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HAPPENINGS ABOUT TOWN.

Mr. J. M. Hewitt, of Jacksonville, is at the Montezuma.

Mr. John W. Martin, of Jacksonville, is at the Ocala House.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar French, of St. Louis are at the Ocala House.

Mr. Fussel, of Leesburg, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. J. A. Hendry.

Mr. L. Ottensosser, of Cincinnati, New York and Ocala, is visiting his family for a few days.

Mrs. J. J. David arrived in Ocala Friday and is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. A. B. Brumby.

Mr. John Potter, of Summerfield, is spending Sunday in Ocala with his uncle, Dr. W. V. Newsom.

Mr. Ben Raysor left Saturday afternoon for St. Augustine, where he goes on a few day's business trip.

Hon. A. S. Mann, head and front of the good roads movement in this state, was a visitor to Ocala yesterday.

Mr. Chas. H. Lloyd, who has been for the past few weeks in the woods on a camping expedition, has returned home.

Prof. Joseph L. Wiley, of Fessenden Academy at Martin, came down Friday afternoon to hear Bishop Turner preach today.

Mrs. D. W. Davis will be the hostess of the Married Ladies' Whist club at their regular weekley meeting Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ayer returned to their home in Macon, Ga., Friday after a few week's visit in Ocala with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ayer.

Mr. R. W. Spam, of Columbus, Ga. representing the Peacock Clothing Co., after spending several days in Ocala, left Friday for Tampa.

Dr. L. D. Geiger, of Apopka, was a visitor to Ocala Friday. Mr. Geiger is running a paper at Inverness but still has his home at Apopka.

Rev. Dr. Park, of Soochow, China, was a visitor to Ocala during the week and made a splendid talk to the Methodists at their mid week prayer meeting.

Mr. J. M. Taylor, one of the oldest commercial travelers on the road, after a several days visit in Ocala, left Friday afternoon for his home at Bay Port.

Mr. J. H. Upthegrove, a prosperous fish merchant of Lockloosa, and Mr. M. C. Morrison, a vegetable grower of Island Grove, are visitors to Ocala and guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Barnes.

Dr. R. L. Palmer, of Atlanta, a prominent druggist of that city, was a guest of the Ocala House Friday. He is enroute home after his second visit this year to the fishing grounds of Homosassa.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bird, formerly of this city but who now reside in Brooklyn, are at Palm Beach and are guests at the Breakers. They will arrive in Ocala some time next week for a visit with friends here.

Completed His Rounds.

Mr. Alfred Ayer, Marion county's efficient tax assessor, has completed his assessment rounds and in conversation with us Friday said that Marion county is now in a better shape than at any time during his recollection. There has been a larger acreage planted to oats this year than ever before in the county's history and the farmers, almost without exception, are making preparations to increase their meat production and are preparing their fields for larger food products.

In the course of a very few years, Mr. Ayer believes the entire history of the county will be changed and it will be noted far and wide for its stock farms and good roads.

Married in Ocala.

The following notice of the marriage of Miss Parramore and Mr. LeSeur, which occurred in this city last Wednesday, appered in Friday's Atlanta Journal:

Married in Ocala, Fla., February 25th at 11:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's mother, Miss Rossabee Parramore to Mr. Frederick Augustus LeSeur, formerly of Atlanta. It was a quiet home wedding. Mr. and Mrs. LeSeur left on a bridal trip and after March 15th they will be at home to their friends in Ocala. Mr. LeSeur moved to Florida a year ago; he is a son of Mr. J. A. LeSeur, of Atlanta.

Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but, when all other medicines failed, three $1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 pounds." It is absolutely guaranteed to cure colds, coughs, la grippe, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at Anti-Monopoly Drug Store. 2

Mr. M. R. Haughawoet, of Kishacoquillas, Pa., is at the Ocala House.

The Ocala Manufacturing Company owned by Messrs. J. M. Meffert and Jno. M. Taylor, are now employing in the manufacture of crates and vegetable packages fifty men and fifteen boys. During the height of the season nearly twice so many will be at work. Ocala is destined, if she becomes a big city, to do so through her varied manufacturing industries and work along these lines is laid out for her.

Mr. E. C. McLeod, of Kendrick, who made one of his frequent visits to Ocala Saturday is both a successful sawmill man and farmer. McLeod believes that Florida has too long followed varying strange agricultural goods and should now get down to bed rock principles and raise hogs and corn. He is domonstrating his theory successfully and has some fine stock and a lot now in our cold storage.

There are now daily boats on the Ocklawaha river from Palatka to Silver Springs, Sundays excepted. Two lines are operated, the Hart and the Lucas. These boats make an appreciable service in the number of winter visitors to Ocala and our hotels show almost daily arrivals from this source.

Mr. Romeno, representing the Eastman Kodak Company, was in the city Friday in the interest of his company and gave an informal exhibition of physical culture and legerdemain. Mr. Gerig says he can give Hermann cards and spades and beat him at his own tricks.

Says He Was Tortured.

"I suffered such pain from corns I could hardly walk," writes H. Robinson, Hillsborough, Ills., but Bucklen's Arnica Salve completely cured them." Acts like magic on sprains, bruises, cuts, sores, scalds, burns, ulcers, boils. Perfect healer of skin diseases and piles. Cure guaranteed by Anti-Monopoly Drug Store. 25c. 2

Domino Ball.

Saturday the armory was a scene of revelry from eight to twelve o'clock the occasion being the closing affair of the dance class of Prof. R. L. Northcutt.

The armory was prettily decorated with palms, flags and bunting. A large number of guests were present and enjoyed seeing the children enjoy themselves so much.

At eight o'clock the ball was opened with the grand march led by little Miss Sara Davis and Master Lester Anderson. The music was furnished by Prof. Northcutt.

There were fifty children participating in the march. All were masked and wore dominos of every color imaginable. The scene presented was a fantastic and interesting one. The children danced until nearly ten o'clock when they unmasked.

The evening was one of the happiest ever spent by the children of Ocala and they will long remember this ball as one of the most pleasant events of their lives.

Prof. Northcutt always endevors to make the children of his class have a merry time and he always succeeds admirably.

After ten o'clock those not masked were allowed to enter into the dancing which was kept up until midnight.

Prof. Northcutt will remain in Ocala all of next week.

It is always a matter of regret to the young people when he leaves Ocala and it is sincerely hoped that he will return next season.

The Martel correspondent to the Times-Union says that Mr. J. J. Tillis, of that place, who is a retired crosstie man, is preparing to move to Ocala. Mr. Tillis is well known in this city and this paper will gladly welcome him as a resident.

Mr. H. B. King, of Tampa, formerly collector of the sub-port of entry in this city, was among our visitors Friday. He is here in the interest of a large cigar manufactory of Tampa.

Working 24 Hours a Day.

There's no rest for those tireless little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always busy curing torpid liver, jaundice, biliousness, fever and ague. They banish sick headache, drive out malaria. Never gripe or weaken. Small, taste nice, work wonders. Try them, 25c, at Anti-Monopoly Drug Store. 2

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Perkins, of Providence, R. I., who have been spending the winter in Ocala guests at the Ocala House, returned home Friday.

Mr. J. W. Crosby, who has been to Hot Springs, Arkansas, for several weeks for the benefit of his health, returned Saturday afternoon and is very much improved.

Mr. J. H. Livingston, Jr., returned Friday from the vicinity of Juliette where he has been developing another large land sale.

Mr. George McKay returned Friday from a visit to the mines, where he is putting in a plant for Messrs. Ford & Hiller.

If every smoker in Ocala should buy only Ocala cigars how many more men would be given employment in our factories.

LOST—Saturday night, January 24, in Ocala, dark bay filly, five years old, part of mane hangs on one side of neck and part on the other, white spot on forehead, wire cut scar between fetlock and hoof on one hind leg, clean place on back near shoulder. A reward of $20 will be paid for recovery. Address R. J. Cain, Shady, Fla. 2-6 7t

Notice.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Standard Kaolin Company of Florida will be held at the Bank Building, Leesburg, Fla., on Wednesday, 11th March, 1903, at 12:15 p. m. H. S. BUDD, Sec'y.

LETTER FROM BISHOP TURNER

Commends Position of the Ocala Banner and Says Separation is the Only Way to Solve the Race Problem.

Just before leaving Atlanta Bishop H. M. Turner, of the A. M. E. church, who will preach in Ocala today, addressed the following letter to the editor of this paper on the articles recently appearing in the Ocala Banner on the race problem:

ATLANTA, GA., Feb. 20, 1903.

To the Editor of the Ocala Banner.

Pardon me for intruding upon your time and attention long enough to lay my gratitude at your feet for the editorial in your issue of the 14th inst. under the head of "Deportation of the Negroes."

You have the right conception of the situation. There is an unpassable gulf between white and black which will forever militate against civil fraternity, and unless that is achieved and established the black man can never be a man in this country and his degradation will beget degradation until he becomes a civil and moral incubus, and the result will be he will impart degradation to the white race.

The prejudices, passions and contempt for the negro in the father and mother will poison and curse with a deadly virus the unborn child and visa versa; the unborn child of the negro will imbibe a hate for the white man that will be adherent and a part of his very make up.

I wish you would continue from time to time to agitate this question, as it will be the question growing more and more intense, of the twentieth century.

I have studied this question in the light of the history of the world, which I have been reading for fifty two years and all efforts of harmony between the races is nothing more than a porous plaster over an injured place. The plaster will stick for a short time and fall off, and the ulcer will be enlarged.

Separation is the only ultimate remedy and no one but a fool will say otherwise. Respectfully,

H. M. TURNER.

A Firemans Close Call.

"I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain," writes C. W. Bellamy, a locomotive fireman, of Burlington, Iowa, "I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitters and, after taking it, I felt as well as I ever did in my life." Weak sickly run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their use. Try them. Satisfaction guaranteed by the Anti-Monopoly Drug Store. Price 50 cents. 2

Want Add.

A want advertisement of more than one hundred years ago has been resurrected. It is taken from the American Mercury of Sept. 27, 1784, and reads as follows:

Wanted—For a sober family, a man of light weight who fears the Lord and can drive a pair of horses. He must occasionally wait at table, join in household prayer, look after the horses and read a chapter in the Bible. He must, God willing, rise at 7 in the morning, obey his master and mistress in all lawful commands. If he can dress hair, sing psalms and play at cribbage, the more agreeable. He must not be too familiar with the maid servant of the house, lest the flesh rebel against the spirit and be inclined to walk in the thorny paths of the wicked. Wages fifteen guineas a year.

Maj. H. F. Schneck and wife, of Lounsdale, N. C., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Donald McIver. Maj. Schneck is president of a big cotton mill and he and Mrs. Schneck are in Florida on a pleasure tour.

Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Leavengood and son Hansel went to Tampa Friday to visit Mrs. Leavengood's sister, Mrs. H. E. Schoetlin.

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In the regular line of our advertisements was made only to take advantage of an excellent opportunity to call attention to our Safe Deposit Boxes. They are in fact what the name implies. A place where papers, jewlry and every class of valuables will stay until the owner wants them.

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J. STARR STERNBERGER.

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A Good Metal Trunk	$2.00
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Is a Source of Pleasure to Everybody. If you are hard to please, go there; her style will please you and convince you that you are not hard to please, only have not found before the style and quality you desired. You will find the finest style and assortment in the city, and most complete. Her novelties and Paris patterns will readily explain why this is the most fashionable place to buy your winter headwear. Mrs. Tompkins' efforts have succeeded in establishing a business whose foundation is founded upon a rock. Her principle of trade is one that will yield a benefit to everyone. You want to know you are well dressed; quality and style give that satisfaction. You can buy your millinery from Mrs. Tompkins and know you are in line with the best. A perfect satisfaction and a delight to contemplate. You will get your money's worth, and the style thrown in.

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