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TO YOUNG MEN.

Jan Kubelik, the violinist, arrived in New York last week and it is said that he carried his left hand in a muff. That left hand is insured for $250,000.

There are not many left hands worth that amount of money.

But were Kubelik to lose his left hand or to suffer permanent disability by accident or disease it would be an end of his violin playing.

The violinist gets his tones by the use of the fingers of the left hand. It is not the right hand which makes the flourishes that produce the variety of sounds. It is in the trained fingers of the left one which carries the violinist's intellect and feeling to their very tips. These sensitive fingers know to a hair's breadth just where to place themselves to give out the subtle shades of music.

Kubelik's fingers are educated fingers.

That is why they are worth 50,000 apiece.

Just so great orchestra leaders might well insure their ears for a large sum. They have educated ears and therefore valuable. Their marvelously sensitive drums detect instantly the slightest discord in the great orchestra.

And just so Burne-Jones could well afford to insure his eyes. Without them he could not paint a "Vampire." Those eyes take in subjective beauty and make it objective. Without them the artist is helpless. They are more valuable than ordinary eyes because they are better educated.

True such men had predilections for their work. But they made their fingers and eyes and ears valuable by toiling at tasks hourly, daily, yearly. There is no other way.

Note this:

You can not make finger, eye, ear, brain valuable by rubbing any wonderful lamp of Aladdin's. There is only one way by which values can be created—values moral, intellectual or material—by old-fashioned, ceaseless, conscientious labor.

And again:

Energies must be concentrated. The world is asking of every man not "what do you know?" but "what can you do?" If you can do some one thing better than your fellows—play a violin, conduct an orchestra, paint a picture, write a book, run a locomotive, till a farm, manage a store—why the world will give you a cordial invitation to do that one thing. The world, like Diogenes, is always looking for a man. It will pay a big premium to the man who adds value to himself.

The EDITORIAL GRAFTER.

In a recent article in The Sun, Gov. Broward states that Florida is "afflicted with a sprinkling of editors who sell editorials for so much an inch—sentiment thrown in." The Monticello News suggests the compiling of a list of the guilty editors, and the Tallahassee True Democrat demands publicity and punishment for those whom the cap fits.

Modern society is pretty thoroughly aroused over this graft evil and in many places is hunting down its enemies. There is a leaven of this reform even now at work in Florida and if the News mistakes not it was injected at Tallahassee, but up to the present time has not met with the hearty approval of the governor.

'Frinstance:

The insane asylum graft and the state printing graft and—but these are enough for purposes of illustration.

The editorial grafter is an enemy of the state and should be exposed.

And so is the political grafter.

But the graft, in either case, could never exist but for the men behind the grafter.

Is Governor Broward deeply concerned in finding and naming these men? That is of vastly more importance to the public than the listing of impecunious editors who "sell editorials at so much an inch—sentiment thrown in"—to candidates anxious to buy and whose only concern is to secure editors who will stay bought.

The Monticello News can secure a list of offenders. That's easy.

The Sun has a list, and promises to give it publicity in the event that the offenders sin again. And the Sun man is just the chap to do it and do it proper.

The Sun, Florida's new weekly journal of cartoon and comment, with A. K. Taylor as cartoonist and Claude L'Engle as commentator, has been three weeks in the field and every number has proved a gem. There is point to its cartoons and pith in its comments, which embrace all matters of state interest. The Sun promises to be—in fact already is—the most widely read journal in Florida and is bound to exercise a powerful influence on all questions affecting the industrial and political welfare of the state. It is too late in the season to wish the Sun success, (it already has that) but it is not too late to express the hope that it may continue to grow and prosper to the extent of a big bank account.

The newspaper fraternity of Florida will grieve at the destruction of the DeSoto County News office and plant in the Arcadia fire. The plant was valued at $4,000 and there was no insurance.

Some idea of the value of the shipping on the Great Lakes may be had when it is known that in the three big storms this fall nearly $7,000,000 of vessel property has been wrecked and 149 lives have been sacrificed.

Gov. Broward is still actively engaged in defending the administration of his predecessor. Better give more thought to easing of the labors of his successor by looking well after the things that are his own.

Congressman Frank Clark introduced a resolution in congress on Monday providing for the admission of Oklahoma and Indian Territory as one state. Is it possible the eloquent congressman from Lake City is arranging for a return to the "wild and wooly."

Ex-Congressman Charlie Dougherty has been engaged to write a series of sketches concerning Florida's great and small politicians for Claud L'Engle's Sun. Dougherty is a great story teller and his storehouse is bulging with good ones. The series will be awaited with interest. They are to appear exclusively in The Sun.

The St. Augustine Record company is to build a new brick two-story office building. The Record is is one of the best equipped printing establishments in the south and its business, which extends over several states, had grown to such proportions as to make the enlargement of its quarters imperative.

The anti-hog men of Orange county are preparing trouble for the legislative candidates in that county. A recent public meeting announced that all legislative candidates in next year's primary must declare themselves in favor of a local option nofence law for Orange county in order to receive the support of the antis. The times promise to be such as to call for "real slick" politicians.

"The new county superintendent of schools in Duval county was a mail route agent two weeks ago and was defeated for the office in the primary," says an exchange. Well, what of it? Hasn't he been promoted? And isn't that really the direction in which men should go? The man to sneer at is not the one who advances, but the one who retrogrades.

ETIQUETTE AMONG PEERS.

Rules Laid Down to Preserve the Dignity of Their Chamber.

Besides insisting upon all due respect to themselves the peers suffer no disrespect to the stately gilded chamber in which they are accustomed to assemble. Even when parliament is not in session none but members are allowed to be covered there. Not even the eldest son of any peer may wear his hat in the room. "Neither is any person to stay there, nor any attendant on any nobleman but while he brings in his lord, and then he is to retire himself."

In 1703 official notice was taken of the fact that of late the doorkeepers have frequently presumed to come within the doors when the house is sitting, and it was therefore ordered that for the future this liberty be forbidden. Another point in which the peers are scrupulous to preserve their dignity is revealed in the standing order with reference to conferences between the two houses.

It sets forth that "the place of our meeting with the lower house upon conference is usually the painted chamber, where they are commonly before we come and expect our leisure. We are to come thither in a whole body and not some lords scattering before the rest, which both takes from the gravity of the lords and besides may hinder the lords from taking their proper places. We are to sit there and be covered, but they are not at any committee or conference either to be covered or sit down in our presence unless it be some infirm person and that by connivance in a corner out of sight, to sit, but not to be covered."

Although never rescinded, this regulation is now practically obsolete.—Chambers' Journal.

People Will Talk.

You may go through this world,
but it will be very slow
If you listen to all that is said as you go;
You'll be worried, and fretted, and kept in a stew,
For meddlesome tongues must have something to do;
And people will talk.

If quiet and modest, you'll have it presumed
That your humble position is only assumed,
You're a wolf in sheep's clothing, or else you're a fool;
But don't get excited—keep perfectly cool,
For people will talk.

And then if you show the least boldness of heart,
Or a slight inclination to take your own part,
They will call you an upstart, conceited, and vain;
But keep straight ahead—don't stop to explain,
For people will talk.

If you dress in the fashion, don't seek to escape,
For they criticise then in a different shape;
You're ahead of your means, or your tailor's unpaid,
But mind your own business—there's naught to be made,
For people will talk.

Now the best way to do is to do as you please,
For your mind, if you have one, will then be at ease;
Of course, you will meet with all sorts of abuse
But don't think to stop them—it ain't any use.
For people will talk.

—Exchange.

LATE STATE NEWS.

Live Oak is to have a new opera house.

The Manitee hotel has been rebuilt at considerable expense

Stetson University foot ball team defeated Rollins College Thanksgiving by a score of 39 to 0.

Marion county got first prize money at the Tampa State Fair. Marion got into the first prize habit some years ago.

The Ocala Star is authority for the statement that Marion county went wet in the election of last week because the negroes voted solidly for the sale of liquor.

Gainesville has a woman dentist, and since the fact has been generally known dental work is not considered so painful in Gainesville as it had been before.—Times-Union.

Sumner Langford, a young white man of Dutton, was run over by a train at that place last Wednesday and his body cut in two. He was attempting to board a freight train.

Sister Mary Ann of Jacksonville provided Thanksgiving dinners to 97 prisoners in Jacksonville jails and at the conclusion of the meal visited each one and presented fruits and smoking material.

The annual reunion of Confederate Veterans will be held in Jacksonville next Wednesday and Thursday and the people of Jacksonville are preparing to give the old soldiers a good time.

The total license tax collected in Duval county since October 1st is $94,005.50. Of this amount the state treasurer has received $59,795,25 and the county treasurer $34,210,25. Most of it was paid for the privilege of selling liquor in Jacksonville.

The annual conference of the Florida M. E. church, south, is in session at Ocala, with Bishop Candler presiding. There will be the usual shake-up of preachers and none of them will know really "where they are at" before Monday morning.

Miss Louise Bohannon of St. Augustine has purchased of Gay Bros. of Pisgah, Ky., the show mare, Anne Randolph, for which she paid $1,500. The show mare, American Girl, was purchased the same day from the same firm by Thos. W. Lawson of Boston for $3,000.

The Supreme Court is expected to pass on the constitutionality of the Buckman law this week. Should the dicision go against the Buckman law the governor would probably call an extra session of the legislature to straighten out the educational entanglement.

The Daytona Daily News has made its appearance and will continue through the tourist season. T. E. Fitzgerald is the editor and E. M. Canova the city editor. Both are young men of ability in the newspaper profession. The first issue of the paper was filled with news items and live advertising.

John Geer a convict guard at Ocala shot and killed Marie Geer, a member of the submerged demimonde, last Saturday night and made good his escape. The woman was evidently his wife from whom he had been separated, as a marriage certificate dated from Americus, Ga., was found among the woman's papers.

Frankie Williams, a little colored girl of Jacksonville, bitten by a mad dog six weeks ago, died of hydrophobia on Saturday night. The marshal of Jacksonville, on orders from the health officer, is killing all dogs caught running at large on the streets and the marshal says the slaughter will be kept up until the city is free of them.

Mrs. May Pierce of this state has been awarded $20,000 damages against the Seaboard Air Line R'y for the death of her husband in an accident near Fernandina. The trial occurred in Savannah last Saturday. Mrs. Pierce sued for $40,000, but did not expect to get that much. The railway company of course has appealed the case.

The matrimonial fever is playing havoc with the Dade county schools, and the epidemic shows no sign of abatement. Delray is the latest sufferer, the newly appointed principal at that place, Miss Willie King, having tendered her resignation to County Superintendent Hall, giving as her reason the fact that she is soon to be married.—Tropical Sun.

Practically the entire business portion of Arcadia was destroyed by fire on Thanksgiving night. The losses will aggregate $200,000 with only partial insurance. The fire was started from the rear of Gore & Scott's general merchandise and spread rapidly with the wind. Dynamite was used to stop the flames, but without avail. The city will be rebuilt with brick.

A Shoe That Altered History.

After the fall of Anne Boleyn the pope prepared overtures of reconciliation so favorable to King Henry VIII. that he determined to accept them. A representative was sent from Rome with the dispatches, and when within a day's journey from Calais his horse cast a shoe and fell lame. As it was a favorite, the messenger determined to wait a day that the poor animal might rest and recover. Next day the journey was resumed, but on the day that London was reached Henry had been married to Jane Seymour, a Protestant, Anne had been beheaded, and all hope of reconciliation with the papacy was at an end. The cast shoe had thus changed the bent of English church history.

Very Important.

"Uncle John, should I be justified in writing to a young man who has never written to me?"

"Only on very important business, my dear."

"Well, this is important business. I want him to marry me!"—Illustrated Bits.

In some South American tribes the women draw the front teeth, esteeming as an ornament the black gap thus made.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888 Laws of Florida.

Notice is hereby given that W. C Townsend, purchaser of tax certificate No. 829, dated the 4th day of Nov., A. D. 1895, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Putnam county, Florida to wit:

Gov't lot 8, W of river, section 35, township 12, range 26—33¼ acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of W. A. Bryan Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 30th day of December, A. D. 1905.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 23d day of November, A D 1905.
[Seal] JOSEPH PRICE,
Clerk circuit court, Putnam Co. Florida.
By R. Raymond Price, dep. clerk.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida.

Notice is hereby given that W. C. Townsend, purchaser of tax certificate No. 852, dated the 4th day of April, A. D., 1893, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made appication for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Putnam county, Florida, to wit:

Lot 1, W bank of river, section 35, township 12, range 26—66½ acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Unknown. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 30th day of December, A D 1905.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 23d day of November A D 1905.
[Seal] JOSEPH PRICE,
Clerk Circuit Court, Putnam Co., Florida.
By R. Raymond Price, dep. clerk.

Notice of application for Tax Deed under section 8 of chapter 4888, Laws of Florida.

Notice is hereby given that J. C. Strickland, purchaser of tax certificate No. 4, dated the 6th day of July, A. D. 1903, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Putnam county, Florida, to-wit:

Sw¼ of sw¼, section 33, township 8, range 24—40 acres

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Chas. H. Derby. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 23d day of December, A. D., 1905.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 16th day of Nov., A. D. 1905.
[seal] JOSEPH PRICE,
Clk. Circuit Court Putnam co., Florida

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888 Laws of Florida.

Notice is hereby given that T. F. Baker, purchaser of tax certificate No. 668, dated the 3rd day of April, A. D., 1893, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Putnam county, Florida, to wit:

Lot 3 and N 16 A of lot 4, bk 13, pge 258 section 3, township 11, range 26—56 acres.

Said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of S. M. Morton. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 23rd day of December, A. D. 1905.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 15 day of November A. D. 1905.
[Seal] JOSEPH PRICE,
Clk Circuit Ct Putnam county, Florida.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida.

Notice is hereby given that W. C. Townsend, purchaser of tax certificate No. 844, dated the 2nd day of July, A D 1900, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Putnam county, Florida, to-wit:

W½ of nw¼, and nw¼ of sw¼, section 34, township 12, range 26—120 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Unknown. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 30th day of December, A. D. 1905.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 23d day of November, A D 1905.
[SEAL] JOSEPH PRICE,
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Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that six months after the date hereof, to-wit, on the 27th day of April, A. D. 1906. I will apply to the County Judge of Putnam County, Florida, for a discharge from the further administration of the estate of Julia B. Wade, late of said county, deceased.

J. H. HARP, Administrator.
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