

## THE FAMOUS GENTRY SHOW

All Brand New This Year

Prof. Gentry's famous dog and pony show with many new acts and features added this season of 1900, will exhibit under canvas in this city next Monday, March 26, at 2:30 and 8 p. m.

The show is decidedly the best of its kind in the world, and never fails to give the best of satisfaction. The entertainment is strictly moral and enjoys the distinction of being the only show traveling under canvas that interferes in no way with any belief, creed or religion, and is endorsed by the clergy and school superintendents wherever it exhibits.



### PLEASE THE CRITICAL

Buyers is no easy task. Yet we believe we are doing it in every department.

Ladies' fine wrappers are attracting great attention. These goods are of more than ordinary quality, but are being sold at less than ordinary prices.

Crisp, new and beautiful goods tagged with such low figures, are more than pleasing.

You should see our Ladies' waists. They are irresistible, and those who can't withstand temptation should not come to look.

O. G. FINCH,  
The Alliance Store.

### F. C. & P. SPECIAL RATES

Tallahassee—On account annual meeting Grand Lodge Odd Fellows, tickets will be sold on March 23, 24 and 25, at one and one-fourth fares for the round trip, limited to March 31.

Jacksonville—On account annual meeting dental society of Florida, May 1-4, a rate of one and one-fourth fare has been arranged on the certificate plan.

DeFuniak Springs—Account of Florida Chautauqua, tickets will be sold Feb. 12 to March 27, inclusive, limited to March 31, for \$14.80 for the round trip from Ocala.



### THE BEST SERVICE

And the finest food in the city is to be had at the

### RAILROAD RESTAURANT

Every reasonable dainty is on the bill of fare. The Roasts, Steaks, Chops and other dishes are of fine flavor and satisfying substance. Nowhere else can you dine so well for

50 Cents

### For Sale

Dr. Sanche's Oxydonor, several grades, rightly used prevents or cures grip and a thousand other ills.

Dr. Sanche's Fever Arter, \$2. Of great value in fevers, and Dr. Jones' Health Exerciser, \$1. A jump seat buggy with top, seven ash doors 1-5x3-6, two lights; one door 2-8x6-8 with trimmings; a lot of lightning rod with fixtures; state right for patent spring bed bottom and machine to manufacture; 500 pounds coppered spring wire.

R. C. LOVERIDGE.

## OCALA OCCURRENCES

Fresh Taffy at Dame's.

Russett apples at Dame's.

John A. Bishop is in town.

Ice cream every day at Dame's.

Strawberries at W. E. Connell's.

Col N. Barco, of Crystal River, is in town.

Mrs. T. W. Troxler is slowly improving.

Mattings in new patterns at Rheinauer's.

Mrs. J. W. Sylvester continues to improve.

Fancy assorted crackers at W. E. Connell's.

Indigestion, nausea, are cured by Hood's pills.

Dr. Alfred Abshier of Belleview is in town.

Delicious ice cream. Dame's is the only place.

J. H. Vereen returned to Citrus county today.

L. P. Jumeau of Floral City is at the Ocala House.

"Frog in your throat" at the Anti-Monopoly Drugstore.

A penolia sandwich. Try one. At the John McCarthy Store.

There were eighteen arrivals at the Ocala House yesterday.

J. W. Davis is confined to his bed with an attack of the grip.

Have you seen those handsome toilet sets at the Surprise store?

G. A. Carmichael is rapidly improving at Hot Springs, Ark.

F. Rodman and wife of Concord, Mass., are stopping in the city.

A new case of Cream of Wheat just opened at the McCarthy Store.

A nice line of fresh candies at W. E. Connell's, Montezuma block.

Capt. F. D. Pooser is assisting in the grocery store of Rice and Moore.

C. H. Dame has just received a fine lot of apples, both red and russets.

Penolia sandwiches, 10 cents per package, at the John McCarthy Store.

C. H. Dame has put in a fine stock of fancy crackers in half a dozen varieties.

James Paul, wife and son of Wheeling, West Virginia, are at the Ocala House.

See our complete line of China-ware; cheaper than ever before. The Surprise Store.

A very handsome line of stylish, up-to-date neckwear of all designs. J. W. Hodges.

Queen Annie Hair Tonic. Every bottle guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction. Tydings & Co.

A big stock of handsome dining chairs, couches, hassocks and center tables at McIver & MacKay's.

The Star acknowledges a pleasant call from Mrs. Packham and Mrs. Cutting, from the Park, Tuesday.

Dr. Julius' Magic Oil for all pains. No household complete without it. 2c. at Garrett & Gerig's drugstore.

Take your meal at Mrs. Anthony's Ladies' and Gents' Restaurant and Oyster Parlor, near McIver & MacKay's.

Only a few budded and grafted roses. A nice assortment of pot grown roses, 10 cents to 50 cents each at the Greenhouse.

Dr. W. V. Newson went to Summerfield yesterday to attend Major Henning, who has been very ill for three weeks.

"A single fact is worth a shipload of argument." Every cure by Hood's Sarsaparilla is a fact, proving its merit, and the thousands and thousands of cures recorded certainly should convince you that Hood's will cure you.

## Hospital Benefit Excursion

The members of the celebrated L. V. I. S. of Spring Park will give their regular annual excursion down the Ocklawaha river Wednesday, March 28. And as was done last year, they intend to donate the proceeds to the Marion County Hospital. They think that such a worthy object should call out a large delegation from Ocala especially, as every one who went with them last year is a splendid advertisement as to the good time they had.

The boat will leave Silver Springs at 9 a. m. sharp. Fare for the round trip (an all day ride) only 50 cents. There will be a man at the springs to care for the teams.

W. B. Francis, representing the East Florida Printing Company of Jacksonville, was in the city Wednesday and made the Star a pleasant call. The East Florida Printing Company is one of the most complete establishments of its kind in the South. One of their specialties is ruling bookbinding and supply work for county offices.

J. H. Barton and niece of Springfield, Mass., are recent arrivals in the city.

STATE OF OHIO,  
CITY OF TOLEDO, } SS.  
LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.  
A. W. GLEASON,  
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.  
F. J. CHENEY & CO.,  
Toledo, O.  
Sold by druggists, 75 cents.  
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

### Weather Forecast for Central Florida

(Courtesy of Postmaster Groves)

Jacksonville, March 21.—Fair tonight and Thursday.

MOORE.  
The way to fight a thing is to fall in love with its opposite.

## She was Not a Reformer

Some young girls have a good share of excellent sense, as witness this account from a New York paper: At our hotel was a beautiful young girl, educated, clever, thoroughly up-to-date. A handsome fellow was paying her the most devoted attention, whenever he was sober enough to do so, and all of us felt very anxious lest his attractive manners and lavish display of wealth should win the girl. One evening late she came into my room, and settling herself among the pillows of the couch, said, "John proposed to-night, went down on his knees, said I was the only power on earth that could save him, and if I didn't consent to be his wife he would fill a drunkard's grave." "What did you say?" I asked, breathlessly. "Well," she replied, "I told him that I was not running a Keely Cure, but if he really wanted to be saved from a drunkard's grave I could give him the address of several I had heard highly commended!"—Standard.

Mrs. Gilsey and granddaughter, Miss Brown, are expected to arrive from St. Petersburg in a few days to visit Mrs. E. K. Converse.

### Volcanic Eruptions

Are grand, but skin eruptions rob life of joy. Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures them; also Old, Running and Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Felons, Corns, Warts, cuts, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Chapped Hands, Chilblains. Best file cure on earth. Drives out Pains and Aches. Only 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by Garrett & Gerig, Druggists, Ocala.

R. S. and T. C. Hall and C. T. Trask of Belleview were in town yesterday.

WANTED—Party to take charge of truck and vegetable farm. References. Address Lock Box 197, Ocala.

An elegant line of fine toilet sets and lamps in beautiful decorated ware at the Surprise Store.

A pe-no-lia sandwich is a new cracker delicacy—a nut sandwich. Sold at the John McCarthy Store.

Good bound books of every description, many of them cheaper than the average paper back books, at the Surprise Store.

Begonias, geraniums, roses, daisies, coleus, Alamandas, Clematis, Stepanotis, also numerous other shrub, vine and climbing plants at popular prices. Come and see them. At the Greenhouse.

Do you wear sox? We have the latest in stripes, any color; also sox with white feet. J. W. Hodges.

The best ten cent Borated Talcum Powder to be had in town at Garrett & Gerig's drugstore. Ask for it.

Fresh mullet and bottom fish every day on ice at William Tucker's stall, No. 8, city market.

A new shipment of roller-top antique oak and cherry office desks just received at McIver & MacKay's.

Armour's famous Star brand sugar cured hams at Rice & Moore's.

A fresh line of apples, bananas and oranges at W. E. Connell's, Montezuma block.

Oysters in any style, prepared by an experienced cook, at Mrs. Anthony's Oyster Parlor on North Magnolia street.

Men's and boys' suits, something new, offered at a bargain. J. W. Hodges.

A pretty line of book cases and hat racks in antique oak; handsome in design and finish. McIver & MacKay.

Notice the handsome display of new goods in the corner window of the Surprise Store.

# SPRING SUITS and STRAW HATS

Will make their first general appearance Easter Sunday. Have you provided yourself with the necessary suit or hat?

## H.B. MASTERS

Has just received the finest line of Plain and Fancy Suits ever brought to Ocala.

The line of Straw Hats is complete. We can supply you with anything you want. Come and see.

McIver & MacKay have the handsomest and largest line of willow and oak leather-seat rockers that has ever been carried in Ocala.

Quick relief for that cough can be had by taking one bottle of Cherry Expectorant. 25c. at Garrett & Gerig's drugstore.

A. T. Morris cigars at W. E. Connell's, wholesale agent, also for the retail trade, in the Montezuma block.

The dollar collections are going fast. Out of town people begin to realize what can be done with a small amount of money at the Greenhouse.

Garrett & Gerig's Headache Powders cure quickly, and contain no opiates. 10 and 25c. at Garrett & Gerig's drugstore.

Buy your 1000 mile ticket for \$30 over the Plant System from Miss Jessie Maughs at the city ticket office in the Ocala House.

We have just opened a big assortment of stiff bosom and negligé shirts, all colors, from 50 cents up. J. W. Hodges.

Nickle lamps, the best made, at the Surprise Store.

D. M. Boney, at the Hole in the Wall, has a big trade on his famous 5 cent cigar, "Dixie Girl."

CASTORIA.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the Signature of  
*Wm. D. Mitchell*

Glass for enlarging the Greenhouse plant has been ordered. Support your home industries with your patronage. Full value and more satisfaction in seeing what you buy.

We have every day fresh Florida cabbage, Northern rutabagas and apples at 60 cents a peck. Rice & Moore.

For the babies, Wyeth's Prepared Food has no superior, and it comes cheaper than all others. Garrett & Gerig sell it.

Everybody is invited to inspect our beautiful line of wash goods. Rheinauer & Co.

Large fancy lamps, beautiful and cheap. See them. Just received at the Surprise Store.

Round trip tickets to Havana, Cuba, via Plant System, and beginning November 1st winter tourist tickets to principal Florida resorts. Tickets on sale to all points in the United States. For full information relative to schedules, resorts, rates, etc., call at the city ticket office in the Ocala House. J. C. Maughs, city ticket agent.

Go to the Montezuma barber shop for first class work. P. C. Davis, proprietor.

Only the original and genuine Borated Talcum Powder sold at the Anti-Monopoly Drugstore, quality guaranteed, at 10 cents a box. Also samples of Talcum Powder prepared for use. Call for samples.

## SYRUP OF FIGS



ACTS GENTLY ON THE KIDNEYS, LIVER AND BOWELS. CLEANS THE SYSTEM EFFECTUALLY. DISPERSES COLDS, HEADACHES, OVERCOMES & FEVERS. HABITUAL CONSTIPATION PERMANENTLY ITS BENEFICIAL EFFECTS.

BUY THE GENUINE—MAN'D BY CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. NEW YORK, N.Y. FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS. PRICE 50c PER BOTTLE.

### I'll Do What I Can

Who takes this for his motto, "I'll do what I can." Shall better the world as he goes down life's hill. The willing young heart makes the capable man; And who does what he can, oft can do what he will. There's strength in the impulse to help things along. And forces undreamed of will come to the aid Of one who, though weak, yet believes he's strong. And offers himself to the task unafraid. "I'll do what I can" keeps the progress machine In good working order as centuries roll; And civilization would perish, I ween. Were not those words written on many a soul. They fell the great forests, they furrow the soil. They seek new inventions to benefit man; They fear no exertion, make past time of toil— Oh, great is earth's debt to "I'll do what I can." —Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

## CHILDREN'S HATS



### CHILDREN'S MILLINERY

Receives a large share of our attention and the display of

### TRIMMED HATS

For little ones is quite an important one. Simplicity and beauty are the characteristic features of each model.

From 50 cents to \$3 there are many hats at pleasing prices. We have also a variety of un-trimmed hats which can be made up in any style desired.

### J. G. FERGUSON & CO.

Successors to Mrs. D. M. Hick.

Tenderness does not mean weakness, softness, effeminate-ness. It is consistent with strength, manliness, truth and bravery. It does not show itself alone in the touch, but in unselfishness, thoughtfulness, consideration, forbearance, patience, long suffering. But however it shows itself, it is as the bloom on the peach, as spring showers on the earth, as the music of the angels stealing down on the plains of Bethlehem. You may not have much of this world's wealth to distribute, but you may give something better and spend a useful and beneficent life if you will practice this lesson of shedding around you the grace of human tenderness, in word and in act and by the spirit of your life.—Rev. F. B. Meyer.

### Go to Rheinauer's

For your shirt waists. Newest styles.

Five hundred designs that decorate—Thibaut's wall papers. See R. A. Hall, agent, 304 South Magnolia street.