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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1901.

The Jeffries-Ruhlin mill in San Francisco last Friday night resulted in an easy victory for champion Jeffries, who knocked out his man in the fifth round.

The Gainesville Sun speaks a parable when it says that "it is not the quantity or quality of the paper, but what is used for painting it black, that counts in journalistic ventures in this era of common sense and progress."

If C. P. Setzer makes his new paper at High Springs as hot as its name—The Hornet—implies, it will surely be a "warm member." Bro. Setzer had better be careful, however, lest some one should forcibly remove the sting.

Brooks county over in Georgia captured the first prize for the best county exhibit at the State Fair held in Savannah. Brooks county adjoins Madison and what was done there could have been done here if our people had only been awake to the opportunity.

Pensacola, it is said, has the deepest harbor south of Newport News. The largest battleships cross its bar in safety. Besides this Pensacola one of the liveliest, most up-to-date cities to be found in the entire South and is bound to attain that growth and distinction which its advantages warrant.

The announcement of Senator Call that he would be a candidate for the United States Senate to succeed Mallory seems not to have aroused much enthusiasm yet, but there is no telling what may happen. The ex-Senator's friends are numbered by the hundreds and when the time comes he will make a show.

The prohibition people of Alachua county being unsuccessful in the court are now preparing to appeal to the people of the county to drive the rum shops from that section. Petitions calling for a "wet or dry" election are being circulated and are being signed rapidly by the voters.

The contract for the repair and improvement of the capitol at Tallahassee has been awarded to J. E. Parish, of Lynchburg, Va., for the sum of \$65,793. This amount ought to suffice to give the State an elegant and thoroughly up-to-date capitol and forever bar further efforts for its removal to another city than Tallahassee.

A newspaper whose columns overflow with ads. of business men, has more influence in attracting to, and building up a city or town, than any other agency that can be employed. People go where there is business. Capital and labor will locate where there is an enterprising community. No power on earth is so strong to build up a town as a newspaper well patronized, and its power should be appreciated.—Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage.

A LAST WORD.

Before another issue of this paper shall make its appearance the Carnival and Street Fair will be in full swing, and we take this opportunity to impress upon the citizens of Madison the necessity of concerted effort toward making the occasion a grand success.

We have as a community held out to the world an invitation to visit our town during the three days of the Fair and we have promised all who come to see us a season of pleasant enjoyment. We must make good our promise. We must each strive to add to the pleasure of our guests in every way which thought may present so that when the gaiety is over our friends may say that the Fair and our people have fulfilled every promise made.

The members of the committee in charge have labored zealously and diligently to make the occasion a grand success, and the people should enter into a hearty co-operation with them and aid in the carrying out of the plans which they have made. The town should present a gala appearance. The merchants and business men should wear smiling faces and everything necessary should be done to impress upon our visitors the fact that our town is enterprising and progressive and that our people are always ready to extend a hospitable welcome to our guests.

Spread your banners and bunting to the breezes, and let your deeds and words speak a cordial welcome to all who come. Decorate your stores and residences so that all may see that our people have left nothing undone for the pleasure of the visitor within our gates.

TOO MANY JEALOUSIES.

It appears to us that Florida cities do not entertain that kindly feeling and cordial relation towards each other which should animate the sisters of a commonwealth.

There are too many existing jealousies and heart burnings to allow that friendly feeling of one for the other that for the sake of harmony ought to prevail. If we as individual cities, are too much occupied with our own advancement to devote time in building each other up, we ought at least not to say anything to tear down. Tampa and Key West are at daggers point so to speak, and it appears that one city cannot say too many vile things about the other. Which one of these two is at fault, it would be impertinent in us to declare, but it is evident that their present hostile attitude towards each other can do nothing but injury to themselves at home or abroad.—Pensacola Press.

BRYAN SCORES DURBIN.

Hon. Wm. J. Bryan, in the last issue of his paper, The Commoner, editorially scores Governor Durbin for refusing to surrender ex-Governor Taylor of Kentucky to the officials of that State to be tried for the murder of the late Governor Goebel.

Mr. Bryan in his paper says the act of Governor Durbin in shielding and harboring ex-Governor Taylor is an act of lawlessness akin to anarchy in its most virulent form and is a direct invitation to murderers and other criminals of like ilk to come to his state and place themselves under his sheltering wings for protection from prosecution for their crimes committed in other states.

DON'T WAIT.

We are requested by the executive committee of the Carnival Association to impress upon the business men and all others who intend having floats in the trades display during the Carnival the importance of being ready on time with the floats. Don't wait until the last moment to design and construct your floats, but if you haven't already commenced the work of construction begin now. This is a feature of the Carnival which should appeal to the merchants with full force. A tastily arranged and artistically designed float upon which appears the wares and advertisement of the owner will be of great benefit to the owner. Get up something nice and neat and have it ready to enter the procession when it moves. Only a few days now remain and if you intend having a display of this character it is time to be about it.

Jacksonville is having her inning with the State Fair this week. Madison will have her time at the bat next week with her Street Fair and Carnival. Success to both.

The Charleston Exposition opens December 1st and continues until next June. Experts declare that the buildings are more artistic than those of any exposition ever held in this country.

The dispatches state that it will cost Admiral Schley his entire fortune for the court of inquiry which was called at his request. Isn't it hard that he should be called upon to settle the bill?

Oh, yes; the court of inquiry in the Schley matter is working diligently about four hours per day trying to arrive at a decision through the tangled maze of evidence as heard during its sittings. Maybe we'll know about Christmas time whether the Admiral is a coward or not.

After the big fire of May 3rd, the citizens of Jacksonville voted almost unanimously to bond the city for an additional \$400,000 to replace the city buildings and for other improvements. These bonds were sold the other day for a premium of more than \$30,000, and this is causing the people of that city to rise up with joy because of such evidence of the magnificent credit which that city has in the financial world.

How true this is from the Pensacola Journal: "A big mob gathered in New York city the other day and wanted to mob a negro who had hugged and kissed a white girl, against her will, of course. Yet the next time a black man is punished by a Southern mob for a much worse offense, some of the New York city newspapers may be expected to point to the case as an example of the lack of civilization in this section."

United States Senator Mallory is making the "grand round" of the State looking after his political fences and incidentally examining the harbors of seaport cities. Senator Mallory has made an able representative for Florida in the "most august body in the world" but from present appearances he will be called upon for a strong fight if he would return to Washington for another term of six years. The woods are full of candidates for his place.

Come all ye people to Madison next Wednesday. Remain until Friday night and have the biggest kind of a time for three days.

The Florida Commercial Company, recently incorporated, is preparing to erect a big sugar refinery on a large plantation it has secured in Volusia county. Florida raises the cane and now that it may be turned into sugar in the State where it is made in great quantities it will add immensely to the wealth of the State.

W. S. OVERSTREET.

**New Store.
New Goods.
New Prices.**

Look Over The Headings Below and Read what Interests You.

SHOE.
Children's School Shoes.
We took particular pains in selecting our stock of children's shoes, they can be relied on for service and good wearing qualities. Children's pebble grain and Children's box calf, value \$1.00. Our Price, **65c.** only.

Ladie's Satin Calf, value \$1.25, our underselling **80c.** price only.

Ladie's Soft Dongola, value \$1.75, our special **\$1.25** price only.

Ladie's Good Year Handsewed in Vici Kid and Dongola, value \$2.25, our **\$1.75** price only.

Men's Shoes in Different Styles from 90 cents **\$3.50** to.

DRES GOODS.
Our Dress Goods are arriving daily, and stock will soon be filled with the latest and most seasonable styles in Serges, Cashmeres, Novelties, Venetians, Henriettas, etc., at prices from 7c. to \$1.00 per yard. A full line of Staples, Checks, Sheeting and Calicos at lowest prices.

CLOTHING.
When you go to purchase your suit be sure to come in and look at our stock before buying. We are selling a Good **\$3.50** Wool Suit for.

Cassimere Suits worth \$4 \$6, going at **\$4**

Serge, Cassimere and Welton Suits, worth \$10.00, going at **\$7**

Suits worth \$12.50 going at **\$9**

Suits worth \$15.00 going at **\$10**

GENTS' FURNISHING.
Negligee Shirts, soft bosom, worth 75c., our special **35c.** price.

Men's fleece lined sanitary shirts and drawers for **25c.** only.

We confidently believe this is the first time a fleece lined shirt has ever been offered **25c.** for only.

HAT—For Stylish Dressers.
The snappiest brightest, the very swellest, up-to-date line of hats ever offered in Madison. 50c. hats going at **25c.** \$1.00 hats going at **75c.** \$2.00 hats going at **\$1.50.**

A heavy stock of **FRESH GROCERIES** arriving at bottom prices.

We have space to name only a few of the bargains through our store. You are cordially invited to call and inspect our goods.

W. S. OVERSTREET.

POPE BLOCK.

Madison, - - Florida.

CALL AT MOSELEY'S DRUG STORE

And Examine his Fine Stock of Toilet Articles, Perfumery, Etc.

A full line of Glass, China and Chinaware will be sold at very low prices, in order to make room for larger stock.

B. F. MOSELEY

BEVAN & GRIFFIN,
Livery, Feed & Sales Stable

Fine Teams Furnished on Short Notice.

Special Attention to Traveling Men.

Call us up on Telephone No. 1 when you need a Team. Come to see us when you want to buy a horse or mule.

Tubular and Artesian **WELL DRILLERS**

Wind Mills
Erected on Short Notice.

All Work Strictly Guaranteed.

Supplies Kept On Hand.

F. V. FARRELL

WANTED!

Hides and Furs

I will pay the highest market price for Hides, Furs,

Beeswax, &c.

Call and see me at my place next to Self Bros' Shop.

E. E. BRADLEY

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We Do It IN OUR

JOB DEPARTMENT.