

# Elected on Our Platform.

[Cash Buying and Cash Selling.]

Every Plank of which has stood the test of time. Our performance has always equaled our promises. When we announced through the columns of our local news paper that we would open a store in this City, and the Platform upon which our Business would stand and be conducted, we hadn't the least idea that our plans would prove so popular. We then promised among other things that whosoever traded with us should earn a net saving of from 10 to 25 per cent.

The fact that we were thoroughly in earnest, and as evidence of how well we have kept this promise, we point with pride to the ever increasing number of our Customers.

We expected that the people would be skeptical about this promise and that it would require much of our time to convince our friends and customers that we were thoroughly in earnest in our promise and that they would be carried out to the letter. But the methods of our store have been so pleasing and the saving so apparent that a Customer only has to start on the CASH PLANK of our Plan for once in order that he may be a Cash Buyer thereafter.

Suppose you investigate the Cash Plank in our Platform.

## DUVAL BROS.,

Middle Florida's Pioneer Cash Merchants.

Store at No. 128 S. Munroe St. Tallahassee, Florida.

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

#### Success.

Success—there's nothing like it. It's a winning of the game. A toast to the man who shows that he can do something worthy the name. As half in shade, and half in sun, This world along its path advances. Oh! may that side the sun shines on Be all that ever meets thy glances! Here's a health to thee and thine. Not forgetting me and mine; And when thee and thine Come to see me and mine, May me and mine make thee and thine As welcome as thee and thine Have ever made me and mine.

Mrs. Gordon Pearce has returned from a visit to friends in Madison.

Hon. Nat R. Walker, of Crawfordville, was in the city this week.

Ladies' and Children's Undervests, very cheap, at James'. 39-4t

Miss Lee Harbin, of Quincy, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Cobb.

Mrs. Justice Shackleford has returned from a brief visit to old Tampa friends. Sweaters and Skirts, the cheapest you ever saw, at James'. 39-4t

Mr. Ernest McLin has returned from official visits to Pensacola and Lake county.

Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Ward have returned home from a pleasant visit to Pensacola.

Shetland Floss and Germantown Wool in all colors at James'. 39-4t

Miss Pearl Carrol has returned from a visit to Bainbridge friends.

Miss Sallie E. Blake and Mr. Reiman have returned home from a long summer visit to Asheville.

A complete line of Table Damask and Napkins, at prices to suit all, at James'. 39-4t

Mrs. A. C. Croom and Mrs. W. C. Croom have returned from a visit to relatives in New York City.

Hon. Wm. J. Bryan, chairman of the Board of Control, was at the capital this week on official business.

Mrs. Lewis M. Lively and little daughter have returned from a visit to her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Scott, at Quincy.

The latest in Dress Goods and Trimmings of all kinds can be found at James'. 39-4t

Miss Raney and her small brother, Lamar, have returned from Tampa, where they visited their brother, Hon. Geo. P. Raney, Jr.

Miss Mary Calhoun is expected home from a summer visit to relatives in Alabama.

Mrs. Governor Broward and Miss Josephine Broward, attended by State Chemist R. E. Rose, returned from the Tampa fair on Friday evening.

Zephyr, Shetland Floss and Ice Wool at R. J. Evans'.

Ex-Governor Jennings, who is enjoying some fat pickings as "special counsel" for the Internal Improvement Board, was in the city this week.

Miss Ida Hilson and her brother have opened a neat and attractive little store in the building north of Levy Bros., and are offering 5 and 10-cent articles and Christmas goods at close prices.

For Kid Gloves that will give perfect satisfaction go to James'. 39-4t

Governor Broward has returned from his third visit to the Tampa fair.

See our line of Fascinators, Circulars and Newport Shawls, and Ladies' Blouses. R. J. Evans.

Note interesting change in the regular advertisement of Mr. J. W. Collins, the popular merchant.

Go to Nicholson's and view the many elegant articles suitable for Christmas gifts which his stock contains.

Mrs. Dr. W. E. Lewis and Mrs. Capt. R. V. Dorsey have returned from the Tampa fair, having stopped a short time at Jacksonville on their way home.

Miss Genevieve Parkhill returned Saturday from a visit to Tampa. She is expecting as her guest Miss Vida Claire Knight, of that city, for a brief visit, and will return with her to spend Christmas in a visit to the family of Dr. Howell Lykes.

Subscribe to the True Democrat.

### Naval Stores Operators.

Yesterday and today Jacksonville is well filled with a new class of business men, comparatively speaking, says Thursday's Metropolis. We refer to the manufacturers of naval stores and the dealers in that line of business. A few years ago there was not much of this business done in Florida, but now it covers the State, so to speak, and the product is one of the largest and most valuable yet found. It exceeds the phosphate, timber, fruit and vegetable business, both in volume and in value, and furnishes employment for the State convicts, who heretofore were more or less an expense to the taxpayers, and it was difficult at one time to find employment or lessees for them. With the manufacture of naval stores came the demand for this class of labor, and from \$4 per month each for their labor the price advanced to \$16 and \$17, and there was no expense to the State after delivery to the lessees.

Those engaged in the naval stores business are mostly Southern born and reared and understand the conditions necessary to make it profitable. These naval stores operators are men of broad and liberal view, and as generous as they are prosperous. They are in Florida to make money, but they are not by nature of the close, penurious style, as we have heard of their liberality in many instances; and this, as well as their good deportment, has made them many friends in Florida since their coming here. They are large consumers, and necessarily large purchasers of goods from our merchants, and besides furnish remunerative freight to transportation lines and employment to young men. The operators are law-abiding men, and give the State very little trouble in courts, and have made themselves popular in their respective sections of the State.

They are here now in annual meeting to confer as to the best means of producing and marketing their product, as is told in the local columns of the Metropolis.

Fine Diamonds make fine gifts—for Christmas or any other occasion. Nicholson, the jeweler, has them.

Judge R. Don McLeod, of Crawfordville, was in the city today and made us a pleasant visit.

Nicholson, the jeweler, can sell you Christmas presents—in the shape of Silverware, Watches, Clocks, Cut Glass articles, etc.—as cheap as the cheapest.

Best line of Work Pants ever in Tallahassee, now at Evans'.

Dr. James H. Randolph, assistant physician at the State hospital, with his wife and infant son, made a Sunday visit to relatives in the city.

Mr. W. P. Corbett, of Jacksonville, is visiting his daughter, Miss Alice, a student at the State College for Women.

The Singer Sewing Machine offices have been moved from the telephone building to the old Slusser building next to Mr. Ginsburg's store on Monroe street.

Syrup Barrels for sale at Hightower's. 35-tf

The Leon County School Board was in session Tuesday and transacted the regular routine business for the month. They, with Superintendent Epes, are now putting forth their best efforts to make our schools among the best in the State.

Men's Hats, nice line, going cheap, at Evans'.

The friends of Major J. A. Dupray, who has been absent from his post in the office of Adjutant-General Foster for some weeks, partly on military business and partly on account of illness, are pleased to welcome him back to Tallahassee.

Warranty Deeds, legal form. True Democrat Office.

Miss Clara Bowen, who has been suffering from a protracted spell of fever, is convalescent, and will soon be able to resume her duties in Leon High School, fifth grade, which have been ably performed during her illness by Miss Milton, of Marianna.

**FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR**  
Cures Colds, Prevents Pneumonia

## Print and Prosper!

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All Work promptly done when promised. We never disappoint you.

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#### State Fair Prizes.

The fair at Tampa was a great success, and the premiums awarded were valuable and desirable. Among them were the following:

Marion county, first, \$2,000; Hillsboro, second, \$1,000; Polk, third, \$500; Manatee, fourth, \$250; Alachua, fifth, \$150, and Lee, sixth, \$100. Other premiums awarded were

Largest and best display of citrus fruits, including pineapples \$500, Lee county; largest and best display of agricultural products, \$250, Marion county; largest and best display of vegetables, \$100, Manatee county; largest and best display of horticultural exhibit, with cut flowers and bearing fruit trees, \$200, Baker county; largest and best display of cotton, \$100, Alachua county; largest and best exhibit of tobacco grown in county, \$200, Gadsden county; largest and best display of preserved products, \$50, Lee county; largest and best display of mineral products, \$100, Marion county; largest and best display of native woods, \$100, Marion county; largest and best display of live stock, \$250, Marion county; largest and best display of poultry, \$200, Hillsboro county; largest and best display of manufactured goods, \$100, Hillsboro county; largest and best educational exhibit, Hillsboro county.

#### County Commissioners.

Besides the routine business, to which the Board of County Commissioners devoted the larger part of the day on Tuesday, they appointed a committee consisting of Messrs. W. W. Williams, J. C. Drake and C. B. Allen to lay out a change in the public road near Jackson's Bluff; appropriated \$300 to assist Gadsden county in the building of a bridge across the Ocklockonee river at McCall's landing, and appropriated \$100 to aid the Tallahassee Woman's Club in the improvement of Wayne Square, especially in putting up suitable hitching places thereon for the accommodation of the country people.

This last was an excellent thing to do, and will help largely to keep the wagons and teams off Adams street, which is almost impassable at times when the visitors from the country are numerous.

#### Blanks for Sale.

Among the blank forms kept in stock at The True Democrat office are the following:

Deed—No. 1. Conforming to the statute.  
Deed—No. 2. Same, with extended acknowledgment for dower.  
Mortgage—Nos. 1 and 2, as above.  
Chattel Mortgage or Bill of Sale, with Note.  
Crop Mortgage, with Note.  
Turpentine Lease.  
Promissory Note.  
We also have a supply of "NO ADMITTANCE" signs.  
Call and see them.

#### Death of Dr. Fulwood.

A brief telegram received yesterday by Mr. Geo. W. Saxon from Presiding Elder J. Edgar Wilson announced the sudden death, while in attendance at the annual conference, of Rev. Dr. Fulwood, who was well known and much beloved by all Methodists throughout the State, and especially by those of Tallahassee, where he formerly resided.

His remains will be brought here, it is expected, for interment.



Between You, I and the Lamp Post  
this is the place to buy your

**Christmas Goods**  
as well as your

**HARDWARE,**

**House Furnishing Goods,  
Guns and Ammunition.**

Crockery of all kinds, we sell the best at reasonable prices and would be glad to serve you. Let us try.

**GILMORE & DAVIS CO.**  
TALLHASSEE, - FLORIDA.

#### State Board of Health.

State Health Officer Porter has given notice of a competitive examination to occur at the office of the board in Jacksonville December 20, for the office of assistant to the State Health Officer. Applicants for examination must be bona fide citizens of the State of Florida, graduates of a high school and of a medical college recognized by the American Medical Association, and must also be members of a county medical society of the State of Florida. Examination will be conducted both orally and by written questions and answers, and successful candidates must attain an average of 85 per cent of the questions asked.

The salary of the position is \$1,600 per year, payable monthly, with an increase of 10 per cent after five years' service.

#### Confederate Reunion.

The annual reunion of Confederate veterans at Jacksonville, December 13 and 14, will be an occasion of especial interest, as all of the Florida battle flags recently returned by the U. S. government will be on exhibition at the place of meeting.

The railroads have made a special rate of one cent per mile from all points plus 25 cents; making the rates from this section as follows: River Junction, \$7.45, Tallahassee, \$3.55.

#### For Sale.

A medium-sized second-hand boiler, with equipments, for sale cheap. Apply at this office, or at Leon Hotel, and see it. 31-tf

#### For Fall Gardens.

Turnips and Ruta Baga Seed, finest quality, at Yaeger's. tf

**Notice of Application for Discharge**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I WILL six months after the first publication hereof, make final returns, and apply for my discharge as Administrator of the estate of William A. Nowlin, late of Leon county, deceased.  
JOHN W. HENDERSON,  
Administrator of said estate.

July 28, 1906. 1am-6m.

#### Patent Medicine Tax.

The government has taken active steps regarding the sale of certain patent medicines, and after January 1, all druggists carrying certain patent medicines will be compelled to pay the revenue tax for selling liquor. This decision was recently reached and yesterday a copy of the order was received in Pensacola relative to the same.

The department has made an analysis of a number of the patent medicines which are now on the market and has found that they contain alcohol in large quantities. This examination has been going on for some time and is still in progress. As a result of the investigation the order was sent out that all druggists carrying certain medicines must pay the revenue license for selling liquor. The medicines named in the circular received yesterday are as follows:

Atwood's LaGrippe Specific, Cuban Gingerie, DeWitt's Stomach Bitters, Dr. Bouvier's Buchu Gin, Dr. Fowler's Meat and Malt, Duffy's Malt Whiskey, Gilbert's Rejuvenating Iron and Herb Juice, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, Kudros, Peruna, Rockandy Cough Cure.

Quite an elaborate and interesting celebration of the 250th anniversary of the advent of the Jews in America recently occurred in New York City, at which addresses were delivered by a number of distinguished Americans, including Mayor McClellan and ex-President Cleveland.

The advertisement of the Capital City Livery Stables appears in this issue with the name of Mr. J. P. S. Houston as proprietor, he having purchased the entire establishment and taken possession December 1. Mr. Houston is too well known to everyone in Leon county to need introduction, and has hosts of friends everywhere who will wish him success in his new venture.

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For children, safe, sure. No opium.  
See Collins if you want Job Printing.