

THE WEEKLY TALLAHASSEEAN AND Land of Flowers.

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JOHN C. TRICE, Ed. and Propr. New York had a dry day last Sunday (all but "de gang"), as the saloons were closed.

President Roosevelt was royally received in Charleston. No sane man expected anything else, and the bigots who did are disappointed.

The Republican policy seems to be reciprocity for things made or grown in the South, and protection for all products of the North.

The government transport service is said to be rotten. What else could be expected, when the Republican party is so rotten that its stench would knock you down.

Peru wants to secure a reciprocity treaty with the United States, on the same terms as Cuba. By all means, and give us reciprocity with other countries. Reciprocity is free trade in a new dress.

The Prince of Wales proposes to visit this country upon the occasion of the opening of New York's new chamber of commerce. The amount of gush that will stop over when the snobs get together will be nauseating.

Careful compilation gives the total strength of the Boer commandos at between 8,000 and 9,000 men. The British have 250,000 men in the field—nearly thirty to one. While the people sympathize with the Boers, and wish them success, it is difficult to see how they are going to overcome such heavy odds.

Brunswick, Ga., is to have a big religious revival, to begin May 14th. If any city on earth needs a revival of the religious sentiment, it is Brunswick. For years the place has been in control of a most corrupt organization of political sharps, who have succeeded in stealing everything they could get their hands on.

Cecil Rhodes had a pet hobby, and that hobby was for a grand Anglo-Saxon union. While his dream may be a long way in the future, one thing can be said in favor of Rhodes, and that is he disposed of his vast wealth in a manner that will benefit a large number of people, and he didn't have any Carnegie strings tied to it, either.

Editor Greer, of the Waycross Journal, has discovered a bull frog with feathers on it. Dr. Dudge, of the same town, recently brought out a horned man, while the numerous jugs shipped into the place have created a whole museum full of boa constrictors, anacondas, and other monster reptiles. Verily, we don't blame Editor Sweat for going out of the newspaper business.

The Brooksville Register has changed hands, having been sold by its proprietors, Col. F. L. Robertson & Son, to Mr. J. C. Burwell, proprietor of the Brooksville Star. Col. Robertson has been in the newspaper business in Brooksville for more than twenty years, and the Register was one of the best weekly papers coming to this office. Mr. Robertson will embark in the journalistic field in Live Oak.

Editor Guy I. Metcalf, of the Tropical Sun, published at West Palm Beach, has sold his interests, goods, will, etc., in that paper to Harlan W. Brush, and from the announcement we infer has engaged in other business. Harry L. Brown will manage the Sun hereafter and promises to make it even a brighter paper than it has ever been. We regret to lose Editor Metcalf from the editorial ranks, for he is a bright writer, but welcome his successors into the arena.

The announcement of Hon. Fred T. Myers for Congress precipitates earlier discussion of our legislative ticket than would otherwise occur. There seems to be a consensus of opinion that Judge Geo. P. Raney will succeed Mr. Myers in the Senate without opposition. For the lower house the names of Geo. I. Davis, of precinct 11; John L. Robison, of precinct 16; E. M. Hopkins, of precinct 13, and W. J. Johnson, of precinct 7, have been mentioned. Things will no doubt soon warm up in this line.

New York is hot after anarchists. The Legislature recently passed an anti-anarchist bill, which has been signed by Governor Odell. The measure is very rigid, and if enforced will cause people with anarchistic tendencies to hid their heads. It imposes a penalty of not more than ten years' imprisonment or more than \$5,000 fine, or both, on persons who either by speech, writing or otherwise, advocate the doctrine of anarchy. It also makes it a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of not more than \$2,000, or imprisonment for not more than two years, or both,

for editors or publishers to permit the publication of books, newspapers or serials advocating anarchy, or for owners, agents, or occupants of houses to harbor avowed anarchists.

IN THE RACE.

In this issue of The Tallahasseean will be found Hon. Fred T. Myers' formal announcement of his candidacy for the suffrages of the voters of the Third Congressional District of Florida. Like the man, there is no subterfuge or meaningless generalities about the announcement. It goes straight to the point with what is to be said at this time and quits, without tiring the reader with platitudes or attempting to confuse him with rhetoric.

Fred T. Myers needs no introduction to the people of the Third Congressional District. As State Senator he is known to every man who has had any connection with politics for the past twelve years. As president of that body some years ago he made a reputation for knowledge of parliamentary law and impartiality toward his fellows second to none who ever held that responsible and exacting position.

As Congressman, Mr. Myers will bring to the new Third Congressional District of Florida the same prestige that he has always commanded for Leon county in the State Senate. He is a lawyer of more than a local or even State reputation, dignified in his bearing, commanding in appearance, forceful and logical in debate, quick at repartee, and, best of all, cool, calm and imperturbable at any time or under any circumstances.

Such a man is needed to represent the new district in Congress, and we believe that the voters comprised in the territory named believe as we do. Nor is personal desire father to the thought in reaching this conclusion. Mr. Myers, before determining to take this step visited a very large portion of the district and has such information from other sections as leads him and The Tallahasseean to believe that the situation is very favorable to him.

ENTITLED TO CONSIDERATION.

The fact that Hon. Fred T. Myers enters the Congressional race many months subsequent to the announcements of other candidates should in no case militate against him. The primary system was adopted by the Democratic party for the purpose of giving every voter an even chance to express his preference at the polls, after considering the issues at stake and the relative merits of the candidates offering for the respective positions.

Relying upon the justice of this well known Democratic principle and the apparent demand throughout the district for his candidacy, Mr. Myers has entered the race unhampered by official duties and prepared to go among the people and discuss the situation wherever and whenever it is desirable. Thus situated, he is entitled to and we believe he will receive the same consideration he would had he entered the race a year ago.

Americans are known as a dyspeptic people. The extent of this disease may be inferred from the multitude of so-called "medicines" offered as a remedy. They are often in tablet form and have no value except as palliatives of the immediate effects of dyspepsia. The man who uses them may feel better, but it is surely getting worse. They do not touch the real cause of the disease. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a medicine specially prepared to cure diseases of the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition. It is not made to give temporary relief, but to effect permanent cure. In ninety-eight cases out of every hundred it cures perfectly and permanently. It has cost Dr. Pierce \$25,000 to give away in the last year the copies of his People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, which have been applied for. This book of 1008 pages is sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay expense of mailing one. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

THE GOVERNOR'S GUARDS.

From time to time there has been a rumor ofloat on the streets that the Governor's Guards intended to disband. This is one account of a lack of interest manifested in the organization by the people. Tallahassee needs a military company, and it would not do to let the Guards disband.

The boys can't stick together without some encouragement, however, and unless something is done to fill up the ranks and revive interest they will be forced to disorganize. A meeting of the company will be held at the armory next Monday night to discuss the question and transact other important business. All members are ordered to be present.

It is said that steps are being taken to organize a colored military company here in case the guards disband. At present there is no room for a colored military organization in the State troops. If the guards should drop out an openings would be made, and a company would be formed in a short time.

GOOD FOR RHEUMATISM.

Last fall I was taken with a very severe attack of muscular rheumatism which caused me great pain and annoyance. After trying several prescriptions and rheumatic cures, I decided to use Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I had seen advertised in the South Jerseyman. After two applications of this Remedy I was much better, and after using one bottle, was completely cured.—Salle Harris, Salem, N. J. For sale by Wight & Bro. and all medicine dealers.

FREE MAIL DELIVERY.

Ocala is to have free mail delivery. The letter boxes have arrived in that city, and the system will be inaugurated about May 15th.

Tallahassee, the Capital City, is content to roll along in the same old ruts. The people go to the postoffice after their mail once a day, when with proper effort they could secure letter carriers and have it delivered to their residences and places of business.

The postage receipts are sufficiently large to entitle the city to free delivery, but we will not get it until an effort in that direction is made. Anything that is worth having is worth going after. Free mail delivery is certainly worth having. It would add a prestige to the town that we would not otherwise possess, but if we want it, we must go after it. This is a settled fact.

A good way to make the start is for the city council to order the street names placed on every corner, and have the houses numbered systematically. After this is done, a petition should be sent to Washington asking that the city be given the free delivery system. The government will then investigate our claims, and in a few months the people will have their mail delivered at their own doors.

CHEAP RATES TO DALLAS, TEXAS, AND RETURN, VIA PLANT SYSTEM.

On account of the Confederate Veterans' Reunion the Plant System will sell tickets on April 18, 19, 20 and 21, to Dallas, Texas, and return at rate of \$19.00 from Monticello; \$21.20 from Jacksonville or Live Oak, and correspondingly low rates from other points limited to return May 2d, but by deposit may be extended to leave Dallas not later than May 15th. A choice of a dozen different routes, with schedules and all information, may be obtained by calling on ticket agents of the Plant D. P. A., shrdleutaohsrduetauoinunuu System, or addressing F. H. Jolly, D. P. A., Jacksonville; J. A. Taylor, D. P. A., Tampa; B. W. Wrenn, Passenger Traffic Manager, Savannah. A14-2f

A PLEASING COMPLIMENT.

"I have been in business in Tallahassee a great many years," remarked one of our most substantial merchants to The Tallahasseean Wednesday. "During my residence here I have taken every newspaper published in the city and have been personally acquainted with the editors." Captain Dyke, the veteran editor of the old Floridian, was conceded to be the brightest newspaper man in Florida. He was an able journalist, and got out a first-class paper, but I want to say, right now, that The Tallahasseean today is the best weekly paper ever published in the State. This is saying a great deal, yet it is the truth, and I am only sorry that you are not getting out a daily."

HIGH PRESSURE DAYS.

Men and women alike have to work incessantly with brain and hand to hold their own nowadays. Never were the demands of business, the wants of the family, the requirements of society, more numerous. The first effect of the praiseworthy effort to keep up with all these things is commonly seen in a weakened or debilitated condition of the nervous system, which results in dyspepsia, defective nutrition of both body and brain, and in extreme cases in complete nervous prostration. It is clearly seen that what is needed is what will sustain the system, give vigor and tone to the nerves, and keep the digestive and assimilative functions healthy and active. From personal knowledge, we can recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla for this purpose. It acts on all the vital organs, builds up the whole system, and fits men and women for these high-pressure days.

DIED SUDDENLY.

Mr. Silas Farnum, a farmer living about two miles south of town, on the Bell Air road, died very suddenly Tuesday night about 9 o'clock. Mr. Farnum had recently been attacked with hemorrhage of the lungs, but nothing serious. All day Tuesday he worked in the field, sowing cotton. Shortly before 9 o'clock he was taken seriously ill, with a choking sensation. The symptoms grew alarming and Mrs. Farmer went to the door and blew a dinner horn to summon one of the tenants, Mr. John Carroll, who lives near. Mr. Carroll hastened over, and found Mr. Farnum breathing his last. No physician was summoned on account of the distance, besides one could not have reached the bedside in time to save the man. The remains were brought to Tallahassee Wednesday afternoon and interred in 50 years old, and leaves a wife only. Undertaker Duncan, who had charge of the interment, in the past year, has buried seven members of this family. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. Trice.

Mr. R. H. Gamble, of Thomasville, was a visitor to Tallahassee Wednesday. Mr. Gamble is manager of the Thomasville ice factory, and principal owner of the big plant recently erected in Jacksonville.

Spring Medicine

There is no other season when good medicine is so much needed as in the Spring.

The blood is impure, weak and impoverished—a condition indicated by pimples and other eruptions on the face and body, by deficient vitality, loss of appetite, lack of strength, and want of animation.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Make the blood pure, vigorous and rich, create appetite, give vitality, strength and animation, and cure all eruptions. Have the whole family begin to take them today. "Hood's Sarsaparilla has been used in our family for some time, and always with good results. Last spring I was all run down and got a bottle of it, and as usual received great benefit." Miss BEULAH BOYCE, Stowe, Vt. Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keeps the promise.

DISGUISED CATARRH.

A Stealthy, Insidious, Weakening Enemy to Women.



REV. HARRIET R. EDWARDS, CLINTON, IA.

Rev. Harriet R. Edwards in a recent letter from Mt. Pleasant Park, Clinton, Ia., writes: "I have found that Peruna is a wonderful medicine to use in diseases peculiar to women. It quickly and permanently restores health and vigor and acts as a natural tonic to a worn-out system. I have so far never observed a case which was not greatly aided by its use."—REV. DR. H. R. EDWARDS.

THERE are a multitude of women, especially housewives, and all other women obliged to be on their feet constantly, who are wretched beyond description, simply because their strength and vitality is sapped away by catarrhal discharges from the pelvic organs. These women get up in the morning tired, drag themselves through their daily duties tired, only to go to bed at night as tired as before.

Peruna is such a perfect specific for each case that when patients have once used it they can never be induced to quit it until they are permanently cured. It begins to relieve the disagreeable

symptoms at once. The backaches, the trembling knees are strengthened, the appetite restored, the digestion made perfect, the dull headache is stopped and the weakening drains are gradually cured. These results certainly follow a course of treatment with Peruna.

Jos. B. Crowley, Congressman from Illinois, writes from Robinson, Ill.:

"Mrs. Crowley has taken a number of bottles of Peruna on account of nervous troubles. It has proven a strong tonic and lasting cure. I can cheerfully recommend it."—JOS. B. CROWLEY.

MESSAGE OF MAYOR.

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city and a delightful resort for the ladies and children of our city, as well as for visitors.

And now, gentlemen of the council, let me congratulate you on your labors for the year just closed. Your efforts have been for the good of the city only, you have carefully guarded its finances, and in all your deliberations you have endeavored to promote and advance its interests. There will be much to engage your serious consideration during the present year, and the suggestions and recommendations herein set forth I feel assured you will meet and deal with in the same spirit that has characterized your actions in the past, having the welfare and best interests of our beloved city at heart.

R. B. GORMAN, Mayor.

Financial statement Board of Public Instruction, Leon county, Fla.

Warrants issued April 1, 1902.

Table with columns for Name, Amount, and Total. Includes names like H. W. Demilly, M. B. Eppes, M. B. Cotten, etc.

TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

Table with columns for Date, Description, Amount, and Total. Includes entries for Feb. 26, March 5, March 31, etc.

Sheriff's Sale.

Henry E. Carmine, Jefferson T. Carmine, Susie Carmine, Lillie Carmine, Nettie Carmine, Willie Carmine and Pi Kari Carmine, minors and infant under age of twenty-one years, by Jefferson T. Carmine, their next friend, complainant, vs. James Richard Carmine, defendant. Under and by virtue of an execution issued out of Circuit Court, Second Judicial Circuit, in and for Leon County, Florida, bearing date April 4, 1902, same being issued upon a decree in above entitled cause pending in Circuit Court Second Judicial Circuit, Leon County, Florida, in Chancery, directed to, and commanding me as sheriff, to levy upon a property of said Susie Carmine, Lillie Carmine, Nettie Carmine, Willie Carmine and Pi Kari Carmine to-wit: South west quarter of southeast quarter of Section 19, Township 2 north, Range 2 East, Nineteen, T. 2 north, R. 2 East, containing 40 acres, situated in Leon County, Florida.

April 4, 1902. J. H. A. PEACE, Sheriff of Leon County.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR LETTERS PATENT.

Notice is hereby given of the intention of the undersigned to apply to the Governor of the State of Florida for Letters Patent, incorporating them, their associates, and successors, into a body politic and corporate by the name of St. Marks and West Coast Railway Company, for the purpose and upon the terms set forth in their proposed charter, a copy of which is given below.

WILLIAM MUSSER, CHAS. R. FOX, WILLIAM KAISER, W. L. ROACH, J. L. GIESLER, C. R. MUSSER, W. D. BURK, FRED. T. MYERS.

CHARTER OF ST. MARKS AND WEST COAST RAILWAY COMPANY.

We, the undersigned, do hereby associate ourselves for the purpose of becoming incorporated under the laws of the State of Florida, to transact for profit the business hereinafter set forth; and we adopt the following as the Charter of the proposed corporation:

I. The name of the corporation shall be St. Marks and West Coast Railway Company; and its principal place of business shall be St. Marks, Florida; but the Board of Directors may establish other places of business within and without the State of Florida. II. The general nature of the business to be transacted by the company is to acquire, build, construct, own, maintain and operate a railroad, for the transportation of freight and passengers, and to do the business of a common carrier, from a point on the St. Marks River, at or near the town of St. Marks, in the county of Wakulla, to the town of Perry, in the county of Taylor, a distance of about forty miles, with such branches and extensions as may be hereafter determined by the Board of Directors of the Company; the said railroad to be made, or being already made, into or through the counties of Wakulla, Jefferson and Taylor, in the State of Florida. III. The said corporation is to have, use, exercise and enjoy all and singular rights, powers, grants, privileges and immunities now, or that may hereafter be conferred on railroad corporations, by the constitution and laws of the State of Florida. IV. The amount of the capital stock shall be Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars, to be divided into twenty-five hundred shares of one hundred dollars each; twenty-five thousand dollars of which must be subscribed and paid in before the said corporation may do any business, as required by law, and the balance thereof to be issued and disposed of and paid for at such time, and in such manner and amounts as the Board of Directors shall determine. V. The said corporation shall exist for ninety-nine years, unless sooner dissolved by operation of law, or by the stockholders. VI. The business of the company shall be conducted by the following officers, viz: a Presi-

Mrs. Wm. Hetrick, Kennard, Washington county, Neb., writes: "I am fifty-six years old and have not felt well since the Char. Life began ten years ago. I was a misery somewhere most of the time. My back was very weak, and my legs tender. It hurt me to lean against the back of a chair. I had pain under my shoulders, blades, in the small of my back and hips. I sometimes waked myself out of this world. Had hot and cold spells, dizziness, and trembling of the limbs, and was losing flesh all the time. "After following your directions and taking Peruna I now feel like a different person."—Mrs. Wm. Hetrick. Barbara Alberty, corner Seventh and Walnut streets, Appleton, Wis., writes as follows in regard to Peruna: "For years I have suffered with backache and severe pains in the side. I doctored so much that I became discouraged. "A school friend told me how very much Peruna had benefited her and I sent out for a bottle, which did more to relieve me than all the other medicine I had ever taken. "I used it faithfully for two weeks and it completely cured me. I have not had any pains since, anywhere, but feel like a new woman. I am truly thankful for what Peruna has done for me."—Barbara Alberty.

Mrs. D. W. Mason, 507 Hawthorne street, New Orleans, La., writes: "I have been taking your Peruna and Manalin and can cheerfully recommend it to all those suffering with the same trouble that I was. I have been suffering for the past two years with female weakness, palpitation of the heart, stomach, kidney and liver disorder, and above all a dreadful cough with smothering spells. I was completely run down. "After I had taken one bottle of Peruna and a few doses of your Manalin, I could sleep soundly, my heart was better, my cough left and I felt immediately upon my nerves, and after taking four bottles according to your directions, I was entirely cured of all my troubles. "I can truthfully say that there is nothing to equal your Peruna and Manalin. I was a different person after taking the second bottle. It is without a doubt the best medicine in the world. Language fails to express my gratitude for this cure. May all bless you."—Mrs. D. W. Mason.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis. Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the company can at any time subject itself shall not exceed five hundred thousand dollars.

The names and residences of the subscribers, with the number of shares taken by each, are as follows: W. L. Roach, Muscatine, Iowa, thirty-five (35) shares. C. R. Musser, Muscatine, Iowa, thirty-five (35) shares. W. L. Kaiser, Muscatine, Iowa, thirty-seven (37) shares. William Kaiser, Muscatine, Iowa, thirty-seven (37) shares. W. D. Burk, Muscatine, Iowa, thirty-five (35) shares. R. Fox, Muscatine, Iowa, thirty-five (35) shares. Fred. T. Myers, Tallahassee, Fla., one (1) share.

In testimony whereof, the said associates have hereunto subscribed their names, this 28th day of February, A. D. 1902.

WILLIAM MUSSER, CHAS. R. FOX, WILLIAM KAISER, W. L. ROACH, J. L. GIESLER, C. R. MUSSER, W. D. BURK, FRED. T. MYERS.

Spring and Summer Millinery

A select assortment of Collars, Ties, Laces and Embroideries.

A full line of Suede and Leather Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Hosiery and Hatters.

Wools, Linens and Braids for Fancy Work.

Miss Adele Gerard, TALLAHASSEE, FLA.