

STATE NEWS
—The land is to have a brand in it.
—Adjutant-General Dickson and wife passed through Jacksonville on Monday last.
—Jacksonville mourns because the census was taken in June instead of January, when it could have rung in all the winter visitors as "population."
—Oranges of this year's growth are being offered for sale in Gainesville at 50 cents a dozen. "They are," says the Bee, "generally well matured and of delightful flavor."
—The talented young editor and proprietor of the Madison Recorder, Mr. E. Beggs, offers that paper for sale, as he is desirous of finishing his education before it is too late.
—An alleged negro murderer named Sylvester, charged with the murder of officer Jerry Lynch in Mobile, in May, 1872, was arrested at Pensacola and taken to Mobile recently.
—A preliminary survey has been made by the Savannah, Florida and Western Railroad Company, of a line for the proposed railroad from Live Oak to the head of navigation at Rowlands Bluff.
—The County Assessor, Mr. Richardson informs us that the assessment of Volusia county will be increased by \$100,000 this year. That shows how we are progressing.—*De Land Agriculturist.*
—Mr. W. B. Hall has an orange tree which is just putting out new blossoms. There are now 200 or 300 blossoms and buds on the tree. These will give him a late spring crop next spring.—*Orange County Reporter.*
—We regret to learn the serious illness of Rev. Mr. Gilbert, the Episcopal minister at this place. For the past three weeks he has lost his eyesight and within the past four days has been dangerously ill.—*Marianna Courier.*
—The telegraph fire alarm system is now in full blast in Jacksonville. Street alarm boxes have been put up, and the facilities for giving notice of fires are perfect, while the new water-works render their extinguishment rapid and certain.
—The Ferdinandina Express says that the entire line of railroad between Ferdinandina and Gainesville presents an appearance of prosperity and improvement. Farmers have done well, and as a natural consequence the merchants are doing a large business.
—We learn that one O. F., a leading Greenbacker, has come out in favor of Bloxham, and when asked why he did, said: "When I was sick no one but Bloxham would give me butter-milk." Hurrah for Bloxham.—*Concord correspondent Quincy Star.*
—Mr. E. W. Gillen, of Jacksonville, has received a dispatch from S. B. Mower, of New York, asking what day he "can have collected a hundred bulls for bull-fighting, to pick out the bravest and if you have two separated pens to try each of them. Say price, and if you know the amount of expense to bring them here."
—The peach crop is a total failure. Men who have lived in this locality since the first settlement say they never knew such an occurrence before. Last winter was a remarkably mild one, still the cold in November may have injured the bloom buds, as it came suddenly and after a long season of warm weather.—*Lake City Reporter.*
—The junior editor of the Lake City Reporter gets off the following during the absence of his chief: "Our editor has announced his intention of soon resuming his title of 'Ever Present'—he will begin to perambulate about the 15th. At Gainesville he was asked from where he was a delegate? He replied, promptly, 'From the State at large.'"
—W. G. Coleman, General Travelling Agent of the Transit Railroad, returned yesterday morning from the South Florida Gulf coast. The new steam mail service to Crystal River, Homosassa, Bay Port and Clear Water Harbor went into effect on Monday. The steamer Eva, of the Tampa Steamship Company, made the round trip in fifty hours. The steamer was received at every port with demonstrations of joy.—*Sun and Press, July 9.*
—Isaac Matthews, a colored man residing on New River, has a very fine cotton crop of thirty-five acres, six acres of which he planted in February. From the six acres planted in February he has already picked a considerable lot of cotton, and to-day will offer for sale in our market the first bale of the season. We learn that Messrs. Alvarez & Gaskins have already made a bid on the first lot.—*Starke Telegraph, July 3.*
—Guavas will be abundant this year as the bushes were not damaged in the slightest degree by frost last winter. This fruit, and better than which none other exists in the country, will supply the place of the peach in South Florida. It is excellent for sauce, short-cake or jelly-cake; is No. 1 for canning and will be not only a source of profit to its producers, but healthy and delightful to consumers. They cannot be too extensively cultivated, because all that cannot be readily put upon the market can be canned or made into jelly, and sold at leisure.—*Sanford Journal.*
—"We notice with pleasure," says the Jacksonville Union, "that the authorities of the Savannah, Florida and Western Railroad have instructed Mr. Elliott, of this city, to prepare a pamphlet descriptive of the country in Southern Georgia and Florida, contiguous to that road, including an accurate description of lands for sale by the road and by individuals. This plan is pursued by many Western roads and results in a large increase of immigration. The expense of such a work will be considerable, but it will no doubt pay the road to make it, otherwise it would not be done. Aside from any benefit this State may receive from the publication, it is gratifying as an evidence of the increasing importance which this

State, with its fertile soil and abundant resources, is assuming in the eyes of the world. A very large part of the travel and freight to and from Florida passes over this line. The steady increase in both in the last few years has induced the purchase of this line of railroad by its present owners and has induced them to begin the construction of a more direct and shorter line to this city. They are far-seeing, practical business men, and the fact that they have undertaken these enterprises, shows that they have an abiding faith in the continued prosperity and development of our State."
—H. S. Kedney, of Orange county, is certainly successful as an agriculturist. As an experiment he ordered three kinds of seed from a New York seed house and planted one-quarter of an acre of pine land, enriching it with one sack of guano. The seed were red Wethersfield, silver-skin and Burmuda or red Italian, all three of which produced large fine onions. From the one-quarter acre he gathered seventy-five bushels of onions, and sold almost the entire crop at home for three dollars per bushel, which footed up would make a total of two hundred and twenty-five dollars. At that rate, nine hundred dollars per acre. This shows the productivity of Florida soil when properly worked and slightly stimulated. Energy and well-directed work can accomplish wonders.—*Sanford Journal.*
—A few days ago a party of several near Benton went on a "drive" for deer. About twelve o'clock they came to People's Bridge on the Sawannee and, being warm and much fatigued, they concluded to take a bath. The party, consisting of about eight, divested themselves of clothing and enjoyed a swim. As most of the party were employing themselves in dressing, a young man named Nixon cried out, "Boys, I must have one last swim," and plunged into the stream. As he reached the middle he cried for help to his companions, and they looked to behold him held by the right shoulder in the mouth of an enormous alligator. The monster sank with him, reappearing some two or three minutes later upon the surface with Nixon still in his jaws. Nixon cried to his companions to shoot, but before a gun could be discharged he sank again, taking Nixon under with him. About two minutes after he arose again and made for the opposite shore, still having the ill-fated young man in his enormous mouth. Again Nixon called upon his companions to shoot, but, being afraid of hitting Nixon, no one discharged his gun. The alligator crept some half a dozen feet upon the opposite bank, remaining about three minutes, when, guided by a sudden impulse, he plunged with his precious burden into the river again, and, reaching the middle, sank to rise no more within the view of the party. A thorough search was made, but nought could be seen of the body or parts of body of the unfortunate young man. The presumption is that the alligator made for his lair, which probably was near at hand.—*Lake City Reporter, July 10.*
—Diplomatic relations between Belgium and Rome have been broken off, and the Belgian Minister has left for Brussels.
—It is stated that the French Senate is alarmed at the situation growing out of its opposition to the amnesty bill, and is disposed to yield.
—The enumerators in Lumpkin county, Ga., have discovered a negro woman named Matilda Hubert 120 years old. She was born in Connecticut.
—The new Collector of the Port of Savannah, Mr. T. F. Johnson, yesterday filed his bond in Washington, his bondsmen being well known citizens of Savannah.
—Dr. Tanner, the Michigan physician who has undertaken to fast for forty days in a public exhibition in New York, has entered upon his tenth day of his total abstinence from food.
—General (Baldy) Smith, who was removed from the office of New York Police Commissioner by the Mayor, has been restored to his office by the courts, and has resumed his duties.
—Gen. A. L. Pearson, of Pennsylvania, one of the most prominent Republicans in the State, and chairman of the Republican committee of Pittsburg, has decided to support Gen. Hancock.
—The weather throughout Ireland has been most favorable for the growing crops, and it is expected that the potato yield will be enormous. The root and cereal crops are also reported luxuriant.
—A split has occurred in the Republican Congressional Convention for the First District held at Waseca, Minnesota. One section nominated Dunnell, the sitting member, and the other nominated W. G. Ward, of Waseca.
—The population of Savannah is, under the census just completed, 30,747, consisting of 14,997 whites and 15,750 colored. The increase since 1870 has been 2,512, being a decrease of 169 whites and an increase of 2,681 negroes.
—The Sultan and his ministers have finally determined not to accept the recommendation of the Berlin conference, and a strong party is in favor of sending an immediate declaration of war to Athens if the Greeks accept any military concentration on the frontier.
—Some of the young women employed in the cannie soda department of the Pennsylvania salt works, at Southwark, declared their sympathies for the Democratic candidate last week by challenging a large tank standing near the building these words: "Our choice for President, Gen. Winfield S. Hancock—Hancock forever." The circumstance was reported to the superintendent of the works, who immediately ordered that the girls who had thus expressed their political preference should cease the names at once. None of the dozen female employees, however, would give the names of the offend-

ers, and the superintendent finally ordered that the names of the girls should be kept secret.
—The immigration received at the port of New York during the first six months of 1880 shows a larger total by 19,000 than the same period in 1879, which, until now, had stood as the highest figure of the past twenty-five years. The total for the past six months is 117,000, or more than three times the number of those who came during the same period of last year. The New York Tribune says most of the immigrants are of a much better class than those who have arrived in past years.
—Nebraska's population, so the census shows, will run up to fully 500,000, an increase of 300 per cent. over the census of 1870. On the apportionment of a Congressman to every 175,000 people, this will give Nebraska three members, a gain of two. Kansas is likely to gain two also, and Texas four. Of the Eastern States, Pennsylvania is the only one that has any chance of increasing its representation in Congress. Ohio and Indiana will both lose Congressmen, and Illinois is not certain of keeping its present representation.
—A widow and a widower were engaged to be married in Bristol, R. I. She had agreed to provide the wedding entertainment, and she did so with extreme liberality. Five hundred guests, including the Common Council as an unofficial body, assembled at the appointed time, but the bridegroom did not come. The assembly drank immoderately, and then, for amusement, flung ice-cream and pie at the minister. An expedition to discover the widower resulted in the shattering of all the windows in his house, and finally the police made a score of arrests.
—On the morning of the day of the nomination of General Hancock, the New York Times (Rep.) published a special dispatch from Cincinnati, wherein occurred the following: "The politicians want a trickster, a man of their own kind, to be President, and the last man they are likely to nominate is Winfield Scott Hancock." That is, General Hancock, in the opinion of the Times, then, was not a man who could be managed by "politicians," nor was he a "trickster." Now, according to the Times, he is a "pretentious blockhead," an "ass," an "epanulated nobody," etc. Quite a difference!
—The hanging of the three boy murderers at Canton, Ohio, had some novel incidental points. The oldest was under 18. The crowd on the previous night was enormous, and was divided between a political meeting and a circus, both of which were within hearing of the prisoners. One of the trio made a desperate effort to escape in the confusion; another fell in a fit while imploring his companions to make a confession exculpating him; and the third coolly discussed with a Roman Catholic and a Protestant Episcopal clergyman the merits of the religions which they represented, finally telling them that he had no faith in either. A daughter of the judge who had passed the death sentence gave each murderer a good-bye kiss.

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Alexander Richard vs. Mary A. Richard—Bill for Divorce.
IT HAVING BEEN MADE TO APPEAR TO THE satisfaction of the court, by affidavits of complainant, that Mary A. Richard, defendant in above cases, resides beyond the limits of the State of Florida, but within the United States, it is ordered that a hearing be had on the above cases on the 15th day of July, A. D. 1880, before this court, wherever the court may then be, and that defendant appear, plead or demur to said bill.
COUNCIL A. REYAN,
Clerk Leon Circuit Court.
R. C. LANE, Solicitor for Complainant.
Tallahassee, April 15, 1880—

State of Florida—Orange County.
THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY GIVE NOTICE, pursuant to an act of the General Assembly of the State of Florida, entitled "An Act to Provide a General Law for the Incorporation of Railroads and Canals," approved February 19, 1874, that they have formed a company, the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating a railroad for public use in the county of Orange and property thereon, from Ferriday, on near Lake Wales, to Orlando, (both points in Orange county,) along the most practical route between said points.
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Office or Station of Transportation, Jacksonville, Fla., February 3, 1880.
On and after Monday, February 3, 1880, Passenger Trains on this road will run as follows:
PENSACOLA TRAIN—DAILY.
GOING EAST:
Leave Jacksonville..... 3:00 P. M.
Leave Quincy..... 3:30 P. M.
Arrive at Tallahassee..... 5:00 P. M.
Leave Tallahassee..... 5:30 P. M.
Leave Monticello..... 7:10 P. M.
Leave Greenville..... 8:38 P. M.
Leave Jacksonville..... 9:00 P. M.
GOING WEST:
Leave Jacksonville..... 5:30 P. M.
Leave Fernandina..... 10:30 A. M.
Leave Gainesville..... 9:00 A. M.
Leave Cedar Key..... 7:00 A. M.
Leave Live Oak..... 7:00 A. M.
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GENERAL MANAGERS' OFFICE, SAVANNAH, May 23, 1880.
On and after SUNDAY, May 23, Passenger Trains on this road will run as follows:
WESTERN DIVISION—(Daily)
Leave Savannah..... 4:30 P. M.
Arrive at Jacksonville..... 7:30 P. M.
Arrive at Tallahassee..... 9:00 A. M.
Arrive at Albany..... 10:30 A. M.
Arrive at Live Oak..... 11:00 A. M.
Arrive at Jacksonville..... 11:00 A. M.
Leave Jacksonville..... 11:15 P. M.
Leave Tallahassee..... 4:00 P. M.
Leave Live Oak..... 4:00 P. M.
Leave Jacksonville..... 4:00 P. M.
Arrive at Jacksonville..... 3:30 P. M.
Arrive at Tallahassee..... 2:00 P. M.
Arrive at Jacksonville..... 1:30 P. M.

Savannah, Florida and Western RAILWAY.
GENERAL MANAGERS' OFFICE, SAVANNAH, May 23, 1880.
On and after SUNDAY, May 23, Passenger Trains on this road will run as follows:
WESTERN DIVISION—(Daily except Sunday)
Leave Savannah..... 7:00 A. M.
Arrive at Jacksonville..... 12:30 P. M.
Arrive at Tallahassee..... 3:05 P. M.
Arrive at Albany..... 5:30 A. M.
Arrive at Live Oak..... 5:30 A. M.
Leave Jacksonville..... 5:30 A. M.
Leave Tallahassee..... 9:00 A. M.
Leave Jacksonville..... 9:00 A. M.
Arrive at Jacksonville..... 8:40 P. M.
Arrive at Savannah..... 8:40 P. M.

Florida Central Rail Road.
On and after Monday, June 15, 1880, Passenger Trains on this road will run as follows:
MAIL AND EXPRESS—(Daily)
Leave Jacksonville..... 5:30 P. M.
Leave Tallahassee..... 7:00 P. M.
Leave Live Oak..... 7:30 P. M.
Arrive at Jacksonville..... 8:00 A. M.
Arrive at Tallahassee..... 9:30 A. M.
Arrive at Jacksonville..... 10:30 A. M.
Leave Jacksonville..... 11:00 A. M.
Leave Tallahassee..... 11:00 A. M.
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