. Address, C., Tallahasseean office.

For Rent—The Mrs. Dyke two-story residence on Monroe street, near the Leon Hotel. For particulars apply to W. A. Demilly, agent.

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The Baltimore Clothing House has a new ad in this issue. They sell standard goods at standard prices, and guarantee satisfaction every time.

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Mrs. W. H. Davidson, of Quincy, Fla., after a pleasant two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Sheats, left for her home Tuesday.

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See the new Christmas ad of the Gilmore & Davis Company in this issue, and if you wish to purchase Christmas presents give them a call.

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The State Board of Education held their monthly meeting yesterday for the purpose of auditing the accounts of the State institutions under their jurisdiction.

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Mr. H. N. Sweeting, the jeweler, talks diamonds, watches, jewelry and other Christmas presents in this issue of the paper. See his ad and then see Mr. Sweeting.

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Mr. Parish, of Lynchburg, Va., who secured the contract for enlarging and repairing the State capitol, is expected in the city today, to complete arrangements for the work.

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Mr. R. N. Ashmore, Jr., the leading business man of Hilliardsville, was in the city yesterday. He made the Tallahassean office a very pleasant call during the afternoon.

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If you want a square meal, well served, read the new ad of Mr. Gregory's City Restaurant in this issue and call on him. He will give you a good meal for the money.

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Just read Mr. W. R. Wilson's Christmas proclamation in this issue. Mr. Wilson is offering some genuine bargains for the Christmas holidays, and you will miss it if you do not give him a call

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Rev. W. H. Carter, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, went to Jacksonville Wednesday to attend a meeting of the Board of Missions and standing committees of the Episcopal church.

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The people of Florida will be pleased to hear that Secretary of State John L. Crawford, who has been quite sick since the death of his wife, is much better at this writing. Mr. Crawford is still very feeble, however.

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'Tis blessed to give, but more blessed to give something useful. A dinner or tea set makes an excellent Christmas present—one that will always be useful and appreciated. Yaeger has them in all styles, quality and prices.

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If you want something useful to present a relative or friends udring the holidays, Yaeger's is the place to get it. Plain and ornamental glass and crockery ware of every description and quality will befound at his store.

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On motion of Hon. Fred T. Myers, W. B. Clarkson, of Jacksonville, has been admitted to practice in the supreme court. Mr. Clarkson is a member of the law firm of Hartridge & Clarkson, at the Florida metropolis.

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The Townsend House one block northwest of the Market House is open for boarders. Hotel fare at half their price. Parties wanting a good place to board would do well to give it a trial.
S. D. HIGHTOWER, Proprietor.

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No trash at Yaeger's. Everything in his stock is useful and worth much more than the price charged. When you go to select a Christmas present call at his store and examine his immense stock. Something to please everybody can be found there.

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The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church are giving their annual Christmas bazaar at the armory today. There is a splendid display of fancy work suitable for Christmas presests, and the affair promises to be a ucces. Lunch, dinner and supper, consisting of turkey, cakes, cream and other delicacies, will be served.

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Trast, the three-year-old son of W. T. Bryan, bookbinder at the T allahasseean office, met with a very painful accident Tuesday afternoon. An older brother was chopping on a board with a hatchet, when the little fellow got his left hand in the way. The middle finger was almost completely amputated, being cut clear through the bone. Dr. Moor dressed the wound and has some hopes of saving the finger.

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Van Vranken's dog and pony show gave one exhibition in Tallahassee Wednesday night. The aggregation was not large, but the feature of the show, Forrest Tempest, is the most intelligent and best trained horse ever seen in this city. In fact, Forrest Tempest was the whole show, although they had some trained dogs, a pony, and Whirlwind, the trick mule, to fill in with, and they did pretty well.

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C. H. Cox, for many years foreman of the World, will leave this morning for Tallahassee, Fla., where he will accept a position. Mr. Cox is one of the best-known young men in the city and carries with him the universal good wishes of his friends.—Roanoke (Va.) Times.

Mr. Cox arrived in Tallahasse last week and has charge of the Linotype in the Tallahasseean office.

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Those who took in the second attraction of the Lyceum course at the opera house Monday night were given a genuine treat. The singing of Mrs. Sarah McDonald Sheridan, the celebrated Southern ballad singer, was greatly enjoyed, while the elocutionary efforts of Miss Cochran elicited rounds of applause. The hall was comfortably filled and everybody was satisfied.

Mr. R. L. Collins, the druggist, who has been quite sick the past three weeks, is able to be up again.

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Mr. B. F. Willis, deputy clerk in the supreme court room, has accepted a position as stenographer for Judge Raney

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Mr. E. B. Witt, a popular tobacco drummer, known throughout this section as "Penn's No. 1," and in other States generally called "Gold Crums," has been here the past week, calling on our merchants and making new friends.

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An infant daughter of Mrs. Annie Bloodsworth died Wednesday morning at 3 o'clock, from la grippe. Remains were buried Wednesday afternoon at 3:30, in the City Cemetery. Undertaker Rozear had charge of the funeral.

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Mrs. Mary Byrd Dallas died a few days ago in, Washington. She was a sister of the wife of Prince Murat, whose carrer in Tallahassee will be recalled by many Tallahasseean readers. The Murat place, two miles from town to the west, and the Murat grave in our Episcopal cemetery are still places o fgreat interest to visitors, though both have been sadly neglected for many years.

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As vaccination prevents smallpox, and quinine chills and fever, so TEETHINA prevents and counteracts the effects of the summer's heat, much dreaded by mothers with small children. TEETHINA relieves the many troubles incident to teething and the hot summers, and no mother is excusable for not giving it, for it costs only 25 cents at druggists; or mail 25 cents to C. J. Moffett, M. D., St. Louis, Mo.

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Mr. Geddie Ridgewell, who has been working at Woodville for some time with Mr. William Rhodes, a turpentine operator, died Wednesday night from pneumonia. Undertaken Rozear sent a coffin to Woddville and took charge of the body, which was shipped last night to Hartford, Ala., for burial.

Deceased was 23 years old, and was engaged to be married to a popular young lady at Woodville. The marriage would have been solemnized next week.

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The business man keeps an accurate account of his business. By studying his books he can tell in what lines it will be profitable to enlarge his business. The business man knows what he is doing. With the farmer there is a good deal of guesswork. By keeping books the farmer would know exactly the source of his income and how it was used. Whether his crops and stock were profitable or a loss. It is not enough these days that a man be a good farmer, he must also be a business man. Think about it now that the evenings are growing longer.

COMMISSIONERS MEET.

The Bo ard of Commissioners of Leon county held their regular monthly meeting at the court house today.

Those present were L. C. Yaeger, chairman, and Commissioners W. J. Johnson, E. C. Smith, W. D. Stoutamire and W. L. Moore.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

It was resolved that in future meetings all miscellaneous business will be disposed of before the routine work is begun.

It was also ordered that all accounts presented for payment must in the future be itemized, otherwise they will not be considered.

The following warrants were ordered darwn:

Mary Davis, county poor.....$	5 00
Mary Coleman, county poor....	5 00
E. D .Rhodes, county poor....	5 00
Jas. Bond, county poor.....	3 00
Henry Tuton, county poor....	1 50
Mary Williams, county poor..	3 00
Lawrence Powell, county poor..	1 50
R. C. Herring, county poor....	5 00
Becky Ward, county poor.....	5 00
Sam Johnson, county poor....	1 50
Ellen Everett, county poor....	3 00
Mathew Curtis, county poor....	1 50
Mary Stevens, county poor....	5 00
Sarah Ann Walker, county poor	1 50
Sarah Sampson, county poor..	1 50
Joseph Smith, county poor....	1 58
Starling Hunter, county poor..	1 50
Mary Hartsfield, county poor..	2 50
Hannah Willis, county poor....	5 00
Rachel Wilson, county poor....	1 00
Elizabeth McFail, county poor..	2 00
Martha Carroll, county poor....	5 00
Violet Jackson, county poor....	1 50
Wilson Winfrey, county poor...	1 50
Levy Hayes, county poor.....	1 50
Anna Holmes, county poor....	1 50
Mrs. Dennard, county poor....	5 00
Lydia Grant, county poor.....	5 00
Alfred Martin, county poor....	1 00
Wade Manley, county poor....	2 50
Polly Earnest, county poor....	5 00
Mary Richards, county poor..	4 00
Annie Bryant, county poor....	1 50
Ben Williams, county poor....	2 50
C. A. Bryan, county auditor....	50 00
Geo. W. Hale, janitor.....	20 00
Tallahassee Lumber and Manufacturing Co., Armory.....	50 00
Tallahassee Fuel Co., light and coke	14 50
Levy Bros., merchandise	31 13
Marshall & Bruce Co., record book	15 75
W. D. Stoutamire, locating bridge	5 40
J. D. Johnson, building bridge and approach.....	115 00
E. B. Eppes, road supervisor..	28 50
A. B. Byrd, road supervisor....	3 30
W. D. Stoutamire, road supervisor..	40 50
H. J. Johnson, expense atending Good Roads Convention.	17 35
H. & W. B. Drew Co., blanks, etc.	6 03
Jos. Duncan, coffins, 2 paupers.	13 00
Geo. W. Hale, each paid for wood, etc.	8 00
R. A. Whitfield, fee examining lunatic	2 00
Geo. W. Betton, fee examining lunatic	1 00
Marvin Collins, fee examining lunatic	2 00
Geo. F. Chambers, fee examining lunatic.....	1 00
H. T. Felkel, commission tax assessor	562 86
H. & W. B. Drew Co., ribbon T. writers	70
J. A. Pearce, feed prisoners....	170 00
J. A. Pearce, sheriff fees.....	3 80
S. P. Chaires, road supervisor..	3 75
L. S. Crump, road supervisor..	20 50
John C. Moore, road supervisor.	9 00
C. G. Johnson, road supervisor..	23 50
J. B. Switzer, road supervisor..	25 50
John A. Craig.....	27 30
Kemper Stables, to hire surrey.	2 00
Levy Bros., merchandise to poor	23 50
Miss S. M. Archer, stationery..	13 35
James Moody, rebuilding bridge	25 00
John A. Craig, justice peace fees	2 12
John A. Craig, witness fees justice peace court.....	2 00
F. E. Craig, constable fees.....	5 20
R. A. Whitfield ,jurors and witnesses county court.....	15 50
Weekly Tallehasseean, financial statement	4 00
Weekly Tallahasseean, publishing licenses.....	17 33
H. E. Small, road supervisor..	64 00
H. E. Small, road supervisor..	35 00
E. C. Smith, road supervisor....	41 50
Henry Robinson, road supervisor	25 00
J. H. Baum, road supervisor....	6 00
L. C. Yaeger, road implement..	20 90
Dr. E. M. Brevard, professional services	4 00
O. Bernard, game warden.....	30 00
T. J. Geddie & Son, lumber....	17 50
J. C. Moore, road work.....	9 00
R. A. Whitfield, Co. Judge.....	15 50

TOURING THE SOUTH.

A leter from Prof. Chas. A. Rice, dated Asheville, N. C., Dec. 1st, says: "The Rice Concert Company," composed of Josie, Pauline and Edmund Rice, with the professor as manager, is starting out on a concert tour of the South and Cuba. They are booked for this city Tuesday night, Dec. 17th.

Tallahasseans will recall Professor Rice and his three interesting tots, who even when they left here were considered musical prodigies. Regarding their concert the Gainesville, Ga., Eagle says:

"The concert last night at Hunt's Opera House by Prof. Chas. A. Rice and his three little children, Edmund, Pauline and Josie, was witnessed by an appreciative audience of music lovers. These little violinists are six, eight and ten years of age. but it is not their infantile years that gives attractiveness to their performance, for their playing is of a high order.

"The children are what may be termed musical prodigies, rendering the difficult music with a skill and correctness that would have done credit to adults of long training. It is seldom, if ever, that such fine music has been rendered in Gainesville, and never was a cultured audience so delighted with a concert of like character."

NEWS AT WOODVILLE.

Woodville, Dec. 5.—There is not much going on down here this week. Everybody is lively and enjoying life, with not much to do. Saturday was quite lively. There was a good many people here. Some came to mill, some to get their mail, and others came to be in company and to pass away the time. All was quiet and peaceable.

Mr. Wilson, of the Chicago Portrait Company, was down here this week taking orders for enlarging pictures. He got several orders while here.

Rev. J. L. Yeats, J. L. Robinson and J. T. Strickland returned from the coast Friday. They report a fine time and had plenty fish, oysters and game.

Mr. Josh Crosby and Mr. George Horton left yesterday for a trip to the coast.

We had a nice shower of rain last night, which was needed very much.

THE IGNORANT WOMAN'S VOTE

Women's suffrage prevails in Colorado, and the Denver Republican, discussing the matter, says that the percentage of illiterate female voters in States where woman suffrage prevails is ridiculously small as compared with the reported percentage of illiterate male voters. It would require arduous search on the part of enumerators in Colorado, Wyoming, Utah and Idaho to discover a large enough percentage of illiterate women voters to cut much figure in the census returns. In fact, the demand of the women of these States has always been for the severest educational tests, showing that the sex is willing to accept the franchise only on the highest plane.