

SOUTH LAKE WEIR RIPPLES

Special Cor. Ocala Banner: Railroad matters are booming here just now. Two large gangs of hands are at work, one rebuilding the South Lake Weir branch of the S. A. L. east from the postoffice, to a point just west of Weirsdale, and the other building a spur to the lake from a point opposite the Pleasant Hills House.

The shipment of fruit from this place last season exceeded ten thousand boxes. With the increased railroad facilities it bids fair to exceed that amount several times this year, as the road expects to handle the fruit from the north side and from the islands.

Mr. John Turney, from Little River, visited his daughter, Mrs. A. M. Reed, the past week. Mr. Cecil Bryant and Mr. Nathan Mayo of Belleview were business callers in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Peake have arrived from Philadelphia, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. A. M. Holt, and granddaughter, Miss Alice Holt. Several others of our winter residents are en route and will be in next week.

Mr. S. Lehman has bought the old Alliston homestead. It will be occupied by Mr. Lehman's son-in-law, Mr. E. A. Russo, who will go into the poultry business extensively.

It is rumored that the now idle McGehee lumber mill, on the branch between Summerfield and this place, is soon to start up for a while, after which it is to be moved here.

Cards have been received announcing the marriage of Mr. John J. Soar and Miss Lizzie A. Turney, September 23rd, at Ocala, Fla. At home at Little River, Fla., October 25th. Mrs. Soar has many friends here, having spent most of her early years near here, and at one time taught the South Lake Weir school.

Cards have also been received announcing the marriage of Mr. Peter Martin Olson of South Lake Weir and Miss Amanda Christine Gustafson, at Sugar Grove, Pa., on September 19th. From the Johnston, N. Y., Reporter, we copy:

"Southern Man and Northern Bride. Mr. Peter M. Olson of South Lake Weir, Florida, and Miss Amanda C. Gustafson of Sugar Grove, Pa., were quietly married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Gustafson, Saturday, September 19th, at high noon, by Rev. Oscar Koch, pastor of the Swedish Congregational church of Chaker Valley, Pa. The bride was attired in a very pretty gown of Persian lawn, and carried a bouquet of brides' roses. The bridesmaids and best man were Miss Ida Gustafson and Mr. Oscar Gustafson, sister and brother of the bride. At the conclusion of the ceremony a delicious course dinner was served, with place cards at each plate. The table decorations were white and green. Only a few immediate relatives and intimate friends were present, a more elaborate wedding, which had been planned, having been given up on account of the recent death of a brother of the bride. The wedding presents were many and valuable. In the afternoon the bridal couple left for Jamestown, N. Y., and the following morning started on their wedding trip to their home in Florida, taking in en route Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Albany, the Hudson river and New York, and, after stopping at Jacksonville, St. Augustine and Interlachen, expect to arrive at South Lake Weir, where they will be at home to their friends on October 2nd."

Mr. Olson is one of our best known and most highly respected citizens, having lived here over twenty years, the last fourteen of which he has been foreman at the Pleasant Hills grove. He is also the owner of one of the finest farms in this section and other valuable property and is superintendent of the Union Sunday school and president of the local C. E. society.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mr. W. J. Wilson of Citra, who was struck on the head with an axe by Mr. Ed McLean, is sitting up and will be able to leave the hospital in a few days.

Mr. Egbert Gilbert of LeRoy is at the hospital with a relapse of typhoid fever. The grounds of the hospital are being beautified, which will add very much to its outward appearance.

The inside of the building has been arranged very attractively, and is open to the public for inspection. The majority of the people have a horror of a hospital, and it is the endeavor of the superintendent to make things as attractive and home-like as is possible for the patients, as well as the nurses.

Miss Lella Gerard, head nurse at the hospital, was sent to Dade City yesterday on a case for Dr. Sistrunk. Miss N. K. Smith has gone to Dunedin on a professional trip.

As cholera is reported spreading in the east, our big feet will in all probability not lead at Manilla.

OCALA

The Banner City of the Banner County of the Banner State.

Ocala is everywhere recognized as one of the most thrifty, enterprising and beautiful cities in the interior of Florida. It is the capital city of the banner county of the state—the county that captures all the big prizes at the agricultural fairs—having to her credit the banner prize at three successive state fairs and a large number of individual prizes.

The lands surrounding Ocala are the most elevated and fertile in the state.

Ocala is located on the great ridge separating the rain fall, part of which flows into the Atlantic ocean on the one side and part into the Gulf of Mexico on the other.

Marvelous Silver Springs—more beautiful than the Blue Grotto of Italy—is only five miles distant.

Blue Springs, little less wonderful and lovely, is only eighteen miles distant to the westward, and Lake Weir, more charming than Lake Como, is just eighteen miles to the southward.

Ocala is wonderfully located. Its meaning in the Indian tongue is "fat," and signifies the "land of plenty."

The finest stock farms in the state are near Ocala, and the most progressive and up to date farmers, with unerring judgment, have located their farms near here.

Here the farmer lives at home, his smoke house and his corn crib, his potato banks and his dairy, bulge with plenty, and in his barn-yard are seen peacocks, turkeys, geese, ducks, chickens and guinea.

Speaking specifically and coming down to a plain statement of facts, we mention that:

- Ocala Has
Golf links.
One florist.
Two dairies.
One garage.
Two banks.
One foundry.
Seven hotels.
Water works.
Ten churches.
One architect.
Seven saloons.
One gunsmith.
Two tin shops.
One seed store.
One gas plant.
One synagogue.
Three bakeries.
One shoe store.
Six restaurants.
Twenty lawyers.
Board of Trade.
Six drug stores.
Two paint shops.
Four contractors.
Four shoe shops.
One music house.
One green house.
Eleven physicians.
One variety store.
Two ice factories.
Two planing mills.
Five barber shops.
Three art schools.
Three wood yards.
One public library.
One marble works.
Two bicycle shops.
Two lumber yards.
Two racket stores.
Free mail delivery.
Three dental rooms.
A telephone system.
Two haberdasheries.
Three silversmiths.
Two pressing clubs.
Two public schools.
One barrel factory.
One bottling works.
Fifteen fruit stores.
Six boarding houses.
Two abstract offices.
One Catholic church.
Three wagon works.
A military company.
Two machine shops.
Three jewelry stores.
Three music schools.
One steam laundry.
Ten dry goods stores.
One Chinese laundry.
Two daily newspapers.
One female physician.
Fifteen grocery stores.
Three furniture stores.
Four hardware stores.
Five Baptist churches.
One Christian church.
Four phosphate offices.
A paid fire department.
Three railway systems.
Two cold storage plants.
Three blacksmith shops.
One veterinary hospital.
Eight benevolent orders.
Two veterinary surgeons.
Twenty-five automobiles.
Four real estate agencies.
One kindergarten school.
Two Episcopal churches.
One chemical laboratory.
Thirteen Sunday schools.
One electric light plant.
Two photograph galleries.
Two weekly newspapers.
Several lumber companies.
Three Methodist churches.
One Presbyterian church.
A brass band organization.
Two moving picture shows.
Two electric establishments.
Washerwomen by the score.
Three fire insurance agencies.
One crate and basket factory.
Four life insurance agencies.
Three livery and feed stables.
One Elks' Club reading room.
Numbers of naval stores offices.
Three undertaking establishments.
Five dressmaking establishments.
Three undertaking establishments.
One Epworth League reading room.
Two wholesale grain and feed stores.
One colored domestic training school.
Two wholesale grocery establishments.
Lime—that has made "Ocala famous."

Many of the prettiest residences in Florida.

One city market and several private markets.

Fair grounds and baseball diamonds.

Several business blocks in course of construction.

The largest number of vitrified brick and McAdamsed streets and interior of the state.

Carpenters, masons, plasterers, painters, printers, machinists and laboring men galore.

Ocala has two of the finest hotels in the interior, and her smaller ones are well kept and tidy. Her business blocks are built of brick and stone cement sidewalks of any city in the and some are three stories in height.

Ocala has an \$85,000 court house, built of stone—a handsome structure—and the lawns, flower beds and walks surrounding it are a picture of loveliness.

A government building in course of construction, to cost when completed \$100,000.

An Athletic Association, with well equipped gymnasium and reading rooms.

MEMBERS OF THE NEXT LEGISLATURE

- Senators
District 1—J. H. B. Willer, Milligan.
District 2—John S. Beard, Pensacola.
District 3—William W. Flournoy, DeFuniak Springs.
District 4—Theop. West, Marianna.
District 5—R. F. Horsford, Coe Mills.
District 6—J. E. Broome, Quincy.
District 7—D. H. Sloan, Lakeland.
District 8—J. W. Henderson, Tallahassee.
District 9—G. W. Dayton, Dade City.
District 10—C. L. Leggett, Greenville.
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District 19—L. C. Massey, Orlando.
District 20—D. H. Baker, Orange Home.
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District 30—W. H. McLeod, Jasper.
District 31—L. W. Zim, St. Augustine.
District 32—H. H. McCreary, Gainesville.

Representatives

- Alachua—S. L. Carter, T. A. Duke.
Baker—J. L. Kelly.
Bradford—L. D. Wall, D. E. Knight.
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Citrus—E. S. Grace.
Clay—Chas. Conway.
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Duval—I. L. Farris, Frank E. Chase.
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Lake—J. R. Miller, J. S. Godfrey.
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Leon—A. S. Wells.
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Monroe—W. H. Malone, Jr., Chas. L. Knowles.
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Orange—A. B. Newton, J. H. King.
Osceola—G. S. Acree.
Pasco—P. C. Littell.
Polk—J. A. Cox, W. J. Durranee.
Putnam—H. A. B. McKenzie, S. J. Hilburn.
Santa Rosa—E. V. McCaskill, A. J. Peaden.
St. Johns—W. A. McWilliams, C. J. Dupont.
St. Lucie—W. R. Hardee.
Sumter—McGlenn Terrel.
Suwannee—L. E. Robertson, Geo. W. Demsey.
Taylor—W. T. Cash.
Volusia—Jas. E. Alexander, Macon Thornton.
Wakulla—Walter L. Page.
Walton—J. F. Richbourg.
Washington—R. L. McKenzie.

TO MANUFACTURE NEGRO DOLLS

At a recent meeting of the Colored National Baptist Association, composed of negro leaders from all parts of the world, in session at Lexington, Ky., the following resolution was passed yesterday:

"Whereas, our publishing board, at Nashville, Tenn., under the management of Dr. R. H. Boyd, is prepared to supply a long felt need in a factory for negro dolls; and

"Whereas, our people, for nearly half a century, because of the uncomely and deformed features of the negro dolls, have spent thousands of dollars on white dolls for Christmas, etc.; therefore, be it

"Resolved, that we do here and now give our endorsement and hearty approval of the negro doll factory, and not only urge the patronage of the people of our churches at Baptists, but of the race at large throughout the United States."

IRVING AND MONTAGUE.

One of Their Practical Jokes That Scared Their Friends.

In Scott's "The Drama of Yesterday and Today" the author tells of a practical joke played by Henry Irving and Harry Montague upon a number of their friends, and "in its execution was seen the first dawning glimmer of that tragic force that was ultimately to find expression in Hood's 'Dream of Eugene Aram' and 'The Bells.'" Irving and Montague, hitherto the best allies, began to quarrel on their way to a picnic, and their friends feared some tragic consequences. After luncheon both of the men disappeared.

Smale's face turned deadly pale. He felt that his worst fears were being realized. With one wild cry, "They're gone—what on earth has become of them?" he made a dash down the Dargle over the rocks and boulders, with the remainder of the picnic party at his heels.

At the bottom of a "dreadful hollow behind the little wood" a fearful sight presented itself to the astonished friends. There on a stone sat Henry Irving in his shirt sleeves, his long hair matted over his eyes, his thin hands and white face all smeared with blood, and dangling an open clasp knife.

He was muttering to himself in a savage tone: "I've done it! I've done it! I said I would! I said I would!"

Tom Smale in an agony of fear rushed up to Irving, who waved him on one side with threatening gestures. "For God's sake, man," screamed the distracted Smale, "tell us where he is!"

Irving, scarcely moving a muscle, pointed to a heap of dead leaves and in sepulchral tones cried: "He's there—there! I've done for him! I've murdered him!"

Smale literally bounded to the heap and began flinging aside the leaves in every direction. Presently he found the body of Harry Montague lying face downward. Almost paralyzed with fear, Smale just managed to turn the head around and found Montague convulsed with laughter, with a pocket handkerchief in his mouth to prevent an explosion. Never was better acting seen on any stage.

FOODS OF ITALY.

Specialties of the Friggitrici in Naples and Genoa.

Huge meaty chestnuts are found everywhere in Italy. Peeled and boiled in a reddish broth seasoned with laurel leaves and caraway seeds, the nuts are palatable. About two dozen of the large kernels are sold for a penny. In both Genoa and Naples the friggitrici are interesting, and some of their specialties are well worth a trial if one can forget the unappetizing appearance of cooks and cooking appliances. One friggitrice attracts attention to a tray of golden balls which she piles in a pyramid. The golden balls are artichokes. They are boiled in salted water until tender and are put in a pan over steam to keep them hot until a customer appears. For threepence the vender will take one from the steaming pan, dry it, dip it into batter and pop it into the hot oil. A moment later a golden brown ball, delicious and crispy on the outside and tender and succulent on the inside, is handed to the purchaser. The frying is managed in such a way that when the fritters are taken from the kettle they are very hot, but so dry on the outside that they scarcely soil the fingers when eaten from the hand. Another friggitrice specialty is that of cheese balls. They are made of paste filled with grated cheese and fried. Mashed chestnuts, rice, chopped chicken and many vegetables are used to vary the fillings for the popular fritos. Some of the frying kettles are portable, and the friggitrici have regular routes like the milkmen, where they tap at the basement door, get their orders, take their tiny bellows and blow up the charcoal until it glows and then cook the breakfast of meat balls or rice cakes or artichokes, which are sent in hot—Leslie's Weekly.

Solenodons.

Only two species of that singular insectivorous mammal, the solenodon, are known, one inhabiting Haiti and the other Cuba. They differ chiefly in the color and quality of their fur. Solenodons are quaint looking animals, rather larger than rats, with long flexible snouts and naked tails. They are nocturnal and obtain their food by digging in the soft ground for insects, etc., with their snouts. Their brain capacity is small, and they are said to have the curious habit when hunted by dogs of hiding their heads in the nearest holes and leaving their bodies exposed.

The Clock Was Wrecked.

Biway—Use an alarm clock nowadays? Jigsaw—No; never tried one but once. Biway—How was that? Jigsaw—Well, you see, the first time it went off I didn't exactly know what it was, and so I said, "Oh, for heaven's sake, Maria, shut up!" Maria happened to be awake, and—well, that is how it was.—Liverpool Mercury.

Chivalrous Chicago.

In Chicago more than in any other place is woman regarded in the light of a thing of beauty and a joy forever. There is hardly a man in Chicago who does not esteem feminine loveliness as something beyond price—something to live for, to strive for, to suffer for and if necessary to die for.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

A Historical Mystery Solved.

The man in the iron mask explained. "I let my wife cut my hair," he sobbed. Herewith all tendered him respectful sympathy.—New York Sun.

THE BRYAN AND KERN CAMPAIGN FUND

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET

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WM. J. BRYAN.
Vice President of the United States—
JOHN W. KERN.
United States Senator—
DUNCAN U. FLETCHER.
Member of Congress, 1st District—
S. M. SPARKMAN.
Presidential Electors—
H. P. BAILEY.
ROBT. E. DAVIS.
P. W. BUTLER.
GEORG C. MARTIN.
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State

- Comptroller—
A. C. CROOM.
Railroad Commissioner—
ROYAL C. DUNN.
Treasurer—
W. V. KNOTT.
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H. CLAY CRAWFORD.
Governor—
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State Supt. of Public Instruction—
WM. M. HOLLOWAY.
Commissioner of Agriculture—
B. E. McLIN.
Justices of the Supreme Court—
WILLIAM A. HOCKER.
THOS. M. SHACKLEFORD.

County

- Representatives—
W. D. CARN of Ocala.
L. S. LIGHT of Reddick.
County Judge—
JOSEPH BELL of Ocala.
Clerk of Circuit Court—
S. T. SISTRUNK of Ocala.
Sheriff—
JOHN P. GALLOWAY of Ocala.
Tax Collector—
E. L. CARNEY of Ocala.
Tax Assessor—
ALFRED AYER of Ocala.
Treasurer—
THOS. E. PASTEUR of Ocala.
Supt. Public Instruction—
J. H. BRINSON.
County Commissioners—
Dist. 1—George MacKay, Ocala.
Dist. 2—J. M. Mathews, Flemington.
Dist. 3—M. M. Proctor Pedro.
Dist. 4—N. A. Fort, Lynne.
Dist. 5—W. J. Crosby Citra.
Members of School Board—
Dis. 1—Isaac Stevens, Ocala.
Dis. 2—B. R. Blitch, Blitchton.
List. 3—J. S. Grantham, Ft. McCoy.

NOTICE

Take notice that I will on the first Thursday of October, A. D. 1908, or as soon thereafter as I may be heard, apply for a pardon for J. S. Wester, who was convicted of forgery at the fall term of the circuit court for Marion county, Florida, in 1906. Any one desiring may then be heard on the merits of the application.

WILLIAM C. HODGES,
Attorney for Petitioner.

NOTICE OF FINAL DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that, on the 12th day of January, 1908, I will, as executor of the last will and testament of Julia T. Munroe, deceased, present my final accounts and vouchers to the Hon. Joseph Bell, judge of probate, at his office at Ocala, Florida. Will make my final settlement and apply for final discharge.

June 1, 1908.
T. T. MUNROE,
As Executor of the Last Will and Testament of the late Julia T. Munroe.
6-5-6m.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

To the Sheriff of Marion County, of the State of Florida: Be it known that I, H. Clay Crawford, secretary of state of the state of Florida, do hereby give notice that a general election will be held in Marion county, state of Florida, on Tuesday next succeeding the first Monday day in November, A. D. 1908, the said Tuesday being the third day of November.

For five presidential electors.
For representative from the 1st congressional district of Florida, in the Sixty-first Congress of the United States.

For governor of the state of Florida.
For secretary of state of the state of Florida.

For attorney general of the state of Florida.
For comptroller of the state of Florida.

For treasurer of the state of Florida.
For superintendent of public instruction of the state of Florida.

For commissioner of agriculture of the state of Florida.
For two justices of the supreme court of the state of Florida.

For railroad commissioner of the state of Florida.
For two members of the house of representatives of the state of Florida.

For county judge.
For sheriff.

For clerk of the circuit court.
For county assessor of taxes.
For tax collector.

For county superintendent of public instruction.
For county treasurer.
For county surveyor.

For five county commissioners.
For three members of the county board of public instruction.

For justice of the peace in and for the following justice districts, viz: Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32.

For constable in and for the following justice districts, viz: Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the great seal of the state of Florida, at Tallahassee, the capital, this first day of September, A. D. 1908.

(S.S.) H. CLAY CRAWFORD,
Secretary of State.

To Henry Gordon, Sheriff Marion County.
8-28-wf.

NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE MUTUAL MINING COMPANY

A special meeting of the stockholders of the Mutual Mining Co., will be held at the office of the company at Ocala, Fla., on Monday, the 5th day of October, A. D. 1908, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of voting on the following propositions, viz:

To increase the capital stock of the said company from \$200,000.00 to \$400,000.00, and to amend Article III of its charter accordingly.

To increase the amount of indebtedness or liability to which said company shall at any time subject itself from \$200,000.00 to \$400,000.00, and to amend Article VI of its charter accordingly.

Ocala, Fla., September 3rd, 1908.
GEO. F. ARMSTRONG,
President.

ROBT. W. GROVES,
Secretary.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Gainesville, Fla.,
September 5, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Ezra D. Benson of Anthony, Florida, who, on May 1, 1907, made homestead entry, No. 37,646 (Serial No. 0421) for south half southwest quarter and south half southeast quarter, section 32, township 13, south, range 23, east, Tallahassee, Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver, at Gainesville, Florida, on the 20th day of October, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses:
E. A. Shealy of Anthony, Florida.
W. H. Hamilton of Anthony, Florida.
R. H. Wilkins of Anthony, Florida.
F. W. Bishop of Anthony, Florida.

HENRY S. CHUBB, Register.
918-Tues

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given to all creditors, distributees, legatees and all others having claims or demands against the estate of Ellen Huggins, deceased, to present the same to the undersigned within two years from the date hereof.

Dated, Ocala, Fla., August 11, 1908.
E. P. THAGARD,
As Executor of Last Will and Testament of Ellen Huggins, Deceased.
8-14-w.

Frank Howarth, whose work on the comic papers as the author and artist of "E. Z. Mark" and "Lulu and Leader" made him well known, died in Philadelphia Tuesday.