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PENSACOLA, FLORIDA, TUESDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 30, 1909.

The big black cigar will shortly be in season.

To save for Christmas time—aye, there's the rub!

The last of the 10-cent-a-mile Congressmen is packing his grip for Washington.

The Iowa girl who braced the speaker of the house on tag day got a dime. Generous Uncle Joel!

Yale made \$80,000 on football this year. The wholesale knocking the dirt from game received was a mighty good advertisement for this sport as applied to the colleges.

The worst of the recent cases of turkey indigestion are yielding to treatment. The fellow who aims to fast for 4 day or two after his Thanksgiving gluttony is the wise citizen.

The ears of Daniel Thew Wright, political friend and protégé of Joe Foraker, must fearfully and wonderfully burn whenever Sam Gompers sets out to talk about the Washington courts.

Mayor-elect Gaynor, of New York, digested his seven-foot mince pie. Now, probably, "Finny" Connors is more positive than ever that William J. Gaynor is the logical gubernatorial nominee for 1910.

"Much ado about nothing" says the Miami Metropolis, in touching up briefly all this howl and hullabaloo about Col. Astor's missing yacht, which, it appears, never was very far out of sight of land. Correct!

Honestly, we refuse to labor under any impression save that the finest Indian summer weather ever handed out to the universe is that with which we have been supplied in Florida during this year of grace 1909.

The recent feud murders in a West Virginia county, in which a mother and her daughter fell together, read almost as wild a tale as some of the feud bloodsheds in Breathitt and other notoriously lawless counties of old Kentucky.

The senate would probably welcome Mr. Fairbanks without those cold-blooded, glum, sardonic whiskers of his. The California trip that resulted in his separation from his undesirable hirsute adornments may help the man from the Wahash country later on.

"Sunny Jim" Sherman will now have to drop, at least for a part of the day, his electioneering in favor of a supreme court appointment for one of his Utica heels. The senate gavel will claim a small fraction of his time.

Happy Chicago! The retail price of turkey has dropped from 30 to 18 cents—now that the principal day for turkey consumption is done with for a twelvemonth. Will Windy City folks be able to buy their Christmas bird for 18 cents? We doubt it!

Gov. Fort, of New Jersey, has gone gunning—after quail. All well-wishers of the man who rules over the state of trusts and large mosquitoes will send up a devout supplication that his gunning for birds may be more successful than his recent gunning for certain petty bosses of his party in some south Jersey counties.

About this time newspapers commence the annual campaign that is undertaken for the purpose of instructing the great buying public in the commendable practice of early shopping, not alone for the personal benefit of the buyers but out of a decent sense of humanity toward the salespeople whose bodies and tempers are unusually tried by the Christmas shoppers. And we regret to say we never yet have come across a contemporary journal with the audacity to declare that its effort to educate its readers in the advantages of early buying had borne a particle of fruit.

Two Vital Meetings In Washington.

With the National Rivers and Harbors Congress and the Southern Commercial Congress both in session next week, and the congress of the United States about to get under way in the week following, Washington is going to be the busy city of the country. Already delegates to the waterways meeting and the commercial congress are buying tickets and the present indications promise at least 5000 waterways men, while the other more strictly commercial convention will have a much larger attendance. President Parker predicts, that it had last year.

The waterways delegates will listen to a speech by President Taft as well as by Congressman Ransdell, the president of the waterways association, Congressman Small and other vital workers for the landlocked channel which it is proposed to run from Cape Cod via Florida to New Orleans. The Jacksonville and Norfolk waterways conventions are to be duplicated, on a considerably larger scale, and before the week's discussions are ended it may be possible for Northern as well as Southern men interested in this mighty scheme for the promotion of the commerce of the nation to know whether the president stands with the most thoughtful of his countrymen on this imperative project, or whether he is still cowed out of a frank expression of his convictions by the opposition which a year ago was manifested by the low comedian of the Illinois corn-belt.

Plans announced for the commercial congress go far to show that President Parker has the support of some of the most substantial men in the South in his effort for a practical exhibition of Southern industries. The apple orchards of West Virginia, the shoe factories of Lynchburg, the tobacco warehouses of Richmond and Winston-Salem, the cotton mills of the Carolinas and the rice mills of Louisiana, are to have space in the buildings reserved for this visual showdown of Southern ingenuity and effort.

The press of the 16 Southern states is giving earnest, steadfast and, we think, convincing support to the congress's effort to call attention to the South's manufacturing as well as agricultural advancement. As we said a week ago in this column, the sharp and incessant hostility of a trade journal in Baltimore seems to have advertised rather than to have injured the prospects of this year's congress.

Arkansas, by virtue of a somewhat unusual murder case, is finally being advertised otherwise than as the home of Senator Jeff Davis and the prospective abiding place of Carrie Nation. It will soon be time to commence darning a few stockings for Dec. 25. Which reminds us. Mr. Payne and Mr. Aldrich have looked well to it that we have more expensive stockings, along with a few other necessities that have been boosted by their tariff bill.

Once more Son-in-law Nick has called attention to his monumental greenness. He took a whole lot of pains to prepare and send out an elaborate denial of some Washington gossip concerning his wife, and now the little, harmless fabrication is getting more ventilation than ever. Rather a light weight man, that, which Ohio Republicans seriously think of running for governor next November.

The \$1500 typewriter girl who was wanted to testify in the Charlie Warner stealing case in Cincinnati flew the coop just when she was most needed on the witness stand. She owns an automobile and it was easy for her to get away. The probability is that by this time her gasoline carriage is far, far away from Hamilton county.

Monument For Author of "Dixie."

Memphis proposes that there be raised in that city a suitable monument to "Uncle Dan" Emmett, the man who wrote "Dixie." This Memphis idea has met with a favorable reception in Atlanta, New Orleans, Washington and Baltimore. It is predicted by Northern newspaper writers that the proposition will meet similar approval in New York, Chicago and Philadelphia, where there are today hundreds of successful and loyal sons of the South.

The Emmett monument is deserved by the genius of the man who wrote that undying song and by the popularity his peculiarly sweet and sympathetic production has attained all over the land. When you go to a national convention of the Democratic party you cannot be in the convention hall for many minutes on a stretch without hearing the familiar strains of "Dixie," and it is likewise impossible to give diligent attendance upon the national gathering of our Republican cousins without encountering more "Dixie" bands and "Dixie" choruses all over the building. Both parties know that for real soul-stirring melody they might listen to worse music.

Memorials, beautiful and expensive ones, have been reared to Stephen Collins Foster, the prolific balladist who wrote and popularized "Way Down Upon the Suwanee River" and "Old Folks at Home" and to Francis Scott Key, who, detained on a British battleship during the bombardment of Fort McHenry, threw off with the dispatch of patriotic inspiration the burning lines of "The Star Spangled Banner."

"Dixie" belongs in the same category with the songs of Foster and the martial verses of Key. It is equally close to American hearts and equally welcome to American ears. The man from Massachusetts and the man from Georgia are both cheered and lifted by the strains of "Dixie," and an American abroad takes off his hat when the band commences to play the beautiful Southern melody almost as quickly as he uncovers at the first bar of the "Star Spangled Banner."

By all means let the Emmett monument rise. Northern and Western men who love the song he gave us will cheerfully help Southern men raise the money to rear it.

An exchange remarks that if the Florida editor is right in claiming that his state was the original garden of Eden, he must show that what Eve gave Adam to eat was not an apple but a pineapple.—Ocala Banner.

Now, are you real sure it wasn't a lemon?

The Escambia county poultry show will trot out some good birds. And the poultry society, like that which put on the Tri-County fair, is going to help promote the progress of Pensacola by calling attention to the money which may be extracted from the scientific operation of Escambia county farms.

One of the most attractive special editions of The Journal has ever seen is a copy of the Havana Post, which now lies on its exchange table. The Post is published by Geo. M. Bradt and in this edition he has made a valuable contribution not only to Cuba newspaper enterprise but to the development of Cuba and her interests as well. The edition is a fine advertisement of the queen of the Antilles and either the Cuban government or other Cuban interests ought to see that it is widely circulated.

Sereno E. Payne, one of the authors of this new tariff for the benefit of millionaires only, is certain sure that Congress won't do a thing about the sugar trust scandals so diligently dug into by Mr. Loeb. The Auburn "revisionist" might have saved his time and tongue. Of course, it goes without saying that Congress will not tackle the Havermeyers and all that greedy sugar trust colony if Mr. Payne and his high tariff ally, Senator Aldrich, widely known in Rhode Island, Washington as one of the very chief glories of the sugar trust organization, can possibly prevent it.

VOX POPULI.

INFORMATION IS WANTED ON PURCHASE OF LANDS

Camulos, Calif., Nov. 29, 1909.
Editor Pensacola Journal.

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of the drainage work going on in the Everglades, and as I have great faith in the future of Florida (I am a native daughter) I would like to know if you could give me a little information in regard to the buying of land down there.

In the first place, is the land in the Everglades being sold to private individuals? If so, what is the price per acre, and upon what terms can it be bought? Could you refer me to the party or parties who have charge of it?

We intend making our home in Florida, in or near Pensacola, as soon as circumstances permit, and would like very much to know something of the value of lots on the east side of the city, say near Ninth avenue and Tenth street.

I have been away from Pensacola for eight years now and seven of those I have spent in the much advertised state of California, and though California has its good points, in my opinion it cannot begin to compare with Florida, and I am positive were it as much advertised as this state it would be overrun with homeseekers and tourists, which, let us sincerely hope, it never will be, or at least, that they be of a different type from those that infest southern California.

Hoping to hear from you soon, and wishing you all the success in the world, I am,

Very respectfully,

MRS. IRVING VAN VELSIR.

4233 Randolph St., Los Angeles, Calif.

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE

SUPT. DELIVERS ADDRESS

Editor Pensacola Journal.

Pensacola people had the pleasure of hearing two fine lectures Sunday, delivered by Rev. C. L. Collins, state superintendent of the Anti-saloon league of Florida. There was no lack of attention on the part of his audiences, as they listened to Mr. Collins's plain, common sense arguments in favor of state-wide prohibition. While his text on both occasions was taken from the Bible, which, by the way, abounds in texts favoring prohibition, his discourse dealt both with the moral and business phases of the saloon problem. He spoke of the great strength of the opposing forces of the millions of dollars that will be spent in Florida during the coming year by the great distilleries and breweries of the country, of the hundreds of lecturers they will have in the field, "but," said he, "not one of their meetings will be opened with prayer. That is one weapon they cannot use. One notable fact in this campaign will be the absence of sentiment. This is an age of business, and as a business proposition, the question will be placed before the voters of Florida. Many men who are not in favor of temperance as a moral issue will vote for the amendment for business reasons. What railroad company, telegraph or telephone company, machine works or factory, will employ drunkards? What bank will risk failure by employing a drinking cashier? Atlanta, under prohibition, has increased her bank clearings over

50 per cent., while New Orleans, with her hundreds of saloons, has an increase of only 2 per cent. in the last year. The whiskey people cry 'prohibition don't prohibit,' while they work like beavers, and spend money like water, to get rid of prohibition. Many hard battles have been fought on Florida soil, but the coming year, from now until Nov. 8th, 1910, will see the hardest, bitterest fight ever waged within her borders.

"It is the old battle between the forces of good and evil, to be fought with ballots instead of bullets. Christian people of every denomination, as well as far-seeing business men, will vote for the amendment."

ALICE SHEAR.

FALCO.

Special to the Journal.

Falco, Nov. 29.—D. Wilkinson has been suffering for several days with a severe case of tonsillitis, but is improving today and is at his office.

Messrs. W. K. Hyer, Jr., and J. R. McLean were in our burg Friday and Saturday. They came up to look over some 1200 acres of timber land near Rome, Ala., that they think of buying.

Supt. J. H. Givens has gone to his turpentine still today to pay off the employee.

We understand that Grinley Brown, near Wingo, have sold out their turpentine business to Lewis Bryars, of Atmore, Ala., who once operated a like

Stop Cough Those hard night coughs of the children! What shall you give them? Just what your mother gave you, and just what her mother gave her! In some families, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for the cough and colds of medicine for seventy years. Once in the children. Do as he says. E. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. family, it stays. Keep it on hand.

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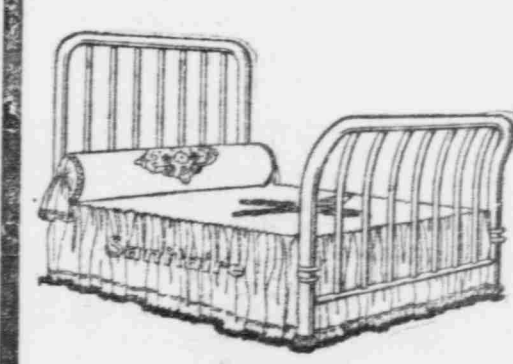
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Here is a report from a lady, Mrs. L. R. Roberts, of East Hill, who said: "I have suffered for the past ten years with my stomach and kidneys. I would have a bloating feeling after eating moderately; sour, hot stuff would belch up, and I had a sick headache nearly every day. I was taking some kind of treatment most of my time, but nothing seemed to do me any good. I gradually grew weaker and for the past year I had not been able to do my own work. Now I have taken one and one-half bottles of your Quaker Herb Extract—when I first commenced to take it I expelled a great number of small white worms, and after a few days I began to feel better, and now I know I am cured, for I have no headaches, I eat anything I want, with no distress feeling; I sleep well and am able to do my own work, and I can never speak too highly of your wonderful Quaker Herb Extract, for I about given up all hopes of ever getting cured."

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