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\$1. Per Year.

Clothing will go now if Prices will move it.

Owing to the reorganization of this firm to take place January 15, next, we have determined to reduce the stock, and these are the prices by which we mean to do the work.

TO BUY OR NOT TO BUY

will be a question early settled when you have fingered our superb bargains and noted the prices. There are over 300 FINE SUITS, and 150 elegant, up-to-date OVERCOATS in the list.

50 suits that were	\$ 6 50, during this sale	\$ 5 00
50	8 50,	6 50
50	10 00,	7 50
50	12 50,	9 50
50	15 00,	12 00
25 Hand Made Suits	18 50,	15 00
25	22 50	18 50

THESE OVERCOATS ARE BEAUTIES

40 Overcoats that were	\$ 8 50, during this sale	\$ 6 50
40	10 00	7 50
25	12 50	9 50
25	15 00	12 00
20	18 50	15 00

1,000 Pairs of Pants at a reduction of 25 per cent. All other goods in proportion.

As to the style, quality of fabric, and superior workmanship of these garments, we stake our reputation on them. Not an old garment in the lot. Everything the latest and best.

Fearnside & Company.

Of course you understand we are headquarters for the leading makes of Men's and Boys' Shoes, and Men's Furnishing Goods of Elegant make and Exclusive design.

San Mateo Cigars,

Rich, Mild, Fragrant and Absolutely Pure.

Captured First Prize at the Florida State Fair in Lake City.

Our 5 cent "San Mateo" is made from the choicest growth of Florida leaf, grown by Americans on our own plantation at San Mateo, and manufactured in a clean American Factory by American workmen.

Our 5 cent "Silk Opera" is made from the highest grade of Imported Havana. We make it for those smokers who require the aroma of the genuine Cuban-grown leaf.

FOR SALE IN PALATKA BY

Gay Brothers, Rob't James, M. J. Murphy, Ackerman & Stewart,
L. A. Smith, T. H. Keating, Harry Stewart, J. L. Burt, R. S. Mooney.

COUNTRY TRADE SUPPLIED BY

Gay Bros. Merryday Grocery Co., Vertrees & Co.

THE Putnam National Bank Of Palatka

We solicit the accounts of the people throughout Putnam County, and tender all the courtesies and accommodation consistent with good Banking.

Putnam Pharmacy
PALATKA, FLORIDA.
Drugs, Chemicals, Druggist Sundries and Patents.
PRESCRIPTIONS CAREFULLY COMPOUNDED.
FRESH GARDEN SEED. Agents Mallory Steamship Line.

December Specials

John Bond's Racket Store

Prices that tell the People where to get their money's worth
Everything Guaranteed or money refunded.

1 lot 1/2 wool Dress Goods worth 12 1/2 to go at..... 10c	Big lot Outing worth 12 1/2 to go December at..... 10c
1 lot 1/2 wool Dress Goods worth 25 to go at..... 19c	Special lot Best Calicos to go at only 5c a yard.
1 lot 40 inch Fancy Dress Goods worth 40 to go at..... 25c	Mens, Boys Hats and Caps to go. We have a lot to close out.
A big lot Dress Goods at 50c, 75c and \$1.00 a yard, all Bargains.	The Best 50c. Shirt you ever saw will be sold here during December.
SHOES, SHOES.	Ladies Capes, Jackets, Montecarlo Jackets and all kinds to sell at low prices.
Childrens Shoes at 25c a pair and up.	
Mens Shoes at \$1.00 a pair and up.	
Ladies Shoes at \$1.00 a pair and up.	
To buy your Shoes of us means saving money to you.	

Where are you going to buy your Christmas Goods? We have piles of them and will sell them cheap. We do not intend to carry any Toys, Dolls and Christmas Goods over, so you can get them here cheap.

Yours for Bargains,

JOHN BOND'S Racket Store,

Wholesale and Retail
Palatka, Fla.
Phone 90.

Money Well Scattered.

For the month of November there was paid out by County Clerk Price the total of \$8,790.73. Most of this money went in small amounts and was well scattered to all parts of the county.

Of this amount \$2,305.33 was paid from warrants authorized by the county commissioners at the last meeting, Dec. 2d, and this includes payments for mileage and per diem of county commissioners, paupers, salaries and commissions, road and bridge work, inquests, supplies for court house and jail, inspectors and clerks of election, sheriffs feed bill and expenses in court, witnesses in circuit court, justices costs and witnesses in justices court, etc. It was the purpose of the News to publish the list of warrants drawn, the purpose and amounts, but the number is so great that room can not be afforded at this time.

Of the total paid out by the clerk \$1,425.40 was paid by the state, and of this amount \$171.10 was paid to witnesses before the grand jury, and \$554.30 to grand and petit jurors.

With possibly a few exceptions all of this money was paid to Putnam county people. November, with its court, was an expensive month.

For A Short Stay.

The private houseboat Doonie went to Jacksonville Tuesday in response to a telegram from its owner, Mr. L. L. Elwood, who with Mrs. Elwood was to arrive there Wednesday. It is learned that they purpose coming to Palatka only for a short stay at this time, and that much of their time will be spent aboard the boat, on a fishing excursion.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood came to Florida with Hon Richard Yates, Governor of Illinois, who is just recovering from a severe attack of typhoid fever, and who will spend the convalescent period at Miami.

Was A Success.

The bazaar given by the Ladies Aid Society of St. James M. E. church on Thursday evening of last week at the ice cream parlors of Mrs. R. S. Mooney proved a great success both socially and financially. The ladies cleared about \$47 by the sale. The society feels very grateful to Mrs. Mooney for the use of her store and other courtesies.

COUGHS AND COLDS IN CHILDREN.

RECOMMENDATION OF A WELL KNOWN CHICAGO PHYSICIAN.

I use and prescribe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for almost all obstinate, constricted coughs, with direct results. I prescribe it to children of all ages. Am glad to recommend it to all in need and seeking relief from colds and coughs and bronchial affections. It is non-narcotic and safe in the hands of the most unprofessional. A universal panacea for all mankind.—Mrs. MARY R. MELNBY, M. D., Ph. D., Chicago, Ill. This remedy is for sale by Ackerman & Stewart, druggists.

If you want to get your money's worth; and see a good COLD knock-out, use Peek's Pine Tar Syrup, (Improved).

A CHRISTMAS CARNIVAL OF LOW PRICES.

On account of unseasonable weather I find that I am overstocked on

Suits and Overcoats.

In order to reduce my large stock I will for 30 DAYS make the following Special Low Prices:

Imported Worsted and Casimere Suits worth \$22.50, this sale \$18.00.

Fancy Chevoits and Worsted Suits perfect in style and quality, worth \$18.00, this sale \$15.00.

Double Breasted Suits which look \$25-ish, this sale \$15.00 and \$18.00.

Don't Fail to Look at our
Black Clay Worsteds at all prices

Our entire Line of \$12.00 Suits, this sale	-	-	\$10.00.
" " " \$10.00 " " "	-	-	\$8.50.
" " " \$7.50 " " "	-	-	\$6.00.
" " " \$6.00 " " "	-	-	\$4.50.



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Overcoats that came out of the shipping cases this season cut in lengths to suit your legs. Six different styles. They look \$18.00, Our price \$13.50. Also large and complete line of Mens' and Boys' cheap and medium priced Overcoats from \$5.00 up.

Boys' New Winter Attire

Comprising everything that is new, nobby and attractive in Boys', Youths' and Childrens Clothing, Hats, Caps and Furnishings.

What's in a Hat?



HOWARD STYLE.

It depends on who wears it. What amount of style and good appearance it has depends upon where you buy it. We have all the correct styles at lowest prices.

When you want Christmas presents look over our line of

Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs

Just received a Shipment of

Roller Tray Trunks and
Leather Lined
Dress Suit Cases...



Neat
Shirts
and
Neck-
wear...

Fancy Socks and Underwear

In our Jewelry Department you will find a well selected line of

Gents' Watch Fobs and
Chains,
Guff and Collar Buttons,
Shirt Studs and Stick Pins.

A pair of fine Shoes or Slippers is always an appropriate

Christmas Present

for Boys, Girls, Men or Women. You will have an easy time selecting from our STOCK.

ALL NEW, ALL SIZES.



L. M. MEYER,

Lemon Street,

Palatka, Florida.