Gus Haley, who has been quite sick was very much improved yesterday.

Mr. J. J. Tillis, the prosperous gentleman of Martel, was in Ocala Tuesday.

Mrs. James Freeman, of Ocklawaha, and a valued subscriber to this paper, was among Ocala's visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Mamie Howse Stovall and children have gone to New York, where they will spend several weeks.

Col. A. P. Miller is advertising for two thousand pounds of second-hand barb wire. See his ad in our weekly edition.

Violet Scented Borated Talcum Powder to relieve chaping and prickly heat and etc. 10c and 3 for 25c. Tydings & Co.

Miss Alice Hocker is at present with her sister, Mrs. Charles P. Lovell, in Jacksonville, and will remain with her for the next two months.

Mr. J. N. C. Stockton is in Washington, and while there will incidentally take a measurement of Mr. Taliaferro's seat in the senate.

Miss Shelby Somer, who is attending the Florida Agricultural College, writes that she is more than ever delighted with the college and its surroundings.

Mr. Walter M. Davis, of Palatka, has become a citizen of Jacksonville. Mr. Charles L. Fildes, of Gainesville, has likewise become a citizen of the metropolis.

Mr. Houston Wills, of Auburn, Ala., who spent the summer in Ocala, has gone to Birmingham, Ala., where he has accepted a position as bookkeeper with a mining company.

Orange Springs is said to be one of the healthiest spots in Florida, and seeing Mr. L. L. Meggs in the city yesterday makes us believe it. He tips the scales at 234 pounds.

We are pleased to note that Miss Ethel Crosby, who had her foot so badly crushed at Juliette some time ago, is doing nicely and will not have to have any of her toes amputated.

Chills and fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. 50c.

Frank Bugbee of Hastings, in addition to his numerous other enterprises, has started a barrel factory. New barrels only are used in shipping the Hastings potatoes.—St. Augustine Cor. in Times-Union and Citizen.

Mr. Frank Lyons, of Early Bird, was in the city Tuesday and says that he expects soon to make a trip to the Everglades for the purpose of hunting and fishing, and if the country pleases him he will eventually make it his permanent home.

The excitement incident to traveling and change of food and water often brings on diarrhoea, and for this reason no one should leave home without a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrohea Remedy. For sale by—Anti-Monopoly Drug Store. m

H. L. Hutchinson, for several years an official in the Plant System division offices in this city, leaves today for Jacksonville, where he has accepted a position as shipping clerk in one of the largest wholesale houses in the state. Mr. Hutchinson is universally popular in Gainesville and his departure will be generally regretted.—Gainesville Sun.

Strange sounds reach us from Jacksonville. One report says that ex-Senator Call is at the head of a big corporation and the other is that Hon. J. M. Barr has organized a great trust and immediately thereafter bought on Bay street in his own name a big block of valuable real estate.

Among Ocala's prominent visitors Monday were the following: L. L. Meiggs, of Orange Springs; Allen Langley, of LeRoy; V. M. Seckinger, Berlin; J. S. Weathers, of Cotton Plant; M. Atkinson, of Fellowship; Rev. H. C. Martin, of Ft. McCoy; I. C. Ellis and wife and J. B. Borland, of Citra; M. L. Payne, of Benedict; Jno. Neel, of McIntosh and J. M. Whittington, of Flemington, L. M. Graham, Connor.

Does it Pay to Buy Cheap?

A cheap remedy for coughs and colds is all right, but you want something that will relieve and cure the more severe and dangerous results of throat and lung troubles. What shall you do? Go to a warmer and more regular climate? Yes, if possible; if not possible, for you, then in either case take the only remedy that has been introduced in all civilized countries with success in severe throat and lung troubles, "Boschee's German Syrup." It not only heals and stimulates the tissues to distroy the germ disease, but allays inflammation and causes easy expectoration, gives a good night's rest and cures the patient. Recommended many years by all druggists in the world. You can get this reliable remedy at Anti-Monopoly Drug Store.

OUR COUNTY LEGISLATORS.

The board met in regular session. All members present except Commissioner Wartmann who had to be in Tampa on important business.

Mr. G. W. Mills appeared before the board with reference to the account for cutting out logs on Bronson road mentioned in minutes of last meeting, and it appearing that the board was in error, apologies were tendered to Mr. Mills, and he was fully exonorated.

A number of citizens of Belleview petitioned to have Mr. J. A. Freeman removed as inspector of marks and brands, the matter was laid over to give Mr. Freeman an opportunity to be heard.

Emma Bell, an aged and destitute negro woman of Ocala, was ordered admitted to the poor farm.

The usual number of road petitions were presented and acted upon.

Commissioner Long submitted report on the poor farm, showing expenses for month of September $124.-39, and receipts from sale of cord wood, sugar cane and pay for hog killed by train $117.15. The farm owns twenty-five hogs being fattened. The superintendent was authorized to rent a cane mill instead of buying.

The board adjourned until Tuesday.

The board met Tuesday with all members present, having first drove out and inspected the hard road now being built at Sharpe's ferry.

C. R. Hendricks was ordered paid $25 for one acre of land from which to obtain road material on the Summerfield road.

Mr. Long reports that the bridge across Blue Springs run, near Dunnellon, was in an unsafe condition and it was ordered that notices be posted at said bridge, that the county will not be responsible for any loss or damage sustained in crossing or attempting to cross said bridge.

C. A. Shaw, J. G. Aaskin and J. L. Leitner were appointed to inspect and receive the new bridge at that point when completed.

The petition for a hard road known as the Camp Izard and Shady Grove road was granted, with the understanding that as soon as six miles had been completed on the Sharpe's ferry road and the road to Anthony that work would be commenced on this road.

Petition for changing and straightening the "new cut" road to the Sumter county line was granted with the understanding that the petitioners shall open same, S. R. Pyles, M. M. Proctor and James Goin were appointed to mark out said road.

The tax assessor presented the tax books for 1902 which were examined and accepted and he was paid $979 40 on account of commissioners.

The footings of the tax books show an aggregate valuation of $3,961,271.00 divided about as follows:

Live stock or animals $256,045.00; other personal property $805,865.00; real estate making up the balance, showing that the great burden of taxation falls on real estate.

The assessment for county purposes aggregating something over $40,000.00 nearly one half being for school purposes.

The long standing matter of the suit against the Pooser bondsmen for a shortage of something over $8000.00 due the county was compromised and a settlement made at $2500.

The pistol toting regiment was recruited, some volunteers, however, were turned down.

A good deal of time was taken up in discussing the road machinery ordered last month, whether or not a 15 horse power engine instead of 12 horse power should be ordered, and whether or not the county would pay the freight, which, together with the subject of whether or not the county would buy a mule for the poor farm. Before arriving at a conclusion the board adjourned until Wednesday morning.

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School Board.

Above organization met in regular session Monday. Quorum present.

Superintendent was authorized to make arrangements with Commercial bank to cash all warrants for special school districts and draw warrants direct on the special school districts when approved by the trustees of said districts.

The schools at Anthony, Belleview, Grahamville, Electra, Gum Spring, Hog Pond, Sulphur Springs, Bethlehem, Palmetto, Hopewell, Shiloh, Sparr, Reddick, Charter Oak, and other schools applied for assistant teachers or increase in salaries, all of which the board turned down as it was without funds to meet the demands.

Numerous requests for repairs were turned down also.

A report was filed by chairman and secretary stating that arrangements had been made with Commercial bank to cash all school warrants at par value, interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum.

The superintendent was instructed to dismiss the supervisor of the Mt Peller school and also to discontinue teacher unless the average of the school greatly increased during the present month.

Treasurer's report was examined, found correct and approved, as follows:

Balance from last report,	$ 31
Received from E. P. Thagard, county levy of 1901,	12 55
Received from E. P. Thagard, polls of 1901,	17 00
Received from Comptroller, tax sales,	469 92
Total receipts,	$499 78
Disbursed during September,	499 23
Balance in treasury,	55

Treasurer account for special districts were approved as follows:

Special Dis.	Rec.	Dis.	Bal.
Ocala,	$35.85;	$31.25;	4.60
Belleview,	46.41;	5.25;	41.16
Dunnellon,	21.30;	19.89;	1 41
Weirsdale,	97.20;	26.75;	70 45

Other districts the same as last month.

INGLIS ITEMS.

Captain John L. Inglis has gone for an extended trip to New York and other eastern points. Before going he will spend several days in Jacksonville looking after the erection of his handsome dwelling, which is to take the place of the one consumed in the great fire of May, 1901.

Mrs. R. A. Alfred is in DeLand and her daughter, Miss Bernice, has resumed her studies in the Stetson University.

A. G. Bigelow, the popular superintendent of the Dunnellon Phosphate Company, was here a day or so ago.

Paymaster A. B. Kibler, of the Terminal Company, was here Saturday making glad the hearts of employees.

Charles Miller, one of Standard's energetic farmers and stock raisers, was here Tuesday. Come again.

Among the distinguished visitors of last week were H. A. Ford, division superintendent of the A. C. L., J. B. Cutler, master of trains, J. S. Jolly, roadmaster, and Dr. J. G. Baskin, of Dunnellon.

Miss Mae Prevatt, of Chambers Island, is visiting friends at Dunnellon.

Clever Bob Sanders, of Dunnellon, was in our midst Tuesday.

George J. Hussell spent a couple of days the week with his family in Dunnellon.

There was a delightful graphaphone entertainment given at the school building by W. J. Wright on Saturday night. Those present report an enjoyable occasion.

Colonel Otis T. Green, one of Ocala's leading attorneys, passed through here Monday enroute to Cedar Key, where he went in the interest of his profession.

Edgar A. Inglis, after spending vacation with his parents, Captain and Mrs. John L. Inglis, at the "Bungalow" has returned to DeLand where he resumes his studies in the Stetson University.

J. W. Bush, after spending several days in Tampa pleasantly, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bockhouse left Monday to be absent ten or fifteen days visiting Dunnellon and several other Florida points. FELIX.

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Lately starved in London because he could not digest his food. Early use of Dr. King's New Life Pills would have saved him. They strengthen the stomach, aid digestion, promote assimilation, improve the apyetite. Price 25c. Money back if not satisfied. Sold by Anti-Monopoly Drug Store. Only 25c. 5

Life at Candler.

School started September 15th with 29 pupils. We have a good school. Prof. Chaffer is giving general satisfaction.

Miss Edna Baker arrived Friday from Jacksonville to attend our school She will stay with her aunt, Mrs. Smoot.

Mr. and Mrs. Hudnal were made happy by the late arrival of a baby daughter.

Miss Anna DeLong returned home from Ocala Thursday. She attended the Ludlam-Mark wedding.

Mr. McCullough returned home from New Jersey, where he has been since May. He is pleased with the looks of his orange grove. He expects between 200 and 300 boxes of fruit.

Prof. J. W. McKinney is shedding some more of his orange grove. His trees are loaded with fruit.

If you wish to see something worth looking at, just take a peep at Capt. DeLong's orange grove.

An orange buyer was in town this week offering $2 per box for all the oranges in Candler. Candler will ship several thousand boxes this year.

Harry Marshall has gone down to Fort Myers, where he expects to work.

Did It Ever Occur To You

THAT when **You** refuse to insure **Your** life **You** don't take the risk? **You** must either pay a company to carry the risk or force **Your Wife and Children** to do it. Don't they deserve the best **You** can do for them? I should hate to be myself a few minutes after telling you that they don't—that is if **You** are worthy of their respect. The **Best** is none too good for them, and a policy in the **STATE LIFE is the Best.** Because what? Why, because the State of Indiana always holds enough of the company's funds to pay off its liabilities whether the company be solvent or insolvent. That's one cause. Here's the other [there are only two]. Because **It Pays Larger Dividends** to policy-holders than any other company in the United States, thereby making its net cost the smallest. It's worth a year's premium on a Ten Thousand Dollar policy to some one who will prove that this statement isn't true. Now down to business. I am not writing this "ad" just for fun—it cost money. I want you to write me for a sample policy and the cost of same at your age. And if you don't object to receiving about fifteen minutes of entertaining information you might ask me to call and talk the matter over with you. If my talk gives you "that tired feeling" I will give you a thousand dollar policy for a year just to rest you. That's all. Just write to

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The undersigned gives notice that he will, on October 1st, sever his connection as agent for the Hagerstown Spoke and Bending Company.

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My 2.00 Gin at	1.75	My 4.00 " " "	$4
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