

Mr. Woodrow to Go Abroad.

Mr. D. S. Woodrow leaves in about ten days for a business trip to Amsterdam to see the directors of the Holland Phosphate company...

The Holland Phosphate company lately leased their property to Mr. Edward Holder, who subleased it to Messrs. Buttgenbach & Co.

Both the Netherlands and Holland companies have tried pumping this water with centrifugal pumps of large capacity, but with little success...

While abroad Mr. Woodrow will endeavor to interest capital with the view of turning into a stock farm the body of timber lands he has just acquired for the Central Lumber company.

The idea is a good one, and we hope that Mr. Woodrow will succeed fully in carrying out his plans.

A Delightful Moonlight Ride.

A number of young people enjoyed a moonlight ride to Silver Springs Wednesday night.

The ride was given complimentary to Miss Mary Drake, of Auburn, Ala., and Miss Marie Patrick, of New York...

The trip to the Springs was made in a large wagon and was thoroughly delightful.

On reaching the Springs most of the party enjoyed a trip on the water after which a picnic lunch was served.

The night was a beautiful one and the picnic was a great success in every respect.

The following was the party: Misses Mary Drake, Gertrude Pereda, Sue Barco, Lena and Marie Bullock, Sara and Violet Harris, Messrs. Stephen Jewett, W. H. Powers, J. H. Mathews, T. K. Slaughter, C. V. Miller, T. W. Lutz, S. E. Hiller and C. H. Lloyd.

Alonzo P. Baskin.

By reference to our announcement column it will be seen that the friends of the above named gentleman in districts Nos. 4 and 24, have nominated him for a member of the legislature from this county...

Mr. Baskin is not a novice in this position, he having already served the people of Marion county in this capacity. Indeed, it was Mr. Baskin who had the honor of redeeming this county from republican control and his record as a democratic member was in every way commendable.

Mr. Baskin is an exceedingly upright and conscientious gentleman and far above the average in intelligence. He is safe and conservative, and if the democratic party sees fit to again elect him to this position we do not believe it will have occasion to regret its action.

Ocala's Postal Delivery System.

Postmaster H. C. Groves has instructed the mail carriers to prepare a directory of the citizens of Ocala.

Carrier No. 1 will work in the first and second wards; carrier No. 2 in the third and fourth wards.

Each resident or patron of the post-office will thus have an opportunity to give instructions as to whether mail shall be delivered to their residence or place of business, or left in box at postoffice.

Palma to Jennings.

In a special cable to the Jacksonville Metropolis President Palma is reported to have said to Governor Jennings:

"We shall take up the important work of sanitation where the United States government left off, and you people in Florida need have no fear that yellow fever, that dreaded scourge, will find any foothold again in this island. It has now disappeared after having ravished this island for nearly two centuries, thanks to American sanitation methods which, under the wise administration of Governor-General Wood, have obliterated it, and I intend to spare no pains or expense in keeping Havana and other cities free from it. You may rest assured that I mean every word of this, and I hope that communication between Florida and Cuba may be uninterrupted all the year around. I know there is a feeling in the United States that Cubans are careless, but as long as I am president sanitation will be watched. So, governor, you need have no apprehension concerning the dreaded yellow jack."

Wanted.

We would like to ask, through the columns of your paper, if there is any person who has used Green's August Flower for the cure of Indigestion, Dyspepsia, and Liver Troubles that has not been cured—and we also mean their results, such as sour stomach, fermentation of food, habitual costiveness, nervous dyspepsia, headaches, despondent feelings, sleeplessness—in fact, any trouble connected with the stomach or liver? This medicine has been sold for many years in all civilized countries, and we wish to correspond with you and send you one of our books free of cost. If you never tried August Flower, try one bottle first. We have never known of its failing. If so, something more serious is the matter with you. Ask your oldest druggist.

G. G. GREEN, Woodbury, N. J.

What Does It All Mean.

Wilk Call in town, Geo. W. Wilson in confidential communion with his bosom friend Frank Harris, and close upon this, in come Gist and Gatskill, of McIntosh. A knowing one remarked: "Look out for another senatorial candidate."—Ocala Star.

Mr. Wilson telegraphed Mr. Jesse C. Miller to meet him at the train, and these two gentlemen were in close and confidential "communion" when Mr. Harris appeared upon the scene. To ignore Mr. Miller's presence entirely was quite unkind in the Star, but notwithstanding which if it will interview him it may obtain from him some very direct and interesting points.

A Death at the Hospital.

Mrs. Swearingen, of Sumter county, about twenty-three years old, died at the Marion County Hospital yesterday morning.

Her remains were sent to Oxford, where her relatives reside, for interment.

She came to Ocala for the purpose of having an operation performed, but death overtook her before the operation.

Married.

Mr. James Engesser and Miss Jessie V. Culverhouse were married Tuesday night at 8:30 o'clock at the residence of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Carmichael.

Rev. L. B. Plummer, of Anthony, officiated.

It was a very pretty home wedding, being witnessed only by a few intimate friends.

Ben Hopkins Dead.

The friends of the above named gentleman in this city regret to learn of his death, which occurred at his home in Jacksonville Tuesday afternoon. He had the misfortune to swallow his false teeth, and died from the accident.

Mr. D. C. Head, formerly of Santos, is now with the Warnell Lumber mill at Plant City, and is building a road for that company in the direction of Arcadia. The road is being built for timber along the route and will be extended as the timber is needed, but in time will be a permanent road of commerce.

Ex-Senator Call after spending two days in Ocala left Wednesday for Wildwood and other points in Florida. He is looking the very picture of health, is apparently in good financial shape, and expects to make a thorough canvass of the state.

Robert's Chill Tonic cures fevers, chills and malaria. It destroys the germ. We guarantee it. Price 25cts. Wm. Anderson.

STARS AND STRIPES NO MORE IN CUBA.

THE CUBAN PRESS PRAISES AMERICAN GOVERNMENT.

Cubans Are Very Frank in Stating That They Had No Idea That the Flag of the United States Would Ever Be Hauled Down.

We are in receipt of a late issue of the Havana Post and it says that almost all of the papers of the Cuban press have been most pronounced during the last two or three days in their praise of the United States for the way that the intervention has been carried out.

It seems from the tone of the papers that they never fully realized that they were to be freed by the United States until they saw the Cuban flag raised over Morro.

El Mundo, which has been one of the papers most bitterly opposed to anything American, came out a few days ago with a very strong editorial on the subject of the American flag.

A GREAT TRIBUTE TO THE FLAG. Last Sunday La Discusion, the most bitter anti-American paper on the island under the editorial caption of "Cuba and the United States" paid the following glowing tribute to the American flag:

"Within a very few days the glorious flag of the United States will be lowered in this country. It will descend from the mast-head to be cleated to the hearts of a whole people. The emblem of the country of Washington, brought to Cuba in the name of liberty, soiled on the field of combat by the smoke of battle, and wet with the blood of liberators, it succeeded, impelled by the ideal which sanctified it, and by the heroism of the arms that upheld it in breaking the lines of the enemy and raising itself upon high on their fastnesses.

"These victories increase the territory of the great republic and placed a page of honor and generosity in the history of nations not possessed by any other country on earth.

"Time has proved to us that the great republic holds honor much higher than a parcel of ground. It will not exchange the brilliancy of its history or the glory of its virtue for another point on the immense map of the ocean, and it is getting ready with great solemnity and love to create in America the nationality of Cuba, and to prove to us that the land of liberty in America is not the one to make fruitless the sacrifices of the Cubans for their independence, or useless the heroism and martyrdom which have left so many hearts in mourning and so many homes in poverty forever.

"The United States have recovered in the hearts of the Cubans that place which they acquired in 1898 when the joint resolution was signed, and from our lips we let fall phrases which reveal our gratitude embittered by remorse at having ever thought that we were being deceived.

"Our generous allies will soon see how a grateful people can show its feelings and its gratitude! They will see how we join the venerated flag of the sister nation to the flag of free Cuba on the day of the proclamation of the republic.

"They will see how their ensign, bathed yesterday in the blood of the fields of battle is bathed now by the tears of gratitude of a noble and justice loving people. They will see that to keep a flag flying at a mast-head is not always as great or as noble as to lower it and to leave it wrapped in the hearts of a young and sentimental nation.

"The United States are going to

leave Cuba; but they leave us the proofs of their power and of their immaculate honor, and take in exchange the love and admiration of the Cubans. "This singular example of political honesty is an example that the great north-American republic offers to the ambitious nations of the world, and our gratitude is a declaration that the force of affection unites two countries more strongly than the monstrous force of arms."

POSITION WHICH REQUIRES ABILITY.

Call For a Meeting in Ocala on Saturday to Discuss Important Office of Railroad Commissioner.

To the Public:

We, the undersigned, realize the great importance to the shippers of this state of the proper consideration being given to the selection of suitable candidates for the office of railroad commissioners. We also see that from the present campaign system we are not to have the proper light as to who are the candidates for this important office, and what are the qualifications that will entitle them to the votes and confidence of the shipping public.

The two commissioners selected in this campaign will serve on and control the board for four long years; let every shipper realize the importance of this meeting and its object, and give it the benefit of his presence.

- E. C. McLeod, B. Rheinauer, George Mackay, C. M. Brown, D. E. Melver, D. Campbell, J. A. Pittman, J. M. Barco, Edw. Hiller, C. H. Dame, Thomas Sexton, C. A. Liddon, S. A. Standley, B. A. Weathers, G. S. Scott, E. T. Helvenston, F. E. Harris, M. Fishel, J. D. Robertson, C. L. Bittenger, W. W. Clyatt, Jr., W. C. Dunn, Alfred Ayer, J. R. C. Dunn, Thos. E. Pasteur, R. L. Anderson, J. R. Martin, O. T. Green, J. M. Meffert, J. H. Bell, John H. Taylor, J. W. Stevens, J. J. Gerig, R. Bullock, Louis R. Chazal, E. P. Thagard, Jake Brown, Chas. V. Miller, Abe Brown, M. S. Moser, T. W. Troxler, W. K. Zewalski, J. M. Neely, W. S. Pike, L. Horne, E. J. Brumby, L. S. Beck, J. P. Galloway, Reggie M. Grist, Louis Dosh, J. F. Edwards, Toney Dummer

GOOD NEWS FOR FLORIDIANS.

Indian War Claim Bill Passes Congress—Over \$700,000 for State.

The people of Florida have ample cause for rejoicing, as the long pending omnibus claims bill passed the house of representatives Tuesday, it having already passed the senate. This bill includes what is known as the Florida Indian war claims bill, which has been hanging fire for over forty years. Time and time again it has been before congress, but for some cause or other it never could get passed. When the Floridians most interested in the claim had their hopes buoyed up to the point of expected passage something would happen to defeat it and cause despondency, and this is the first time that it has ever gone through both houses, and if approved by the president the bill will be paid, and it will amount to something over \$700,000.

The people of Florida owe a debt of gratitude to Senators Taliaferro and Mallory and Representatives Sparkman and Davis for their splendid work in finally pushing this bill through. The total amount of the omnibus bill is \$1,618,498.

BOB DAVIS' DISPATCH.

Congressman Davis' dispatch to the Metropolis was short and sweet. It was as follows: Washington, May 20, 1902. To the Metropolis, Jacksonville, Fla.: Florida Indian war claim passed senate yesterday and passed house today. ROBT W. DAVIS

Later, the correspondent of the Metropolis at Washington duplicated this news. Hon. C. B. Rogers also received a telegram from Senator Taliaferro, and Mr. Rogers kindly informed the Metropolis of this bill passing, which is of so much interest to Floridians, who fully appreciate the hard work done by our representatives in Washington to secure the passage of this bill.

TO MEET AT OCALA JUNE 17TH.

The State Association of County Commissioners.

MADEIRA, Fla., May 21, 1902. An adjourned meeting of the State Association of Florida will convene in the city of Ocala, Fla., June 17th, 10 a.m., to transact such business as may properly come before it. Matters in which every board of county commissioners of the state are interested in will be considered and disposed of.

An application has been made to the director of "Public Roads Inquiries," Washington, D. C., for a competent person connected with that office to deliver an illustrated address, giving a bird's eye view of the good roads of the world in their various stages of construction, on the evenings of June 17th and 18th, and we are informed that our request will be granted if possible to do so.

Good hotel accommodations have been secured for the delegates at \$1 per day, and a strong committee is now working up cheap excursion rates over the various lines of railroad and steam routes of the state. Ocala and Marion county will extend to the delegates and visitors a royal welcome, and will give the delegates a free ride over Marion's improved roads to its county farm and to its beautiful and historic Silver Springs. Every board of county commissioners of the state and good roads association of the state of Florida is entitled to and expected to have a representative in this meeting by one or more of its members.

The newspapers of the state will please copy. H. W. LONG, Chairman, J. W. WHITE, Secretary.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

The Martinique horror is now explained. There were rum distilleries over there.



There is no secret, says Freud. "The universe is open to the searchlight of intelligence." Yes, and to this intelligence the universe is opening wider and wider the doors that are revealing her beauties and her riches.

- Professional. W. L. ANDERSON, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Ocala, Florida. T. E. RIDGES, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Ocala, Florida. CARLOS E. SERRA, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Ocala, Florida. EDWIN S. MILLER, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Ocala, Florida. R. D. FULLER, Ocala, Florida. J. M. THOMPSON, Ocala, Florida. J. CHASE, Ocala, Florida.

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