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Now that Vice-President Fairbanks has got located he is beginning to lay his plans for the presidency of 1908.

Jiu jitsu works all right on the Russians, but a few days ago a Western fellow just burst a Jap's jitsu completely.

Lobster dealers are trying to form a trust. It will be a hard job to undertake to control the lobsters of the country. There are too many.

General Linevich has been placed in command of the Russian remnant in Manchuria. Wonder if he will establish a line which can't be broken?

The Japs are so busy fighting that they don't have time to get sick. Only forty deaths from disease in the Manchurian army of Oyama in nine months.

A Bainbridge, Georgia, man got his wife through a matrimonial agency—a mail order house, so to speak, and now he wishes he had patronized a home industry.

"Retain the Philippines," says Secretary Taft. Guess we will for a while, for it would be a hard matter to get rid of them unless they were placed on the bargain counter.

Old Sol will cross the line next Tuesday and start on his return trip north, after spending the winter in the South. It is in order now for some newspaper to caution him about returning too early.

"I don't know about your prosperity," said an old darkey a few days ago, "but my, Gainesville is sure growin'! But I don't see as de cord of wood I got t'other day is any larger than they used to be."

The keeper of a Tampa saloon, where gambling is allowed, was fined \$300 and costs and ninety days in jail in Judge Whitaker's court Thursday. He warned the gamblers a few days ago, so it was not unexpected.

In many cities where the ladies have taken the matter in hand of having them beautified the results have been good. The ladies seem to be more persistent than the men in these matters, and many unsightly places have been made beautiful through their efforts.

Venezuela's president contemplates sending an army to capture New Orleans and avenge the wrongs inflicted by the Americans. Let's see; less than a hundred years ago there was an army sent to capture New Orleans, but it had a hard time. Don't come, Castro, until you have absolution for your other misdeeds.

The recent rains in Florida have been a blessing to the State, for which the people, especially those engaged in agricultural pursuits, are truly grateful. But while we have had a little disagreeable weather, it has been nothing compared to the deluge experienced in California, where the railroads have been blocked for several days and great damage has been done. Florida is a little frosty some times, but it will compare, on the whole, with other winter resorts quite favorably.

REGARDING COTTON.

President Jordan of the Southern Cotton Association has given out some very interesting information concerning the cotton crop, which will be of interest to every grower in Florida. In a recent statement he said:

"Every man who is engaged in the production of a staple crop as valuable as cotton should not only know all of the details of the business as it relates to his individual farm, but he should also be informed as to the entire situation throughout the cotton belt. We should not only be informed as to the question of production, but it is absolutely necessary that the people of the South know all about the handling, disposition and uses to which our cotton is put after it passes from the control of the producer. Without a full knowledge of all these essential matters, it will be utterly impossible to ever arrive at a proper system of marketing the crop, or to know its full value. With that object in view, the Southern Cotton Association is now proceeding to secure information covering in detail the various foreign countries to which our cotton is shipped, the character of goods into which it is manufactured, where such goods are sold and the price received for the finished fabric after it passes from the manufacturer into the hands of the jobber or commission merchant. In other words, the Southern Cotton Association proposes to work out a detailed system of every item of cost which enters into the handling of a cotton from the local market, where it is sold until it is finally landed under the spinner's room, and from there until it finds its way into the hands of the individual consumer. The people of the South will then know, as they should, every item of detail which enters into the production, sale and consumption of the greatest agricultural crop which is today raised upon the face of the globe.

"With this information in hand, we can set about ways and means for at least fixing the minimum price on our cotton which will show a profit to the producers, and, as time rolls on, be able to demand the maximum price which will give to the producer all profit to which he is entitled and at the same time enable the spinner to declare fair and reasonable dividends to the stockholders of the cotton milling interests of the world. When this is done the speculator, who has for the past thirty years been the principal instrument of fixing the price of this great staple product (more often to the detriment of the producer than to his interest), will be largely retired from the cotton industry of the world, and forced to engage in an honest and legitimate business. There is no crop of such magnitude and value that is dominated by the speculator to the extent of the cotton crop of the South. There is no crop which, under a proper system of handling, could be more easily and successfully marketed without the aid and co-operation of the speculator, than the American crop."

At a meeting of Irish-Americans in New York a few nights ago a resolution was adopted extending to the government of Russia "heartfelt sympathy in the struggle they are now carrying on with England's ally, Japan." It is all very well for our Irish brothers to denounce England if they wish; but, be it said in all kindness to them, they will gain nothing for their cause by offering sympathy to the most oppressive land grabber and cruellest exponent of militarism to be found among all the nations of the earth.—Tallahassee Capital.

Evidently some Russian had furnished the vodka the "bhoys" were indulging in to celebrate St. Patrick's day.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

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GERMANS IN FLORIDA.

Another large colony of Germans is expected to arrive in Pensacola the first of April, and they will locate in the territory known as the Perdido section, having been induced to come to Florida by the Pensacola Investment Company.

Experience in the Northern States has shown that the Germans and Dutch make as good citizens as any who have settled in that part of the country, and among the thrifty farmers of Ohio, Indiana, Michigan and Wisconsin, the Germans predominated. They are industrious and in nearly every instance build good homes and attend strictly to their own business. In their business transactions they are scrupulously honest, and it is seldom you will find a lazy person in a household of Germans, the men, women and children all taking hold when they start out to make a home wherever they may locate.

In communities where they are found in great numbers there is always thrift, the laws are obeyed, and no fear need be had of their being anything but good citizens, as they are generally too busy attending to their own affairs to interfere with others.

The State of Florida can furnish plenty of lands that are better than many of these people occupy in the North, where they have settled in the woods and by hard labor brought forth from those dense forests many beautiful farms, occupied with substantial buildings, and in a section where advantages are not to be compared with the lands in this State to be had at a very small price.

The Cubans are becoming quite Americanized. The suggestions of President Palma were turned down by their Congress with as much disregard for his wishes as our own millionaire club did those of President Roosevelt.

The crop of St. Patrick's day parades seems to have been injured by the cold weather.

A Donkey's Sweet Tooth.

Seven plum puddings hung in a kitchen at Ettham, England, when a donkey walked in and ate five of them, cloths and all.

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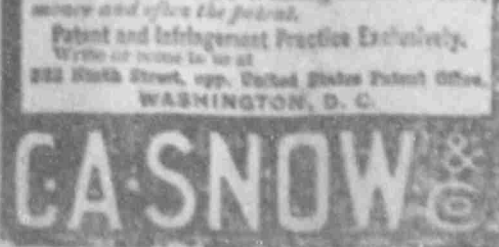
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