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Atlanta is to have a tissue paper ball Thursday night. Rather thin for present modes.

Thieves entered the home of a Tampa couple and appropriated everything in the house except the lady's bathing suit. Kind, considering the season.

The first primary for nominating city officers in Jacksonville will occur today. There are three candidates for mayor—Geo. T. Christie, W. S. Jordan and the present incumbent, W. H. Sebring

Mrs. Boyle, who was mixed up in the kidnapping of "Billy" Whitla, says she would rather commit suicide than spend a term in the penitentiary. Looks like it's up to her to take the Dutch route.

Polk county's new court house has been completed and accepted by the commissioners. The current issue of The Bartow Courier-Informant contains a photograph of the handsome new structure.

Every kind word and feeling, every good deed and thought means a blessing for some one. Like the dove with the olive branch it speaks hope and cheer that is much needed by many a troubled soul.

If the report that Castro buried treasure at Caracas before leaving for Europe finds general credence we may expect to learn of the ground at Caracas being honeycombed with holes by treasure hunters.

Editor Williamson don't like the idea of the Legislature providing for an electric chair at Jacksonville. He says: "Yes, it's going just a little too far when our admirers contend that even the legal executions should bear the legend 'Made in Jacksonville!'"

The Lake City Index says the "wet" or "dry" election in Columbia county last week was a farce and the matter will go into the courts and another election be called. The Index states that negroes were run away from the polls and told that if they insisted on voting they would be killed. The county went dry by a majority of 65 votes.

An old poet speaks of a man who "seemed busier than he was." We all know just that kind of a man—the man who is too busy to do any business, who promises to do all manner of things and then spends all his time running round to explain why he cannot do them. Such a man thinks he is the busiest man in town when in reality he accomplishes nothing or next to nothing.

The Board of Public Instruction of Volusia county has adopted a resolution providing that no person shall be eligible to a position in the schools of the county employing four or more teachers who has not had at least sixteen months' successful experience as a teacher in the public schools or eight months' experience in teaching and eight months of normal training in a creditable normal school. The intention of this resolution is to maintain the present high standing for teachers in the Volusia county high schools.

THE PRESIDENT'S POLICIES.

The first and one of the most clearly enunciated policies of President Taft is being put to a severe test and many there are, even among Mr. Taft's admirers, who seriously doubt if it will stand the strain. Almost immediately after his inauguration President Taft announced that it would be his policy to delegate all proper authority in their respective departments to the members of his cabinet. He said he would hold Cabinet officers responsible for results, that he would give them abundant latitude in the selection of their subordinates and the choice of their methods and would concern himself only with ultimate results.

Hardly had the ink grown dry on the printed editorials commending this policy when Secretary Nagle of the Department of Commerce and Labor laid before the President certain facts clearly indicating a deplorable state of affairs in the Census Bureau. S. N. D. North, the Director of the Census, has been clearly insubordinate, and while Mr. Nagle made no formal demand for Mr. North's dismissal, he submitted to the President an array of facts which demonstrated beyond question that the Secretary should be relieved of the services of Mr. North as the head of a bureau of his department.

Had President Taft acted immediately upon the conclusions he drew from the facts submitted there is no question that Mr. North would have been dropped from the Government rolls. But while Mr. North had been insubordinate to his superior he had never missed an opportunity to cultivate influence with members of Congress and many of these beholden to the director for favors in the line of patronage rushed to the White House to intercede in behalf of their protege.

Those familiar with the facts are awaiting with keenest interest the outcome, says our Washington correspondent, to see if the President will live up to his clearly enunciated and praiseworthy policy and relieve Secretary Nagle of the presence of a subordinate whose continuance in office must hamper him in the attainment of those results which the Executive expects, or will he yield to the insistence of the politicians and require his Secretary of Commerce and Labor to "get along with North as best he can." That is the question which thousands of people in Washington are asking and the answer to which will have a powerful effect for good or ill on Mr. Taft's entire administration.

THE BOARD OF PARDONS.

At a meeting of the State Board of Pardons in Tallahassee on May 6th applications for pardons in twelve cases were made, and with one exception all were refused, or laid over for future action.

In the case of Otis D. Smith, the white man sentenced to hang for the murder of his sister, in Duval, the board made an order requesting the Governor to grant a reprieve to the applicant in order that the board might give proper consideration and investigation to new evidence submitted.

Hon. John P. Wall presented the application of Joe Turnipseed for pardon from a conviction for forgery and sentenced of four years' imprisonment by the circuit court for Alachua county at the fall term, 1907, and after due consideration it was ordered that the application be denied.

Col. H. K. Oliphant presented the application of John Sylvester Waters for pardon from a conviction of larceny and sentence of one year by the circuit court for Polk county at the fall term, 1908. This application being indorsed by Circuit Judge Wall and State Attorney Phillips, who tried the case, and there being strong evidence that the applicant was a person of very weak mind, which was clearly indicated by the facts adduced in evidence, it was ordered that a conditional pardon be granted to this applicant.

The board adjourned until Thursday, June 3, 1909.

Cheaper school books is again on tap at Tallahassee, and The Times trusts that this time the lobby will meet its Waterloo.—Apalachicola Times.

Cheaper books can be had by passing the McCreary bill, and that's what we are after.—Lake City Index.

Sun "Want" ads. bring results.

WITH FLORIDA PARAGRAPHERS.

We see an advertisement of "dry gin" in a New York paper. That's the stuff to fit the times.—Times-Union.

A legislative session under the constitution is sixty days. We thank the Lord for the constitution.—Jacksonville Floridian.

Mr. Bryan forgot something in his letter to the Florida Legislature. He didn't say anything about his intentions for 1912.—Tampa Tribune.

The Rochester Herald insults the ladies, and, in their behalf, we demand an immediate, full and complete apology. It says, "Those peach basket hats don't hold much either."—Times-Union.

We have got to take the world as we find it and not as we think it ought to be. The ideal world may and should be in our mind, but it is there that by wholesome example and loving services we may help, however little, the world to reach the ideal condition.

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