

All pull for the County Fair.

Vote for the ones you think will serve you best next Tuesday.

The new bridge at Bellville "fills a long felt want." It is certainly a fine three span bridge and over its erection the people on both sides of the river are rejoiced.—Jasper News.

Hon. A. M. McMillan, a leading business man of Pensacola, has announced his candidacy for the honorary office of presidential elector. The Pensacola News of a few days ago contained a highly commendatory article in reference to his candidacy. Mr. McMillan has served his party well and in return, he will no doubt receive a handsome vote in the coming primary.

The special edition of the Gainesville Sun reached our office a few days ago and it was an issue that the University City should feel proud of. It contained thirty-six pages of interesting reading, with a full description of the many attractions around the beautiful Alachua county capital, and has, no doubt, been read and re-read and laid aside for future reference by numbers of Gainesvillians and other friends of the little city.

Candidates in Duval county have certainly parted with the "wherewithal" in their efforts to serve the people. One of the candidates for sheriff spent a little over two thousand dollars up to Saturday night and then he spent more since that time. And that too, when the office will pay him only \$300, in the event that he gets it. This is in striking contrast to the expenses in this county, no candidate having spent more than about \$75 at the time of filing his statement.

OUR SOVEREIGN RIGHT.

On next Tuesday the citizens of Madison county and of the state will exercise one of the greatest privileges of a free people and will, by their ballots, determine who shall be their servants for the next two or four years. It is needless to add that the people should study the candidates well before they mark their ballot and that they should vote with the best interests of the county and of the state in view. Personal likes and dislikes should be kept in the background, as far as possible, and the free and untrammelled vote of the citizens of the county and state should be recorded at that time. Only in this way will we have done our full duty.

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TEARS FOR THE LOST CAUSE.

Today the pages of memory are turned back and loving hearts call to mind that magnificent army that rode forth to war under the leadership of Lee and Jackson and Johnston, and other matchless commanders. Let our thoughts dwell upon the subject for a moment. The birth of a new nation, the Southern Confederacy, the fight at Sumter and at Bull Run, the frightful struggle for existence, Chickamauga, Antietam, the fateful day at Gettysburg, Sherman's march through the heart of the weakened Confederacy, the capture of Savannah and the burning of Columbia, the surrender at Appomattox, the death of the new nation and the imprisonment of its first and only president, and the dark days of Reconstruction. Surely those were the days that tried men's souls, when, after four years of war, the South lay prostrate, with her wealth swept away, and thousands of her bravest sons sleeping beneath their native sod!

It is only meet, then, that today, with the bitterness of the struggle dispelled by the lapse of years, we should pause and shed a tear for those who died in defense of their country and for those who endured the ravages of war but have since also answered the last roll call, and that today in loving memory we should place a flower above their final resting place. It was Timrod who penned those matchless lines:

"Stoop, angels, hither from the skies!  
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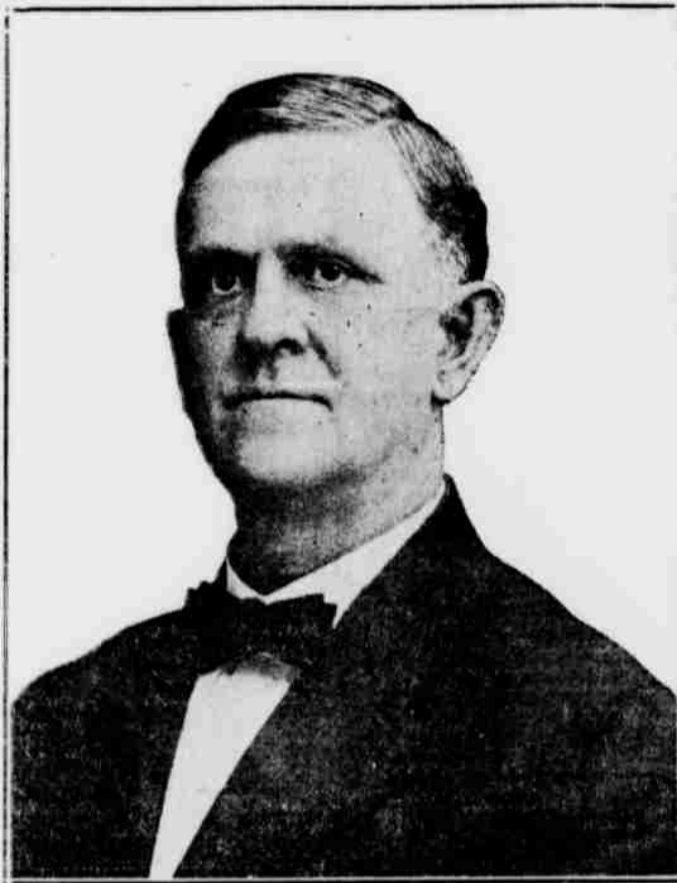
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