

Martin.

Special Correspondence Ocala Banner.
Excessive rains are doing the crops much damage. Besides the injury to the large amount of cotton planted in this section, it has made the roads in the hammock impassable for the lumber carts run by J. M. Brown's lumber camp.

Fassenden academy is being repaired. A new dormitory will be erected between now and Christmas.

It is earnestly hoped that Easterling Bros. will plant near Martin another year. This is the best cantaloupe belt in the state and it will be a great loss to this section if the firm should go to the east coast. We hope that special inducements will be offered to get them to remain. At present, however, it seems that the east coast people will secure the firm.

Mr. E. P. P. Townsend has purchased the fine tract of land known as Colden's hammock. He will put it all under a substantial fence and will convert it into a great vegetable farm.

Mr. William Knoblock and his accomplished daughter spent a day at Silver Springs fishing. They caught more fish than they cared to bring home.

Mr. S. R. Chitty spent Saturday and in Micanopy.

The Melfert saw mill is running on full time. The barrel, lumber and crate business of this mill is steadily increasing. Large orders for crates and orange boxes, as well as for lumber, are constantly coming in.

Mr. E. Hoffman, of Ocala, has a fine position with the Crane, MacMahon Company. At present the company is getting out timber from Sugar Hammock.

Daniel Baxter, of the Plant System, is spending a few days at home.

J. C. DuPree, who has business houses here and at Reddick, will soon leave for New York to buy a large stock of fall and winter goods. While in New York state he will take in the big exposition at Buffalo.

**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 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.

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Gulf City Items.

Special Correspondence Ocala Banner.

Gulf City is situated twenty-one miles south of Tampa among beautiful orange groves and vegetable farms, and prosperity is everywhere visible, despite the McKinley administration and gold standard.

J. J. Durham, president of the Gulf City Specialty Company, has been on the sick list for several days, but is slowly convalescing.

J. Thomas has disposed of his property here and will make Sarasota his future home.

T. R. Ellis, vice president and general manager of the Gulf City Specialty Company, is spending a month with his parents at Citra.

Giles and Andrew Ellis, two old Marion county boys, are living here and both doing well. CITIZEN.

Dr. Geo. Ewing, a practicing physician of Smith Grove, Ky., for over thirty years, writes his personal experience with Foley's Kidney Cure. "For years I have been bothered with kidney trouble and enlarged prostate gland. I used everything known to the profession without relief, until I was induced to use Foley's Kidney Cure. After using three bottles I was entirely relieved and cured. I prescribe it now daily in my practice and heartily recommend its use to all physicians for such troubles, for I can honestly state I have prescribed it in hundreds of cases with perfect success. Anti-Monopoly Drug Store. m

Andalusia.

Special Correspondence Ocala Banner.

I. C. Ellis and T. J. Lee will take a trip on the Ocklawaha river this week fishing and hunting, they will leave here on the 25 and will stay several days. We hope they will have a nice time and enjoy the trip.

There is a strike in wet hammock grove known as Mr. Charley White's. Mr. J. B. Strickland, who is overseer of the grove says that Friday at noon all his men came to him and told him they would not work any longer at the present wages, he told them he would not, and the men all left.

HAPPY JACK.

When you want a modern, up-to-date physic, try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. Price 25 cents. Samples free at the Anti-Monopoly Drug Store. m

A Wonderful Newspaper.

"Name on the Sky," is the title of a weekly newspaper printed at 95 Washington street, Chicago, Ill., U. S. A.

C. W. Dean is the publisher and is in the flesh: Benjamin Franklin, Wilbur F. Story, William Gross, Washington Hession and Horace Greeley are the editors, and are in the spirit. The following is the list of "special contributors:"

Father Adam, Mother Eve, Methusalem, Noah, Father Abraham, Lot's wife, Moses, Joshua, Phinehas, St. Peter, St. Paul, Jesus of Bethlehem, Mary Magdalene, Martin Luther, George Washington, Noah Webster, Abraham Lincoln, Jefferson Davis, Henry Ward Beecher, Henry George, Charles Darwin, Dwight L. Moody and Robert G. Ingersoll.

If any fault can be found with the list it can only be in its incompleteness, and it is suggested that the following writers be added to the number of illustrious contributors:

Aprodite, Apollo, Aristotle, Bacchante, Balaam's inspired companion, Bacchus, Brahma, Buddha, Confucius, Calvin, Cerberus, Clio, Dante, Hecate, Iris, Juno, Odin, Osiris, Pegasus, Pluto, Pluto, Saturn, Satan, Shakespeare, Siva, Soerates, Torquemada, Zeus and Esop.

With these illustrious authors as regular contributors "Name on the Sky," ought to be able to change the literature of the world and lift it above sordid want.

The Drift of Comment—Other Issues and Other Men.

Other states will probably follow the lead of Ohio and declare for other measures and other men. Old issues are put away and old party leaders are relegated to the rear.

This action is not one, necessarily, of a change of view nor is it a reflection on those gallant leaders who have fought the fight and with thousands, yes millions, of devoted followers gone down in the struggle.

We may still honor those men while acknowledging that new conditions make it imperative that we have new leadership.

The eternal principles of democracy survive and with the saner movement inaugurated by the Ohio democracy those principles will yet have their day of expression.—South Florida Record.

BRYAN AND BRYAN DEMOCRATS NOT BUILT THAT WAY.

The press dispatches and republican papers all unite in maintaining the silence of the tomb as to the names of those ten Bryan democrats in Ohio who are going to bolt the ticket nominated by the late convention and raise hades generally. The truth is there are no such persons. No ten democrats of the Bryan brand can be scared up in the whole state of Ohio who could be induced to do such a thing.—Tampa Herald.

The Best Prescription for Malaria

Chills and fever is a matter of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic, a simple iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price 25c.

Those who live on farms are liable to many accidental cuts, burns and bruises, which heal rapidly when Ballard's Snow Liniment is promptly applied. Price 25 and 50 cents. Anti-Monopoly Drug Store. m

Leslie's Weekly.

The South an Industrial Mecca.

Go south, young man! Consider what she is doing in cotton spinning. In 1890 her factories used 545,000 bales of that staple, while in 1900 they used 1,597,000 bales. Observe how she is increasing her output of pig iron, her product having increased from 1,616,410 tons in 1895 to 2,148,840 tons in 1900. Notice, also, that her coal production rose from 12,297,020 tons in 1894 to 19,978,297 tons in 1899. And do not overlook the fact that she is not only making money, but saving it, her savings banks having 80,131 depositors, with total deposits of \$14,840,199 in 1900, as against 43,968 depositors, with aggregate deposits of \$8,713,884 in 1898.

White Cream Vermifuge not only effectually expels worms, but is unequalled as a tonic, and is a certain and permanent cure for chills and fever in children. Price 25 cents. Anti-Monopoly Drug Store. m

The Woman Astride.

Buffalo Bill who certainly knows something about riding, recently said: "The only way a woman should ride is astride. You mark my word, ten years from now there won't be one side saddle in a thousand. What sort of way is that to ride a horse? Skewed around like this, hanging his legs over the arm of a chair. I used to think a woman in one of those long habits, riding in the old fashioned way was the prettiest sight in the world. I still think she is pretty fine, but she is nothing to a woman riding astride. When a woman has learned to ride that way, she is far ahead of a man riding as a swallow's flight beats a duck's. It's beautiful to see her."

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These plants seem to partake of the nature and character of the serpent; in winter time being comparatively harmless, but when warmed into life by spring and summer heat they become extremely venomous and spiteful, emitting a milky juice that burns and blisters like a fiery acid, producing quick inflammation and painful swelling. Some persons are so susceptible to these vegetable poisons that coming in their vicinity will produce almost as much discomfort and pain as handling them; their thin and sensitive skins seem to absorb from the surrounding atmosphere the acrid juices emanating from these plants. There is seldom a picnic or family gathering in the woods but that some member of the party comes in contact with Poison Ivy, Oak or some other hurtful plant or weed, and through the open pores the poison is carried to the overheated blood. Poison Ivy is found clinging to tree trunks,

BLOOD SATURATED WITH POISON OAK.

Mr. John Friel, of Bear Station, Del., writes: "I was poisoned with poison oak which went through my blood, and my condition became so serious that the doctors all said I could not get well. I remained in a precarious condition, confined to the house, for six months, when I saw S. S. S. advertised and began its use, soon realizing that it was doing me good. I continued the medicine and was cured entirely. I think it the best blood medicine made."

like edges and a downy appearance underneath. While the two plants are entirely unlike in appearance, the poisonous effects are very similar. After the swelling subsides the skin remains for a long time in a rough and inflamed condition, dotted here and there with bad looking ulcers and little festering sores. It is truly remarkable with what regularity and certainty the disease returns, and always on schedule time, appearing the same month, day and hour, almost, that it did the year before. Don't be deceived should all the signs of the poison vanish soon after the first attack—the acrid juices have been taken through the open skin pores into the blood, and the most persistent and faithful use of external remedies can never dislodge them, and for years to come, you may expect to endure the same bodily tortures; the blood in the meantime becoming so saturated and charged with the poison that each succeeding attack leaves the body weaker and recovery more uncertain and slow, and thus the once simple malady ends disastrously.

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Mrs. A. N. Bennett, of Toocoo, Ga., whose case is similar to thousands of others who come in contact with these plants, says: "When eight years old my little brother and I were poisoned by handling poison oak, and it broke out on us every spring for eighteen years. Some one recommended S. S. S., which cured us completely, and we have seen no signs of the eruptions for several seasons."

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To Jacksonville and Return \$1.50

The Plant System will operate its bi-weekly excursion to Jacksonville, on Monday August 5th, and will sell tickets for all trains on that day, from Tampa, St. Petersburg, Ocala, Gainesville and intermediate points, to Jacksonville and return. Train will leave Ocala at 1:35 p. m. and the rate will be \$1.50; tickets limited to return until, and including Aug. 8. Further information and tickets can be obtained from Albert Gerig and Miss J. C. Maughis, agents. B. F. Watts, traveling passenger agent, F. M. Jolly, division passenger agent, Jacksonville. B. W. Wrenn, passenger traffic manager, Savannah.

Jas. G. Ambert, of Della, O., writes "I had an obstinate sore on my face which everything else failed to heal. After one application of Banner Salve it began to heal and after three applications it was entirely healed leaving no scar. Anti-Monopoly Drug Store. m

The Three Cent Fare.

The Kissimmee Valley Gazette having rested its case on the statement that "the commission was better able to judge of the justice and reasonableness of a three cent passenger rate than the legislature," discontinues its argument. The people, however, do not seem to be satisfied with that statement and can not see its relevancy to the question as to their rights in the matter.—Orlando Record.

The Best Remedy For Stomach and Bowel Trouble.

"I have been in the drug business for twenty years and have sold most all of the proprietary medicines of any note. Among the entire list I have never found anything to equal Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for all stomach and bowel troubles," says O. W. Wakefield, of Columbus, Ga. "This remedy cured two severe cases of cholera morbus in my family and I have recommended and sold hundreds of bottles of it to my customers to their entire satisfaction. It affords a quick and sure cure in a pleasant form." For sale by Anti-Monopoly Drug Store. m

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