

FARMERS WILL MAKE THEIR OWN MEAT

Can Raise and Cure at Less Cost Than Buying Western Goods.

THE PRODUCTS ARE BETTER

The Farmers of This Section Are Becoming Wise and With Cold Storage Facilities Will Show Western Packers a Thing or Two in a Few Years.

There will be something doing in the pork raising line in Alachua county this coming season, if the reports of farmers from the various sections of the county are to be relied upon and the farmer will no longer be compelled to pay his grocer, or the man who "runs" him, enormous prices for meat for the twelve months following next December, at least.

The farmers of Alachua county, more strongly in some sections than in others, are waking up to their interests. They are beginning to realize that they can raise their own meats at a great deal less cost than buying bacon and are working to that end.

The introduction of cold storage in this county has accomplished a great deal in educating the farmer. He has discovered that meat placed on cold storage and afterward properly cured is not only better but a great deal cheaper than the meat that is raised and butchered in the West, sent to Chicago, "prepared," sent to the South and sold at about four to six profits before it reaches his larder.

The farmer is beginning to realize that he can produce his meat at home, butcher it and bring it to cold storage at a small cost, take it out and cure it, and save from 50 to 75 per cent of the amount he is compelled to pay in the stores and has better meat besides. The cold storage facilities of this city accommodated thousands of pounds last season, and the prospects are that the coming winter will double that amount. From present indications, at the progress the raising of meat is making, it will be necessary to increase the capacity within the next two years, notwithstanding there is a cold storage plant at Alachua.

These are modern times, and with the present advancement of the meat interests and the prospects for the future, the Western packers may need look for anything but a distressing decrease within the next few years.

MR. WALL WAS HERE.

Watchdog of the Treasury Pays Gainesville Friends a Visit.

Among the prominent visitors to Gainesville Wednesday was Hon. John P. Wall of Putnam Hall, representative in the Legislature from Putnam county, and who has become known throughout the State as the "Watchdog of the Treasury."

Mr. Wall is probably the best posted representative all-round in the House of Representatives. During his first time as representative from Putnam county, many years ago, he gained a reputation as an economist which stuck to him and which he continued to manifest at the session a few months ago closed.

Mr. Wall is well pleased with the progress of Gainesville, and, while he was a great advocate of the famous Buckman bill, claiming to be the founder of the principals upon which it was drawn, declares that he is glad Gainesville secured the University, because it was the most desirable candidate in the contest for several reasons. "I worked for the success of the Buckman bill with all my heart," he said, "because I believed it was a good bill, and I yet believe it. It was through no desire to abolish the East Florida Seminary or no other State school, except for the consolidation of the educational interests of Florida, because I believed this step was necessary, not only to the economy of the State, but to the benefit of the young men and young women of Florida."

In speaking of the attempt of certain parties to show the unconstitutionality of the Buckman bill, Mr. Wall stated that he considered that absurd. "I studied that bill carefully and weighed every point, got only risking my own judgment, but the judgment of learned lawyers, and I

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can say frankly that I believe the bill will stand, and in my opinion it's all foolishness to try to prove it unconstitutional at this time."

North Gainesville Notes.

After spending a week in North Gainesville visiting Mrs. L. B. Long, Dr. W. W. Moosely and wife left for Live Oak to spend a while at Dowling's Park.

Vern George has gone to Jacksonville to attend the Massey Business College. He is a very worthy young man and friends wish him success.

The Second Advent Christian people expect to hold meetings some time during August. Elder Butler will assist in the meetings.

M. Giddings is improving his place with a new fence.

Dr. Moosely and wife and Mrs. L. B. Long visited at Evinston one day last week their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Barron.

Asthma Sufferers Should Know This.

Foley's Honey and Tar has cured many cases of asthma that were considered hopeless. Mrs. Adolph Buesing, 701 West Third St., Davenport, Iowa, writes: "A severe cold contracted twelve years ago was neglected until it finally grew into asthma. The best medical skill available could not give me more than temporary relief. Foley's Honey and Tar was recommended and one fifty-cent bottle entirely cured me of asthma which had been growing on me for twelve years. If I had taken it at the start I would have been saved years of suffering." J. W. McCollum & Co.

Orange Trees.

An orange grove in full bearing is one of the most delightful sights the eye can witness. The trees are a beautiful shape if left as nature made them. The limbs come nearly to the ground, so close that an orange picker goes under the tree flat on his back and often cuts 100 oranges from the tree before he comes out. Oranges are never picked, but are cut off with shears having a spring between the handles. An orange that has no stem on it is considered a "cull" and is not packed by a first class packer.

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The Last Word.

Bobby—Is every word in this dictionary, pa? Peckley—Oh, no, my child. Every little while a new word comes into the language. Bobby—What's the latest word, pa? Peckley—Your ma will tell you. She always has the last word.

Loved and Lost.

Nell—Love doesn't seem to agree with Maud. She is thinner by twenty pounds than she used to be. Belle—She has loved and lost, eh?

No legacy is so rich as honesty—Shakespeare.

The Boss Worm Medicine.

H. P. Kump, druggist, Leighton, Ala., writes: "One of my customers had a child which was sick, and threw up all food, could retain nothing on its stomach. He bought one bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge, and it brought up 118 worms from the child. It's the boss worm medicine in the world." White's Cream Vermifuge is also the children's tonic. It improves their digestion and assimilation of food, strengthens their nervous system and restores them to the health, vigor and elasticity of spirits natural to childhood. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

A PAINTER'S DREAM.

Pope's Story of the Sleep Vision of Sir Godfrey Kneller.

I dreamed I was dead, said the painter. Before me I saw a door and a great number of people about it. As I drew nearer I could distinguish St. Peter by his keys with some other of the apostles. They were admitting the people as they came next to the door. As the first after my coming up approached for admittance St. Peter asked his name and then his religion. "I am a Roman Catholic," replied the spirit. "Go in then," says St. Peter, "and sit down in those seats on the right hand." The next was a Presbyterian. He was admitted, too, after the usual questions and ordered to sit down on the seat opposite the other.

My turn came next, and as I approached St. Peter very civilly asked me my name. I said it was Kneller. I had no sooner said so than St. Luke, who was standing just by, turned toward me and said, with a great deal of earnestness, "What, the famous Sir Godfrey Kneller of England?" "The very same, sir," says I, "at your service." On this St. Luke embraced me and made a great many compliments on the art we both of us had followed in this world and entered so far into the subject that he seemed almost to have forgotten the business for which I came thither. At last, however, he recollected himself and said: "I beg your pardon, Sir Godfrey. I was so much taken up with the pleasure of conversing with you. But, apropos, pray, sir, what religion may you be of?" "Why, truly, sir," says I, "I am of no religion." "Oh, sir," says he, "you will be so good then as to go in and take your seat where you please." —Pope.

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O. G. Higbee, Danville, Ill., writes, Dec. 2, 1901: "About two years ago I was laid up for four months with rheumatism. I tried Ballard's Snow Liniment; one bottle cured me. I can cheerfully recommend it to all suffering from like affliction." 25c, 50c and \$1. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

AN ORDINANCE.

An Ordinance to be Entitled "An Ordinance to Provide for an Election to Determine Whether or Not Bonds Shall be Issued for the Purpose of Securing Educational Advantages and Facilities in or Adjacent to Said City."

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA:

Section 1—The Mayor is hereby directed to issue his proclamation calling a special election to be held on the 8th day of August, 1905, to decide whether or not the issuance of the bonds provided for by this Ordinance shall be, at that time, approved by the registered voters of said city at such election.

Section 2—The Mayor and City Council of the City of Gainesville, in their corporate capacity, shall issue bonds of said city in denominations of One Thousand Dollars, and for the total amount to wit: Fifty Thousand Dollars, and to become due and payable as follows to wit: Twenty Thousand Dollars in 10 years from date of issue, and Fifteen Thousand Dollars each succeeding 10 years thereafter until the full amount thereof shall have been paid, in regular numerical order. Said bonds to bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and the interest and principal of said bonds shall be payable at the bank of H. F. Burton & Company in said city and such bonds shall have engraved interest coupons attached thereto, payable at the end of periods of six months from the date of the bond; said bonds shall be engraved under the direction of the Mayor and City Council of said city, and shall be executed by the Mayor and President of the City Council, and shall bear the corporate seal of said city. Said bonds shall be sold at not less than par and delivered in amounts as the proceeds are needed to pay for the purposes hereinafter provided for.

Section 3—The purpose to which the proceeds of the bonds provided for in the preceding section are to be applied are the following, viz: To acquire, build or purchase a building or buildings for school purposes or otherwise secure educational advantages and facilities in or adjacent to said city.

Section 4—That this Ordinance shall be published in full in a newspaper published in said city for thirty days after its passage and approval, and along with the publication of this Ordinance there shall be published therewith, at the same time, in the same newspaper and for a period of thirty days, the Mayor's proclamation calling the special election provided for in section one of this Ordinance.

Section 5—The ballots to be used at said election shall have printed thereon the words, "For Educational Bonds," and "Against Educational Bonds." Such election shall be called and held and the returns thereof shall be canvassed as other city elections are usually called and held and the returns thereof canvassed. If the majority of the votes cast at said election shall be "For Educational Bonds," then such bonds shall be issued in compliance with the terms and provisions of this Ordinance; if the majority of the votes cast at such election shall be "Against Educational Bonds," then no such bonds shall be issued.

Passed City Council July 3, 1905.
G. K. BROOMER,
President City Council.
Approved by me this 3rd July 1905
W. R. THOMAS, Mayor.

Notice of Election.

Under and by virtue of the power and authority vested in me, I, W. R. Thomas, as Mayor of the City of Gainesville, Florida, do hereby call a special election to be held in said city of Gainesville, on the 8th day of August, A. D. 1905, for the purpose of deciding whether or not the issuance of the bonds provided for by the Ordinance published herewith shall be at that time approved by the registered voters of said city at such election.

The polling place for said election shall be in the rear of the Municipal Building on East Main and Masonic streets.
The polls shall open at 8 o'clock a. m. and close at sundown of said day.
W. L. Hill, W. S. McDowell and D. A. Robertson are hereby appointed inspectors, and F. X. Miller clerk, of said election.
Witness my hand and the seal of said City of Gainesville, Florida, this 3rd day of July, 1905.
(SEAL) W. R. THOMAS, Mayor.
Attest J. E. DELL, City Clerk.

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