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Leon county tobacco growers have organized and will hold their product until they are offered a price commensurate with the great expense of growing and hauling it. Madison tobacco growers might take note and do likewise.

Taft is an expert leader of Romans and well versed in the "skit" of high society. Bryan is a stalwart citizen, and frequently goes into the pulpit and preaches able sermons. Which of the two do you prefer as the head of our great nation?

"We stand a chance of capturing one congressional district," writes a Republican from Florida to a New York paper. Wonder what district the writer is talking about? If he means the Third, then it "is to laugh." Oh, no, sonny. You are barking up the wrong tree for sure.

The Christian Advocate in its new form is a handsome publication and deserves the support of the Methodists of Florida. It is now issued from the well equipped office of the Industrial Record Printing Co., Jacksonville, and the editors are Revs. Moore and Williams.

The other day in Jacksonville a piece of Bay street property sold at auction and brought the fancy price of \$2,760 per front foot. That is somewhat of a price to pay for Florida dirt, but then it must be remembered, Jacksonville is a great city and fast growing greater.

From all sections of the county come reports of the excellence of the season's crops. Cotton promises big and corn likewise. In a few weeks the fleecy staple will be coming in by the wagon-load, our gins will be busy night and day, money will be turned loose and a general air of thrift and prosperity will envelop us. Speed the day. We need it.

Experts who have inspected the product of our tobacco farms say that the leaf is as fine and pretty as that produced anywhere. Our crops this year have been immense as to quantity and as the quality has been pronounced A-1 by those who know what they talk about, we see no reason for thinking otherwise than that Madison county is on the eve of great prosperity.

ALL ON THE BAND WAGON.

The Brooklyn Citizen says that "Bryan's confidence is justified." The New York Evening Mail says that "Bryan is not to be despised." The Boston Globe says that "the temper is to let bygones be bygones." The Columbia State says that "when a man can survive defeat as Bryan has done it shows that he is a man of strength." Tom Taggart says that "it is the greatest ticket ever named." Norman E. Mack says that "it is the greatest ticket ever nominated and the greatest convention ever held." Will J. Conyers, chairman of the New York state committee, says that "it is a live wire vs. a cold storage ticket." The Denver Leader says that the democrats will unite and predicts a landslide. Judge Parker will support the ticket; ditto Judge George Gray, Yon Yobson will pull off his coat. Watterson will put his paper in the breach and bring in all the disaffected. Bird S. Coler says that "the ticket could not be better." Murphy says that "the ticket is entirely satisfactory to him." Indeed, all democrats of every stripe and variety are crawling into the band wagon, and in the language of the Richmond News, "it is time for party loyalty."

The people's nominee, Danville H. Mays, has gained the first decision in the courts. Judge Malone last Thursday decided that the mandamus against the committee would lie and the committee was granted until the 27th inst., to make answer when the case will be heard and determined upon its merits. Should the decision be favorable to Mr. Mays—and we are of the opinion that it will be—the committee will be ordered to canvass the votes for congressman as returned by the inspectors of election and this being done Mr. Mays will be declared the nominee. It is a moral certainty, however, that whatever the decision of Judge Malone may be, the case will be appealed to the Supreme Court, and as that tribunal has taken its usual recess until October, it is hardly probable that the matter will be finally adjudicated before the election on November 3rd. In the meantime the people are becoming more and more conversant with the methods adopted by the committee to count Mr. Mays out and make Mr. Kehoe the nominee and they are determined to resent emphatically this intrusion of their rights.

Just as might have been expected, says the Lakeland News, the convict lessees who are getting rich by grace of the blood money from the legalized slave trade in this state, are breaking into various papers with interviews in which they admit how awfully bad those Georgians are, but declare there is "nothing of the kind in Florida." Granting the truth of this assertion—and it is a big grant—it may be said that the present system furnishes an opportunity for such abuses, and is reason sufficient for abolishing it. The lessees and the papers they pay to blow their horns, picture the convict camps as delightful summer resorts, but as long as men welcome death rather than remain in them, and as long as such stories of cruelty and barbarity leak out as we are frequently regaled with, we will advocate wiping these Florida bells from the face of the earth.

Hearst's Independence League, it seems, is to make an effort to capture votes in the South, and it is stated that speeches will be made by the nominees in Georgia, Alabama and Florida. We'll be glad to see the distinguished gentlemen and to hear them talk, but really, we think they will only waste their time in coming to Florida.

With seven presidential candidates to select from the voters of the country need have no great trouble in choosing which of the seven best suits their ideas of government. Florida will cast her vote in the Electoral College for the democratic nominees, Bryan and Kern, and from present indications there will be enough from other States to make the election of these gentlemen sure.

Col. Toomer, who is now a citizen of Florida, testified that he made the neat sum of \$170,000 from dealing in Georgia convicts. In this day and time the possession of money in large chunks, excuses almost anything and possibly, to some, it may excuse those responsible for the horrible punishment and inhumanity practiced by the convict lessees of Georgia upon their helpless charges, but just as sure as they live, a day of reckoning is coming to them.

Notice of Examination. The regular examination for teachers will be held at the court house beginning at 8:30 a. m., Tuesday, September 8th, 1908. Geo. W. Tinker, County Superintendent. St. Petersburg is to have another fine city park.

Diarrhoea Cured.

"My father has for years been troubled with diarrhoea, and tried every means possible to effect a cure, without avail," writes John H. Zirkle of Phillips, W. Va. "He saw Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy advertised in the Phillipian Republican and decided to try it. The result is one bottle cured him and he has not suffered with the disease for eighteen months. Before taking this remedy he was a constant sufferer. He is now sound and well, and although sixty years old, can do as much work as a young man." Sold by W. B. Davis and D. G. Smith.

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