THE BLUE AND THE GRAY

Upon my bosom softly lies ik knot of blue and gray You ask the why? Trurs till my eyes

-Not 120W for Stills I may Warm-hearted, hold and gay? They left my sale -our more the blue

thread at brooks altim bead in band. one sleeps beneath Vergenia's bill-28,007 one in Kenegra's sond.

My love for both must stay. rid so upon nev bosom lies. was knot of the and gray

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DEBATABLE UTILITIES OF THE IN-DIAN WAR CLAIMS FUND.

Yorks Editor of the Scale Bettner.

Want to do with the Indian war well engage the attention of our best thinking mea and command their sarviers of speech or pen in seeking the most beneficial, practical and patriotic solution of the question or

Several uses of this windfall to the state I call it so, because its long time reaching us, the uncertainties of get-Hing It and the debatable utilities when in possession, have all conspired to make the true Floridian nervous over it, and caused us each time it was heralded as a congressional cerfainty to excisin: "Too good to be true" many been suggested. Educa-Ronal uses, and road building and Ment paying application have been surged by some patriotic and thinking stizens. But il have not heard as which discussion of the matter as I would like to hear. The sum of money tion, meditation and the solicitude of ple, your most carnest, thoughtful, wise and practical men.

It is a matter of business that conrepreservery citizen who desires the advancement of the welfare of Florida.

It is this desire that prompts me now to write, and I hope that those who may agree with my views on ucilizing that fund will join me in allocussing them-while those who shifter, will offer a better proposition.

The best way of sing it is to devote it by the bringing into the state desirable minigrants. The best system for doing this I will not discuss in this letter. That a practical and resultful system can be devised, I have no should being within the range of rea-

somethir possibilities. Taking it for granted that Florida is a good hand to dwell in from every point of view in human living, and finata person here can have a "local habitation and a nome" satisfactory an himself and agreeable to his neigh-

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bors, it appears to me that we can, in justice to those people who wish to make new homes, or to start life in some other state than that of their nativity, seek to get them to come and be citizens of Florida. We do this any way, constantly, in our unorganized and individual efforts. The people, the press and the politicians of the state declare that Florida is a favored land, and that the poor man has more chances for becoming independent and prosperous in her agreeable climate and on her responsive soil than in any of the other states of the Union. If we may do this in talk, why may we not do it in a practical, systematic, business way?

Florida is lamentably insignificant in the matter of numbers in population. Less than a half million souls respond to the roll call of the census, though we have arable, tillable and profitable lands sufficient to support millions of people. We are getting old without increasing measurably with numbers. The spirit that Rome was not built in a day seems to be allsatisfying in our state-making. chalms fund is a question that may How can we have a great state without a great population?

> Nothing has been done by "the powers that be," nor by the powers that have been, to promote immigration to the state, nor even to stimulate it. Is this an admission that our state is not good enough on any account to induce people to settle in it? I fear that the charge could be made and plausibly maintained.

We need more good white people as actual and permanent settlers. The necessity is great, yet we seem to be satisfied with the small army of winter tourists, who, though welcome, are but fleeting benefits. They have monopolized our attention and enhanced our welcome so much that it seems to me that their idea of our being only an "afternoon state," has been adopted by us, and that it has gone forth in the world that we are invarived is large and rightly used can keepers of picnic grounds for the rich. and have no good, peaceful, profita-Butely the subject demands examina- | ble and healthy homes for poorer peo- | Says He's a "Load for a Hearse" and

State aid to immigration is an absolute necessity to increase our population. The natural increase of population is not to be relied on by this state

to make us advance on modern lines The use of the Florida Indian war claim fund for immigration purposes

JNO. G. REARDON.

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The little daughter of Mr. J. N Powell jumped on an inverted rake made of ten penny nails and thrust one entirely through her foot and a second one half way through. Chamberlain's Pain Balm was promptly applied and five minutes later the pain had disappeared and no more suffering was experienced. In three days the child was wearing her shoe as usual and with no discomfort. Mr. Powell is a well known merchant of Forkland, Va. Pain Balm is an antiseptic and heals such injuries without maturation and in one-third the time required by the usual treatment. For sale by Anti-Monopoly Drug

Industrial Notes.

A company has been organized in ladsden county for the purpose of manufacturing syrup. One thousand barrels were manufactured this season and the capacity will be largely increased next season. This is an industry that is peculiarly adapted to Florida and could be profitably established in every county in the state.

A ware house company for the storng of cotton and other agricultural products has been established in Alachua county. Mr. J. S. Dupuis, formerly of this county, is one of the in- | Hill. corporators.

combining for the purpose of securing I demanded justice from him. I the establishment of a canning fac- looked right at him when I said it.

county that have now been in opera. Tom Grady's ear like a boy looking tion two or three years, put it beyond | into a picture machine. He couldn't the possibility of a doubt, that these look into anybody's face. factories can be made profitable. They should be as familiar sights in Florida | baldheaded man president I spoke the

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and pure blood are inseparable. If your blood is bad, your health must suffer. Poor blood allows the body to lose vitality just as a poor fire under the boiler allows the steam to run down. From poor blood to impure blood is but a step, and impure blood is mother to a large percentage of human ills. Dr. Harter's Iron Tonic is an antidote for both poor and impure blood, for it is both a builder and purifier - a food and a medicine. It is the best combi-nation of the kind known to medical science, and its success for nearly half a century has led to its endorsement by thousands of medical men who have been unable to find a substitute.

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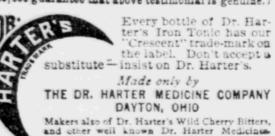
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"I ain't playing no searchlights on myself as a prophet, but Hill's finish was as plain to me all through this campaign as the Flatiron building is to a man in front of the Fifth Avenue

"He rung the bell at the front door of the morgue the day he passed me along in the convention at Saratoga. "After this his address is 'D. B. Hill, Dead House, Compartment No. 13,

handle with care.' "Ever since he has been in politics Hill has been a red hand consisting of four diamonds and a heart. The democrats have thought all along that in Hill they were holding five diamonds, sometimes they have carried off a bluff with it and sometimes they have stayed out and let the other fellows chip along but this year they had to show their four-flush when Odell called them and the republicans won with a pair of nines.

"It's a funny thing," Mr. Devery went on, "how a human refrigerator like Hill has been able to make people think he was a real live one for so many years. Ever shake hands with Hill? No? Ever go into a market on a cold morning and pick up a fish? Yes? Then you've shaken hands with

"Up there in Saratoga I stood on The farmers of Polk county are the platform and told Dave Hill that Did he look at me? It ain't necessary The two canning factories in this to give the answer. He looked into

"When I said you couldn't elect a truth, but was talking particularly Several land and naval stores com- about a baldheaded man like Hill. panies have been organized in Jack- Whenever you see a man get bald in sonville, Tallahassee and other cities front first so his forhead looks like and business along these lines is quite | half a football it's a bad sign. And dulum of a clock, there's a combination to run round the corner and hide behind a tree from.

"Of course Hill won't stand pat and admit that he lost. He is doing the old stunt-hollering fire from under the bed. When Bryan was 'It' in the democratic party Hill got into his cage up in Wolfert's Roost, locked the doors on the inside and the only time people knew he was alive was when they heard him snore.

chance to get brsy. He got his 'I am | spent \$50,000 to be elected to congress a democrat' sign out, put some axle | from the Tenth New York district. grease on his peanut cart and goes up It is only newpaper men who can and down the street telling people that he sets a better table at his house than Ben Odell sets. I don't think anybody believed him at that. He looks like he lived on cracked ice and them will outlast any two wagons or

"I ain't crowing over the finish of Write B. W. Berry, Monticello, Fla. :

Dave Hill. He was making people believe he was a great man when I was a common ordinary policeman. I've had it handed to me as hard as any man in this state, I guess, but they had to admit that I was on the level, and there ain'i a man can say that I ever made a promise that I did'nt make good if it was possible to do it. When I said that Dave had got into the selling plater class a lot of people that thought they were wise laughed at me. Now Dave is ruled off the turf.

"Tom Powers and other picture men will have to revise Dave now They'll have to put crape on his peanut hat and hand a sign on him reading: 'I am a load for a hourse.' "-Bill Devery in New York World.

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Best floral exhibit. Best cold storage display.

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Best phosphate exhibit. Best display of good roads material. Indeed Marion county had the best of everything at the fair and got everything she went for.

Notice.

The next annual meeting of the Medical Examining Board of the 5th District of Florida will be held at office of McKinstry & McKinstry in

GEO. E. WELCH, Secretary

Compliment to Mr. Reardon.

One of the ablest articles that has been published in Florida in many a day, is the letter of Col. John G. Reardon, which appeared in yesterday's Ocala Banner, in answer to a letter written by Editor Graham, of the Arcadia News, concerning the special terms of court convened by the governor recently in Sumter and Levy counties for the purpose of trying three murderers. The letter is a masterpiece, and without reflecting upon is evident that Colonel Reardon has outclassed his opponent.-Tampa

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Must Get Together and Stay Together There's at least one lesson taught from Tuesday's election. Unless the abuse heaped upon Bryan and Bryan's followers by one wing of democracy, and the abuse heaped upon Cleveland and Cleveland followers by the other wing is reconciled, the democratic party in the future has no more chance of winning victories than a snow ball has of passing unscathed through Hades. -Arcadia News.

A Repetition of Elder Jack Dowdy's Experience.

The report circulated on our streets vesterday that a prospector who came here with a view to locating, had been lost in the dense growth of weeds back of the court house, is unfounded. A searching party went out to find the gentleman, and discovered him in one active in many parts of the state. when you scramble that up with a of the deep gullies on Clinton street, The reports of big sales are now not pair of eyes that work like the pen- where he had fallen while trying to make his way out to the Florida State College.-Pete Coogan in Tallahassee

> Now that the sickly season is approaching, get a 25c bottle of Arkansas Chill and Fever Tonic and ward off a spell of fever sold and guaranteed by Tydings & Co.

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