



# HOLIDAY HEADQUARTERS



## As Usual Our Stores Will Again Be Headquarters for Xmas Shoppers of Putnam and St. Johns Counties

We wish to announce that our Christmas Departments will be open next Saturday, November 26th, and we also take pleasure in advising that our stocks will be the most complete ever shown in this section of the State, with all new fresh stock and prices in line with the markets of today.

This year the lucky boy will win a real electric train, while the lucky girl will receive a beautiful walking doll. A ticket will be given with every 25c cash purchase, starting with December 1st and the drawing will be held the night before Christmas.



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#### THE BEAUTIFUL DATURA.

Flowers so strictly belong to youth that we adult men soon come to feel that their beautiful generations concern not us, that we have had our day and should now let the children have theirs.

But is there is an adult man soul in Palatka that has not experienced the keenest appreciation of the beauties of the wonderful datura bushes, laden with their bell shaped flowers of virginal purity, he is of base clay indeed. One particularly beautiful is to be seen on River street near the entrance to the Elks club and during the last few evenings, especially when the moon shed its silver sheen upon it, it was celestial in its beauty.

Florida's chief charm is her flora and fauna. We who spend our entire days here lose some of our appreciation until it is roused into keener delights by some great display of the vivid poinciana, the indescribable delicacy of the bougainvillea or the entrancing purity of the datura.

The little flower which sprung up the hard payment of poor Piccola's prison was beautiful from contrast with the dreary sterility which surrounded it. So here, amid rank wastes, are there fresh tokens of nature.

How the universal heart blesses flowers. They are wreathed around the cradle, the marriage altar and the tomb. All these are appropriate uses. Flowers should deck the youthful brow of the bride, for they are in themselves a lovely type of marriage. They should twine around the tomb, for their perpetually re-

newed beauty is a symbol of the resurrection. They should festoon the altar, for their fragrance and their beauty ascend in perpetual worship before the Most High.

Hungary appears to be Hapsburg-proof.

God give us men; and then help us to provide jobs for them.

The significant feature of an American banquet is the dry toast.

As life draws to a close, some men take up religion; and some take up golf.

When the German speculator wins a bale of marks, his are merely paper profits.

Judging by the price they charge for the stuff, they should be called contrabandists.

Old Dobbin had his faults, but you didn't have to jack up one hind foot to get him started on a frosty morning.

Let's see; how was it that men dodged justice before the day of expert witnesses?

You cansay one thing for this age. It is developing some highly trained conferees.

As long as the indemnity remains unpaid, German statesmen will have a promising future.

The average man feels all puffed up with righteousness when he helps a little about the house.

The first step in the direction of disarmament has been the gradual elimination of wrist watches.

Few epidemics are expected, however, in states that won't admit beer for medicinal use.

The wicked part of the movie, deleted by the censor, comes in handy to make up poster illustrations for the advertising.

Too many people can't distinguish between the will of God and a yearning to have their own way.

Still, there would be no worry about the integrity of China if other nations had a little more integrity.

A casual review of those who attend church persuades us that the choir in Heaven will be largely soprano.

In the struggle for commercial supremacy, the nation that can't keep the page probably won't keep the peace.

There is one consoling thing about a war with Japan. It would be a naval war, and the desk men couldn't wear spurs.

The names on the Pullman cars don't really indicate anything. But you can say that about the names on the new novels.

In mentioning the automobile accident near Orange Mills Tuesday night the Times-Union referred to "Powell" Davis as proprietor of a hardware store here. Mr. Davis is not sure whether it was an insinuation or a plain error.

Hello, hello, Bob Holley, did you see what Gilbert Leach said about Christmas? Do you know of any way we can keep it away from Santa Claus?

From the number of alienists and other experts who have been summoned to add their vagaries to the trial of Lena Clarke we imagine that the jury's verdict will be largely a matter of guess work, after all.

This is the last day of the Red Cross roll call. Is your name written there? It is not too late to send your name and a dollar to George Everson. Do it today.

**STRANGLER LEWIS WINS.**  
Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 23.—Ed "Strangler" Lewis, former world's heavyweight wrestling champion, defeated Justina Silva, of Portugal, in a one fall match tonight. Lewis won with a double arm lock in 11 minutes.

**ANNUAL LAND OWNERS MEETING HASTINGS DRAINAGE DISTRICT.**  
Notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, December 14th, 1921, at the hour of 10:30 A. M., at the Casino Theatre, Hastings, St. Johns County, Florida, the Annual Meeting of the Land Owners of the lands situate in the Hastings Drainage District will be held for the purpose of electing one Supervisor of said District for the term of three years and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

At such election each and every acre of land in the District shall represent one share and each and every owner shall be entitled to one

vote in person or by proxy in writing, duly signed, for each and every acre of land owned by him in said District.

**HASTINGS DRAINAGE DISTRICT**  
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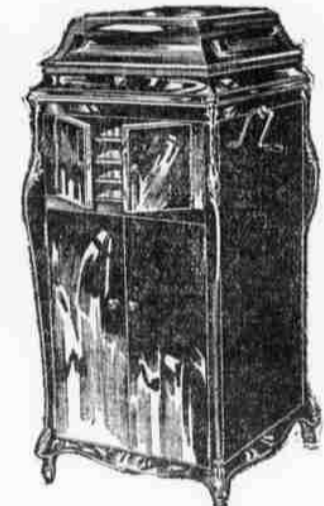
**WHEN WORKING FORCES ARE CUT**  
In times of business depression the poorest workers are laid off first and efficiency men and women retained. Backache, stiff muscles, aching joints, swollen hands and feet, rheumatic pains, bladder weakness and other symptoms of kidney trouble keep many persons from doing their best. John Geo. Bayer, Jr., 2142 Brighton Rd., N. E., Pittsburgh, Pa., writes: "I am relieved of all kidney trouble now, but the only relief was Foley's Kidney Pills. I am now well and strong; no more getting up at nights." For sale by J. H. Hawabton.

**NOTICE.**  
In order to handle the orange business in connection with the Clyde Steamship Company, it will be necessary to change the schedule as follows:  
Effective Saturday, November 26th, the following schedule of Palatka & Jacksonville Steamboat Line "Steamer Pilot Boy," will be in effect:  
Leave Jacksonville every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 3:00 P. M.  
Leave Palatka every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8:30 P. M.  
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