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Wanted.—One hundred and fifty new cash subscribers at High Springs, right away.

The people of High Springs were delighted with Governor Broward's speech there yesterday.

Who can wonder that the Atlanta News is a warm proposition when it is remembered that the paper is redheaded?

High Springs did herself proud celebrating Labor Day yesterday. It was a large gathering, a grand barbecue and an orderly crowd.

A wet or dry election is being held in Gadsden and Hamilton counties today. Hamilton is dry, and may it remain dry. Gadsden is wet, and may it go dry.

A theatre crowded; a boat overloaded; a rotten bridge shaking; a coal mine exploding; a train in the river; a play-house in flame—the coroner's verdict: "Nobody to blame."—DeSota County News.

Umpiring a game of baseball and acting judge at a baby show are two jobs this scribe don't want—i. e. unless it was possible for both sides to win at ball playing, and all of the babies to be shown were orphans.

A negro writing to the Washington Post says if Roosevelt can be reelected he will so encourage the negroes that "Prof. Booker T. Washington" can be elected vice-president in 1908. Now, every white man who would like to see Booker Washington vice-president should vote for Roosevelt.

STRIPLING AFTER THEM.

Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 31.—Joseph N. Stripling, United States district attorney for Florida, is here to secure evidence against a merchants' exchange formed in Jacksonville, and alleged to act in contravention of the Sherman anti-trust act to control the retail traffic of the city. Mr. Stripling is taking the testimony of the flour shippers here. It is charged that the league shuts out all competition and prevents wholesalers from selling to any merchant outside of the organization.

There is hardly a doubt but what Mr. Stripling could have had some of the game he professes to be after bagged long ago if he had been very anxious to bag that particular kind of game; and if any of our Florida merchants are violating the anti-trust act we hope "Joe" will take them, but when we consider the indisputable fact that the Republican party, to which Joe belongs, is not a "trust buster," but a trust fosterer, together with the undenied report that to a prominent Florida Democrat more than to any other Joe is due thanks for the position he now holds, how can we expect him to return to Florida armed with trust destroying weapons?

Joe is a dandy. He believes in Republicanism "for revenue only," and he would hardly interfere with a trust in which a Democrat to whom he owes his position under a Republican administration is financially interested.

But possibly Joe will do better than is expected of him—we hope he will—but we shall see what we shall see.

The Pensacola Journal voices our sentiment to a "t" in the following: "Because they say that F. B. Stoneman, one of Florida's Democratic candidates for Presidential elector, was at one time affiliated with the Socialist party, some of the State papers have been making themselves ridiculous by trying to have his name pulled off the ticket. If Stoneman had only been a Palmer and Buckner bolter, these same papers would have been falling over each other, like so many servile sycophants, to welcome him back, and his return would have been heralded as an evidence of the present harmony in the Democratic party."

The nicest man on the Florida press perhaps, is Frank Mayes, of the Pensacola Journal, and yet the Gainesville Star editor refers to him "as a long eared animal."

The editor of the GAINESVILLE STAR has no recollection of ever having referred to the editor of the Pensacola Journal in any way whatever, and we are sure we never did refer to him as a long eared animal. He may be a nice man—hope he is—but we are not acquainted with him. But the Ocala Banner? Goodness gracious, Brer. Harris, what's de matter wid ye? Is ye blin'?

The latest war news is not such as would indicate that the end of the struggle is yet in sight. The Japs still seem to have the advantage, but the Russians are making them pay well for what they get. Both armies are said to have about reached the limit of human endurance, and though the contending forces are close to each other, there is now but little fighting, but both sides are taking a rest. The Japs, however, are rejoicing over their recent victory at Liao Yang.

All pool rooms in New Orleans went out of business on the 1st, in accordance with a newly-enacted law. This put on the loaf 150 men at high salary, to say nothing as to the fortunes made by owners of such rooms.—Jacksonville Metropolis.

The 150 loafers can find employment that will be more honorable and less damaging to society than the most orderly pool room business is.

A London billionaire named Rothchild is said to have offered \$5,000 for two Siberian fleas, and a man named Barber, who has less money but more brains than the billionaire has captured the fleas and will claim the money. In Florida are some very industrious fleas, and if Mr. Rothchild wants a few pairs of the Florida breed he can get them much cheaper than he bought the Siberian pair.

If you wish to send your boys and girls to the best school in the best town in the best state in the best nation in the world, write to Prof. Jerre M. Pound, superintendent of East Florida Seminary, Gainesville, Fla., about it.

A DROUGHT IN LEON.

Tampa Tribune: Leon county and the dryness thereof make a combination that may provoke another capitol removal scare.

Think of the sad plight of rural orators who break into future Legislatures, their throats parched by forensic effort, unable to seek refreshment and solace in the social glass.

Think of the Honorable Senator from Wayback and the Honorable Representative from the Tall and Uncut deliberating upon the great issues of State without the privilege of an occasional dampening of the gullet with the cup that cheers.

And, above all, think of the Third House. What an uphill fight it will have, boosting or knocking legislation, without its old and valuable ally, Col. John, whose surname is Barleycorn. How can it exist without him?

Ah—"I indeed will be the conditions about the time the next Assembly meets. Each member who likes his dram must take his sixty-day supply with him. Every member of the Third House who expects to accomplish great things for his constituents must arrange to conceal a young barroom somewhere in his luggage.

Verily, those who must go to Tallahassee next session must have their trousers made to order with special reference to deep and roomy hip-pockets—about one-quart capacity.

For Leon has "gone dry" by 120 majority and, save the tiger which seeth without eyes and the private bottle which worketh overtime, we will witness that anomaly in Florida history—a sober Legislature.

"The worst thing about this dry town business," said a saloon advocate to the STAR man a few days ago, "is the way it increases taxes." "How much has it increased your taxes?" the grumbler was asked, and he said: "Well, I don't pay any taxes; I have nothing to pay on."

The Democratic Campaign Committee has arranged dates for Hon. N. B. Broward, and the other State candidates to speak at fifty places in the state during the campaign. The first will be at Daytona, Sept. 15, and the last at Jacksonville, Nov. 7. The speaking will be in Gainesville Oct. 4, at 8 p. m., and now for a big rally on that occasion.

Attention K. of P.

There will be a regular communication of Mt. Vernon Lodge No. 20 K. of P. at their Castle Hall Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

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The STAR,

D. E. GODWIN, Editor,

Gainesville, - - - Florida.

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Schedule Effective December 7, 1903.

27	31	55	SOUTHERN DIVISION.	54	34	66
9 35a	8 30p	3 00p	Lv. Jacksonville	Ar	10 50a	7 15a
10 15	8 55p	3 40p	Baldwin	Ar	10 12a	6 30a
11 46	10 45p	5 03p	Waldo	Ar	8 20a	4 04a
12 20p	5 36p	Ar	GAINESVILLE	Lv	7 14a	1 40p
1 26p	8 15p	Ar	Cedar Key	Ar	7 14a	1 40p
1 58p	12 30a	Lv	Silver Springs	Lv	4 50a	12 52p
2 55p	2 13a	Ar	Ocala	Ar	1 55a	12 41p
5 10p	7 20a	Ar	Wildwood	Ar	12 23a	11 56p
4 14p	4 18a	Ar	Orlando	Ar	7 00p	8 25a
5 11p	5 39a	Ar	Dade City	Ar	10 28p	10 37a
7 05p	11 20a	Ar	Plant City	Ar	9 23p	9 45a
7 25p	11 46a	Ar	Palmetto	Ar	4 45p	7 42a
7 45	12 30p	Ar	Manatee	Ar	3 50p	7 27a
6 00p	6 45a	Ar	Sarasota	Ar	3 00a	2 00p
		Ar	Tampa	Lv	8 00a	8 50a

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34 66 WEST & NEW ORLEANS 56 57

Lv Jacksonville	9 00a	7 50p	Lv Jacksonville	3 40p	9 25a
Ar Fernandina	10 15a	9 00p	Ar Lake City	5 51p	11 20a
Ar Brunswick	12 01p	10 35p	Ar Live Oak	6 35p	12 04p
Ar Savannah	1 10p	11 50a	Ar Madison	7 55p	12 58p
Ar Fairfax	3 09p	1 44a	Ar Monticello	9 10p	3 15p
Ar Denmark	3 57p	2 20a	Ar Tallahassee	9 40p	3 59p
Ar Columbia	5 30p	3 55p	Ar Quincy	4 17p	
Ar Camden	7 40p	5 54a	Ar River Junction	5 05p	
Ar Hamlet	9 55p	8 05a	Ar Pensacola	10 50p	
Ar Wilmington	12 05p	Ar	Ar Mobile	2 55a	
Ar Southern Pines	11 18p	9 30a	Ar New Orleans	7 25a	
Ar Raleigh	11 53p	10 45a	Lv Jacksonville	8 10p	
Ar Portsmouth	8 00a	5 35p	Ar Macon	3 40a	
Ar Richmond, Va.	6 55a	3 12p	Ar Atlanta	7 50a	
Ar Washington	10 10a	8 30p	Ar Chattanooga	9 20p	
Ar Baltimore	11 25a	11 25p	Ar Nashville	9 20p	
Ar Philadelphia	1 36p	2 50a	Ar St. Louis	7 30a	
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No. 6	No. 4	No. 2	STATIONS.	No. 1	No. 3	No. 5
Daily	Daily	Da		Daily	Daily	Daily
Lv P. M.	Lv P. M.	Lv A. M.		Ar P. M.	Ar A. M.	Ar P. M.
7 45	6 15	6 45	Fairfield	8 20	8 40	8 50
7 55	6 25	6 55	Irvine	8 30	8 50	9 00
8 05	6 35	7 05	Dunbar	8 40	9 00	9 10
8 15	6 45	7 15	Southside	8 50	9 10	9 20
8 25	6 55	7 25	Hickman	9 00	9 20	9 30
8 35	7 05	7 35	Lake Simonton	9 10	9 30	9 40
8 45	7 15	7 45	Micanopy	9 20	9 40	9 50