

FLORIDA NEWS.

county will have a very large crop in vegetables this coming fall season.

changes have been made in the police department of St. Augustine. The changes stirred things up in the department of the city government it was entirely unexpected.

Bozeman, book-keeper for the enormous Lumber Company of Florida, deliberately fired two bullets into the right temple, from which he died about two hours. Bozeman was sitting in a rocking chair in the office of the company and deliberately committed the terrible deed.

Finance committee of the recent-organized Tampa Publicity Club made its first call on the business men of that city Wednesday for funds to carry out the contemplated Tampa publicity campaign and was decidedly successful in securing memberships and pledges for definite amounts for the initial year's advertising campaign.

and county officials in Tampa are on the lookout for Ricardo Roman, superintendent of the supply department of the postoffice at Havana who has disappeared from that city with an alleged shortage in his pockets of \$400,000. The Cuban authorities have notified the officials at Tampa to keep a sharp watch for Roman, who is supposed to have fled for the United States.

George C. Scudamore, ex-cashier of the Bank of Florida and Trust Company who is charged with having embezzled \$45,000 of the bank's money and was afterward declared insane and sent to the State asylum, is reported to be declared there as sane and sane, and signing, has been declared sane and incurably insane by the superintendent of the Illinois Insane Hospital. A letter received at Pensacola from friends of the former banker that he has been an inmate of the hospital for five weeks, and that the superintendent has pronounced him as hopeless.

Daval Distilling Company is the name of another new enterprise for Gainesville, with a capital stock of \$100,000. The general nature of the business to be transacted by this corporation will be to carry on the general business of distilling and manufacturing the manufacture, distilling, redistilling of alcohol, wines, and liquors of all kinds, and the manufacture of malt liquors and the dealing in and sale thereof. To buy, own, handle

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HOUSEKEEPER'S PRIDE
 Millions of bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar have been sold without any person ever having experienced any other than beneficial results from its use for coughs, colds and lung trouble. This is because the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package contains no opiates or other harmful drugs. Guard your health by refusing any but the genuine. J. W. McCollum & Co.

IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Don't Mistake the Cause of Your Troubles—A Gainesville Citizen Shows How to Cure Them.

Many people in Gainesville never suspect their kidneys. If suffering from a lame, weak or aching back they think that it is only a muscular weakness; when urinary trouble sets in they think it will soon correct itself. And so it is with all other symptoms of kidney disorders. That is just where the danger lies. You must cure these troubles or they may lead to diabetes or Bright's disease. The best remedy to use is Doan's Kidney Pills. It cures all ills which are caused by weak or diseased kidneys. Gainesville people testify to permanent cures.

C. L. Kite, living at 804 E. Seminary street, Gainesville, Fla., says: "I think that a strain was the cause of kidney trouble in my case. I suffered from a dull, dragging pain in my back and this was always aggravated if I did any lifting or stooping. Although I had little faith in advertised medicines, I decided to give Doan's Kidney Pills a trial. I procured them at J. S. Bodiford & Co's, and am now very glad that I did so, for a short use entirely eradicated all signs of kidney disorder from my system."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

and sell live stock, grain, meal and provisions; to buy, lease, own, mortgage, sell and convey all kinds of property and to erect distilleries, machinery, warehouses and other buildings on its real estate. To establish agencies and branches of the business in the State of Florida and elsewhere as needed; to buy, own, handle and sell the stock, bonds, notes and other evidences of indebtedness of other corporations and of individuals, and to have and exercise such other powers as may be necessary or convenient to the several businesses above specified, under the laws of Florida.

AERONAUT DASHED TO DEATH.

Fell 500 Feet in View of Thousands of Horrified Spectators.

Waterville, Me., Sept. 4.—In full view of 25,000 horrified spectators, assembled on the Central Maine fair grounds here Wednesday, Charles Oliver Jones, of Hammondsport, N. Y. aeronaut, fell a distance of 500 feet to his death. Among the witnesses of the frightful plunge were Mrs. Jones and child, and they were almost the first to reach the side of the dying man. Jones died an hour and a half after the accident.

The aeronaut made an ascension from the fair grounds on Wednesday afternoon, and when up about 500 feet the gas bag of the balloon in some way caught fire. When Jones discovered the fire he pulled the cord and endeavored to reach the earth, but he had hardly begun to descend when a burst of flames enveloped the gas bag and the aeronaut and the frame work of the balloon fell to the ground with terrific force.

Jones' spine was broken and he also sustained internal injuries which resulted in his death shortly afterward.

It is thought that the bag leaked and that a spark from the motor ignited the escaping gas and caused the disaster.

To Be Happy

You must have good health. You can't have good health if your liver is not doing its duty—slow but sure poisoning is going on all the time under such circumstances. Ballard's Herbina makes a perfectly healthy liver—keeps the stomach and bowels right and acts as a tonic for the entire system. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Railroad Granted Injunction.

St. Paul, Sept. 4.—Judge Van Deventer in the United States circuit court has granted the injunction requested by the St. Louis, Iron Mountain and Southern and the other railroads operating in Arkansas, against the Arkansas State Railway commission. The injunction restrains the commission from enforcing the new 2-cent fare law and from interfering with the railroads in raising their freight rates on intra-state traffic.

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GEORGIA LEGISLATURE.

"Skiddeo" Bill Sent to the House for Consideration.

Atlanta, Sept. 5.—One of the developments of the Thursday morning session of the legislature was the passage in the house of the bill by Mr. Persons of Monroe, which inaugurates the convict parole system in Georgia. This was adopted by a vote of 133 to nothing.

The house also adopted, by a vote of 110 to 32, the resolution of Mr. Alexander, of DeKalb, providing for the appointment of a commission to investigate the feasibility and advisability of employing the state's convicts upon an extension of the Western and Atlantic railroad to the sea.

Substitute Passed by Senate.

At the morning session of the senate the "Skiddeo bill," as amended, was offered as a substitute to the Holder bill of the house, and passed by that body by a vote of 32 to 9. Upon motion of Senator Felder, it was transmitted immediately to the house of representatives. The senate held a session in the afternoon, but not a single thing was done.

The resolution passed by the house to appoint a committee to look into the feasibility of extending the Western and Atlantic railroad was read. A recess was taken, and after being called to order after thirty minutes' rest, another recess was taken. After being called to order a third time, on motion of Senator Dobbs the senate adjourned until Friday morning.

The Western and Atlantic railroad committee of the senate held a meeting and decided to recommend that the resolution passed by the house should be passed by the senate.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Blind Tigers Fined \$1,500.

Montgomery, Ala., Sept. 5.—In the county court house at Andalusia the past week over fifteen hundred dollars were assessed in fines and costs for blind tigers. The judge and the solicitor were joined by the best citizens of the county as jurors, and it was made plain that the new prohibition laws must be enforced. When a man fought his case and was convicted, the fine was \$200 to \$300, with costs; if a plea of guilty, with promise to stop, was entered, the amount was put at \$150.

Two Bitten by Mad Dog.

Bowman, Ga., Sept. 5.—A little girl of R. L. Gray was bitten on the arms and body by a supposed mad dog. After biting the child the dog went to the home of B. F. Ray, biting his wife on the arm and killed a cat and a dog. The dog was finally killed. His head was taken off and sent to the Pasteur institute, Atlanta. Mrs. Ray and the child were taken there also.

A Burglar in Town.

His name is "bad cough." He doesn't care for gold or silver but he will steal your health away. If he appears in your house arrest him at once with Ballard's Horehound Syrup—it may mean consumption if you don't. A cure for all coughs, colds and chest troubles. Price 25c, 50c and \$1 per bottle. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Alachua County Abstract Co

(Incorporated)
 Perry M. Colson, Pres.; J. W. Harding, Vice Pres.; R. H. Colson, Sec. Treas.
 GAINESVILLE, FLA.

We do an exclusive Abstract business, with facilities for imparting full information concerning the Title on any and all lands in Alachua county. All business transacted promptly.

T. F. THOMAS UNDERTAKING CO.

FULL LINE OF NEW GOODS....

AGENTS FOR MONUMENTS, TOMBS, COINS and IRON FENCES.

Personal attention to all matters in this line. Mail and telephone orders promptly attended to.

Gainesville, Florida.

S.S.S. CURES MALARIA

Malaria is due to impurities in the blood which destroy the rich, healthful qualities of the circulation, and reduce it to a weak, watery fluid. The body is then deprived of its necessary nourishment and strength, and is unable to resist the countless disorders that assail it, and the general system suffers in consequence. The appetite fails, digestion is weakened, chills and slight fever are frequent, while the sufferer loses energy and ambition. Boils, skin eruptions, and some times sores and ulcers follow when the blood becomes deeply polluted with the malarial germs. Both a tonic and blood purifier are needed to cure Malaria, and S. S. S. is best fitted for this work. It is the most perfect of all blood purifiers and at the same time an invigorating, healthful tonic. S. S. S. goes down into the circulation, and removes every trace of impurity or poison, and gives to the blood the health-sustaining qualities it needs. It cures Malaria thoroughly and permanently because it removes from the blood the germs and poisons which produce the disease, and while doing this tones up and strengthens every part of the system. Book with information about Malaria and any medical advice furnished free to all who write.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

G. S. Merchant & Co.
 Retailers and Jobbers in
Staple and Fancy Groceries
 Grain, Garden Seed and Fertilizers
 SOUTH SIDE SQUARE — GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA.
 Highest market price paid for Chickens, Eggs and other Produce.
 A Complete stock of Hay, Corn, Oats, Flour, Bran, Meal, Cotton Seed Meal and Rye. We handle only the Very Best goods at Lowest Prices, and guarantee satisfaction always.

JACKSONVILLE BROKERAGE COMPANY
 (INCORPORATED)
STOCKS, BONDS, GRAIN, ETC.
 Rooms 11-15 Baldwin Building, Jacksonville, Fla.
 We buy and sell Local Securities of All Kinds. Correspondence invited.

ESTHER S. JORDAN. W. W. HAMPTON.
JORDAN & COMPANY
INSURANCE
 PORTER BLOCK GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA
Fire, Life and Accident In the oldest and best companies

EVERY NON-PROGRESSIVE MERCHANT BECOMES Your Competitor

When You Cease to Advertise Aggressively

WHEN a merchant "slows up" in his advertising, and concludes to "save a little money" in that direction, then the merchant who never had the courage and foresight to advertise adequately **BECOMES A REAL COMPETITOR.** Even the merchant who never advertises at all reaps a certain amount of profit from the "slowing up" process of the live store.

Not many merchants, of course, who have at any time set the pace for progressive advertising, will be content to take a backward plunge into the company of the non-progressives, of the **LITTLE MERCHANTS**, the easily satisfied ones, the un-awakes! But that is just what the "live one" does when he imagines that his advertising is costing too much, and that its curtailment means "saving."

If business conditions ever suggest retrenchment in advertising, the wise merchant knows that this should be interpreted as a signal for "full speed ahead," for redoubled efforts to **WIN** the business that does not come so easily as usual.