

OCALA OCCURENCES

K. of P. meet this evening.
 Odd Fellows meet tomorrow night.
 Masons meet Thursday night.
 Moose meet Thursday evening.
 Pythian Sisters meet tomorrow evening.
 Everybody is glad to see Dr. Walter Hood out again.
 Everybody admires the handsomely repainted fair arches.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Brannen have moved into one of Mrs. Weaver's cottages near the school.
 Eggs twenty cents a dozen at Carn-Thomas Company. 29-3t

The Postal Telegraph Co. has removed into its new quarters alongside of Peyser's cigar factory and is most comfortably and conveniently situated.

The King's Daughters find much to do these days, and somehow always find the means to do with. Several gentlemen have joined the order, one paying four years in advance. They never have much money, but, like the widow's cruse of oil, their fund never gives out.

Dr. J. P. McMillin preached an excellent sermon at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning, and the Junior Missionary Society held most interesting exercises in the evening. Dr. McMillin will preach again next Sunday.

The fact has leaked out that a representative of Andrew Carnegie was in the city a few days ago, looking over the plans and grounds for the library. He was highly pleased both with the location and the prospective appearance of the building. He also spoke highly of the good looks of the city.

Mr. Linn Sanders has taken the agency for the Florida Times-Union, and has established his headquarters in the fat man's misery, between Tydings' drugstore and Marsh's market.

Twenty-five tourists left for Palatka on the Silver Springs Saturday, and thirty left on the City of Ocala this morning.

Captain Tom Bridges left yesterday for a visit to Clearwater.

As spring advances, the firemen's park becomes prettier every day. The "civic center" lot also looks mighty fine since it has been cleaned off and put in cultivation.

Mr. P. A. Durand has just completed the plumbing and tin roof on the cottage that Mr. Lanier Robertson has purchased. This cottage has been put in first class condition and is now ready to rent.

Dr. D. M. Boney has returned from New Orleans, where he has been for the past four months practicing his profession. Dr. Knox, who had had charge of his optical parlors during his absence, will move to Micanopy and open offices for the practice of optometry.

Mr. Thomas E. Harris and son Lindner, of Valdosta, Ga., are in the city today the guests of Dr. Eaton G. Lindner. He has been visiting his old home at Citra for several days, and says that he notices great changes all over Marion county.

Mr. J. H. Lockett who has just completed several plastering contracts in Orlando, is here for a few days before going to Leesburg to complete a home for one of that city's wealthy citizens.

Commodore and Mrs. W. H. Bickley of Weirsdale are in the city today, having come this far with several friends who left for the north.

Dr. H. C. Dozier is making a number of changes and improvements on his Oklawaha avenue home.

Messrs. Pete McIntosh, Norton Davis, Robert Anderson, Jr., and Sonnie Geise spent the week-end at Salt Springs.

The skin of a monster rattlesnake in Mr. B. F. Condon's show window is attracting much attention. The snake when alive was seven feet four inches in length, thirteen inches in diameter and had at least fourteen rattles. Mr. Condon obtained the skin from one of the hunters of the Salt Springs region.

Joseph Skams, a colored man working for McIver & MacKay in Leesburg, was caught in an accident and had his skull fractured. He was brought to the Ocala colored hospital and an operation performed on him by one of our white physicians, who thinks he has a chance of recovery.

Smoke Cuban Old, 5c Cigar.
 All varieties of seed corn; also millet and sorghum, now in and for sale by the Ocala Seed Store. 5-tf

An Ocala banker informed a Star representative today that each day's business was better than its predecessor, and that at the present rate of improvement everything would be normal within sixty days.

The Elks will hold a special meeting tomorrow night, to make arrangements about going to the state meeting at Palatka next week. It is believed that at least forty Ocala Elks will attend, and they intend to bring back the cup offered for the best display in the grand parade, or know the reason why.

Mr. Marcus Frank returned this morning from New York City. After attending the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Rosenbaum at Newport News, Mr. Frank went on to New York City.

A large room has been added on the west side of the St. George block for the use of the Ocala Bazaar Store. This establishment already occupies two of the store rooms in this building facing South Magnolia street, but more room was necessary and for the proper display of their goods. The new addition will be used for the clothing department.

Mr. G. J. Boswell, tax assessor of Citrus county, is among the prominent Floridians in the city today.

Mr. George Neville, president of the Bank of Dunnellon, is in the city today transacting business. Mr. Neville is very optimistic as to the future of the whole of Florida and especially the hard rock phosphate section, of which Dunnellon is the center.

State Attorney George W. Scofield of Inverness, is a business visitor in the city today.

Mr. J. A. Morris was exhibiting several very interesting mementoes of the civil war at the Star office this morning. They were one dollar pieces of "railroad" money used during the war and issued by the Florida Railroad Company, redeemable when the Confederacy was established. Mr. Morris has had them in his possession for over thirty years and prizes them very highly.

Miss Julia Webb of Kendrick is in the city today attending to her Easter shopping.

Superintendent J. H. Brinson left today for Live Oak to attend the annual meeting of the principals and superintendents of state schools. They will be in session three days, beginning tomorrow.

Mr. R. S. Hall returned Saturday night from a business trip to Tallahassee.

Mr. W. J. Hilands returned Sunday from a business trip of several days to Miami.

Saturday Mr. J. J. Gerig and Mr. Bruce Meffert with Mr. Gerig's little daughter Margaret, went to Jacksonville in Mr. Gerig's car, and returned last evening. Mrs. Gerig, who had been visiting in Jacksonville, accompanied them home. They went and returned via the Hawthorn-Palatka-St. Augustine route and found most of the road very good.

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The Methodist sewing circle will hold its Easter bazaar Thursday, April 1st, on the Ocala House porch. Fancy work and home made candies will be sold.

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OUR CITY JAIL

We have been informed that Hon. Raymond B. Bullock tendered his resignation as assistant recorder because he said he would have felt humiliated and ashamed to have consigned any unfortunate wretch to spend a night in our city jail.

In company with Councilman Knight, Fire Chief Chambers and Editor Benjamin, the writer visited the jail yesterday afternoon, and while it was not as bad as we expected to find it, it was quite bad enough.

Councilman Knight says that orders have been given to remove the iron floor which some years ago was placed over the cement one, and that when this is done it will be possible to flush it, and keep it comparatively clean, which is now impossible.

Our suggestion is that the iron cages be removed also. When used as a county jail—and it housed criminals charged with capital offenses—steel cells may have been necessary, but for housing persons charged only with such minor infractions as come before the city recorder, great iron cells are not at all necessary.

When the iron cells are removed we would then suggest that wooden partitions be erected, and that one of the rooms be reserved for a storeroom in which to store the bedding, and as soon as used have it laundered, and again be stored until used again.

In this way the jail can be kept in a somewhat sanitary condition.

Its unfortunate inmates are entitled to some degree of cleanliness and a Recorder Bullock is entitled to thanks for calling attention to the condition of the city jail in the public manner he selected.

We hope immediate steps will be taken to give it a thorough overhauling.—Banner.

The Star will heartily endorse any suggestion of the Banner to ameliorate the condition of prisoners or other unfortunate, but it thinks the city authorities are doing the best they can with the materials they have to work with. The writer has visited the city jail a number of times in the past score of years, and in his opinion it is in better condition now than it has been at any time before. The jail is an old one—was the county jail up to 1894—and the dirt from thousands of criminals is fairly stewed into the walls and floors. It is not practicable to do away with the cage and its cells. If the prisoners were all out in one large room, it would be easy for accomplices on the outside to pass tools and weapons to them thru the windows; also, while nearly all prisoners in the city jail are incarcerated for minor offenses, most of them are drunk at the time they are shut up, and some of them are violently drunk. Such men have to be shut in cells until they sober up, or they would likely hurt some other prisoner, and would then have to be roughly handled by the jailers. For these reasons, the cells are an absolute necessity.

The chief of police has been very vigilant in keeping the jail as sanitary as possible. He has it thoroughly scrubbed every Monday, beside being swept out every day. The vermin that formerly swarmed have been exterminated, the bedding, which consists of blankets, being boiled in disinfectants, and the iron cots washed with the same fluid. It's impossible to entirely clean the old floors, or the pavement under them, but when the iron is removed, it will be possible to put the jail in a tolerable state of cleanliness.

The only way Ocala can have a thoroughly clean jail is to build a new one, and this the city is not able now to do. In the meantime, it will be a mighty good thing for the newspapers to occasionally send representatives to inspect the jail and other public institutions. The Star will try to do this from time to time, and will be glad of the Banner's co-operation.

Sunday morning at 1:30 a fire alarm was turned in from Mr. Jesse Smoak's residence in the fourth ward. A box of matches had been left on the sideboard in the dining room and evidently a rat or mouse set them afire. The sideboard, which was a very handsome one, was badly damaged, but it was the only thing that was damaged.

Mr. Claude Kreger will leave today or tomorrow for Key West, where he goes on business and from there will go to Havana to see the big prize-fight.

A number of Ocala people went to Tampa this afternoon to attend the big banquet to be given there tonight by the Rotarians.

Mr. R. C. Camp, president of the Florida Power Company is in Dunnellon today.

Dr. J. E. Klock of Eastlake was in the city today on business.

Mr. R. S. Rogers, president of the Florida Title & Abstract Corporation, went to Clearmont, in Lake county, this afternoon.

Mr. W. J. Frink of Jacksonville was a welcome visitor spending Sunday in the city.

The best fifty cent package of candy we have ever offered, Triola Sweets. Fresh shipment just in at Gerig's Drug Stores. 23-tf

The Little Trained Nurse says: Get your Easter egg dyes at the Anti-Monopoly Drug Store, 5 cents per package. 24-9c

OCALA SOCIAL AFFAIRS

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For Miss MacKay

Miss Bessie MacKay, whose marriage to Mr. W. D. Taylor will be an interesting event of May 4th, will be entertained during the intervening weeks at a series of parties arranged especially in her honor by friends, the first of which, since the formal announcement, will be a luncheon Saturday at which Misses Mary and Anna McDowell will entertain. The guests will include only the closest friends of the honoree.

On Thursday of Easter week Miss Janet Weathers will be hostess to a lovely afternoon card party for Miss MacKay.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Pelot are welcoming into their home in Arcadia a little daughter, born Monday, March 22. She has been named Joy Hill. Mr. Pelot is a former Ocala boy and his friends here will learn with interest of the arrival of Miss Pelot.

ST. AUGUSTINE IN 1916

Ancient City Will Entertain Next Meeting of State Good Roads Association

The St. Petersburg Times says: St. Augustine, the oldest city in the United States, was chosen as the convention city for 1916, by the Florida State Good Roads Association delegates. Three cities, Ocala, Daytona and St. Augustine were mentioned by representatives from each as prospective convention cities for the 1916 meet. The vote resulted: Ocala 6, Daytona, 3 and St. Augustine 14. A unanimous vote was then taken in favor of St. Augustine.

All officers of the association were unanimously re-elected. They are F. O. Fuller, Jacksonville, president; J. P. Clarkson, Jacksonville, secretary; J. D. Rooney, treasurer; Charles E. Foote, special agent. The board of governors was empowered to fill all existing vacancies of which there are several.

Senator Bryan Speaks

Senator N. P. Bryan, spoke in detail of what the proposed good roads bill means to the people of Florida and went back to the time when this state was admitted into the union, in 1845, and told of the wonderful progress Florida has made since then. Senator Bryan stated that there were many men in the convention hall who were older than the state of Florida and explained that the state with its many large and enterprising cities and popular resort towns, had made, by this comparison unequalled progress in so short a time. He said it was a revelation how St. Petersburg had grown in the last few years.

Senator Bryan endorsed the proposed bill providing for a highway department in the state, declaring it one of the best that had ever been drawn up, and said he would give it his full support. Senator Bryan stated it was most essential for Florida to have a state highway department and dealt at length with the cost that would be involved to the citizens of the state and the federal government.

The report of the good roads bill to be submitted to the next legislature at Tallahassee, which was adopted by the convention was read by H. B. Phillips, chairman of the legislative committee. Mr. Phillips explained thoroughly and in detail the full meaning of the bill. He stated that the real object of the present convention, as had been with all others, was the adoption and passage of such a bill. It will be remembered that last year the good roads bill submitted to the legislature at Tallahassee, was lost by a tie vote. That the year before the bill was lost by a vote of one. The present bill is believed to be much stronger and better and indications point to a state highway department being provided in Florida within the next year.

Rooney was on Deck

J. D. Rooney, of Ocala, offered an eloquent and spirited speech in favor of his town as the next convention city. Mr. Rooney stated that "if the delegates wanted to attend a good roads convention, in a business city and in a business way, to vote for Ocala."

A report recommending the first of official highways, decided upon by the committee on state highway routes, and which will be submitted to the next legislature in case the bill goes through, was read by J. D. Rooney. The convention committee has never before given out this report to the press. The report read recommended the west coast highway from Jacksonville to Tampa and St. Petersburg, as follows: Jacksonville to Orange Park; Middleburg, Stark, Gainesville, Ocala, Dunnellon-Inverness, Brooksville, and thence to Arripeka, Hudson, Tarpon Springs, Ozone. From Ozone a branch road will continue to Clearwater, Pinellas Park and on to St. Petersburg.

The road leading to the Miami-Quebec highway at St. Augustine and extending to Ocala via Palatka was recommended. Another cross road leading to the Miami-Quebec highway at Daytona and across the state to Ocala was included in the report.

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