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The Strong Hold the COMMERCIAL BANK, Ocala, Fla.

Has Upon Public Confidence is Evidenced by Its Large and Increasing Business

OCALA OCCURRENCES

Mrs. Jake Brown is ill. Masons meet this evening. Beavers meet Friday night.

Phone your items of news any time of the day or evening to 51, 121 or 265. There were twenty-two arrivals at the Montezuma yesterday.

Telephone 226 for ice cream. Hewett and Bridges.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jackson are at the Montezuma, from Kalon.

The choicest ice cream can be had by telephoning to Hewett and Bridges.

Mr. Gus Haley is now in the employ of S. A. Rawls & Co.

For first class horse shoeing, go to Smoak & Son's lack of the Ocala Seed Store.

Mr. Ernest McLin has been in South Florida for several days on business for the S. A. Rawls Company.

The Waterman Self-Filling Pen sold and warranted by the Postoffice Drugstore.

Marshall H. G. Keen and John Gamble of Dundell were in the city today.

Palmer's Perfumes and soaps sold and guaranteed by us. The Postoffice Drugstore.

Mr. E. P. Thagard came down last night from Jacksonville.

Our line of toilet soaps, perfumes and cosmetics is unsurpassed. Tydings & Company.

Mrs. Fardon and little daughter, who recently came up from Sarasota, are with Mr. Fardon at the Montezuma.

Electric house wiring. Guaranteed material and workmanship. The Yonge & Cline Co.

Mr. R. B. Clark of Rock Springs, who has been spending the past few days at the Montezuma, returned home today.

We carry the largest and very best assortment of drugists' sundries in the city. Tydings & Co.

Messrs. L. J. Knight and Arthur Williams have returned from a business trip to Tampa.

Don't fail to try the fancy new drinks and ices at the Anti-Monopoly Drugstore on and after April 19.

Mr. L. Horne is taking a few weeks' course of treatment at Hot Springs. He will be there for about two weeks yet.

When traveling via the A. C. L. or when in need of a mileage book, call on R. T. Adams, city ticket agent at the Ocala House.

Mr. T. T. Murren will go to Hot Springs in a few days.

The ice cream season will be opened at the Anti-Monopoly Drugstore on Thursday, April 19. You are invited to attend.

Mr. Wm. H. Stewart of Buffalo, N. Y., traveling representative for the World's Dispensary Medical Association, was in the city yesterday and today, a guest of the Ocala House, on business with the newspapers. Mr. Stewart left this afternoon for Port Tampa, Key West and Havana.

The finest, largest and most varied stock of jeweler's goods of all kinds ever shown in this market. Ocala Music Company, Jewelers.

Mr. A. Y. Strunk, having purchased a lot from Mr. Agnew, opposite the Southern Express Company's office, is erecting a house on the same.

The finest and most beautiful hall racks in antique and golden oak and mahogany that has ever been shown in Ocala. Melver & MacKay.

The berry growers of the Griner Farm section were in town this morning with full loads of this delicious fruit and finding ready sales for them.

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CARNIVAL POSTPONED

Something as Good for the Older People. The carnival, planned for the children, for the benefit of Grace church, has been postponed, but in lieu thereof, a strawberry and ice cream festival will be given in the grounds of the rectory, on Oklawaha avenue, Friday afternoon, April 20. Everyone is cordially invited. Please come and bring a friend with you. The proceeds will go toward the building fund.

THE OPENING OF THE SEASON

The proprietors of the Anti-Monopoly Drugstore hold their season's opening today, and a great many people attended to try the delicious refreshments, and novelties in creams and drinks. Delicious fruit punch was served free, from noon up till late in the evening, from a cavity scooped into a huge block of pink ice, which was something new and very catchy. The Anti-Monopoly Drugstore certainly has a taking list of delicacies on its menu, and if they do not enjoy a big share of the season's trade it will not be for lack of enterprise.

SALES OF BIG LOCATIONS

Mr. G. A. Petteway of this city, one of the best known and most successful of the young naval stores operators in the state, has just purchased the interest of Mr. J. W. McIntosh in the following turpentine locations: Knight, Horne & Co., at Ethna, in Citrus county; Knight, Norman & Co., at Freeman, in Hernando county. Mr. Petteway was already interested in these three locations before acquiring Mr. McIntosh's interests. The locations are three of the most valuable and best in the state. In addition to the large number of boxes already cut on the different locations, there is enough round timber on the land to cut at least a million and a quarter boxes. The places are valued at over \$200,000. The firm names remain the same. Mr. L. S. Petteway is manager for the Knight, Petteway & Co. location at Freeman.

ANOTHER TURPENTINE TRADE

Mr. W. A. Baxley of Croom, formerly of Levon, in this county, recently sold his valuable turpentine location near Croom, to Messrs. E. J. House and S. W. Petteway.

MORE TRADING IN LANDS

Mr. W. A. Baxley, recently of Croom, purchased a few days ago from Mr. G. A. Petteway of this city, his valuable interests in the splendid turpentine location at Ethna, in Citrus county. The name of the firm is Knight, Horne & Co., and it will remain the same as heretofore. Mr. Baxley has taken personal charge of the place and will manage it himself.

THE ELKS CAFE

Is now serving regular meals at 50 cents, also lunch at \$3 per week, and will continue serving orders a la carte according to bill of fare.

G. R. TROXLER, Proprietor.

Read Rheinauer's advertisement. Summer is coming and they have the clothes you need; correct in style and right in price.

The famous Karpen leather furniture, in straight and rocking chairs, and couches, nothing finer made. At Melver & MacKay's.

William Benus of Bronson is in the city.

The Pullman Buffet Parlor Cars on the day trains and Pullman Sleeping Cars on the night trains of the Atlantic Coast Line are examples of excellence and comfort.

Remember, we carry the only complete line of office supplies in blank books in Ocala. Ocala News Company.

Dr. Thomas' uncooked whole wheat biscuit at Tydings & Co. Will cure indigestion and stomach troubles.

The Star had a pleasant and appreciated call today from Mr. W. L. Jordan of Heddtville, one of the enterprising young farmers of that section, and the democratic committeeman from his precinct. Speaking of his section, he said that Wartmann was sold for the legislature, while for the second, man opinion was divided. The old-timers of that section don't want a no-fence advocate in the legislature.

Our art department is complete. A magnificent stock of pictures in oil and water colors and pencil sketches. Frames to match any picture. Hundreds of styles. Visit this department. Melver & MacKay.

Now that the Ladies' Improvement Society of Ocala is fully seated in the saddle, we trust that the members will heed the words of Mr. Chambliss, as published in the Star, and instead of wasting their time and energy in trying to idealize Ocala in a day, a week, a month or a year, and attempt to carry out every single whim or wish, focus on one or two vital propositions and stick to them until they unmistakably demonstrate that judicious efforts persisted in, like good advertising, bring results, and in that work they can rest assured the people of Ocala will stand behind them, in approval as well as financial aid.

All club members of the Ocala Pressing Club who have phones will please phone No. 167 when clothes are ready. All calls answered promptly. J. F. Williamson, Manager.

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THE HOMELESS PEOPLE

Of San Francisco Are Seeking Refuge in the Country and Nearby Towns. The City Still Burns

Special to the Star: Oakland, Calif., April 19, 3:40 p. m.—From the burning city homeless people are flocking with blankets and such baggage as they can carry in their arms to refuges across the bay. All traffic towards the city is stopped by the military, and every means of travel made available for distressed and homeless people. In many cases wagons carried wounded, sick and dying, together with what household effects could be gathered. The Oakland hospitals are filled with injured and dying who are being conveyed to this side of the bay as rapidly as possible.

A GOOD REASON

When the Evening Star came out yesterday, with the first news of the San Francisco earthquake, a smart little boy procured a dozen copies and started out to sell them. He soon returned, saying it was no use, that everybody already had a copy. It is a fact that it is hard to find a family in Ocala that does not take the Evening Star.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except in prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and the mucous surface of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists. Price, 75c per bottle. Take Halls' Family Pills for constipation.

WEATHER FORECAST

Washington, April 19.—Partly cloudy tonight and Friday.

OCALA SKATING RINK

The Ocala skating rink at the armory is now open for the public. The hours for beginners will be 10 to 12 a. m. The afternoon hours from 2 to 5, and the evening hours from 7 to 11. Tuesday afternoons will be reserved for the ladies. Admission, 10 cents; skates, 25 cents. The best exercise in the world can be had on roller skates.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of

HEREFORD VEAL

W. P. Edwards will supply his customers on Friday and Saturday with Hereford veal from Edwards Bros'. All lovers of good meat should avail themselves of this opportunity to get something fancy in the way of meat.

FOR SALE—A 1100 pound, second-hand Mosler fire-proof safe, in perfect condition, \$45. Apply at this office or to Martin & Carn.

Send us your next prescription. We pay particular attention to this department of our store and guarantee satisfaction. Postoffice Drugstore.

FOR RENT—Nice furnished room. Rates reasonable. Apply to Mrs. J. W. Kea, 24 North Watura street.

The finest furniture in town can be found at the Ocala Furniture Company. We would be pleased to show you our line.

We can supply you with tablet paper in any style and size you wish. Come and see us when in need of any. The Postoffice Drugstore.

Mr. J. P. Galloway was made glad today by the arrival of his mother, Mrs. S. E. Galloway, of Miami, whom he had not seen for seven years.

The choicest drugs are compounded in your prescriptions by only registered pharmacists when they are sent to Tydings & Co.

Miss Sue Barco, who has been a guest of Mrs. E. C. Welch at Carnell, returned with that lady to Ocala today.

See the toy flying machines at the Ocala News Company. From 5 to 25 cents.

Mrs. L. T. P. Bishop of New York City, who spends her winters at Citra, was in the city today, a guest of the Montezuma.

Telephone 226 for ice cream, candies and fruits. Hewett and Bridges.

Mrs. Henry and Mrs. Scott of Weir Park came up yesterday, viewed the beauties of Silver Springs and returned home today.

SEABOARD AIR LINE NEW SCHEDULE

Day Trains Northbound... 12:57 p. m. Southbound... 2:20 p. m. Night Trains Northbound... 2:10 a. m. Southbound... 2:30 a. m.

WILLIAM'S CARBOLIC SALVE with ARNICA and WITCH HAZEL

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, tetanus, chapped hands and all skin eruptions. It is guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25c. Sold by William Anderson, Williams Manufacturing Co., Proprietors, Cleveland, Ohio.

Go to the Ocala News Co., and get a Zinn safety razor. The best yet.

MISS MARGARET WALTERS GIVES A CARD PARTY

Miss Margaret Walters gave a most delightful card party last evening at the home of her parents on South Third street, complimentary to her guest and cousin, Miss Loca Mae Eastler, of Montezuma, Ga., an accomplished and beautiful young lady from Miss Walters' former home. The rooms were prettily arranged for the occasion, pink and white being the color scheme. There were many pink and white roses, and the score cards were faintly painted with pink poppies by Miss Cornell Dunn of Atlanta, another one of Miss Walters' cousins and a very pretty young girl, and who is also a guest of Miss Walters. The color scheme was carried out in the refreshments. Grape punch was served throughout the evening, and pink and white cake and Delmonico sundaes were served after the game. The prizes were a set of silver hatpins, with a pink satin holder for the ladies and a silver letter stamp for the gentlemen. The lovely prizes were a toy mandolin, with the following inscribed on an attached card: "Play with this," and a painting of small people, with their faces turned from each other, on which were the words, "Go back and play something easier."

Seven tables were arranged about the parlor and living room. Progressive whist was played, hearts being the trumps for the evening.

Those who assisted Miss Walters in entertaining her guests were her mother, Mrs. J. A. Walters, her sister, Miss Florence Walters, Miss Dunn and Mrs. P. C. Davis.

Miss Easterlin wore a beautiful pink and white princess gown, and Miss Walters was dressed in a lovely white dress, also made princess style. These two young ladies made a charming picture, and the brunette beauty of one contrasted prettily with the blonde type of the other.

Last evening will long be remembered by Miss Walters' guests as one of the most pleasant of the season's many social gatherings.

The guests were Miss Easterlin, Miss Dunn, Misses Leafy Sylvester, Louise Harris, Lou Moody, Florrie Condon, Beatrice Sinclair, Grace Hatchell, Allie Van Juhun, Eloise Miller, Caro Liddon and Annie Mathews and Messrs. E. E. Robinson, Harry Palmer, Alfred Beck, Oscar Zewadski, Guy Zewadski, E. B. Duncan, Robert Mathews, Harvey Clark, Allen Bridges, John Pelot, Howard and Harry Walters.

Mrs. J. A. Pittman will please accept the thanks of the editor of the Star for a "mess" of string beans of her growing. They were fine indeed.

Leland Smoak, who is working for Mr. Rawls of the Crystal River Lumber Company, after spending a week pleasantly among friends in Ocala, returned today.

J. S. LEACH Fruits, Confectionery and Bottled Soda

I desire to call the attention of the public to my fine stock of fruits of all kinds, nuts, cigars, tobacco, candies and soft bottled drinks. I propose to have the best and respectfully solicit your patronage.

J. S. LEACH Fruit Dealer, Montezuma Block, Ocala

FOR SALE AT A BIG BARGAIN

A 5-room house located in the 4th ward, at 82 North Pine street, building in good repair. Size of lot, 65x100. Change of location only reason for selling. A big bargain for someone. Worth \$1000; will take less. Call at the Star office.

FOR RENT—A splendid corner room, with or without board; two young men preferred. Apply to Mrs. Rawls, Fort King avenue, at residence formerly occupied by Mr. Edward Hiller.

Splendid corner lot on Oklawaha avenue, front of the Standley residence; 105 feet east and west on the avenue by 100 feet north and south; fine shade, etc. To be sold at very low price at once. Ditto & Maloney.

BARGAIN TIME AT

The Ocala Steam Laundry SEE OUR RED LIST

CLOSE MESH AMERICAN FENCE.

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HEAVY WIRES, CLOSE MESH. PIG TIGHT.

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As stylish and attractive line of suits for young men, old men and boys as the most fastidious could ask.

As much hand work as could be procured from a local tailor.

The largest variety in the city.

As good and better material than could be obtained for the same money elsewhere.

Everything marked in plain figures and one price to all.

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