

# The Flowery Branch Journal.

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## LOCAL NEWS.

Notice new schedule.

Honey is in demand.

Miss Annie Prater is visiting in Gainesville.

Chickens are scarce at from ten to fifteen cents.

Quite a lot of cotton has been sold here this week.

Mr. T. L. Hadaway is visiting relatives at Buford.

The editor spent a few hours in Howell Saturday.

Mr. J. H. Foster made a business trip to Atlanta Monday.

Mrs. E. K. Smith has been quite sick the past three days.

Several young people from Gainesville were here Sunday.

Let everybody work for the improvement of the springs.

Homier Chambliss is at home and says he has enough of war life.

Messrs. W. J. Prater and M. J. Charles spent Tuesday in Atlanta.

Miss Fannie Henderson, of Forsyth county, is visiting Mrs. Kate Graham.

The Southern Oak is running on full time and making large shipments.

Mr. G. H. Stidham is expected to return from his Florida trip this week.

Mrs. H. M. Williams spent Monday and Tuesday in Buford visiting relatives.

Rev. J. M. Hughes, of near Cumming, spent last Friday in town visiting relatives.

The Porter House entertained a number of young people by a singing Sunday evening.

Miss Myrtle Palmour, of Gainesville, visited her sister, Mrs. B. Williams, this week.

Master Clyde Danbar left yesterday for Fort Madison, S. C., on a visit to relatives.

It is said that Hon. W. D. Hawkins has the finest piece of up-land corn in the county.

Mr. La Fayette Campbell, of Augusta, was in town a few days this week, visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Moss, of Greenville, spent a few days in town this week visiting relatives.

Miss Callie Camp, of Forsyth county, was the guest of Mrs. H. H. Hamilton the past week.

Miss Annie Brown, of Gainesville, spent a few days in town this week, guest of the Porter House.

The Club's festival last Thursday night was quite a success and was highly enjoyed by all present.

Messdames E. W. Vance and R. H. Allen, of Buford, were guests of Mrs. R. A. Moon, Thursday.

Quite a number of our young people attended services at Redwine last Sunday, it being Children's Day.

The farmers are thrashing their wheat this week, and while the yield is fair it is not as good as last year.

J. A. Mooney has opened up a fresh line of Fancy Groceries which he is selling cheap for cash.

Miss Annie Woolley returned last Friday from a two weeks' visit to relatives and friends at Gainesville.

Mrs. W. W. Parks returned from Gainesville yesterday, accompanied by her granddaughter, Miss Bertha Blakely.

Misses Fannie Harwell and Carrie Scales, and Messrs. Will Bond and Henry Harrison spent Sunday evening in Buford.

The light showers of rain which fell Sunday and Monday revived vegetation, but a clay soaker is needed for the general crops.

Misses Annie and Trudie Woolley entertained a few friends at their beautiful home on West Railroad street, Monday evening.

Hon. W. D. Hawkins accompanied by Mr. Lee Mason, of Atlanta, spent a few days last week in Forsyth county on business.

The attendance at both the Sunday Schools was slim last Sunday on account of so many of our people attending service out of town.

Why can't our town have an entertainment, similar to the one last Friday night, often and apply the proceeds to some good purpose?

Mrs. E. M. Jackson, of Atlanta, with her daughter, Mrs. Annie Walenstein, of New York, visited the former's sister, Mrs. W. J. Prater, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. H. J. Cooper, who is a good farmer as well as a merchant, informs us that 3214 bushels of wheat were thrashed on his place this week and he says he intends to beat that next year.

We call the attention of our readers to the announcements of Messrs. J. W. Cox and F. M. Tumlin, for the offices of Tax Receiver and Treasurer, respectively. Both of these gentlemen are well known and highly respected, and are well qualified to fill the offices to which they aspire.

Four of our public-spirited young men were sitting in the pavilion a few days since, talking about the spring, its great medicinal qualities, the much needed improvements, etc., and voluntarily agreed to donate \$5 towards putting in a marble floor.

This is a good way to start the move for the improvements, and if everybody will talk and act we will get it. The Mayor and Council are in hearty accord with the will of the people.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, Va., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physician told me that nothing could be done for me and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June, 1894, Mr. Evans, then salesman for the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured. For sale by F. T. Davis.

Put your announcement in THE JOURNAL and let the people know that you are a candidate.

Mr. M. D. Smith was called to Macon last week by the death of his brother, Mr. R. E. Smith, Road Master over a division of the Southern Railway, who died after an illness of a few hours.

The Club's festival on last Friday night was a success in every particular. Everything offered was sold at a gallop and the crowd enjoyed a regular picnic without leave home.

The Park was beautifully illuminated by Japanese lanterns, the music of the bands floated out over the hills and dulcet strains, which some of the happy couples tipped the night into the toe, while yet others kept soberly of matters interesting to lovers.

It is said that many of our citizens are not complying with the sanitary order issued by the Board a short while since. This order should be rigidly enforced for the order that we may escape a fever epidemic during the summer and fall, and we trust that the Council and the Board will be especially strict in their efforts in this direction.

For while our town is naturally healthy, and drainage so ample, it is very essential that the sanitary condition receive the proper attention in this season. Let us use the preventive rather than need the cure. Keep out the fever germs by cleanliness.

Laying the Cornerstone.

The Odd Fellows and Masons of Flowery Branch extend a cordial invitation to the citizens of the town to meet with them on Friday, June 18th, at 7 o'clock, at the laying of the cornerstone of their new Hall, as there will be a number of distinguished Brothers present from a distance, and we feel sure that you will be interested. By order of the

SOME OF VETERANS ORGANIZE.

On last Saturday, June 11th, a Camp of Sons of Veterans was organized here, and a charter has been applied for. Mr. C. F. Hitchinson was chosen Captain, and Mr. J. C. Smith, Adjutant. Following is the list of members:

J. A. Benton, J. C. Brown, J. H. Brown, C. T. Brown, E. A. Barrett, J. B. Cox, J. D. Cobb, W. W. Cooper, J. B. Cooper, B. R. Cleghorn, J. T. McConnell, Oram McConnell, G. P. McConnell, F. M. Cleghorn, F. T. Davis, R. H. Duncan, Jr., A. J. Doolley, J. H. Foster, J. M. Green, C. E. Hutchinson, W. M. Hutchinson, W. L. Hawkins, Henry Harrison, Will Harrison, R. R. Kimbro, M. L. Light, M. R. Miller, L. C. Moon, R. A. Moon, W. L. Moore, J. A. Mooney, W. L. Mangum, J. T. Phillips, W. J. Prater, John P. Kett, Sterling Roberts, H. P. Roberts, J. C. Smith, R. E. Strickland, J. H. Scales, J. M. Sheffield, H. M. Williams, T. J. Wayne.

The above list only comprises the charter members. Others will join at an early day, and quite a large company will be ready to attend the re-union of the "Old Vets," in Atlanta, July 21-23.

FOR TRADE—A good silver case open face watch in good order, a correct time piece. Will sell it cheap for cash or trade for a hog. Apply at this office. ft.

Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by reading what it has done for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are today its warmest friends. For sale by F. T. Davis.

## A Pleasant Time Anticipated.

Flowery Branch has always done her share in entertaining her guests, and we apprehend no departure from her time-honored custom at the approaching occasion of tomorrow week, although there will probably be the largest gathering of strangers in the history of the town.

The membership of the two orders embraces a majority of the best citizens of the town and surrounding country, and those of our good people who are not connected with the orders are even ready to perform their full share and exhibit a hospitality unsurpassed by any people.

We hope that every citizen will take an especial interest in entertaining the strangers who may be present that day, regardless of their connection with the orders. True, the invitation is not general but there will be a number of those invited who are strangers to many of us. Let us endeavor to treat all strangers in a manner that will impress them favorably with our people, our town and our country.

It sometimes occurs that at such gatherings a class of people delight to parade themselves before the public in an intoxicated condition, eager to create disturbance. While this element is scarce in our country and is rapidly diminishing, we put all on notice that the best of order will be maintained.

The citizens of the town and community have been invited to join in and help to entertain the visitors, and share in the pleasures of the day, and all are looking forward to the occasion with the most pleasant anticipations.

"There's no use in talking," says W. H. Broadwell, druggist, La Crosse, Wis. "Chamberlain's Cough, Croup and Diarrhoea Remedy does the work. After taking medicines of my own preparation and those of others' I took a dose of Chamberlain's and it helped me; a second dose cured me. Candidly and conscientiously I can recommend it as the best thing on the market." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by F. T. Davis.

## SPECIAL NAVY SUPPLEMENT.

The subject of our Navy is one which is all-engrossing at the present time, and the desire for accurate and reliable information concerning our vessels has induced the Scientific American to publish a Special Navy Supplement of 40 pages, with 50 illustrations. Every effort has been made to explain what the Navy is.

Comparisons have been drawn, not only between the various types of vessels, but also between different vessels of the same class. The descriptions are couched in untechnical language, and after a careful reading of this number anyone can discuss the merits of the various vessels very much as he would talk of the good and bad traits of a horse. The clear diagrams showing the differences between these modern fighting machines render the analysis of this kind easy. It is beautifully illustrated by half-tone engravings and woodcut showing not only the naval vessels themselves, but guns, gun turrets, conning towers, steering apparatus, etc. This number has a colored cover and colored map of Cuba. Price 25 cents. Munn & Company, 361 Broadway, New York, are the publishers.

A. H. Parter with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and any one who tries it will find it so." For sale by F. T. Davis.

## BE SURE TO ATTEND IT.

A Great Educational Move for North Georgia—The Chautauqua at Gainesville.

We know of nothing that promises more for our people in an intellectual and moral and social way than the establishment of the Gainesville Chautauqua by the public-spirited citizens of Hall county. The next season will begin on Thursday, July 7th, and continue for ten days. Some of the most famous lecturers, preachers, teachers and musicians in the United States will appear on the program, and entertainment of the richest character is promised to all who attend. Prominent among the speakers will be Col. L. F. Copeland, who has been fittingly named "The King of the Platform," Wallace Bacon, who was pronounced the most eloquent man of the great New York Chautauqua, Sonstano, the Japanese Fantasia, Moselman and Illusionist; E. A. Harver, who has spent years in Cuba, will give two lectures, "Under the Cuban Flag," illustrated with superb stereoscopic views; Louis Favour will show the wonders and beauties of electricity by illustration and experiment; the Kentucky Colonel, the Boss, makes a tour of the road, will delight everybody with their old plantation melodies, songs, choruses, etc.; The Park, who Sledge, have played before the royalty of the old country, will be present with violin, mandolin, harp and other instruments.

Mr. W. A. Candler will probably have charge of the Bible Normal Class, which will meet every day for Bible study and will deliver his lectures on the Three Kings of Israel—Saul, Solomon and David. Prof. F. D. Pollock of Mercer, will give his three lectures upon the following subjects: "The Art of Shakespeare," "The Message of Browning to His Age," and "Sidney Lanier."

Saturday, July 10th, will be educational day when all the schools of all the surrounding counties will meet and have contests in recitation, elocution, singing, etc. Dr. Candler will make great speeches on education, which no one should fail to hear. The exercises will all be held in the beautiful Auditorium of the Seminary, like unto which there is nothing in all the South.

Notice to Correspondents.

Correspondents will please get their communications to us by Tuesday of each week.

Give all the local news of interest. Avoid personal notices of visitors of one neighbor to another, or neighborhood visits.

Don't write anything that will be likely to offend any one. Don't joke if the joke will offend.

Don't write advertisements in your communications for any body. If you are asked to put in an advertisement send it on a separate sheet and charge 5 cents a line for the same. Seven words make a line.

The date on the address on your paper tells the date your subscription is paid. Don't forget that.

We will esteem it a favor if you will report to us the names of your out-of-town visitors.

Cream Cheese 10 cents a lb. at Davis's.

We want a correspondent at every postoffice in the county. Write us for particulars.

Nails, 50 pounds for \$1.00 from 6's to 60's, at Davis's.

We have a new job outfit and will do your printing in good style at war prices.

INDISTINCT PRINT

# INVASION ARE AWAY.

15,000 Start For Cuban Shores.

CONVOYED BY WAR SHIPS.

Grand Total of the Expedition Consists of 773 Officers and 14,564 Enlisted Soldiers.

It was formally announced at the war department Monday that the first military expedition had left Key West at daylight bound for Santiago. All day Sunday there was a lively conference between the officials of the navy and war departments, and after an all day session the war board completed its plans for conveying the troop transports. Major General Shafter, who commands this expedition, has with him a force of 773 officers and 14,564 enlisted men.

The United States regular troops make up the greater part of the force, there being but three volunteer organizations on the ships. These are the Seventy-first New York infantry volunteers, the Second Massachusetts infantry volunteers and two dismounted squadrons of four troops each from the First United States volunteer cavalry, the regiment which Colonel Wood commands and which Theodore Roosevelt is the lieutenant colonel.

It was difficult to prevail upon the mounted riflemen to leave their mounts behind, but this was a matter of necessity, it is said, owing to the lack of accommodations for the horses on shipboard.

The best that the department could do at this time in the way of supplying the cavalry contingent for the expedition was to include among the troops one squadron of the Second United States cavalry, fully mounted, with nine officers and 480 enlisted men.

By far the larger portion of the expedition is made up of infantry, although an unusually large number of artillery is included, and that the cavalry is almost altogether lacking. It is expected, however, that the mounted cavalry with the expedition will be mounted later on in Cuba either from the stock of native forces or from mounts that will follow them from this country.

Captain Taylor, of the battleship Indiana, was in command of the naval convoy fleet which accompanied the transport ships. The make-up of the convoy fleet was decided.

The war department announced Monday that it had begun active preparations for the second army of invasion. It is believed that the second army will go to Porto Rico.

## SOUTHERN PROGRESS.

New Industries Reported in the South During the Past Week.

The new industries throughout the south reported during the past week include, among other enterprises, large cotton gineries at Louisiana and Georgia points, another cotton mill for North Carolina, an electric light plant in Virginia, an electric light and power plant in Mississippi, a 500,000-bushel grain elevator in northern Texas, an engine works in Kentucky, a flouring mill in Arkansas, a handlo factory and a knitting mill in Georgia, lumber companies in Texas, North Carolina and Arkansas, planing mills and cash and door and blind factories in North and South Carolina and Arkansas, a shingle and stove mill in Georgia, large silver mining developments in Arkansas, and a soap factory in Texas.—Tradesman (Chattanooga, Tenn.).

## THE SECOND EXPEDITION.

Arrangements Therefore Being hurried at War Department.

A Washington special says: Arrangements for the second expedition of invasion from the United States for the West Indies are being hurried at the war department. There seems to be no doubt that this expedition, if its number approaches the first, will be sent from the east coast of the United States.

The experience in embarking the first from Tampa has demonstrated to the war department officials that other ports where the railroad and other facilities are more adequate than at Tampa.

## ASK RETURN OF MONEY.

The Methodist Book Concern Roasted By Senators.

A Washington special says: The Methodist Publishing House matter came up in the senate Monday and evoked a very acrimonious debate. Senator Chandler charged that the senate had been deceived by the Democratic senators and that the latter should join in with the Republican to persuade the book concern to pay the \$288,000 back into the United States treasury, or as much of it as was left after the fees had been settled.

Senator Pasco answered this indignantly and resented the statement that the democrats had entered into any scheme to deceive the senate; that they were innocent of any deception and had been deceived themselves.

Senator Bacon made a plain statement of the case and showed his connection with it. He said that as a member of the committee of claims of the fifty-fourth congress he had done all in his power to have this claim settled. He said that he was not a member of the committee in the fifty-fifth congress but that he worked just as zealously for it, believing that it was as just and as righteous a claim as ever came before congress.

He had been given assurances by Major Stearns that there was no contract for fees, and that upon this assurance he had gone to other senators and had assured them that they could vote for the bill with the full consciousness that every cent would go to the church.

He deeply resented the injustice which had been done to him and to other senators, and said that he had been most grossly deceived in the whole matter.

Senator Tillman was especially severe in his denunciation of the entire matter and said that the passage of the bill under the circumstances was obtaining money under false pretenses. Senator Morgan said at the proper time he would offer a resolution directing the judiciary committee to inquire into the legality of the claim and its final payment.

## MORE FIGHTING AT GUANTANAMO

The Missing Advance Pickets Show Up Safely at Camp.

A special via Kingston says: When the Associated Press dispatch about Dauntless left Guantamo bay after the thirteen hours skirmish between the United States marines and the Spanish guerrillas and regulars, it was expected that the fighting would be renewed. The Marblehead was landing reinforcements.

At 9 o'clock Monday morning the firing was again renewed by the Spaniards, who appeared off the camp on the edge of a small island, about a mile to the northeast. It was promptly returned by thirteen rifles and a three-inch field gun, and in a short time all signs of the enemy had disappeared.

It was then decided by Colonel Huntington to abandon the position first occupied as a camp, as there were no signs of reinforcements of troops, and it was known that a force of Spaniards six times more numerous than the marine battalion was in the vicinity. Therefore, the crest of the hill which the troops held was given up to the batteries and rifle pits and the tents were pitched on the side of the hill near the harbor, which is protected by the warships.

To the great delight of the marines in camp, Lieutenants Neville and Shaw, with thirty men of company D, returned in good shape, but much exhausted by eighteen hours of picket duty. One man, Sergeant Smith, of company K, had been sent through the abdomen and instantly killed.

It is believed that the Spanish casualties were heavy.

The battleship Texas arrived Monday morning and sent ashore forty marines and two automatic Colt guns as reinforcements. The Marblehead also sent an additional small detachment.

## CONTROLLING THE FEVER.

Surgeons of the Army and Navy Are Taking Every Precaution.

Surgeon General Sutherland, of the army, and Van Reipen, of the navy, have taken every precaution to protect the army and navy from yellow fever. Up to the present time neither of them has received any report of contagion in either branch of the service, nor do they feel that the present conditions give ground for apprehension, although our troop ships are now in a country infested with yellow fever.

## FIRE ON CABLE CUTTERS.

Spanish Gunboat Forced to Retreat By the Marblehead.

Advices via Kingston state that while the Yankee and the St. Louis were cutting the cable at Guantanamo, six miles east of Santiago de Cuba, Sunday afternoon, the Marblehead fired at a small Spanish gunboat and she returned the fire, the old-fashioned forts joined in the engagement, the gunboat was hit, and the forts and the forts were silenced by the Marblehead. It is not believed that the Spanish gunboat was struck, as the range was great. The Marblehead and the Yankee returned to the blockade at midnight.

## Women in Medicine.

From the Free Press, Detroit, Mich.

A prominent business man recently expressed the opinion that there is one thing that will prevent women from completely filling man's place in the business world—they can't be depended upon because they are sick too often. This is refuted by Mrs. C. W. Mansfield, a business woman of 59.

For six years, Detroit, Mich., says: "A complication of female ailments kept me awake nights and wore me out. I could get no relief from medicine and hope was slipping away from me. A box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People I took them and was able to rest at night for the first time and they cured me. I bought more and took several other people to my knowledge. I think that if you are the best buyers of the drugists of Detroit, who are the best buyers of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills they would say the young women. These pills certainly build up the nervous system and many a young woman owes her life to them."

"As a business woman I am pleased to recommend them. I have tried them myself and they did me more good than any physician and I can give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People credit for my general good health."

**Suddenly Prostrated.**—A discovery of modern times has done so much to enable women to take their proper place in life by safe-guarding their health as they take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Acting directly on the blood and nerves, invigorating the body, regulating the functions, they supply the blood and health to the exhausted woman when the effort of the physician proves unavailing.

For the growing girl they are of the greatest benefit for their indispensable for every woman invaluable. For paralysis, locomotor ataxia, and other diseases of the nervous system, these pills have proved their efficacy in thousands of cases.

## Benefit Children's Eyes.

An examination of some twenty-five elementary schools in London was made recently by the authorities, 8,125 children being subjected to certain simple tests of vision, and of these it turned out that under 40 per cent. were possessed of normal vision in both eyes, and between two thousand and three thousand of those of defective vision were most carefully examined.

The basis governing such examination was the combination presented to the eye of refracting agencies, the lens, cornea, etc., which focus the visible rays of light upon the retina, a sensitive screen at the back of the eye, corresponding to the sensitive plate upon which the photographer obtains his negative. In normal vision, rays coming from a distant object are focused exactly upon the retina, while for near objects the eye exerts its power of accommodation, by which the refractive power of the lens is increased. The common optical defects all of which result in impaired vision in a lesser or greater degree, are of three kinds. Thus, in cases of myopia, or short sight, either the eyeball is too long or the refractory combination is too strong, with the result that the image falls, not on the retina, but some little distance in front of it; second, in cases of hypermetropia, the eyeball is too short, or the refractive combination too weak, with the result that the image is formed behind the retina; and, in cases of astigmatism the surface of the cornea is not truly spherical, the curve of two axes at right angles to each other being different.

## Six Months Without Food.

John Babcock, an old resident of Gallien, Mich., is dead, after a fast which probably breaks all records. He had not tasted food since October last. Mr. Babcock was in a runaway accident a year ago and received injuries which affected his head. In October he became worse, and for some reason which the doctors cannot explain he could not eat a mouthful of food. Every effort was made to give him nourishment, but in vain, and finally the medical men gave up his case as hopeless and left him to die. He continued to live, however, week after week, without food, until death came after he had gone 180 days without a morsel of food.

## About two months ago.

Mr. Babcock's skin began to harden and to all appearances it was turning to bone. At his death his body was hard and did not seem to have had a drop of blood in it.—Chicago Chronicle.

## The University of Chicago expended more than \$1,000,000 in the year 1897.

Of this, \$300,000 was in the salaries of the faculty.

## To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 50c.

The houses of parliament are partly heated by electricity. In the House of Commons, which number is being constantly increased, electric lamps are employed to keep the system in order.

## Beauty is Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarella, Candy Cathartic cleans your blood and keeps it clean by stirring up the liver and driving all impurities out of the system. Begin today with plain plums, pills, blotches, pimples, and skin eruptions. Cascarella—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

Money talks but the silver dollar means only empty talk. If you are a poor man, get a dollar. J. S. Parker, Fredonia, N. Y., says: "I shall not call on you for the \$100 reward, for I shall not be a poor man. I will cure any case of catarrh. Was very bad. I will let him for particulars. Sold by Druggists, 70c."

# HERE WE GO! DOWN, DOWN, DOWN,

With my prices in every department. I have cut prices on every thing in my store to meet the decline in Cotton. The farmers have worked for little or no profit this year, and I propose to convince you that I am making no profit if you will Come and Price my Goods since they have been Marked Down.

I have a well selected stock of everything kept in a first class store, including Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Caps, and Dress Goods of Every Description. Trunks, Valises, Picture Frames, Crockery, Glass Ware, Stoves, Tinware, Tobacco, Snuff, AND GROCERIES OF ALL KINDS.

Come and See Me and be Convinced. Last, but not Least, all persons indebted to me must come and settle as I positively will not carry any of them over. F. T. DAVIE. Flowery Branch, Ga.

# Now if You Want to See

The Most Perfect Line of Dress Goods, Trimmings, Shoe Wear, Clothing, Hats, and Gents, Furnishing Goods, Glassware, Crockery, and Shelf Hardware.

Everything has been priced down to suit the Low Price of Cotton.

So one and all call and be convinced for yourself before buying elsewhere, and I will make you glad.

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Try a jug direct from our Distillery and be convinced.

DR. J. C. STOVALL, Physician and Surgeon, FLOWERY BRANCH, GA.

All calls promptly attended day or night. Office at residence of Mrs. Kate Graham.

J. D. COBB, Physician and Surgeon, FLOWERY BRANCH, GA. Calls promptly attended day or night. Office at residence.

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**Cause for Offense.**  
"Have you given him no reason to be offended with you?"  
"Well, I suppose it was virtually a gift, although he was particular at the time to call it a loan."

**Can Our Coast be Effectually Blockaded?**  
If confidence can be felt in the opinion of our military and naval officers in high places at the seat of government, such is the vast extent of our coast to be blockaded it effectually, or to such a degree as to render it impossible. When a blockade of the bays, straits, and rivers, which connect the Atlantic, the Gulf of Mexico, and the Pacific, is maintained, the coast is effectively blockaded. It is a fact that the coast of the United States is so long and so irregularly shaped, that it is impossible to maintain a blockade of the entire coast. It is, however, possible to maintain a blockade of the principal harbors and rivers, which would be sufficient to prevent the enemy from receiving supplies by sea.

At the present rate of combustion it is thought the sun will last from 1,000,000 to 1,000,000,000 years before burning itself out.

## Scrofula Swellings

**Health Was Very Poor But Hood's Sarsaparilla Has Cured Her.**

"My daughter had scrofula swellings on her neck and her health was very poor. She did not obtain lasting benefit from medicine until she began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. Three bottles of this medicine cured her and she has never been troubled with scrofula since I have great faith in Hood's Sarsaparilla." Mrs. J. B. Smith, Bath, N. Y.

**Hood's Sarsaparilla**  
Is America's Greatest Medicine. 31¢ per bottle.

**Hood's Pills** cure all Liver ills. 25 cents.

**Do Not Miss**

The Medical Students' Register (England), gives statistics showing that wild rush by young men into the medical profession is to be moderated. In the year 1897 the medical students registered in England, Scotland and Ireland were 1,542. There was a decrease as compared with 1896 by 97. We must go back twenty-one years, to 1876, for so low a registration number as that recorded last year. The number here have been several times over 2,000 as in 1870, 1880, 1881, 1889, and in 1891, when they reached the appalling number of 2,405. "We cannot affect to regret the signs of arrest in this rush into the profession," comments the London Lancet. "Medicine is not impeded by crowds competing for a livelihood."

The property owned by the fraternities at Cornell is valued at \$475,000; at Williams, \$350,000; Yale, \$300,000; Amherst, \$200,000; Wesleyan, \$125,000; Harvard, \$125,000.

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I have used this paper in writing to you.

**MENTION THIS PAPER** in writing to you.

## WAR PARAGRAPHS.

### A Brief Compilation of Daily Occurrences.

All the food at Santiago has been seized for the army and troops and sailors are on half rations.

The Chattanooga Car and Foundry company has nearly completed a contract for ten carloads of mine anchors awarded them two months ago. They will be delivered at Norfolk, Mobile and New Orleans for mining the waters adjacent.

Owing to the rumors that four Spanish warships sailed from Barcelona some days ago and a number of Spanish war vessels are rushing about the waters between Florida and Cuba the government has collected a fleet of war vessels with the battleship Indiana at its head to convoy the transports to Cuba.

To Captain Clarke, of the battleship Oregon, belongs the honor of accomplishing the first successful landing of the war. Forty marines from that battleship went ashore and occupied the left entrance to the bay until the troopship Panther arrived with 200 marines.

The Letter Hospital for the government at Chickamauga is ready for use and is placed under the command of Surgeon Captain Carter of the United States Hospital service.

The Marblehead, Yankee and St. Louis have out the Haytian cable rearing into Guantanamo bay. The ends have been buoyed and Rear Admiral Sampson can establish communication with Washington direct.

There are sufficient prisoners, and to spare, at Fort McPherson, Ga., to exchange for Lieutenant Hobson and his crew.

According to instructions sent out by the war department a recruit must be between 18 and 45 years of age, weight 120 to 165 cavalry, and 100 infantry; a regiment to number all grades, infantry, 1,326, cavalry, 1,255; a company, infantry 106, cavalry 100, light artillery 173, heavy artillery 200.

There is much interest in the announcement by Adjutant General Corbin that married men will not be accepted in Colonel's regiment. This is understood by some to mean that while there is no such thing as an immune, this regiment, having as it is to be, will be treated as if composed of men actually enjoying immunity from yellow fever, and will be put in the places most exposed to yellow fever. On this account, some think, men with families dependent on them will not be allowed to go as immunes.

The First Tennessee volunteers, Colonel W. C. Smith commanding, left Nashville for San Francisco, four trains over the Louisville and Nashville, via St. Louis. An immense crowd witnessed their departure.

The first land battle has occurred on Cuban soil. Spanish guerrillas attacked a force of marines landed from the transport Panther. Four Americans were killed. Spanish loss unknown.

The navy hospital ship Solace has sailed for Santiago. The army hospital ship Revis is at New York, not yet completed, but the Solace will remove both sailors and soldiers to the army hospitals, which will receive sailors as well as soldiers.

Admiral Sampson has sent an official report to the navy department regarding the heroic act of Lieutenant Hobson and his men in sinking the highest prize of the Alabama boys.

The president has authorized canned salmon to be added as one of the main components of the army ration. Ordinarily fresh beef will be issued to the troops six days in ten, salt meats three days in ten, and canned salmon one day in ten.

Several Spanish generals declare that they can continue the war for two years more and that peace should not be considered unless it means to return to all conditions as they were before the war.

The United States postal service has been extended to Cuba and the Philippines. The Cuban office will be under the supervision of the New York city postoffice, called "The New York Military Station No. 1." The Philippine office will be under the care of the San Francisco office and known as "The San Francisco Military Station No. 1." These two places have plenty of clerks able to care for the numerous money orders that may be handled.

A board of army officers for the past week has been examining various places in the south with a view to their occupation for camping purposes and it is also suggested that it may take occasion to point out a desirable port for the embarkation of the Porto Rico expedition.

The war department has finally closed the charters for the steamships Victoria, Olympia and Arizona, which are to be used in the transportation of troops to Manila. The chartering of these ships has been delayed for some time.

Admiral Dewey has promised to prove a massacre when the insurgents take Manila.

### Has Forty Living Children.

A short ride from Moosup, in what is known as the Sparks District, in the eastern part of Killbuck, lives Levi Bradshaw, whose record for populating the earth is such that he deserves to become famous. Bradshaw emigrated from Canada, and has lived in that vicinity about thirteen years. He is now in his seventy-first year. He has been married three times and he is the father of forty-one children, forty of whom are living. By his first wife he had six children, including a pair of twins. His second wife bore him twenty-four children, half of whom were twins. His present wife has presented him with eleven children.

Bradshaw was not fourteen years old when he was married the first time. The eldest son is now forty-four and has several children and grandchildren. Twenty-nine of the old man's sons and daughters are married, and all have children. The grandfather does not know just how large his family of grandchildren and great-grandchildren has become. He can enumerate up to 100, but is in the dark as to the remainder. He estimates them up to 200 or so.

The Killbuck patriarch was married to his last wife in Dallas, thirteen years ago. Only one of her eleven children has died. The death occurred at birth a few months ago. The rest are healthy and robust, like the father. Mr. Bradshaw is believed to be the banner father of New England, and the banner grandfather of the United States—New London (Conn.) Day.

### Long Distance Transmission Plant.

Ten thousand horse power will be transmitted 110 miles to San Francisco if the plans of a company, of which Prince Pontonawsky is said to be the head, are completed, says Engineering News. It is proposed to utilize the water now running to waste on the western slope of the Sierra Nevada Mountains in Alpine, Amador and Calaveras Counties, constructing a system of canals and a power plant. The transmission line at one place will cross San Francisco Bay with a span about 325 feet above the water. The total cost of the plant is estimated at about \$1,000,000.

### Expressed Nautically.

A certain admiral, upon coming on board a ship, was met by an old classmate with the salutation, "Hello, old fellow, how are you?" Observing that the admiral had carefully combed his back hair forward up and over, to cover the bald top of his head, added: "Well, that's the first time I ever saw afterward doing foretop duty."

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To the Citizens of Hall County:

I hereby announce myself as a candi-  
date, before the Democratic primary,  
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tives.

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To the Citizens of Hall County:

I hereby announce myself as a candi-  
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resentatives, subject to the action of the  
party at the Democratic primary to be  
held July 15.

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I am a candidate for Clerk of the Su-  
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election July 15th. If elected I shall  
use my best efforts in attending to  
the duties of the office and watching the  
interest of each individual and the county  
generally.

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I hereby announce myself a candidate  
for the office of Clerk Superior Court of  
Hall County, subject to the action of the  
Democratic party.

JAMES T. CHAMBLEE.

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To the citizens of Hall County:  
I hereby announce myself as a candi-  
date for re-election to the office of Sher-  
iff of Hall County, subject to the Demo-  
cratic primary, July 15.

A. J. MUNDOY.

## For Tax Collector.

I hereby announce myself a candidate  
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lector of Hall County, subject to the  
Democratic primary, July 15.

M. J. CHARLES.

## For Treasurer.

I announce myself a candidate for re-  
election for Treasurer of Hall County,  
subject to the Democratic primary, July  
15. Thanking the good people of Hall  
County for their past support, I will  
appreciate fully the same in the future.

Respectfully,

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I hereby announce myself a candidate  
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Prospect of a Continuance of Such  
Market Conditions.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,  
ATLANTA, June 1, 1898.

With wheat quoted at an almost un-  
precedented figure and prices of other  
food crops advancing, and with the  
prospect of such market conditions be-  
ing maintained for at least some months  
to come, prudent farmers are now cast-  
about for practical means of supple-  
menting their food supplies. There is  
no section of the world in which a  
greater variety of

## FORAGE CROPS

may be grown than in the south, and as  
a measure of safety it would be well for  
Georgia farmers to put in such of these  
crops as our surroundings and opportu-  
nities render possible. First and fore-  
most comes

FORAGE CORN AS A FODDER CROP FOR  
SILAGE.

As to the best methods of managing  
this crop there are somewhat conflicting  
opinions, but these result from a mis-  
apprehension rather than from any real  
difference in the proper plans for plant-  
ing, cultivating, etc. It depends upon  
the purpose for which the crop is in-  
tended, as to which method should be  
adopted. If the crop is intended for  
fodder, that is, to be cut and cured, the  
object is to secure a large yield of small  
and medium sized stalks, having an  
abundance of leaves and little grain.  
The plants may, therefore, be planted  
in narrow rows and sowed in the drill.  
In curing this crop the surplus moisture  
is dried out and we have a nutritious  
forage, which, supplemented with grain,  
makes a good and complete ration. But  
in planting corn for the silo, the object  
is to secure a good yield of well de-  
veloped stalks, each one bearing at least  
one well grown ear upon it. The plants  
must not be crowded too closely to-  
gether. The rows should be at least 3 to  
4 feet apart, and the plants should stand  
from 16 to 20 inches in the row. If the  
plants stand closer than this the stalks  
do not have room to mature sufficiently  
and the consequence is watery stalks,  
and the ears which form are not well  
filled with grain. Silage made from  
such corn as this is apt to be very unsat-  
isfactory—sour and unpalatable. From  
this explanation we see that fodder corn  
should be crowded as close as the  
strength of the land will admit, while  
a corn crop intended for the silo should  
have sufficient distance to produce a  
heavy yield of stalks and ears suffi-  
ciently matured to be cured into good,  
sweet silage.

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from May until July, and also that it  
can be utilized as a three-fold food, for  
man, for beast and for the land. No  
matter in what way we decide to use it  
it will return with interest whatever  
amount we have invested in it.

## MILLET.

Millet also may be sowed at any time  
from May to August, and though it re-  
quires richer land and more thorough  
preparation than corn or peas, it is a  
good investment where forage promises  
to be short. One bushel of German  
millet, sown on an acre of land, well  
prepared and the seed harrowed in, will  
make a heavy yield, and when cured at  
the proper time, that is before the seed  
mature, will make a most acceptable ad-  
dition to our forage supply.

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not affected by drought to the ruinous  
degree that our corn crop often is, and  
the stalk and the grain are both ex-  
cellent food for cattle and hogs, besides  
which there is usually a good demand  
for the syrup. With the improved sys-  
tem of evaporating, now in general use,  
the syrup has become a desirable article  
of food in most farm households. Dur-  
ing the hot season the man who is for-  
tunate enough to have a sorghum patch  
is assured of green food for his stock  
when every other crop is drying up,  
while the cured fodder makes a nutri-  
tious and appetizing food for the winter  
months.

It is not too late to plant any of these  
four crops indeed, all may be planted  
later than this date, and under favor-  
able conditions will be very satisfactory,  
though there are other crops, which

in time may supersede them. We would  
advise, as we have, these four forage  
crops of such well known value, and  
with the cultivation of which we are so  
thoroughly familiar, that we do not  
venture, except by way of experiment  
on a small scale, on the culture of new  
and untried crops. It is well for each  
farmer to give his attention to these  
new crops and to thoroughly satisfy  
himself as to their merits before under-  
taking their culture to any large extent.  
In these days, when inquiries are so  
constantly being received at this de-  
partment as to the value and efficiency  
of certain insecticides, and when Paris  
green is coming into such general use,  
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ter and use 2 pints of this mixture to  
30 gallons of Bordeaux mixture. This  
will be found efficient for any purpose  
where a combination mixture for fungi  
and insect pests is required. As for  
resistance, potato blight (fungus), and  
potato beetle (insect), apple scab (fun-  
gus), and apple worms (insect).

The easiest way, says the bulletin, to  
make the solution is to put both the  
white arsenic and the carbonate of soda  
in a gallon of boiling water, keep boil-  
ing 15 minutes, or until a clear li-  
quid is formed, and then dilute to 3  
gallons.

This is the season when it is neces-  
sary to wage an unceasing warfare  
against all kinds of insect and fungus  
pests, and the above combination of  
Bordeaux and white arsenic is effective  
in destroying a large proportion of these  
most annoying and destructive enemies.  
The horticulturist or farmer, indeed any  
man, who looks to the products of the  
soil as the reward of his labor, would do  
well to study the diseases and insects  
which are liable to attack his special  
crops and at the first indication of their  
presence use active and prompt mea-  
sures to prevent serious injury. Some-  
times a few days' delay in using proper  
remedies is fatal, more especially in the  
rapidly maturing crops. Personal ob-  
servations in the different sections of the  
state confirm the reports of promising  
crop conditions, although in some sec-  
tions the late rains have retarded the  
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plants and cut off the crop.

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## SOUTHERN RAILWAY.



Condensed Schedule of Passenger Trains.

In Effect June 15, 1898.

On Week Days, 12, 1904.						
Northbound.	No. 18	Wk. 20	Th. 21	Sat. 22	Sun. 23	Mon. 24
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