

6.2 Appendix B

Digitized Florida Newspapers

The following Florida newspapers have been digitized for either the PALMM *Florida Heritage Collection* (<http://palmm.fcla.edu/fh/>) or for the Institute for Museum and Library Services funded *Ephemeral Cities* project (<http://web.uflib.ufl.edu/digital/collections/ephemeralcities/>).

Several titles are marked “digitized, not yet available”. These are titles pending public release of FCLA’s Greenstone application. All have been digitized to NDNP/LC specifications and converted to searchable text. They can be repurposed with slight modifications to NDNP/LC derivative format specifications.

Title holdings fall both within and beyond the period, 1900-1910. The University of Florida and its PALMM partners (i.e., the institutions holding the digital masters) propose to repurpose these holdings as funding becomes available outside the NDNP for delivery to the NDNP. [N.B. *This effort is not budgeted nor cost shared as part of this proposal.*]

Building News (Pensacola, FL)

- <http://purl.fcla.edu/fcla/tc/fhp/SNWF000007>
1903, scattered issues
Requires NDNP review: bitonal.

Florida dispatch (Jacksonville, FL)

- <http://purl.fcla.edu/fcla/tc/fhp/SF08331006>
1869-1888, v. 1-8
Requires NDNP review: some bitonal; some 24-bit color

Howey News (Howey-in-the-Hills, FL)

- Digitized, not yet available on-line
April 1930 (Issue 141).

Illustrated Hotel News (Jacksonville, FL)

Daily Hotel News (Jacksonville, FL)

- Digitized, not yet available on-line
Various, scattered holdings each title, bulk 1885-1889.

Jacksonville Today (Jacksonville, FL)

- <http://purl.fcla.edu/fcla/dl/NF00000017.jpg>
1926 January 31 issue only
Requires NDNP review: 24-bit color.
News magazine format

Jacobean (Miami, FL)

Jewish Floridian (Miami, FL)

- Digitized, not yet available on-line
Various, scattered holdings each title, bulk 1944-1956.

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Gainesville, Key West, and Tampa

- Also digitized, but not yet available on-line, are newspaper holdings from Gainesville, Key West and Tampa. Funded by the IMLS *Ephemeral Cities* project, these are almost all of the available newspaper issues published between 1900-1910 for each city. Major titles include the Gainesville *Sun* and the Tampa *Tribune*. This small collection is complete in approximately 7,200 pages.

These titles, though digitized to NDNP specification, were digitized from the sole existing microfilm copies: commercial microfilms that were in many cases placed into use. Digital copy was created with techniques optimized to mitigate the effects of both use and imbalanced lighting; they represent best available copy.

- Demonstration issues of the Tampa Tribune *may* still be online at this temporary iArchives based site: <http://64.90.195.24/gsd/cgi-bin/uoffl> for reviewer and panelist inspection.

The IMLS-funded Ephemeral Cities project had no requirement for the use of preservation microfilm.

The Tampa Tribune was a poorly microfilmed commercial product. And the only extant copy was found in a used collection. Those inspecting the product are advised that they will find all of the ills of such product.

The Tampa Tribune was selected for its quality of its reporting rather than the quality of its "preservation". Other Tampa newspapers selected, including those of the Ybor City cigar manufacturing district, have equal intellectual value but suffer the ills of poor production and storage.

Reviewers are also advised to note that the Greenstone platform in particular had no native newspaper support. This is a freely available but developing application.

Article database holdings of the Goza and Mickler Newspaper Collections

- <http://purl.fcla.edu/fcla/fulltext>
N.B. For a listing, search *citations* for "Goza" and "Mickler"
Full text only; text double-keyed from source documents not imaged.