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OCALA OCCURENCES

K. of P. meet tonight. Elks meet tomorrow evening. Odd Fellows meet tomorrow night. Masons meet Thursday evening. Pythian Sisters meet tomorrow afternoon. For plumbing and electrical work see H. W. Tucker. Phone 300. tf "Laddie" is only 50c. at the Book Shop. Mr. C. M. Carn of Reddick was in town today.

Fresh Rape seed just received at the Ocala Seed Store. 9-tf State Attorney Scofield is a guest of the Harrington. Electrical and mechanical toys at The Book Shop. See them demonstrated at the toy department next door. 3t The members of the Moose will make an attempt to reorganize their lodge.

We have a complete line of ivory bureau sets, also single pieces. Just the thing for her X-mas present. The Court Pharmacy. 11-6t Dr. M. C. Izlar has returned from a business visit to Tampa. Butter Nut Bread has the right taste; None of it ever goes to waste. It is so pure, wholesome and good; For health it's the very best food. 1t Carter's Bakery.

The county judge Saturday issued a marriage license to Dock Davis and Miss Annie Elizabeth Braswell. French ivory goods of all descriptions at The Book Shop. Its all the rage. 3t The windows of the annex to the Bookshop are filled with toys attractively displayed, and are Mecca to all the kids in town. We have a full line of Kodaks and Brownies suitable for Christmas gifts. Gerig's. 1t Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Brewer of Romeo were among the shoppers in town today.

Girls' and boy's books at The Book Shop. 3t SEE TEE FARM on the Silver Springs road which furnishes the Merchant's Cafe every day with fresh vegetables, milk and eggs. tf The Presbyterians of Ocala going to build at once an addition to their church, to accommodate the Bible class, and expect to soon replace the present structure with a much larger edifice of brick. Call and see the new electric globes at the Marion Hardware Co. 11-15 W. C. Moore, a merchant from Ocala, is in Tampa, his headquarters being at the Royal. Mr. Moore is planning to locate here.—Tampa Tribune.

Oil stoves, wood stoves, coal stoves at the Marion Hardware Co. 11-16 Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Baum have the Empire restaurant running again, with the same housekeeping, excellent cooking and first-rate service they gave before. Have your prescriptions filled where promptness and quality count. The Court Pharmacy. 11-6t Policeman Grubbs has found a lady's handbag with a bankbook and some other property in it. He will restore it to the owner if she will apply to him and describe the article. Pictures solve the X-mas problem. Get them at The Book Shop and we solve the pictures. 3t The friends throughout the state of Mr. Rex R. Farrior of Tampa, are congratulating him upon his recent election to the captainship of the 1916 football team of the University of Florida. A box of CRANE'S LINEN LAWN writing paper would make a splendid Christmas present. Get it at the Court Pharmacy. 11-6t The amateur golf championship of Florida was won Saturday in Tampa by Mr. A. C. Ulmer of Jacksonville. He defeated Mr. J. D. Harnett, also of Jacksonville, five up and three to play.

For electric light globes see the Marion Hardware Company. 11-16 China and cut glass, newest designs, at The Book Shop. 3t Farmers, before killing your hogs buy lard cans from the Marion Hardware Company. 11-16

WEATHER REPORT The following reports of temperature and rainfall are made to the Star by the government observer, F. G. B. Weihe, every morning: Max. Min. Rain December 162 36 December 264 36 December 361 36 December 464 32 December 569 40 December 668 40 December 765 44 December 861 43 December 966 43 December 1065 36 December 1171 39 December 1261 5226

Local Forecast Fair tonight and Tuesday, heavy frost in north and light frost central portion. There will be a district meeting of the I. O. O. F. at Oxford tomorrow night, and D. D. G. M. Blanchard desires as many of his Odd Fellow brethren as can do so to accompany him to the pretty and thriving Summer town. The Christmas store is certainly The Book Shop. 3t Fountain pens mounted in gold and silver at The Book Shop. They make very pretty and most useful gifts. 3t See our line of fine candies, stationery, perfumes and baskets before buying your Christmas presents. Gerig's. 1t X-mas stationery line complete to the last word at The Book Shop. 3t Our jewelry stock is all new and carefully selected. The Book Shop. 3t Don't shiver in the cold. Buy a stove from the Marion Hardware Co. and keep warm. 11-16 The Pennsylvania Grip contained the following relative to the illness of Mr. H. B. Arnold, brother-in-law of Mr. G. K. Robinson of this city: "Surgeons connected with the University Hospital at Baltimore, Md., performed an operation a few days ago in which a large portion of the stomach of Harold B. Arnold of Gainesville, Fla., was removed and a new digestive organ formed from the unaffected tissues, slightly smaller than the ordinary tennis ball, was constructed. Arnold is able to receive predigested food through a glass tube. In the event of the complete recovery of Arnold, he will have to receive nourishment at least a dozen times a day, because of the smallness of his stomach, which will hold only about the contents of an ordinary teacup. Physicians state that it will be impossible for him to swallow more than half a teacup of any liquid at one time."

W. K. Lane, M. D., Physician and Surgeon, specialist Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Law Library Building, Ocala, Florida. A few selections of Schraft's fine candies put up specially for Christmas, just in at The Court Pharmacy. VEGETABLES, MILK AND EGGS from our own farm daily. Open night and day. Merchants Cafe. 1t Save auto troubles—buy Diamond tires and tubes from the Marion Hardware Company. 11-16 X-mas cards, booklets and favors at The Book Shop. 3t Dolls, toys and games in great varieties at The Book Shop. 3t What YOU would like for a Christmas present is what you should GIVE. You can find it at The Court Pharmacy. 11-6t Our Christmas stock of Ivory Pyralin has arrived and we have the best stock ever. Gerig's. 1t Auto tires, tubes and spark plugs. Marion Hardware Co. 11-16 The Christmas Store is now ready to show you anything that you want for boy or girl. 3t HOUSEKEEPER WANTED A middle aged man with four young daughters wishes a steady, middle-aged white woman who can give best of references to keep house for him. She would be required to do the house work with the assistance of the girls, who attend school. A good home for the right woman. Do not reply to this advertisement unless you would care to keep the position permanently. If interested, write to G. L. Chandler, 610 Palm Avenue, Miami, Florida, or inquire at the Star office for particulars. 11-19-tf-d&w

Fresh Nunnaly's candies by express twice a week at Gerig's. 1t Baskets for candy, flowers and fruit at The Book Shop. 3t On Saturday and Monday, 16 pounds of sugar for \$1, with one dollar's worth of other groceries, for cash. Smith Grocery Co. Phone 434. 1t

COTTON MARKET WAS IN A FLURRY

Price of Staple Driven Up and Down by International Politics (Associated Press) New York, Dec. 13.—Cotton broke at \$2 a bale more soon after the opening of the market this morning. To general and excited liquidation the confusion is believed to be due. International politics and trade interest buying caused a rally but most of this advance was lost later.

BUNCH OF TRAITORS

Many Members of the International Peace Council May Soon be in Jail (Associated Press) New York, Dec. 13.—Records of the activities of Labor's national peace council organization through which, according to United States Attorney Franz von Rintelen, carried on a conspiracy to instigate strikes in munitions factories, were turned over to the United States attorney. The former secretary of the council turned over much written evidence.

NOTICE TO EASTERN STAR

There will be a special meeting Tuesday night, Dec. 14th, of Ocala chapter No. 29, O. E. S., for initiation.

HAS BOUGHT A HOUSE

Dr. W. K. Lane has bought the residence opposite Mrs. R. G. Blake's home in the second ward from Mrs. Leach, a former resident of Ocala. Dr. Lane will soon remodel the property, furnish it and rent it as a furnished residence, for which there is always a good demand at a good figure. Dr. Lane will build a home for himself in the spring on the pretty lot which he owns in the eastern part of town.

DR. FULLER'S OFFICES MOVED

The Fuller dental offices have been moved to the second floor of the Union block, over Nash's store. 9-6t R. D. Fuller, D. D. S.

Watch for the arrival of our famous NORRIS' Christmas candies—a box for everyone in the family. The Court Pharmacy. 11-6t Cold weather is here. Get a bigger load of better wood for a dollar at Converse's mill. Phone 234. 3-tf Don't forget that The Book Shop is THE X-MAS STORE. 3t Put your ad. in the Star.

Owes Her Good Health to Chamberlain's Tablets

"I owe my good health to Chamberlain's Tablets," writes Mrs. R. G. Neff, Crookston, Ohio. "Two years ago I was an invalid due to stomach trouble. I took three bottles of these tablets and have since been in the best of health." Obtainable everywhere. Adv.

UNCLASSIFIED ADS.

WANTED, LOST, FOUND, FOR SALE, FOR RENT AND SIMILAR LOCAL NEEDS LOST—One medium sized, black and white pointer dog, named Mack. Black spots on head, back and over tail. Toes of left hind foot crushed. Runs occasionally on three feet. Last seen about ten days ago with Mr. Goldy Barnes on Shady Grove road. Information leading to his return rewarded. George MacKay, Ocala. 9-tf WANTED—A young man to canvass Marion county; a good proposition for the right man. Start now. Write to E. W. S., care Ocala Star. 13-3t! FOR RENT—Store room now being used by the pawn shop. Possession on January 1st. Apply at Pawn Shop, Ocala, Fla. 9-6t FOR RENT—A nice parlor bedroom, with fire grate; also rooms for light housekeeping. Apply to No. 600 Fort King Ave., or telephone 502. 9-6t WOOD—We can deliver on short notice any kind of wood, pine or oak. Converse Mill. Phone 234. 3-tf HOUSE TO RENT—On Dorothy street; modern conveniences. Apply to A. G. Gates. 10-9-tf FOR SALE—Horse and Buggy. A six-year-old, highly bred horse with either surrey or buggy, as may be preferred, for sale cheap for cash. Horse is a fine saddle animal or for buggy, surrey or any other purpose; gentle and reliable. Apply to O. B. Howse, Ocala, Fla. 11-tf FOR RENT—One of the best located stores and best stands in the city, located on the public square, is for rent January 1st. Apply to B. Gold-nan, Ocala, Fla. dly-wky-tf FOR RENT—Well located and nicely furnished rooms in residence next to the Colonial; also for light house-keeping. Inquire at the Colonial. 7-tf FOR EXCHANGE—Ten acres near Burbank, Marion county; will trade for Washington state property. J. E. Ring, Box 638 Breinerton, Washington. 20-4t-sat*

SOUTHERN COMMERCIAL CONGRESS IN SESSION

Will Put in Four Days of Good Work at Charleston (Associated Press) Charleston, S. C., Dec. 13.—The Southern Commercial Congress convened here this morning in seventh annual session. The four-day program includes agricultural, industrial and other subjects tending toward progressiveness.

THE POSSUM PARTY

Last month the following colored gentlemen and politicians met at Paradise hall in response to a circular letter from Brother Gardner: Judge Persimmon Longbody of Tennessee, who held the office of constable once for thirty days and knows how good it is. Colonel Cabiff Rocky of Kentucky, who sweeps out the postoffice in Louisville, but had far rather be postmaster. Brassbound Johnson of Maryland, who has led his cohorts against many a melon patch and will again, by thunder! Major Bloker of Ohio, who says that taking a chicken off the roost without a squawk is an art. Several other delegates were to be on hand, but the constable rallied in force and drove them back. Brother Gardner stated that the meeting was for the purpose of putting a presidential ticket in the field at an early date and the party would be called "the Possum party." The matter was thoroughly discussed and settled, and there was an adjournment to a later date. There was a mighty gathering at Paradise hall Saturday evening, and, acting on the suggestion of Brother Gardner, about fifty members had brought their wives with them. It had been announced on the bulletin board that the Hon. Crabtree Jones of Alabama would deliver a political speech, and the audience was ready to give him an enthusiastic greeting. He appeared promptly at the hour named and was introduced by the president amid vociferous applause. "Respectable fellow citizens," began the orator as he got his feet planted on the proper spot "two weeks ago dar was a bornin' in dis famous hall which has made talk fur 10,000,000 people. It was de bornin' of a new political party. "My fren's, I had bin waitin' thirty y'ars fur de dawn of freedom. I hev bin waitin' thirty y'ars fur de birth of de Possum party. "Freenom of free land, patriots who ar' takin' yo'r fust breath of liberty I'm lookin' at dat stufe possum which we have adopted as our sacred emblem an' arter which we hev taken our name. [Typhonic yells.] Dar has eber bin a bond of sympathy between de cull' n' show an' de possum. Dey haven't had a man wid de big game. Dey had upon to keep still till folks looked up 'em as dead. [Signs of groans and repressed agitation.] However, it's gwine to astonish a hull continent de way dat possum will let go an' drop down into de row an' demand an' fight fur his sheer of de spiles. [Whirlwinds of applause, during which the stove fell over unheeded.] "Yo' jest git out yo'r pencils an' figger a minit. Dere's over 3,000,000 black men in dis kentry who am entitled to walk to de polls on 'lection day an' cast a vote. If dey but hang to gether yo' can't count 'em out nor keep 'em back. Dem 3,000,000 votes am gwine to be cast for principle, but doan' make no mistake 'bout principle. We used to think dat it meant votin' on sartin' lines an' dat George Washington, Abraham Lincoln, de constitution of de United States an' seberal odder things was mixed up wid it, an' we walked up an' put in our votes, as if each an' ebery one was gwine to save de kentry. But we larned it from de white man. [Cries of 'Yo' bet we hev!'] We hev larned dat he sots out on a political campaign wid a cart-load of principles to gib away free gratis an' punctuate his speeches, but when de ballots am counted up he lays down his principles to pick up his office. "We am gwine to take a flyten from de white man's book. We'll stick to principles, but we'll look out fur de spiles as well. "My fren's, daylight has cum at last fur us. We's got our bundles packed an' hev started on de road. We's got headed right, an' we's only to keep on to find de tree an' be on hand when de honey am divided up. [Yells for honey.] Keep yo'r eye on de possum an' yo'r brains in yo'r heads an' yo'll win a victory dat Bunker Hill couldn't hold a candle to. [General hoarseness, but prodigious applause.] I want a word mo' befo' I close. Dis am to be a plain, earnest campaign on our part. We ain't gwine to say much, but what we do say will hit de barn doah like a load of buckshot. Doan' git de idea dat big words am gwine to help yo' win what belongs to yo'. Befo' dis meetin' opened tonight I heard Waydown Beebe observe dat de malign nant innuendo of de torrid affluashun would enhance de generality of de pomposity. He probably meant well, an' mebbe his observation has helped us to git started, but I hope he won't do it ag'in. Doan' nobody do it. Dis am no dictionary campaign. [No, no!] It will be plain puddin' an' milk at home an' plain English when yo' am walkin' up and down wid a possum badge on yo'r breast an' a flag of liberty in yo'r hand. Nuffin' counts quicker nor harder dan to call a man a liar, an' de language am so simple dat a child kin understand it. I will now return yo' my thanks an' bow my gratitude fur de welcome handed out to me." The orator sat down amid applause that broke windows and put out lights, and he was continued until the police came up the alley stairs and dropped three women and four men down upon the sand pile below. The possum party may be said to have got hold of its nursing bottle with a good grip.

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NOTICE HOTEL FIRE ESCAPE SIGNS To all concerned, I will not be responsible for bills incurred or contracted by Mrs. Hardeman Claude Gates, or anyone representing her, on and after this date. 12-5-6t Hardeman Claude Gates. The Star office has the regulation hotel-room fire exit sign cards in stock, as prescribed by the state law and the hotel inspector. Price, 25 for \$1; 50 for \$1.50; 100 for \$2.25. Postage prepaid. d7-w-tf-11-25-15 Carter's Delicious Cake—Buy it for the children's sake. It is so light, pure and fine. Give it to them all the time. Carter's Bakery. Masons meet Thursday evening.