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IN AND ABOUT THE TOWN.

Some Things You Know and Some Things You Don't Know.

Artist Gottlieb makes Babies' Photos "quick as a wink."

T. A. Whittaker, of Jacksonville, is in town.

Young chickens cheap constantly on hand at Wm. Gray's.

J. S. Franz, of Tampa, visited Ocala yesterday.

Houses to rent from \$5 to \$15. Inquire of I. Stevens.

G. W. Avery, of Evingston, was in town yesterday.

Straw Hats we are almost giving away. DAVIDSON & VAN ECHOP.

R. W. Davis, of Palatka, stopped in town yesterday.

Suits to order from \$15 up. DAVIDSON & VAN ECHOP.

Ed Stewart, of Jacksonville, is at the Montezuma today.

Fine fresh water fish today on ice at L. S. Black's, stall No. 11, City Market.

Mrs. Rosa Jones, of Fitzgerald, visited Ocala yesterday.

A few White and Colored Vests. We are closing out at cost. DAVIDSON & VAN ECHOP.

D. L. Sternburger, of Trilby, was in town yesterday.

Have you seen our new 85 cent Neglige Shirts? Just a few left. DAVIDSON & VAN ECHOP.

D. Ripson was among the many visitors to Ocala yesterday.

Wm. Gray receives a nice coop of both young and old chickens every day.

H. F. Mayfield, of Bartow, transacted business in town yesterday.

Choice, fresh water fish just received today at J. W. Davis', City Market.

A. R. Griffin, from the country, was sick at the Montezuma yesterday.

Fall styles and samples received. Call and see them. DAVIDSON & VAN ECHOP.

Fred W. Cole, traveling freight agent of the Plant System, is in town.

Something nice for dinner tomorrow at Misses Richards & Hallett's.

Frank Clarkson, of Jacksonville, registered at the Ocala House yesterday.

See our line of Men's Shoes before buying. DAVIDSON & VAN ECHOP.

Major A. Martin, the soliciting freight agent for the E. T., V. & G., is in town.

Pants to measure, \$4, guaranteed a fit. DAVIDSON & VAN ECHOP.

Dr. C. W. Torrey is at Pensacola in behalf of Col. Chipley's West Florida exhibit.

If you have an old book that you wish to preserve, take it to the Witness job office and have it bound.

Will Hopkins, the hustling traveling passenger agent of the E. C. & P., is in town.

W. M. Brooks, one of Floral City's most substantial citizens, was in the city yesterday.

Crayons, Pastels and Water-color Portraits copied to any size from old and faded photos by Artist Gottlieb.

N. H. Morgan, of the Florida Southern, with headquarters at Palatka, visited Ocala yesterday.

Bookkeeping, Shorthand and Typewriting taught at day and night school. Ocala Business College, ZeButt Block.

The Ocala Choral Society meets tonight in Witness Hall. Some choice music will be rendered.

Artist Gottlieb still makes a specialty of the Carbonette. Prices same as ordinary photos. Studio opposite Montezuma Hotel.

Col. Tom Harris has not yet completed the census of the first ward and has about 400 on the list.

E. B. Richardson's stable will furnish you a first-class turnout cheaper than elsewhere. Call and try his teams.

Rev. J. C. Porter left on the noon train for St. Petersburg, where he will spend a week enjoying the cool gulf breezes.

C. V. McCoy, the Ocala House barber, will give you the smoothest and easiest shave imaginable. Hair cuts in the latest style.

Frank Bugbee and family took in the bicycle races in Jacksonville and went on to St. Augustine, where they spent a pleasant time by the sea, returning yesterday evening.

In order to reduce our stock and make room for fall goods, we will make a discount of 10 per cent on all cash purchases to Sept. 1. DAVIDSON & VAN ECHOP.

W. E. Thomas, better known as "Cash," has gone to Pensacola, from whence he will leave in a few days for Atlanta to join his father, who has charge of Col. Chipley's West Florida exhibit.

Figures do not lie. Multiply \$36 by 7 and you have \$500—provided you invest seven times thirty-six with the Covenant Building and Loan association. Ask M. M. Little about it.

M. M. Little received \$700 from his company, the Covenant Building and Loan Association, on a loan he placed for a party in town. Mr. Little places one of these loans every few days.

Neal Weathers and Leonard Frierson and brother, of H. B. Masters' store, went to Ocklawaha early yesterday morning for a day's fishing, and returned late yesterday evening, having enjoyed the day very much.

SAILOR HATS!

Two cases just received. "All the latest styles" at Mrs. C. A. BROWN'S.

Watches cleaned for 50 cents. 50 cent crystals, 25 c. 25 cent crystals 15 c.

Pins and breastpins 10 c., and all other work done on watches, jewelry and sewing machines in proportion.

Work guaranteed to give satisfaction. Next door to the post office, in W. W. Condon's music and jewelry store.

CITY GAS

Is Turned on at Last in Full Force.

The Ocala Heat, Light and Power Company have at last demonstrated that gas is a practical success in Ocala.

Gas was first turned on Monday night, and from the very first burned without a flare, giving a beautiful, white, mellow light, dimming the incandescent lights when placed side by side.

The company will adopt the Welsbachsystem burners, which were patented March 15, 1887, and add greatly to the brilliance of the light.

Some say that gas will be more expensive than electric light.

This, however, is not the case, as one only pays for gas used, while with electricity we pay for electricity whether used or not.

Another advantage in favor of gas is that with a simple burner attachment gas can be used in an ordinary cooking or heating stove.

This can be turned on at a second's notice, your stove is hot, with no dust, soot, or great pile of wood to litter up the kitchen, and no danger of an explosion as in the case of gasoline.

The gas plant seems to be a thoroughly first-class one, put in to stay and give satisfaction.

Too much can not be said in praise of George Buser, the young superintendent, who has devoted his time so closely to the interests of the company, and by his unceasing energies has succeeded in convincing the people of Ocala that he has in this gas that which will fill a long felt want.

Mr. Buser is prepared to put in all necessary fixtures to enable families or business men to use gas both as light and fuel.

The company very liberally offers the first month's gas free to the consumers.

Mr. Buser will have some gas engines on exhibition soon, which will enable those wishing gas engines to make purchases.

FREIGHT ASSOCIATION.

Henry S. Haines Commissioner—Salary, \$15,000.

Atlanta, Aug. 24—The announcement is authentically made that Henry S. Haines, vice-president of the Plant System, has been chosen commissioner of the newly formed Southern States Freight Association, at a salary of \$15,000 a year.

This was decided by a committee on nominations at the recent meeting of the association in New York.

Mr. Haines' election will be confirmed at the adjourned meeting in New York next Tuesday.

ATTENTION, TAX-PAYERS!

The tax book for 1894 will close the 1st of September and property will be advertised for sale first Monday in October next.

Come and pay your taxes and save expenses. F. D. POOSER, Tax Collector Marion county, Fla. July 30, 1895.

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is the best place in the city to buy your fresh groceries. A complete line of Staple and Fancy Groceries constantly on hand. I keep everything in the grocery line. Country Produce, Chickens and Eggs bought and sold. Bread, Pies and Cakes fresh from the bakery.

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