

INTERESTING EVENTS.

BRIGHT SAYINGS OF OUR EXCHANGES.

A Forerunner of Honor, Current Comment and Business Notices—Interesting State News.

The merchants of Gainesville are preparing a county fair.

You Know What You Are Taking. When you take Grove's Tasteless Chili Tonic, because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. No Cure, No Pay, 50 cents. (If Florida is furnishing teachers for Yale and other colleges.

The Best Prescription For Malaria Chills and Fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chili Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No Cure No Pay, Price 50 cents.

The Panama hat and Panama route both have backed off the board.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. Price, 25 cents.

Gainesville is to put up a big plant to manufacture bi-products from wood.

Stops the Cough and Works off the Cold. Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

Mr. Flagler recently gave the St. Luke's Hospital at Jacksonville his check for \$500.

A Boy's Wild Ride for Life.

With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 18 miles, to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, and Colds, W. H. Brown, of Leesville, Ind., endured death's agonies from asthma, but this wonderful medicine gave instant relief and soon cured him. He writes: "I now sleep soundly every night." Like marvelous cures of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Coughs Colds and Grip fever, its matches merit for all Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at all druggists.

A girl who is too innocent to talk about her beaux is not innocent enough not to have any.

A Parson's Noble Act.

"I want all the world to know," writes Rev. C. J. Bunton, of Ashaway, R. I., "what a thoroughly good and reliable medicine I found in Electric Bitters. They cured me of jaundice and liver troubles that had caused me great suffering for many years. For a genuine all-around cure they excel anything I ever saw." Electric Bitters are the surprise of all for their wonderful work in Liver, Kidney and Stomach troubles. Don't fail to try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by all Druggists.

A fat woman will train off flesh till she gets afraid her nice new clothes won't fit her.

Not Doomed For Life.

"I was treated for three years by good doctors," writes W. A. Greer, McConnellville, O., "for piles, and fistula, but when all failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me in two weeks." Cures Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Corns, Sores, Eruptions, Salt Rheum, Piles, or no pay. 25c at All Druggists.

It is now Tom Johnson of the tented field, but the enemy refuses to come within range of his swivel guns.

Fortune Favors a Texan.

"Having distressing pains in head, back and stomach, and being without appetite, I began to use Dr. King's New Life Pills" writes W. P. Whitehead, of Kennedale, Tex., "and soon felt like a new man." Infallible in stomach and liver troubles. Only 25c at All Drug stores.

September has large claims on our gratitude. It takes the children to school and gives us oysters in every style.

Foley's Honey and Tar is peculiarly adapted for chronic throat troubles and will positively cure bronchitis, hoarseness and all bronchial diseases. Refuse substitutes. DeSoto Drug Co.

Beefsteak in Berlin is 44 cents pound. This is tough. It is also tough in Tallahassee.—Capital.

A New Jersey Editor's Testimonial.

M. T. Lynch, Editor of the Phillipsburg, N. J. Daily Post, writes: "I have used many kinds of medicines for coughs and colds in my family, but never anything so good as Foley's Honey and Tar. I cannot say too much in praise of it." DeSoto Drug Co.

We are all delighted to hear from the president that "there is a remedy" for the trusts. But what is the prize for guessing it?

Cured Hemorrhages of the Lungs.

"Several years since my lungs were so badly affected that I had many hemorrhages," writes A. M. Ake of Wood, Ind., "I took treatment with several physicians without any benefit. I then started to take Foley's Honey and Tar and my lungs are now as sound as a bullet. I recommend it in advanced stages of lung trouble." DeSoto Drug Co.

The Kaiser is not wise to show off all his army maneuvers before General Corbin. The latter is the greatest warrior ever!

Doctors could not help her.

"I had kidney trouble for years," writes Mrs. Raymond Conner of Shelton, Wash., "and the doctors could not help me. I tried Foley's Kidney Cure, and the very first dose gave me relief and I am now cured. I cannot say too much for Foley's Kidney Cure." DeSoto Drug Co.

Foot swollen to twice its size.

"I had kidney trouble so bad," says J. J. Cox of Valley View, Ky., "that I could not work, my feet were swollen to twice their size and I was confined to my bed and physicians were unable to give me any relief. My doctor finally prescribed Foley's Kidney Cure which made a well man of me." DeSoto Drug Co.

Henry Watterson has poured a pall of hot water on "the smart set," and the way they wriggle is an object lesson for little fishes.

Avoid serious results of kidney or bladder disorder by taking Foley's Kidney Cure. DeSoto Drug Co.

The Duval county commissioners have placed license of \$500 a year on dance halls in connection with saloons.

Raised from the Dead.

C. W. Landis, "Porter" for the Oriental Hotel, Chanute, Kan., says: "I know what it was to suffer with neuralgia, I did, and I got a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment and I was 'raised from the dead.' I tried to get some more, but before I had 'deposited' my bottle, I was cured entirely. I am telling the truth too." 25c. 50c. DeSoto Drug Co.

Some Kansas churches prayed for rain, and now they are not able to shut off the daily downpours. Prayers don't seem to have ratched on 'em sometimes.

Usually begins with the symptoms of a common cold; there is chilliness, sneezing, sore throat, hot skin, quick pulse, hoarseness and impeded respiration. Give frequent small doses of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, (the child will cry for it) and at the first sign of a croupy cough, apply frequently Ballard's Snow Liniment externally to the throat. 50c at DeSoto Drug Co.

A Pennsylvania mental healer got knocked out by appendicitis. He seems to have overlooked the fact that appendicitis doesn't attack the mind.

31 Years a Dyspeptic.

R. H. Foster, 318 S. 2d St., Salt Lake City, writes: "I have been bothered with dyspepsia or indigestion for 31 years; tried many doctors without relief; recently I got a bottle of Herbine, One bottle cured me, I am now tapering off on the second. I have recommended it to my friends; it is curing them, too." 50c at DeSoto Drug Co.

Former United States Senator Pfeiffer of Kansas has shaved off his whiskers. First thing we know Jerry Simpson will take to wearing socks.

Devoured by worms.

Children often cry, not from pain, but from hunger, although fed abundantly. The entire trouble arises from inanition, their food is not assimilated, but devoured by worms. A few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge will cause them to cease crying and begin to thrive at once, very much to the surprise and joy of the mother. 25c at DeSoto Drug Co.

Gainesville Sun: If the industrial situation in Florida continues to improve there will be enough money to go round among us all.

Foley's Kidney Cure makes the diseased kidneys sound so they will eliminate the poisons from the blood. DeSoto Drug Co.

The way the Kaiser's "Panther" jumped on that Haitian war ship and did her up would have been a sight for Davy Crockett.

Used For Pneumonia.

Dr. J. C. Bishop, of Agnew, Mich., says, "I have used Foley's Honey and Tar in three very severe cases of Pneumonia with good results in every case." Refuse substitutes. DeSoto Drug Co.

Although Rockefeller has bought 90,000 acres of Adirondacks forest for private recreation park, he would swap it all for a brakeman's seven-days-in-the-week good-as-you-please appetite.

Healthy Kidneys Means Long Life.

If you want to restore your kidneys to their former healthy state take Smith's Sure Kidney Cure—50 cents at W. A. Roberts.

No matter how Maine went, there seems a hot tip out that Connecticut will elect a democratic as governor, as for 1873, 1885 and 1893. This is the democratic decade in the Naimeg State.

Sound Kidneys—Perfect Health.

The use of Smith's Sure Kidney Cure will produce both. Try a bottle and be convinced. W. A. Roberts sells it for 50c.

The crops this year are almost unprecedented in the history of the country. The estimated yield of corn, oats and wheat, reduced to dollars, is stated in round numbers to be \$1,500,000,000.

LAXATIVE CHOCOLATES cures Chronic Constipation and Liver Troubles. Pleasant to take. Purely Vegetable. Guaranteed by W. A. Roberts.

Comptroller A. C. Croom has distributed the moneys arising from the sale and redemption of tax sale certificates for the month of June, 1902, amounting to \$35,519.11.

If You Suffer From Kidney Troubles Use Smith's Sure Kidney Cure. Nothing like it for diseased kidneys. 50c at W. A. Roberts.

A Paradox.

Belle—What a lovely build! Nan—I think he's horrid looking. Belle—Oh, but bulldogs aren't lovely unless they're horrid looking.—Detroit Free Press.

Not a pound of all the coal burned in Switzerland is dug within the borders of that country.

E. W. Grove

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the rosier this cures a cold in one day

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A SKULL FOR "HAMLET."

The Old Man in Which the Eldest Son Acquired One.

The elder Booth acquired a skull for use in "Hamlet" in an odd manner, according to a story in Kech and Heard. The tragedian, somewhat in his cups, was traveling near Louisville when he took a horse from a field and rode off with it. Horse stealing at that time was a capital offense in Kentucky, and the greatest horse thief was a man named Fontaine. Booth was soon arrested and when asked where he got the animal said: "I captured him in a field back here."

"Indeed," said one of the farmers, "and what might your name be?" "My name is Fontaine," said Booth, without a smile.

"Fontaine" ejaculated both men simultaneously. "Then you are the very man we want. Come back to town with us."

"Certainly," said Booth in the most good natured manner, and, wheeling his horse, he rode back to Louisville with his captors.

The city jail was then in charge of a Colonel Thomas, who knew Booth well. "We have brought you Fontaine, the horse thief, and claim the reward," said the farmers proudly, addressing the jailer.

"Where is he?" they were asked. Booth was produced. "Why, what does this mean, Mr. Booth?" asked Thomas.

"I haven't the slightest idea," said the great tragedian, with the utmost simplicity. "I met these two men with this horse, and they insisted upon giving it to me. I guess they stole it. I think one of them is Fontaine."

The rustics were about to be locked up when by the most singular coincidence a man pushed to the prison door on horseback and shouted out the information that the real Fontaine had been taken into custody. Booth made Fontaine's acquaintance in jail, and the horse thief, who was executed later, left by will his skull to the actor.

THE COUGAR'S FIGHTING.

How a Bull Elk Won a Battle by a Solar Plexus Blow.

The cougar does not leap upon its big game nor drop upon it out of treets, but sneaks close or lies in wait upon the level and goes from cover in a straight rush like the tiger or the hunting leopard. It endeavors to seize upon the lower throat or shoulder with its teeth and to twist the quarry's head against this "purchase" in its powerful forearms until the neck is broken.

Falling in its attempt, yet making good its catch hold, the cougar will—to put it modestly—go in and slash in any old style. It will usually flash once tooth and claw are engaged, but sometimes it falls and even gets the worst of an encounter.

Felix Michaud, a most reliable free trapper of the old regime, once told me he had watched a lion slaying a bull elk. It was a Teton mountain cougar in the lion's variety. It went from cover in a bounding rush, but missed its first stroke as the bull lunged ahead, catching him at the point of the shoulder and going under his belly. Both animals were bowled over in a mixup of hair, hoofs, claws and horns. In a brief struggle, as they rolled over together, the cougar was thrown into the air, as if hoisted by a spring trap, by a convulsive kick from the bull's hind leg. The maddened elk gained its legs and chased its enemy off the field. An unlooked for punch in the wind had taken the sand out of pussy.—Outing.

Grand Army Encampment.

The 36th national encampment G.A.R. will be held in Washington during the week beginning Oct. 6th.

The Atlantic Coast Line has been selected as the official route from Florida. Tickets will be on sale from Oct. 3rd, good to return till Nov. 3rd, with privilege of extension in Washington at a cost of 50c. Price of tickets: from Tampa and St. Petersburg \$20.85, Orlando \$19.00, Sanford \$18.65, Jacksonville \$16.05.

"The 'Headquarters car' will leave Tampa at 8 o'clock p. m. Oct. 4th, via A. C. L. and can be taken at any point en route to Jacksonville. It will leave Jacksonville at 9 o'clock a. m. Sunday, Oct. 5th, and reach Washington at an early hour the next morning. Every comfort will be given the ladies of the party.

"Comrades desiring further information in regard to side trips out of Washington, or as to sleeping car accommodations, will address S. P. Collier, Jr. Div. Pass. Agt. A. C. L. Tampa, Fla."

Ordinance No. 28.

An ordinance granting certain rights and privileges to the Florida Southern Railroad Company.

Be it ordained by the council of the town of Punta Gorda, Florida:

Sec. 1.—That the town of Punta Gorda hereby grants unto the Florida Southern Railroad Company, the right to build such additional lines of tracks, of railroad, over and upon King Street, and to run engines and cars upon said railroad track or tracks as they may deem expedient for their business.

2.—That the town of Punta Gorda hereby grants unto the Florida Southern Railroad Company the exclusive right to build or erect and operate a wharf or dock at the foot or terminus of said King Street and to extend the same to the navigable channel of Peace River, together with all riparian rights and privileges thereunto appertaining, belonging to said town, and with power to charge reasonable wharfage on the same, said dock to be built on piles and to be filled in if desired by the railroad company.

3.—That the town of Punta Gorda hereby exempts the dock or wharf, the appurtenances and franchises from taxation of every kind forever, by the town of Punta Gorda.

4.—Be it further ordained that the Florida Southern Railroad Company is hereby granted the said privileges upon the express condition that they keep all street crossings of the streets occupied by said railroad company in good crossing order and keep the approaches in good condition, and upon the further condition that the said company shall complete said wharf or dock within three years from the passage of and approval of this ordinance.

All ordinances in conflict with the provisions hereof are repealed.

Passed by council this 1st day of Oct. A. D. 1901.

W. B. Hardee, President Council, Town clerk.

A. C. Freeman, Mayor.

For Over Sixty Years.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures whooping cough, and is the best remedy for colic, and all the other ailments of infants. Sold by druggists everywhere. Beware of cheap imitations. Be sure to ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" and take no other.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

TO THE SHERIFF OF DABOYO COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA.

It is known that I, H. GRAY CHAWFORD, Secretary of State of the State of Florida, do hereby certify that:

GENERAL ELECTION Will be held in Daboyo County, State of Florida, on Tuesday next succeeding the first Monday in November, A. D. 1902, the said Tuesday being the Fourth Day of November.

For the election of the First Congressional District of Florida, in the Fifty-eighth Congress of the United States.

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IMPACTED EAR WAX.

Where It Comes From and How It Should Be Treated.

The normal secretion of the orifice of the ear is the product of glands situated in the outer half of the canal only. This secretion—the cerumen, or ear wax—is slowly poured from the gland ducts as a thin, yellowish liquid.

As it quickly loses a large amount of its watery elements by evaporation and becomes admixed with dust it forms a thin layer, waxlike in color and consistency, which normally covers only the outer portion of the canal, that in which the glands are located.

This layer of material probably has its chief function, in common with the few small hairs in the same location, in protecting the vibratory membrane—the drum—from the contact of dust.

It is interesting to observe that the exit of this layer of wax is accomplished by nature chiefly with the aid of the motion communicated to the ear canal by the movement of the jaw in chewing and talking, a motion readily felt by touching the orifice repeatedly by the finger tip during these processes.

The constant increase of the secretion is therefore provided with a corresponding loss, which takes place almost as imperceptibly as the constant loss of the superficial layer of the skin from the surface of the body.

This explanation serves to make clear why the use of ear spoons, pins or hairpins is unnecessary. The use of such objects is not only superfluous, but it is often the cause of the very condition which those who use them would prevent.

Even too vigorous washing with a wet cloth or sponge, for example, may result in pushing the wax back into the canal until a mass sufficient to block the entire opening is accumulated.

The first intimation of the presence of impacted wax is often the sudden occurrence of a considerable degree of deafness. This is most likely to happen on a damp day or just after returning a bath. A slight amount of moisture causes the mass to swell so that the narrow chink previously existing between the mass and the canal is closed. If it is not now removed, the mass may shrink and the hearing power be temporarily restored, only to be lost again when conditions arise causing an increase in the size of the mass.

Firm, gentle syringing with warm water from a piston ear syringe is usually regarded as the safest and best method of removing the mass, the handling of which had better be entrusted to a physician or trained nurse, if possible.—Youth's Companion.

JAPANESE JOTTINGS.

Chrysanthemums served as a salad are a favorite article of diet among the Japanese.

At a Japanese banquet it is considered a compliment to exchange cups with a friend.

Japanese cooks are the most cruel in the world. They cut every atom of flesh off a living fish piecemeal without first causing death.

The lower class of the Japanese employ hardly any other material than paper for their clothing. Where wages are exceedingly low, cloth is an impossible extravagance.

Every hotel in Japan has a fan, special to itself, containing a view of the hotel and a blessing from the writings of Confucius. One of these is always given to the departing guest.

Many Japanese women are undergoing the slight surgical operation necessary to straighten the slant of the eyelid, which distinguishes them so unmistakably from Caucasian women.

The Japanese eat more fish than any other people in the world. With them meat eating is a foreign innovation, confined to the rich, or, rather, to those rich people who prefer it to the national diet.

The Kind of a Man He Was.

"I was in Washington once," said a man at the club, "when Tom Reed was the czar of the house of representatives. He was holding forth with earnestness on some theme to a group of friends when that man you see over there by the cigar counter pushed his way through the crowd, grasped Reed by the hand and said effusively: 'Hello, Tom, old boy! How do you do?'"

"Reed responded in a manner that was more of a shake for the man than for his hand and went on with his talk. When our friend over there had edged out of the crowd, some one said: 'You didn't seem to be happy over him, Reed. Who is your friend, anyway?'"

"Reed drawled out, 'He's a fellow from New York who knows more men who don't want to know him than any other man in the United States.'"—Detroit Free Press.

Thiefly Squanderees.

When Napoleon entered Genoa in 1805, the rich patricians of the city exerted themselves to gain the favor of the conqueror by all sorts of flattering attentions. The most elaborate of these was a banquet patterned after the famous one offered by Antony to Cleopatra.

The tables were set in an artificial garden, floating on pontoons, which were towed out to sea during the progress of the feast. At the conclusion of the banquet—again in imitation of Antony and Cleopatra—all the costly gold and silver plate was flung into the sea.

This little tribute of honor to the conqueror was not so expensive as it seemed, for the floating garden was surrounded with nets, and the plate was subsequently recovered.

What Men Like in Men.

Men like in men these traits: The honor that ennobles, the justice that insures the right, the reasonableness that mellow and makes plain, the courage that proclaims virility, the generous instinct that disdains all meanness, the modesty that makes no boast, the dignity that wins respect, the fineness and the tenderness that know and feel. But when one thinks of it more carefully may be not sum it up in just a single sentence and accept it as the truth that all men like a gentleman?—Cosmopolitan.

No Rash Remarks.

"Mrs. McMinn is a very queer widow." "Queer in what way?" "No one has ever heard her say she wouldn't marry the best man that ever lived."—Puck.

THE DEDFORD'S BLACK DRAUGHT THE GREAT FAMILY MEDICINE

Theford's Black Draught has saved doctors' bills for more than sixty years. For the common family ailments, such as constipation, indigestion, hard colds, bowel complaints, chills and fever, biliousness, headache and other like complaints no other medicine is necessary. It invigorates and regulates the liver, assists digestion, stimulates action of the kidneys, purifies the blood, and purges the bowels of full accumulations. It cures liver complaint, indigestion, sour stomach, dizziness, chills, rheumatic pains, headache, backache, kidney troubles, constipation, diarrhoea, biliousness, piles, hard stools and hemorrhoids. Every drug-drugist has Theford's Black Draught in 25 cent packages and in a month size for \$1.00. Never accept a substitute. Insist on having the original made by the Chattanooga Medicine Company.

I believe Theford's Black Draught is the best medicine on earth. It is good for any and everything. I have a family of twelve children, and for four years I have kept them on foot and healthy with no doctor but Black Draught. A. J. GREEN, Ithaca, La.

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