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NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

Matters of General Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS

What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen Told in Short Paragraphs So That "He Who Runs May Read" It in The Sun.

Ladies' calling cards in latest styles at Sun office.

Fine suppers and fine candies at the Bazaar Thursday.

Dry oak and pine wood for sale. J. N. Bone, 'phone 19.

Fruit cakes for immediate or future delivery. Keystone Bakery.

E. C. Smith, the furniture dealer of Ocala, was in the city on business yesterday.

Buy your Christmas presents at Women's Guild Bazaar. Thursday afternoon and evening.

Miss Lella Alvarez, one of Starke's most popular young ladies, is visiting Miss Cora Jolly of this city.

Furnished room to rent on block adjoining square. Gentleman tenant preferred. Apply at Sun office.

Extra copies of the Industrial Edition of The Sun for sale at Avera's and Vidal's news stands at 10 cents

For Rent—Two furnished flats, one of four rooms and one of three rooms. Mrs. Foster, 408 West Main street.

The Barlow Minstrels, which will appear in the city on Monday, is perhaps one of the best traveling in the South.

Miss Francis Liddon has returned to her home at Ocala, after a pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. Dr. J. M. Dell, in this city.

Homer Love of Trenton, W. L. Lewis of Alachua and L. J. Knight of LaCrosse formed a trio of visitors to this city yesterday.

L. C. Ellis, representing the Ludden-Campbell-Smith Company, pianos and organs, has gone to Starke and other points in the interest of his line.

Special Agent W. D. Yarrington of The Times-Union is in the city in the interest of his paper. He made The Sun office a fraternal call last night.

Miss Hassie Smith of Wacahoota was in the city yesterday, a guest of friends. She was en route home from LaCrosse, where she has been visiting Miss Beatie Parker.

W. B. Phifer left yesterday for Grove Park, where he goes to look after his immense turpentine interests. Mr. Phifer is interested in the manufacture of naval stores at Grove Park with S. F. Watts.

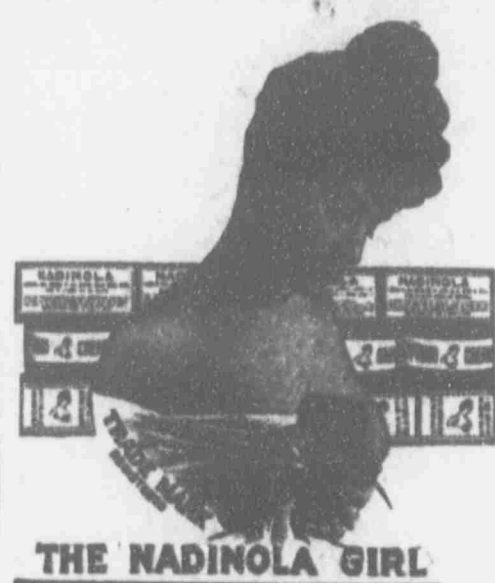
By communicating with W. R. Thomas, persons wishing work done in the carpenter line or jobs taken by contract, can be put in touch with the undersigned, who would be pleased to meet them. William J. Ward.

OTHER NEWS ITEMS ON PAGE 2

D. A. Miller, a progressive citizen of Micanopy, is in the city, having been summoned here on jury duty before the circuit court.

New No. 7 Fay-Sholes typewriter for sale. Long carriage—just the machine for law office. Cash or installment. Call at Sun office.

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THE NADINOLA GIRL

Friends will regret to learn of the indisposition of Perry M. Colson at his home, Alachua avenue.

Attorney William Hoeker of Ocala has returned to his home, after a brief professional visit to this city.

Turpentine leases for sale at this office, 50c per dozen, \$3 per hundred. Cash must accompany order. dawtf

W. G. Tilghman of Palatka, member of the firm of N. J. Tilghman & Sons, was a visitor to Gainesville yesterday.

W. T. Williams, formerly of this city but for the past two years residing in Jacksonville, is spending a few days here.

Sam Leigh of Jacksonville, who has been making his headquarters in this city for the past two weeks, has returned to his home.

Captain J. A. Bryan of Tampa, representing the Cable Company in that section, left Monday for Live Oak, after a pleasant visit to his friend, B. H. Chase, in this city.

READ THIS.

Mobile, Ala., Feb. 16, 1899.
Dr. E. W. Hall, St. Louis, Mo.—Dear Sir: During the past year we have sold over twenty-four dozen "Hall's Great Discovery" for kidney and bladder troubles and during that time have received no complaint.
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Stock your pantry and household at Woman's Guild Bazaar.

Miss Martha Perry of Rochelle was shopping in the city yesterday.

Wanted—\$3,000 for a client. Security \$3,000 city and county real estate. Time 3 years. J. A. Carlisle.

Your Christmas fruit cakes baked every Saturday. Price 25 cents a cake. Phone Keystone Bakery. 8t

T. O. Rouse, formerly of this city but now residing in Jacksonville, was greeting old friends here yesterday.

The Gainesville Planing and Coffin Company, which had a fine exhibit of caskets and coffins of its own manufacture at the State Fair, was awarded a diploma and a blue ribbon for the excellence of work.

Hons John G. Dampier of Hague, F. F. Paulling of Hawthorn and J. F. Townsend of Rex, efficient members of the Board of County Commissioners, are in the city attending the regular monthly meeting of the board.

Miss Louise Harris, the accomplished daughter of Hon. Frank Harris of Ocala, is spending a few days delightfully here with her friend, Miss Christine Richards. Miss Harris is a favorite among the young society people of the Brick City.

The Helping Hands Society of the Presbyterian church will hold a meeting at the home of the president, Mrs. H. C. Denton, 309 East Main street N., at 8 o'clock this afternoon. A full attendance is required. All members are requested to bring their Bibles with them.

On account of the Confederate Veterans' reunion at Jacksonville, the the Seaboard Air Line will sell tickets Gainesville to Jacksonville and return for only \$1.70. Tickets on sale on the 12th and morning of the 13th inst., good returning to and including the 15th. See Mr. Cobb.

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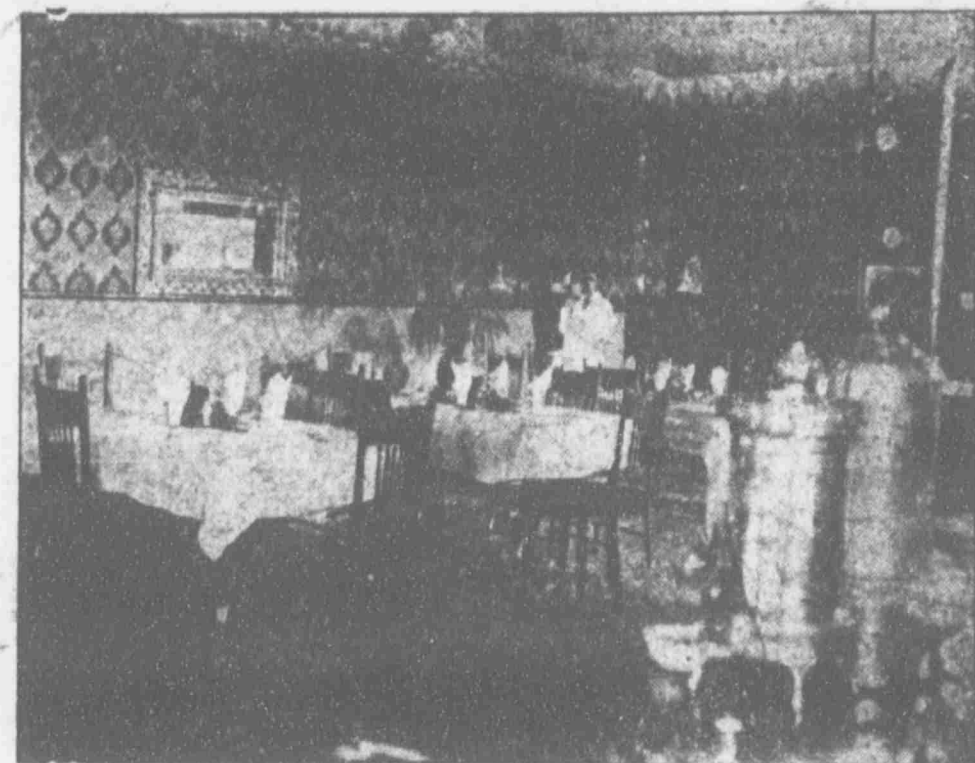
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