

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" in The Sun.

From Friday's Daily Sun. W. A. McGriff of Micanopy was in the city yesterday.

W. S. Jackson of Lake View was trading in the city yesterday.

Mrs. T. J. Cane and children of Raleigh were in the city yesterday.

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Constable J. D. Siford of Newberry was in the city on official business yesterday.

H. L. Montgomery and A. U. Hilleary were in the city from Micanopy yesterday.

J. W. English, a prominent trucker of Tacoma, was transacting business in Gainesville yesterday.

John G. Daupier, chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, was in the city from Hague yesterday.

Lowell Smith of Melrose was in the city yesterday. Mr. Smith is one of the "boss" melon growers of this section.

Mrs. J. F. Bunch returned yesterday from Fort White, where she has been on a visit to her parents, Captain and Mrs. T. W. Getzen.

J. L. Shaw of Graham was in the city yesterday. Mr. Shaw brought a quantity of new syrup, which sold readily on the market at good prices.

H. D. Phillips of Meredith, senior member of the firm of Phillips & McEachern, manufacturers of lumber, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Mrs. F. H. Clyatt and Garrett V. Chamberlin of Tacoma were among those who favored Gainesville with a visit yesterday. They spent the day with friends.

Mrs. W. M. Gardner of Columbus, Miss., is on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Helen T. Chesnut. She was formerly a resident here, and old friends are delighted to welcome her again.

S. L. Turner of Lake View, one of the most successful farmers in Florida, was in the city trading yesterday. Mr. Turner states that his section was visited Wednesday by a good rain.

J. R. Fowler has returned from a business trip to Greenville, Madison county, where he has secured a large tract of timber and expects to erect a large and modern sawmill, with a capacity of about 100,000 feet per day.

David Edelstein, formerly of this city but now of New York, is here for the holidays on a visit to relatives. Mr. Edelstein is representing Sternberg, Presner & Co., manufacturers of ladies' skirts.

Fletcher Burnett, who has been engaged in the insurance business in Chicago for the past several months, is at home for the holidays, much to the delight of his parents and relatives, as well his host of friends.

Friends of Perry M. Colson, who has been quite ill for the past few weeks, will be glad to learn that his condition is greatly improved, as he is now enabled to sit up. It is hoped that Mr. Colson will be enabled to greet his friends on the street in a few days.

Martha L. Fleming, daughter of Rev. H. M. Fleming, colored, was married on Wednesday to Henry Risor. The ceremony was performed at East Newport Baptist church, Dayville, Rev. H. J. Hill of Friendship Baptist church officiating. A reception was held at the Fleming home after the wedding.

Among the visitors to this city is J. W. Rainear of Rutherford, N. J., who is here for a few weeks. Mr. Rainear is an old visitor here, having first come to Gainesville about twenty years ago, when the city was but little more than a village. Among the older settlers he has many friends, all of whom will be glad to note his return.

Louis E. Robinson, brother of Hon. W. G. Robinson, lately deceased, and administrator of the estate, left yesterday for his home in Providence, R. I., where he will spend the holidays. This estate is so extensive that it will require some time to close it, and Mr. Robinson will return immediately after the new year. It has been said that the estate will aggregate nearly a quarter million dollars.

From Saturday's Daily Sun.

J. A. Parrish of Hague was a business visitor to Gainesville yesterday.

Albert and M. J. Simmons of Fairbanks were trading in the city yesterday.

C. O. Strickland and Frank Cellon of Hague were trading in the city yesterday.

J. J. Haymans of Lochloosa was in the city yesterday looking after his real estate interests.

W. H. Bennett, a well known farmer of the Fairbanks section, was trading in the city yesterday.

R. Lancaster of Bell was in the city yesterday on business connected with the United States land office.

James Ramsey, the bright young son of Hon. Perry G. Ramsey of Wacahoota, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. W. McCollum has returned from Newberry, where she has been on a pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. Thomas Kincaid.

Mrs. W. C. Jackson and sister, Miss Ida Redding, have gone to their former home, Greenville, where they will spend the holidays.

Five first-class mules for sale. Medium size. Suitable for logging or farm work. Call on or address J. J. Barr, Micanopy, Fla.

A. H. Emerson of Kirkwood, one of the best known and most prominent citizens of that section, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

I have some very fine Rhode Island Red Cockerels for sale; good strain, large, vigorous stock. Price from \$1 to \$2. W. A. Jones, Micanopy, Fla. Box 59.

S. L. Crews and son, Reber, were in the city from Montecoha yesterday. Mr. Crews reports a good rain Thursday, which was a great benefit to the farmers of his section.

Rev. W. J. Martin of Lottierville, one of the efficient members of the school board, is in the city on business. He is one of the most widely known residents of the West End.

George Cauthern of LaCrosse, a well known and successful farmer, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Cauthern brought a quantity of fine eggs, which were disposed of at good prices.

Elmer W. McCreary has arrived in the city from Bedford City, Va., where he has been attending college. He will spend the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McCreary.

D. R. McElvin of Albion, one of the most widely known residents of that section, was transacting business in this city yesterday. He was en route to Georgia, where he will visit relatives through the holidays.

Miss Alma Fennell, who is attending the Wesleyan Female College in Macon, Ga., is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Fennell. Her friends here are delighted to welcome her again.

J. H. Blackwell, manager of the Chase naval stores interests at Fairbanks, was in the city on business yesterday. Mr. Blackwell succeeded D. E. Godwin as manager of the Chase interests at Fairbanks.

T. M. Roebuck, O. A. Wood, G. V. Smith and Chas. Ellis, who are employed on the surveyor's corps of the Gainesville and Gulf railroad, are at home for the holidays. They report fine progress being made on the survey.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. George Forman sympathize with them in the loss of their infant son, which occurred Thursday. The funeral was held from the residence at 11 o'clock Friday morning. Rev. T. W. P. Hay of the First Presbyterian Church officiating.

Mrs. Laura Sparkman of Fort White and Mrs. Brawley of Birmingham, Ala., who have been here for the past three or four days on a visit to relatives and friends, have returned to Fort White. The ladies were well pleased with Gainesville and the new friends they met here.

Attorney George Seefeld, who is also a notary public, went yesterday to Arredondo, where last night he performed a marriage ceremony, making J. A. Chandler and Miss Nettie Roberts man and wife. Attorney Seefeld did the "job" in his usual clever manner, and at the conclusion congratulated the young people in his affable way.

J. E. Ivers of Jacksonville, who recently arrived in the city to make this his future home, is well pleased. Mr. Ivers has started the foundation for an elegant new home on East Main street N., which will be occupied in about two months. It will be a modern building in every way, and one which will be a credit to that community.

From Sunday's Daily Sun:

R. L. Reese of Kirkwood was trading in the city yesterday.

George Gleason of Rocky Point was trading in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Little Sanders of Alachua was shopping in the city yesterday.

W. R. Polk and W. J. Crosby of Lottierville were in the city Friday.

Cuba—If you wish to visit Cuba in January write J. O. Andrews, Gainesville, Fla.

Mrs. M. R. Colson has returned from Trenton, where she has been on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. J. M. Blanding of Charleston, S. C., is in the city on a visit to Mrs. Geo. I. Doig.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Diffin of Asheville, N. Y., are in the city on a visit to relatives.

W. F. Beckham and son, R. F. Beckham, of Campville, were trading in the city yesterday.

Wm. Adams of Windsor, more familiarly known as "Doc," was in the city trading yesterday.

J. S. Crown and children of Rocky Point were among those who paid Gainesville a visit yesterday.

Miss Gertrude McEwin of Lochloosa is in the city, a guest of relatives, Misses Annie and Gladys Taylor.

Miss Lena Baird, a student of the Florida Female College at Tallahassee, is at home for the holiday vacation.

Miss Marion Futch, who is attending Wesleyan Female College at Macon, Ga., is at home for the holiday vacation.

A. H. Chappell of Fairbanks was in the city yesterday on business connected with Tax Collector Dickinson's office.

W. D. English and sisters, Misses Hattie and Martha, of Kirkwood, were among those who visited this city yesterday.

Misses Pearl Colson and Ernestine Fagan, who have been at school in Lexington, Ky., are at home for the holidays.

For Sale—Nice White Leghorn Cockerels; nine months old; Wilbur's Gem strain. Price \$1.50 each. K. V. Merry, Micanopy, Fla.

Miss Lela Eddins, who is attending the Mary Baldwin Seminary at Staunton, Va., is spending the holidays with her parents in this city.

J. Porter Collins, who has been stationed at Rural, Fla., sometime, where he was engaged in railroad work, has returned to Gainesville.

Hon. R. B. Weeks of Hawthorn, chairman of the school board, was in the city yesterday in attendance at the special meeting of the board.

Mrs. B. M. Padgett of Waterboro, S. C., has arrived in the city, and will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. B. Padgett, for the next few weeks.

Marriage licenses were yesterday issued by Judge Mason as follows: P. D. Goodyear and Annie Layton, P. F. McCook and F. Ads Banks, white.

S. W. Suggs, a progressive farmer of the Alachua section, was a visitor to this city yesterday, having come to settle his taxes and do some trading.

Mrs. J. W. Walker, accompanied by her son, Walter, and daughter, Miss Bessie, are in the city on a visit to Mrs. Walker's brother, J. R. Fowler.

Hon. and Mrs. T. A. Duke of Montecoha are in the city. Mr. Duke came to attend a special meeting of the school board, while his good wife is visiting friends.

Mrs. Ruth D. Robinson and Mrs. L. Henderson of Barksdale, S. C., are in the city on a visit to their niece, Mrs. Tom F. McBeth, and other relatives. They expect to be here for some time.

Don't forget the grand barbecue and banquet in Gainesville next Friday, December 28. Everybody is cordially invited to partake of the hospitality of the people of Gainesville on that day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hague and their clever little daughter, Miss Fannie Dell, were in the city from Hague yesterday. Mr. Hague has just finished grinding case, and made several barrels of fine syrup.

Miss Frasier, a school teacher who has charge of the Antioch school, has returned to her home, after a brief but pleasant visit to friends here. Miss Frasier has one of the best small schools in the county.

C. A. Berry, formerly of LaCrosse but now residing in Tampa, where he is engaged in the mercantile business, passed through the city Friday en route to his old home, where he will visit relatives and friends during the holidays.

J. H. Rodger of Newberry and J. M. Brown of Trenton were in the city Friday.

day. Mr. Brown made The Sun an appreciated call. He has just purchased 3,000 acres of timber land, and will engage in the cross-tie contracting business.

Ladies' calling cards in latest styles at Sun office.

Prof. F. H. Rolfs of the experiment station, University of Florida, is in the city.

Tax Assessor W. W. Colson has returned from a combined business and pleasure trip to Trenton, his old home.

Mr. and Mrs. Giles Fowler and daughter, Miss Anna, are in the city from Jacksonville on a visit to the former's son, J. R. Fowler.

A. U. Hilleary of Micanopy, manager of the famous Fontaine grove, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Hilleary reports a large crop of citrus fruit, which brought good prices. He is well pleased with the results of the crop for the season.

Our cold storage rooms at Gainesville and Alachua are now open for business. We have just completed two new rooms at Gainesville and are prepared to take care of all the meat that comes. The Diamond Ice Co., R. B. Livingston, Manager.

T. Curry Merchant, who is attending the Davidson College, Davidson, N. C., is at home for the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Merchant. Curry is making a fine reputation at Davidson, which is one of the best schools in the South, and his friends are glad of his success.

Miss Hattie Roebuck has arrived in the city, and will be here for the next few days on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Roebuck. Miss Roebuck is engaged in teaching school at Macclenny, Baker county, where she has made herself very popular with the pupils and patrons. She is a teacher of ability, and those who know her are her strongest admirers.

Let us once again make the old—probably an unnecessary—appeal to those who feast on Christmas day to remember others who, but for timely charity, must fast while they feast. We shall dine more comfortably possessing in thought those sacred words, and believing in their implied promise—"Inasmuch as ye have done to the least of these ye have done it unto me."

W. M. Blitch of Santa Fe was in the city Friday. He was accompanied by his little grandson, Joe Rivers, who has been on a visit to his home. Mr. Blitch brought a quantity of pork and sausage, which was disposed of readily at a good price. He killed ten hogs on Thursday, which was the first cool weather of the season. Mr. Blitch is one of the progressive kind of farmers who live at home, and his smoke-house and crib are always well filled.

Special Forest Reserve Agent Mell has been in the city for the past few days checking up the forest reserves which were granted a few months ago. These reserves are intended to show the benefit of the reservation of the forests, a number of which are being burned and destroyed. The National government is determined to protect them, and has made a reserve in each State throughout the Union where public lands are held.

W. J. Ward, wife and little daughter, Miss Ethel, have arrived in the city from New Haven, Conn., and will spend the winter here. Mr. Ward was here last season, being employed by C. W. Chase. He is a clever fellow, and will no doubt enjoy a fine trade in his line this year. At home he has a fine business established as a carpenter and builder. Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ward are glad to welcome them again, and trust that they will be pleased with their sojourn here.

FRANK CLARK HOME. Is Here For the Holidays—An Honor Which Will Be Accepted.

Hon. Frank Clark, Congressman from the Second District, has arrived in the city, having come to spend the holidays with his family.

Col. Clark, who is recognized as one of the powers of the Lower House of the national government, states that matters in the national government are moving along nicely, and that he hopes to accomplish a great deal of good for the people of his district in matters that interest them.

Col. Clark has accepted an invitation to address the Newton Club of Boston, a club of political importance, on January 26. Annually the club invites two Republicans and two Democrats to make addresses, and the next program includes Congressman Clark. This invitation is quite an honor, and Col. Clark naturally appreciates the same.

Advertisement for Thomas' Tablets. Features a large '\$5' price tag and the text 'Buys a 0 A MAN' and 'TIL in 10 different'. Includes the name 'THE S THOMAS'.

DEATH OF MR. Frederick Anselby. Passed Away After Illness of Several Weeks' Duration. Frederick Anselby died Saturday morning, after several weeks of a complaint. Deceased was a native of Ontario, Canada, and was hence seventy-eight years of age. He has been for many years in the United States, having resided in Virginia for a long time. He came to this city in September of the present year, being in possession of a large tract of land. Deceased is survived by his wife, Mrs. Kate A. Taylor, and Mrs. T. S. Canfield, his line, and two sons, F. W. Jenerat, La., and Geo. S. Washington, D. C. Messrs. Canfield and Canfield were with him at the time of his death. The funeral will be held at 10 o'clock from Holy Trinity Church. Rev. F. H. Craighill officiating. Funeral arrangements are in charge of Dr. T. F. Thomas, and the pallbearers will be as follows: E. O. H. B. Arnold, Dr. J. H. Alderman, B. Saunders, C. A. Colclough and H. H. Hails. Friends of the relatives of the deceased extend sympathy.

DR. SMITH IN TROUBLE. Warrant for His Arrest on Charge of Misappropriating Property. Dr. J. Harvey Smith, the physician, is in trouble. Dr. Smith appears contracted to buy a horse from John Zetroner of Roehelle, agreeing to pay so much at regular intervals until the animal was paid for. But, judging from the allegations of the warrant which was issued for him, Dr. Smith did not fulfill his obligations, and went far enough not only to refuse making his payments, but he sold the horse to another party, receiving the money therefor. The Doctor has evidently got himself into a serious complication, but may be enabled to work out of it in some way.

Advertisement for 'Ruggles, Surtees and Harrows'. Includes an illustration of a horse-drawn carriage and text describing the products and prices.