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## Fearnside Clothing Co

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At all Reliable stores the discriminating mother asks for Mrs. Jane Hopkins Boy-Proof Clothes

### The County Commissioners.

At the November meeting of the board of county commissioners on Wednesday all the members were present. R. R. Price acted as clerk in the absence of his father who was in attendance upon the circuit court.

John Dallow, Palatka's ferryman, appeared before the board to advocate a discontinuance of Sunday trips and the matter was left to the chairman of the board.

S. F. King was appointed county game warden with compensation at \$50, at least a part of which he is expected to collect in fines of which he retains one-half. If there is a deficiency the county is to pay him the balance.

The petition from Melrose for its pro rata of road tax was granted.

The Orange Springs and Johnson road was changed back to the original route.

A petition for a bridge across little Rice Creek was referred to Commissioners Canova and Strickland.

G. F. Builard's bill for compiling agricultural statistics, to amount of \$135 was ordered paid.

Lucinda Font's was placed on the pauper list at \$2 50 per month; Reuben Evan at \$2, and Mrs. Jennie Livingston at \$2.

The proposition of W. R. Massey, a turpentine operator at Ft. Brooke, to hire county convicts at \$10 per year was accepted.

The clerk was instructed to advertise for bids for building a bridge across the bay at Yelvington.

Notary public bonds of E. E. Haskell, Jno. A. Germond and Charlotte I. Phillips were approved.

The Mayor of Interlachen was notified to have bridge across creek in that place, on Gainesville and Palatka road, repaired.

**Votaries of Moharrum Temple No. 119 D. O. K. K.**

The 20th day of Ramadan, 9th month of the year 1323, A. H., or in the words of the infidel, Friday, Nov. 17th, 1905, has been set apart as a day of worship for the sacred followers of Mohammed and for the introduction into our mystic circle of those neophytes who are clamoring for knowledge and who desire to prove their valor by undergoing such hardships as we in our wisdom may prescribe. Therefore, our wisest and faithful votaries of Moharrum No. 119. Look to thy trappings, massage the sinews of thy camel, rasp the molars of thy tigers, stretch the outside of thy limbs, buckle thy girth-strings tight about thee, see that thy knapsack is well filled, and bid thee to the oasis of Jacksonville, on that date, prepared to receive all infidel tyros within our fold. I have spoken.

S. T. SHAYLOR, Royal Vizier.

It is so recorded. W. D. DeCOTTES, Secretary.

"With mirth and laughter let old wrinkles come." Your pleasures will be multiplied, your cares destroyed. Drop your business for awhile, join the caravan which will guide the initiated to the fair oasis, where sparkles Zion Zem's cooling waters. Ring around arosy.

See the tiger's eye, Feel the camel's humpity hump. Coming through the rye. Gay old owls are blustering. All around the hall. Everyone is jolly. Seeing the tyros fall. Plasters for split sides can be had if desired. Soothing syrups and divans for those who are tired.

Dr. Armstrong is meeting with grand success in eye troubles and nervous complications. He is well endorsed throughout the state. Anyone suffering with any eye or nervous trouble should see him while on his professional visit. Dr. Armstrong leaves his home office in charge of able specialists. He will be here in person Nov. 12 and 13 at the Arlington. Will also stop one day at Hawthorne, on the 11th.

## Go to Palatka Produce Company

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## SUMMARY OF ELECTION NEWS.

Interest in the elections of last Tuesday generally centered on the New York and Philadelphia contests and on the state election in Ohio.

In New York, McClellan, democrat, wins in a hot three-cornered fight by the smallest plurality on record for a successful mayoralty candidate. His plurality over Hearst, municipal ownership candidate, is but 3,485. Mr. Hearst's managers claim evidence of illegal acts against 1,000 inspectors of election, and that 30,000 of his adherents were turned back from the polls because their names had already been voted. District Attorney Jerome has announced he will immediately make a searching investigation of the alleged wholesale frauds, and has ordered the returns from the 18th and 6th assembly districts carefully guarded. These are the home districts of Tammany Leader Murphy and Tim Sullivan.

With two election districts to be heard from today, District Attorney Wm. T. Jerome, independent, had a plurality over James W. Osborne, democrat, for district attorney of 11,450 votes. The totals for district attorney, not including the two districts missing, were: Jerome 119,688; Osborne 108,188; Shearn, municipal ownership, 72,492; Flammer, republican, 35,348.

All through Ohio the belated returns showed republican losses and republicans concede Pattison's plurality reaches 25,000. The democrats claim Pattison's plurality approximately 55,000, which would elect the entire democratic ticket. The legislature is democratic.

The city's (reform) plurality in Philadelphia is 43,333 for sheriff. The upthoal was the greatest in Pennsylvania for many years.

The Maryland legislature is democratic, and Atkinson, democrat, for comptroller, is elected.

In Rhode Island the republican gubernatorial candidate has a plurality of 4,342.

In Massachusetts democratic threats are made of a recount of the vote for lieutenant governor, Draper, the republican candidate, having received less than 2,000 plurality.

Every candidate of the union labor party in San Francisco was elected by substantial majorities; in Salt Lake the anti-Mormon victory is made complete by the election of the entire American party city ticket.

In Kentucky the legislature which will elect a successor to Senator Blackburn is heavily democratic. The democrats elected a mayor in Louisville by about 2,500.

Nebraska was swept by the republicans. Returns from other states and cities show no notable changes.

### POMONA.

J. D. Wyeth has returned from his summer outing in Cambridge, Mass.

S. E. Peck was a visitor to Palatka Monday.

P. M. Ulsh of Jacksonville, lumber buyer, was in town on business with Raybon & Co., Saturday.

Rev. Mr. Rector of Como preached a splendid sermon Sunday afternoon at Pomona church. The service was well attended and enjoyed, it being the first service since May.

The Halloween party given by the V. I. A. ladies at the hall was a great success. The first part of the evening was given up to marches by the young people, all dressed in most astonishing costumes. After the unmasking there were various amusements consisting of a fish pond out of which were drawn many valuable articles, and which was extremely well patronized by the small fry. Then there was "Madam Zambesi," who did a rushing business telling fortunes. Later came the serving of ice cream and cake and the playing of some games. The hall was beautifully lighted by Japanese lanterns, and jack-o-lanterns, made by the school boys, found dark corners in which to smile undisturbed. The affair was very enjoyable all around, and attended by people from adjoining towns as well as the home folk. The next function given by the V. I. A. will be a social Friday evening at which a good time is promised to all who care to attend.

Miss Nellie Cook, who has been the guest of Mrs. Sandusky in Jacksonville, returned home Friday.

Miss Helen Steinmetz of Norris-town, Pa., is here for a few days, the guest of her friend, Miss Emma L. Olmstead.

W. P. Johnson arrived home Sunday from Blackshear, Ga., where he was called by the death of his brother, Russell Johnson.

### This Reads Good.

NOTICE—Commencing with train No. 10, Monday evening 18th, trains on G. S. & F. R'y will leave from the new depot instead of from Union station. O. V. WILSON, Agt., G. S. & F.

WHEN YOU HAVE A BAD COLD. You want a remedy that will not only give quick relief but effect a permanent cure. You want a remedy that will relieve the lungs and keep expectation easy. You want a remedy that will counteract any tendency toward pneumonia. You want a remedy that is pleasant and safe to take. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets all of these requirements and for the speedy and permanent cure of bad colds stands without a peer. For sale by Ackerman-Stewart company.

A reliable piano tuner from Ludden-Campbell-Smith Co. of Jacksonville will be in Palatka the middle of next week, orders left at Chas. E. Rowton will receive prompt attention. I. T.

FOR SALE—One castrated high-grade young Jersey cows and leifers all bred to registered Jersey Bull. An exceptional desirable lot. J. A. STEWART, Clinton, Ga. 10-13-05.

### The Street Car Case.

Some interest attaches to the case of the city against the Palatka and Heights Street Railway company now being heard before Judge Willis in the circuit court, and at a special term called for the purpose.

The City of Palatka has brought this suit for the purpose of annulling the franchise of the street railway company, alleging that the company has not complied with the terms of its franchise regarding grades and conditions of track, etc.

During Tuesday and Wednesday the time of the court was occupied in hearing argument of counsel on points of law with the jury outside.

The introduction of testimony began on Wednesday afternoon and was continued throughout the day yesterday and this morning. There were many witnesses to examine both for the city and the street car company.

In so far as the attorneys in the case are concerned it is a battle of the giants at the Palatka bar. Hon. S. J. Hilburn appears for the city as city attorney, and Judge Robert W. Davis of Tampa, for years a leader at the Palatka bar, represents the street railway company. These men are old time partners and this is the first time they have ever been arrayed against each other. There have been some hot tilts.

In the city the case is facetiously referred to as "the livery stables versus the street cars," and there does appear to be some animus. The people generally are not taking much interest in the outcome.

The street railway is a shabby concern run on a mule basis. The best that can be said in its favor is that its owner has promised to give a cash bond to back up his promise, just as soon as the city puts its streets in condition to warrant the change.

The streets of Palatka are not now, nor have they ever been in such condition as to warrant maintenance of track grades. This condition will be remedied within the next year, after the completion of the lot connections to the sewers, and the laying of the water pipes for the new municipal company.

The case may be brought to an end today.

### Tuesday Night's Fire.

A fire on Tuesday night destroyed the hall of St. Joseph's Aid society, one small store and the dwellings of seven negroes, all in one block of Gillistown suburb.

The fire originated by the overturning of a lamp in the small corner store. The negro in charge of the store ran when he saw the blazing oil on the floor. Had he fought the blaze at its inception the fire might have been averted.

It was Mrs. O'Leary's cow that kicked over the lamp that destroyed Chicago. It was a Gillistown ass who kicked over a lamp that would have destroyed a big part of Palatka last Tuesday night had the wind been in the right direction. As it was the fire destroyed everything in its path except possibly one or two small shanties away from the direction of the fire, and these were saved by bucket brigades.

The water supply was a failure. The fire boys couldn't throw a stream, to the top of a one story shanty. They did nobly with what little water force they had. One of two of them had their whiskers scorched and their clothes nearly burned off in the battle. Frank Hagan was one of them. When a cross-bar at the top of an electric light pole caught fire an effort was made to put it out but the water stream wouldn't reach within 10 feet of the blaze and the effort had to be abandoned.

The fire raged hot and furious from 9 o'clock to 10:15, when its spread was stopped from lack of material. It was the biggest fire Palatka has seen in years and the whole city turned out. The loss is comparatively small. The buildings were inexpensive homes, but they were homes and to be deprived of them means much to the unfortunate occupants.

Tom Holden owned three of the building and he valued them at \$250 each. His insurance on the three is about \$400.

Much of the contents of the buildings were saved. The fire boys responded promptly and worked intelligently with what little water they had.

### Bazaar and Supper.

The ladies of St. Monica's church are preparing to give a bazaar and supper on Saturday evening, Nov. 11th. All who have attended these bazaars in former years know what a pleasant time and what a really excellent supper is in store for them on the coming occasion. The menu for the supper will be as follows:

- Roast Turkey, Cranberry Sauce
- Roast Beef, Baked Ham,
- Chicken Salad,
- Roast Pork and Apple Sauce,
- Scalloped Potatoes,
- Chicken Pie,
- Baked Corn, Baked Beans,
- Coffee.

### Mrs. Anderson of Florida.

Mrs. Patton Anderson returned to Palatka this week from her summer's visit with relatives and friends in her "old Kentucky home." Mrs. Anderson is frequently mentioned in the press as "Mrs. Anderson of Florida," a distinction given her as due to her position as honorary president of the U. D. C. of the state, and from the further fact that she is among the last surviving widows of the distinguished Confederate generals who played a conspicuous part in the stirring war events of the '60's.

The Bowling Green (Ky.) Times in mentioning her recent visit to that place, says: "Mrs. Patton Anderson, of Florida, arrived in the city last night to visit friends here and attend the meeting of the U. D. C. She is the guest of Mrs. John E. DuRose, on Chestnut street."

"Mrs. Anderson is the widow of Gen. Patton Anderson, who was one of the most distinguished officers in General Bragg's army. Gen. Anderson commanded a division in Gen. Polk's corps, and Gen. Polk was killed. During this engagement he received orders to dislodge the enemy from behind a line of breast-works they had hastily thrown up. Just in front was an old field through which the Confederates would have to charge. Gen. Anderson gave the command to charge, but his men, worn out with hunger and loss of sleep, almost to a man dropped to the ground. Whereupon General Anderson rode out into the field in view of the enemy, about 300 yards distant, and rode down the line calling to his men to get up and charge. The federal soldiers were so impressed with his bravery that they cheered him. He turned, and raising his hat, acknowledged the compliment. Just at this moment a minnie ball struck him in the mouth, cutting off part of his tongue and tearing away his side of his face. He immediately turned and rode back through his lines and was caught by one of his aides as he was falling from his horse. It was thought that he would not recover, but he did, though he was never fit for field service again."

He died in Memphis, Tenn., a few years after the close of the war."

### Entertainment Committee.

St. Johns lodge K. of P. of this city is making arrangements for the entertainment of the grand lodge which convenes here in 21st annual session on March 14th, next. The following committee was recently appointed and will have charge of arrangements:

Past Grand Chancellor Herbert Crook, chairman, G. L. Representatives R. H. Cooper, H. A. Davis, L. C. Stephens, and Chancellor Commander J. H. Yalverson, Jr., with an auxiliary committee consisting of Messrs. F. D. Wattle, Henry McKenzie and J. D. Baky.

While the time for the meeting of the grand lodge may seem distant, yet the local lodge believes in doing things properly and the committee is now on the move getting everything in shape for a royal entertainment of the governing body of Pythians in the domain of Florida.

### For Library Benefit.

The executive committee and ladies interested in the Public Library announce a "Checker Board Party" for the benefit of that institution on the evening of the 28th inst. The place will probably be the Armory.

The checkers at a party of this kind are composed of young men and women and they are moved about by the players as on a checker board. It is novel, entertaining.

At the conclusion of the game all will be invited to participate in a dance to good music. Refreshments will be served. There will be a good time. Attend and thereby assist the library.

### Big Contract For Stanton.

The Stanton Foundry and Machinery company of this city has been awarded a contract for furnishing castings for the sewerage at Lake City.

This is one of the biggest orders of the kind ever placed in the state and reflects credit upon this growing company, whose phenomenal success every citizen of Palatka has a pride in. Nothing seems too big or too small for this concern to take hold of in the shape of castings or iron work and it is continually adding and increasing the facilities of its already extensive plant.

### No Poison in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

From Napier New Zealand, Herald: Two years ago the Pharmacy Board of New South Wales, Australia, had an analysis made of all the cough medicines that were sold in that market. Out of the entire list they found only one that they declared was entirely free from all poisons. This exception was Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, made by the Chamberlain Medicine Company, Des Moines, Iowa, U. S. A. The absence of all narcotics makes this remedy the safest and best that can be had; and it is with a feeling of security that any mother can give it to her children.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is especially recommended by its makers for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. When taken in these it respects circumstances. This remedy is for sale by Ackerman-Stewart Drug Company.

## If Your Boy or Girl

Have the reputation for being hard on shoes, perhaps it's because they have not been wearing the CURRY & LANE kind. We have dozens of "rough house" youngsters on our list who wear our Shoes steadily for six months without showing a break. What we can do for them we can do for your boy.

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