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Winter Guests Club News

By Mrs. A. W. Rodgers

The bingo party Thursday evening drew the usual large crowd, [illegible] the usual twenty cent [illegible] for each player. [illegible] public-spirited gentlemen [illegible] strained their voices for the [illegible] of the party goers, including Mr. Moss, Mr. McClarren, and Mr. Tallman, with Mrs. Moss as the careful checker-up.

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There was no social meeting of the club Friday evening as there was city-wide participation in The World Day of Prayer, and a union service held in the Congregational church. Next Friday evening, however, we are looking for a special treat, when a minstrel show, under the direction of Mrs. Book, will be presented by some of our own members. Program starts at eight o'clock.

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Avon Park shuffleboard teams accompanied by a large cheering section, journeyed to Sebring Saturday afternoon for the Inter-City Shuffleboard Tournament directed by Mr. Hammond, Chairman. Sebring won, but it was their [illegible], and we congratulate them.

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[illegible] Sunday afternoon sing [illegible] next Sunday at three [illegible] is an every-two-[illegible] [illegible] F. Warwick [illegible] North Hill, her [illegible] by [illegible] of Lucy Gertrude [illegible] of Bridge[illegible] for the past four [illegible] of Avon Park. [illegible] Warwick [illegible] Cass.

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[illegible] the New Board.

[illegible] it is a good [illegible] to know each other [illegible] your reporter has ferreted [illegible] following facts about our [illegible] directors. Arrang[illegible], first comes [illegible] Armstrong, who [illegible] introduction, having [illegible] president of the Winter [illegible] a few years ago. He [illegible] in Reynoldsburg, Ohio, [illegible] most of his life in [illegible] County. He worked at [illegible]; served in the Spanish-[illegible] war; then established a [illegible] and insurance business [illegible]ville, Ohio, which [illegible] by remote control [illegible] the ten months in the [illegible] he has lived in Avon Park since 1931. His hobbies are listed as tinkering, pinochle, and [illegible], together with his Rotarian membership and Masonic lodge.

Mrs. Yvonne Beall also hails from the Buckeye State, having been born in Cambridge, Ohio. Her home is now in Canton when she is not in Florida. Proving that men have no monopoly of the business world, this lone feminine member of the board held a position in the National Bank of Cambridge for twenty years. This is her fourth winter in Avon Park, and rates her hobbies as shuffleboard, and interest in Eastern Star and Rebekah lodges.

Mr. Frank W. Beckwith was born in Norwich, Conn., (Is his family tree a wooden nutmeg?) Most of his adult life has been spent in Long Island, New York, where he began his business career as personnel manager. Then he established his own Provision and General store, and acted as postmaster. He now owns a home in Avon Park. His hobby is listed as gardening, with bridge as his chief recreation.

Fred William Flagg is a native Green Mountain boy, having been born in Vergennes, Vermont. He was a retail hardware merchant, then, for more outdoor living, owned and managed tourist cabins and a gift shop. His new home in Avon Park is almost completed, and he intends to be a permanent resident of our fair city. His music is a main interest, with cards and shuffleboard for recreation; and membership in the Masons, K. P., and Oddfellows.

Mr. W. D. Hazen was born in Morton, New York, and lived most of his life there, and in Brockport, where he engaged in [illegible] until coming to Avon Park, where he is making his [illegible]

[illegible] Norris was born in West Deer Township, Pennsylvania, and lived in that state until coming here four years ago, and establishing himself in the contracting business. His hobbies are reading and fishing.

Mr. Ed Patton, another Ohioan, was born in Defiance, but has lived most of his life in or near Toledo. He has been in the restaurant business, managed an A. and P. store, and is now in the produce business in his home town. His recreations are bowling and shuffleboard.

Albert Worthington Rodgers was born near Mercer, Penna. and has been a former; baseball player (college and semi-pro.), school teacher (county school, high school, academy, supervising principal) all in Penna. His hobbies are gardening, and fishing.

Mr. Willis Robinson comes to us from Nebraska, which is a rare state to be heard from here. He served in an Anti-Aircraft unit of the Ninth Army in World War II. He is continuing his training in carpenter work; with special interest in radio; and with fishing as recreation.

Mr. Clarence Tallman, born in New York state, was a mail carrier for 18 years, then took up farming, specializing in purebred Guernseys, and raising beans and wheat. Shuffleboard and pinochle are his main recreations.

Walter Hamilton Walker was born in Franklin County, Ohio. (How numerous these Buckeyes are!). After studying at Ohio State and Business College, he became an accountant for a wholesale company in Columbus. The duty called him to his ancestral homestead where he became, first an amateur and then a professional farmer. His recreations are shuffleboard, pinochle, and fishing.

Mr. Wallace J. Wyman was born in Waseca, Minnesota. He has been roundhouse foreman for the [illegible] R. R. for 47 years, until his retirement last year. After this in-one-spot job, it is not strange that one of his chief pleasures now is in travel. Shuffleboard is his chief recreation while in Florida.

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Mrs. W. W. Heal, of the Poinsettia Hotel, has had as guests recently, Mr. and Mrs. Russel Riggs, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fensterman, and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wise of Bunker Hill, Ill.

Benson Tallman of Canadiagua, New York, has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tallman, for the past ten days.

New members: Mrs. J. E. Cuzzort, Forest Hills, N. Y., Mr. C. B. Tallman, Canadiagua, N. Y., Mr. J. W. Myers, Springfield, O., Mr. C. N. Blank, Lima, O., Mr. P. A. Kregle, Kingsbury, Ind., Mrs. G. D. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Carlton, all of Rochester, N. Y.

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Florida Taxpayers Association Says

Tampa, Feb. 3 — "Governor Warren is sticking to fundamental principles of fair taxation in turning down his own Water Control Committee's proposal of a kerosene and fuel oil tax—or any other special industry tax—for the water control program", Florida Taxpayers Association said today.

"Property which will be given protection and increased value through water control should share fairly in the cost of the program—and it is not necessary to restore the old State ad valorem tax to accomplish that", the Association emphasized.

"Special tax advocates seem to forget the average citizen and working man is already having to pay 16 of his weekly wage checks every year in taxes, direct and indirect", the research agency continued. "Governor Warren is completely right in saying it is unthinkable to load another sales tax on him to pay for improving big land holdings in 18 counties".

"Anyone who ignores that vote of the people and proposes to violate, as sales taxes do, the fundamental democratic principles of 'ability to pay' and 'benefits received', would no doubt hear from the people of the State in no uncertain terms. We have too many good Legislators for that to happen", the Association said.

"Citizens should let these Legislators and Governor Warren know that they will back them up in the only permanent and fair solution of Florida's tax problems:

"If counties were required, under supervision of a non-political State Tax Commission, to place all property on their tax rolls at a fair, uniform and legal valuation, with millage rates reduced in proportion, that would produce more than the amounts needed for water control and schools and, at the same time, actually make possible a reduction in present high tax rates—as was proved by the Holland tax laws of 1941", the Association statement declared.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH PREACHING WEEK will be observed in the First Methodist Church of this city, beginning March 13th, through March 20th. Rev. E. E. Shiltz will preach Sunday morning at the eleven o'clock hour. Rev. J. W. Cummins will preach at the evening hour. The services for the week will be as follows: Monday evening, the pastor. Tuesday evening will be Youth night with Rev. Warren Willis, Conference Director of Young People bringing the message. Wednesday evening, Rev. L. H. Jenkins. Thursday evening Rev. M. L. H. McMullen. Friday evening Rev. L. Oser. These services will begin at 7:30 o'clock. The public has a cordial invitation to attend these services.

Native Australian cherry trees have fruit that is not edible, but they are grown for their hardwood timber.

See You IN CHURCH Sunday.

4-H'ers Enroll In National Frozen Foods Program

Florida has accepted the 1949 National 4-H Frozen Foods awards program, the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work has announced Number of sectional awards and amount of scholarships both have been increased this year.

As incentives for superior records of achievement in the program, International Harvester Company provides gold-filled medals of honor for county winners, and a $50 U. S. savings bond for State champion. Sectional awards of all-expense trips to the 1949 National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago next November have been increased from four to six, while the four national Fowler McCormick scholarships have been raised from $200 to $300

The 4-H Frozen Foods program, conducted under the direction of the Cooperative Extension Service, is designed to further stimulate interest in farm-home economy. With the help of County Extension agents and local 4-H Club leaders, members learn the use of freezing equipment and how frozen foods can add variety to the home-raised food supply. They also develop skill in preparing, packaging and freezing meats, poultry, eggs, fish, fruits, vegetables, baked goods and other dishes.

Churches of Christ, Scientist

"SUBSTANCE" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, March 13.

The Golden Text is: "Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen" (Hebrews 11:1).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Charge them that are rich in this world, that they be not highminded, nor trust in uncertain riches, but in the living God, who giveth us richly all things to enjoy; That they do good, that they be rich in good works" (1 Timothy 6:17-18 to 2nd).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Christianity causes men to turn naturally from matter to Spirit, as the flower turns from darkness to light. Man then appropriates those things which 'eye hath not seen nor ear heard.' Paul and John had a clear apprehension that, as mortal man achieves no worldly honors except by sacrifice, so he must gain heavenly riches by forsaking all worldiness (458:32-7 next page).

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AVON PARK SERMONETTE

Rev. M. L. H. McMullen
A Retired Methodist Pastor

FELLOWSHIP IN HIS SUFFERINGS. Phillipians 3:10-14. At this Lenten Season I turned to the Lord to ask His will in the matter and at once He answered by reminding me of Phillippians 3:10 to 14. So I want to give, as I am led, a few thoughts in the fellowship of His sufferings. Paul was a very religious man, had a zeal for what he believed was right, for the law and old traditions. But even zealous religious folks can often be wrong, as the Lord had to show Paul. So in this chapter Paul is reminded of these very facts. He had found the Christ, because the Christ had searched him out, and put him on the right road to truth and righteousness, and now he had a goal in mind. Paul warns again the Judiazers, against the old traditions and legal righteousness. Then he sets before us Jesus the Christ as the one and only object of faith and righteousness. Having himself found the way of life, Paul expresses a desire to go on, to go deeper with a real true fellowship with Jesus. His heart cries out, "Oh that I may know Him," yes even "the power of His resurrection," and his very soul echoes the former thought, and asks for more, "that I may know the fellowship of His sufferings." You ask is there a fellowship in His sufferings? Yes, dear ones, there is a real fellowship in suffering, though only those who love Him, and know Him, can understand what it is.

I recall once that Jesus asked several disciples "are ye able to drink the cup I shall drink." They said, "We are able"—and as they grew in grace and power they did come to "know that fellowship of suffering."

It is not easy to write this message as the writer has not only suffered much through the years, but has been at the bedside of many who have suffered intensely from accidents and injuries, diseases of all kinds and most loathsome, too awful to describe, but that have impressions on memory that cannot be erased. But this I am led to say: I believe that there are degrees of sufferings that are merely to be known as we experience them. It does seem that as we come to know Him, and as we live close to His loving heart, there is a sense of nearness of fellowship that makes us capable of really suffering more, and even when suffering is so great, sometimes that we wonder how we live, there is always found in such a sufferer a sense of peace, a look of resignation on that face, a patience that is divine.

In the spiritual life there is a goal, there are opponents all along the way to hinder and defeat if they can.

Some good men and women have lost sight of the goal when they looked to the awards. Others have been hindered by some handicap, and still others listened to the cheer of the crowds that detracted from the straight pull for the goal.

Let us not be hindered or defeated, but take our cross and bear it. He will be there to lift when it gets too heavy. Endure the pain and the sufferings, knowing that we have a fellowship in His sufferings, a goal in sight. The path of suffering is not easy, but perhaps a lot of souls will get to glory who would have otherwise missed it and been lost in the wilderness of sin. Then when we reach the goal, though the climb was hard, we can look back as from a high mountain peak and view the most beautiful of scenery throughout all eternity.

It is worthwhile? — Yes. A thousand times, Yes.

Then may this message cheer some lone traveler, some weary worn Shut-In. Make pain and suffering easier when we think of the great honor of having a fellowship in His sufferings, and may others be saved because we have suffered, patiently and won. And may verse 14 be ever in our thoughts as we try for the goal. "I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus.

Blessings on you all is the prayer of this humble servant, and may we learn some of the lessons of His sufferings for us in this Lenton Season.

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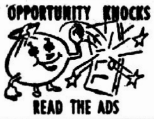

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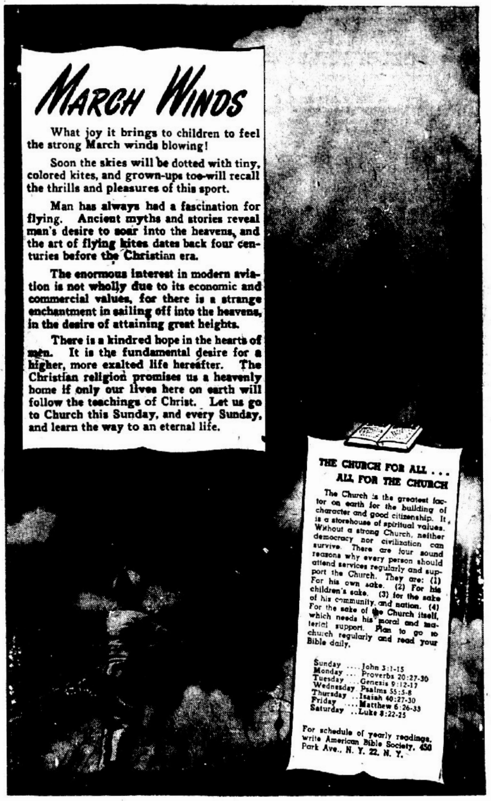

MARCH WINDS

What joy it brings to children to feel the strong March winds blowing!

Soon the skies will be dotted with tiny, colored kites, and grown-ups too-will recall the thrills and pleasures of this sport.

Man has always had a fascination for flying. Ancient myths and stories reveal man's desire to soar into the heavens, and the art of flying kites dates back four centuries before the Christian era.

The enormous interest in modern aviation is not wholly due to its economic and commercial values, for there is a strange enchantment in sailing off into the heavens, in the desire of attaining great heights.

There is a kindred hope in the hearts of men. It is the fundamental desire for a higher, more exalted life hereafter. The Christian religion promises us a heavenly home if only our lives here on earth will follow the teachings of Christ. Let us go to Church this Sunday, and every Sunday, and learn the way to an eternal life.

THE CHURCH FOR ALL . . .
ALL FOR THE CHURCH

The Church is the greatest factor on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a storehouse of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive. There are four sound reasons why every person should attend services regularly and support the Church. They are: (1) For his own sake. (2) For his children's sake. (3) for the sake of his community and nation. (4) For the sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral and material support. Plan to go to church regularly and read your Bible daily.

Sunday	John 3:1-15
Monday	Proverbs 20:27-30
Tuesday	Genesis 9:12-17
Wednesday	Psalms 55:5-8
Thursday	Isaiah 40:27-30
Friday	Matthew 6:26-33
Saturday	Luke 8:22-25

For schedule of yearly readings, write American Bible Society, 450 Park Ave., N. Y. 22, N. Y.

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Women's Club Program Very Successful

On March 4th the Avon Park Woman's Club held their regular monthly meeting in the Palm Room of the Jacaranda Hotel. The business meeting was very brief because the program was to start at three o'clock.

The program sponsored by the Women's Club was given in the lovely hotel garden by Mrs. Harold Worden and a group of Avon Park children modeling the latest Spring styles from the Kiddie Corner. The style show started with early morning fashions in housecoats and nighties and went on to show what the well dressed girl will wear in shorts and slacks to play in. Next came the shopping dresses in small girls sizes and big girls sizes, then the Sun and Fun suits—the kind of sun suits that Florida children live in all summer complete with several styles in swim suits. Pinafores were shown in everything from lace trimmed organdy to checked gingham with little Miss King lifting her skirt to show a silk half-slip with jingle bells tied to the ribbons that trimmed the slip. No Spring fashion show would be complete without a display of suits and the older girls modeled them as professionally as grown up girls would. The next group of girls displayed a new trend in fashions called "Hobby Dresses." Lela Johnson known for her love of horses wore a cow-girl dress with boots and a western hat, Bonnie England wore a dress in a ballet print when she lifted her skirt she revealed panties in a ballerina print, this modeled with pink ballet slippers, Jan Saylor modeled a safety pin dress and carried a sewing basket, Susan Lucas modeled a ballet sunsuit. The next group of girls modeled the ever popular skirts and blouses and although we have very little cold weather the models displayed a group of very smart coats for the modern miss. Plaid dresses in all the lovely spring shades of lilac and aqua and pink were shown by both large and small models, and two lovely corduroy sets were shown in the new shade of shrimp.

To top off the Fashion parade all the new Easter styles were shown complete with corsages to match the lovely spring dresses and last of all to show the latest style for Miss Avon Park the partying Elaine Worden displayed a lovely pale blue taffeta long party dress, the kind every little girl dreams about. The Commentary by Mrs. Worden was easy and informal with brief descriptions of every little girl and her outfit, the children were very well poised and modeled the clothes beautifully from the three years olds up to the teen agers.

This was another very successful Women's Club Program thanks to Annabelle Worden. The following children modeled the fashions for the show. Diane Landress, Jackie Holt, Dorothy Janet Mears, Elaine Worden, Bonnie England, Leila Johnson, Francis Lee Warren, Charlene Delegal, Barbara Sue Elder, Jonelle Hicks, Mary King, Jan Saylor, Vickie Carter, Glenda Gastor, Sandra DeShong, Susan Lucas, Mary Lou Warren, Ann King, Beverly Giddens, Eileen Sachsenmaier, Martha Jean Elder.

Methodist Church Members Entertained

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Ashworth were host and hostess to members of the First Methodist Church, Tuesday evening, at the Hut. A delicious covered dish supper was served with Rev. and Mrs. Ashworth furnishing the chicken for the main course.

After the seventy members present had enjoyed the wonderful meal, a program of community singing, led by Mrs. Gladys Swanson proved to be a big success. Mrs. Earl Jackson, church organist, was accompanist.

Mr. Fred Simcox and Mr. McKee Elwell climaxed the evening's entertainment with a short skit.

Flower Show Notes

In last week's Flower Show Notes, it was stated that all persons bringing Hibiscus blossoms, should have them properly tagged with the owner's name. We wish to correct this error. It should have read, have them properly tagged with the name of the variety.

And while on the subject of flowers, that beautiful plant in Fred Smith's window is known as a Bride Hibiscus and is the property of Mrs. Earl Hartt.

Also, anyone who is interested in Flower Arrangements is urged to pick up one of the new and beautiful booklets, "Homes and Flowers" by Laura Lee Burroughs at the Ware Furniture Store. A nominal sum is charged.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hurrey of Rollins College arrived Wednesday to spend a few days as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilkenson, of Mt. Claire, New Jersey, who are now at Walker Memorial Hospital.

Touchtons Entertain Bridge Club

Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Touchton entertained members of their bridge club, Thursday evening.

Roses from the Touchton garden were attractively arranged to decorate the party rooms, where the guests enjoyed an evening of bridge. A pottery vase was given Mr. and Mrs. Perry as high prize. Mr. and Mrs. Hartt were awarded second high, a silver pencil. During the plays punch and nuts were served. A dessert course and coffee was served at the conclusion.

Those enjoying the evening with Dr. and Mrs. Touchton were Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dorminey, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hartt and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Porterfield.

WMS Executive Committee Meets With Mrs. Wingfield

The executive committee of the Woman's Missionary Society of The First Baptist Church met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. R. Wingfield for their regular monthly business meeting.

Mrs. S. J. Pendleton opened the meeting with a prayer. Plans were made for the coming month's business. Mrs. Bernie Johnson gave the closing prayer.

The hostess served cake and coffee to the following members of the committee: Mrs. E. A. Martin, Mrs. L. W. Wicker, Mrs. S. F. Longbottom, Mrs. Jimmy Spencer, Mrs. Albert Nelson, Mrs. Jerry O'Hern, Mrs. S. J. Pendleton, Mrs. P. A. McFarland, Mrs. B. D. Locke, Mrs. O. C. Wilkes, Mrs. Bernie Johnson and Mrs. H. L. McCully.

Chloe Owen Presents Concert Series

Chloe Owen, lyric soprano, appeared as the second attraction of the Highlands County Community Concert Series at the Sebring Auditorium. She proved to be a decided hit to the large group of association members which included about a score of music-lovers who motored over from Winter Haven for the concert.

Possessed of a vivacious personality and worlds of grace and charm, coupled with a soprano voice of rare beauty, she delighted her audience throughout the excellently arranged and beautifully executed program.

The program included three songs by Franz Schubert, a group of French classics, two operatic arias and an English group. Her encores included "Annie Laurie", "I Love You" by Greig and "La Filles De Codiz" by Delibes.

Her accompanist was John Ranck, who not only proved himself an excellent accompanist but also a soloist in his own right. His "Prelude in G Major," Rachmaninoff, "Toccatto" by Katachatourin and "Claire De Lune", Debussen were warmly received.

Mrs. Charles Kenney, vice president of the Association, advises that the next number of the Concert Series will be the appearance of Jorge Bolet, young Cuban pianist, on April 19, of whom Harriet Johnson, music critic of the New York Sun, wrote: "He ranks with the Best."

Rebekah Members Attend Home-Coming In Orlando

Members of Elinor Severns Rebekah Lodge, No. 65, motored to Orlando, Thursday, to attend the home-coming of the Rebekah State President, Fannie Spinks, former Avon Park resident, now living in Orlando.

Those from this Lodge were Mrs. A. Cox, Mrs. C. Currie, Mrs. H. Mann, Mrs. H. Harris, Mrs. G. Hagan, Mrs. L. Bridges, Mrs. C. Wray, Mrs. M. Waddell, Mrs. A. Dick, Mrs. V. Corneglia, Mrs. M. Reed and Mrs. L. Kean.

Missionary Circles Have Joint Meeting

The Woman's Missionary Society Circles of the First Baptist Church met at 7:30 o'clock, Tuesday evening, at the church, for their regular business and program meeting.

After the business session was completed, the program was presented by the Faye Taylor Circle, under the direction of Mrs. S. J. Pendleton.

Men's Chorus Presents Program

A chorus, by sixteen men from Orlando, was presented at Walker Memorial Hospital, Saturday afternoon, under the direction of Evangelist F. E. Froom.

This Men's Chorus, which broadcasts regularly from an Orlando radio station, gave one of its best performances to the patients, staff members and friends of the Hospital, with 200 persons present to enjoy it.

Rev. Froom spoke at the morning service, and the Chorus rendered two numbers.

Conner—Head Nupital Vows Exchanged

The marriage of Miss Nell-Marie Conner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Wynn Conner Jr., and William Justus Head, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. William Justus Head Sr., of Avon Park was solemnized Saturday evening at 7 o'clock in the garden of the brides home on Lake Jem before an assemblage of 200 relatives and close friends of the young couple.

The ceremony was performed by Father E. H. Burgreen, Episcopal, before an altar banked by blooming camellias, azaleas and plum blossoms.

Mrs. Head is descended on her mothers side from the Guturriez family of Spain who were among the founders of the cigar industry in this state.

Her paternal grandfather, the late Owen Wynne Conner, a well known horticulturist, was active in the development of the citrus industry in Lake County where the Conner family has lived for three generations.

Mr. Head has lived all his life in Avon Park and graduated from Avon Park Schools. He is a veteran of World War II, having served for 19-months in the European Theatre of Operations with 7-months of continuous combat, and was twice cited for meritorous service.

He attended North Carolina State college of Engineering and Agriculture at Raleigh, N. C., and is now enrolled at the University of Florida where he is majoring in chemical engineering.

He is president of the Student Chapter of American Institute of Chemical Engineers, a member of Sigma Tau, honorary chemical fraternity and Alpha Tau Omega, social fraternity.

The young couple is residing in Gainesville where both will continue their studies at the University of Florida.

Mr. And Mrs. Freer Give Oyster Supper

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Freer entertained some of their friends at an oyster supper at their home Monday evening.

Oysters, Mr. Freer gathered Sunday in the Indian River, were served raw, stewed, fried and roasted.

Mrs. Freer was assisted by her mother, Mrs. E. Spencer, and Mrs. Leslie Lloyd.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Palmer and Mrs. Palmer's sister, Mrs. Peter Martin of Boston, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gay and daughter, Carolyn, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lloyd and daughter, Janice, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Spencer.

Coming Events

The Covenant Circle of the Congregational Church will meet Wednesday, March 16, at 3:00 p. m., at the Church. Mrs. James Luxton, will be hostess, devotions by Miss Daizy Smith; and the program, (A) Presentation of the Woman's Gift; (B) Third Study on China by Mrs. Robert Maysack and Mrs. Charles Shepherd. All women of the Church and friends are cordially invited.

Mrs. Clarie Wells, Congregational Church soloist, will give an Irish program in the lobby of Walker Memorial Hospital, Thursday, March 17. Everyone is invited to attend.

Friday, March 18, Mrs. Earl Jackson, Miss Dorothy Jones and Miss Llwyn Jones, memebrs of the Methodist Church group, will present a musical program at the Vesper Hour, 7:15 P. M., at Walker Memorial Hospital. Everyone is cordially invited to hear this program.

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet at 8 o'clock, Monday evening, March 14, at the Legion Home. All members and those eligible for membership are invited to attend.

The First Baptist Church will hold a dinner Sunday, at the Church, honoring the winter visitors in Avon Park. All these guests, irrespective of church affiliations are invited to be present at noon.

MRS LUCY GERTRUDE WARWICK

Mrs. Lucy Gertrude Warwick, 69, died at Walker Memorial Hospital Sunday morning.

Mrs. Warwick had lived in Avon Park four years, coming here from Bridgeport, Conn.

Besides her husband, she is survived by two sons, Richard William Warwick and Robert Francis Warwick, both of Bridgeport, one sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Oakley, Avon Park, and two brothers, Frank Grabber, Bridgeport and Ernest Felix Grabber, Milford, Conn.

The body was shipped Monday to Bridgeport, for interment.

A Tree Farm is a tract of land on which the owner practices reforestation, fire protection, selective harvesting methods, and proper utilization.

E. G. Pierson of Clay, West Virginia, has arrived in Avon Park to spend two weeks.

M. O. Triplett of Hicksville, Ohio, arrived in Avon Park Tuesday to spend two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Clark of Ft. Sill, Oklahoma, have arrived for a visit in Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. J. Ewing of Leesburg have arrived at Walker Memorial Hospital, where they will enjoy a restful vacation.

Mrs. Emma Downey of Witacha, Kansas, who is a guest of Mrs. Amelia Dick, spent Thursday in Orlando.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wicker of Tampa were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wicker and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Lawhon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Paxton Hill, J. Paxton Jr., and Mrs. L. M. Greer attended the boat races in Lakeland, Sunday.

Mrs. W. M. Purvis and Mrs. G. Z. Harley have returned to their home in Alamo, Ga., after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wicker.

Miss Henriatta P. Hood left Sunday for her home in Oakmont, Pa., after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude W. Hood.

Mrs. L. A. Byersmith and her father, D. S. Marleau of Toledo, have been visiting Mrs. Byersmith's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Marleau.

Mr. and Mrs. Quinnell of Miami, have been house guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Marleau, this week, at their home on North Verona Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Church and Mrs. Ed Welch motored to Bradenton, Sunday to attend the American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Marleau of Toledo, have been guests of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Marleau, who recently purchased a home on North Verona Avenue.

Mrs. A. Douglas Ayerst of Elton, Maryland, is the house guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude W. Hood. She will be accompanied home by her mother who will spend a few weeks with her.

Mrs. Vida A. Bridges has returned from Birmingham, Ala., where she has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. G. English. She also attended the wedding of Miss Janet English to James J. McCrorie, February 19.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Marleau have had as their recent guests, at their home on North Verona Avenue, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Recker, their four daughters and a governess from Ottawa, Ohio, where Mr. Recker is an attorney.

Mrs. Stella Arbro of Pike, New York was called away Friday from the home of her cousin, Mrs. Flora Sherman, having received the sad news that her grandson, David Arbro was killed by a car in Warsaw, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Wester of Utica New York; Mrs. John Pryor of Middleton, New York and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Collins of Clifton, New Jersey, have returned to their homes after a visit with Mrs. A. C. Wester, Sr.

Mrs. Frank Truan has just returned from Prince Frederick, Maryland, where she attended the wedding of her granddaughter, Miss Sue Gray, who is the daughter of Judge and Mrs. John B. Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. David Deerwester have as their guests, Mrs. Deerwester's mother, Mrs. Esther Collins of Union Springs, New York, and her sister and neice, Mrs. Carrie Beech and Miss Ada Wright, of North Warren, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Thomason have returned to their home in Lansing, Michigan, after having visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Thomason. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Thomason and daughter, Ann, in Miami for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sacks and Miss Emma Surdquist of Boyne City, Mich., were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Glen V. Mills this week. Mr. Sacks, who has been in business in his home city for years recently retired and this winter is looking over the sunshine cities of Florida, including Avon Park. They, like others, were admirers of our Mall and the city in general.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Marleau have had as their recent guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Henry, Mr. and Mrs. George Todd, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stearns of Toledo, Ohio.

C. A. Shriver of Toledo, Ohio, has been the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Marleau, at their home at 610 North Verona Avenue.

Mrs. O. G. Knowles of Deland was the house guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. C. Worden and family Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Kraner left Wednesday for their home in Woodbury Heights, New Jersey after spending two months at the Connell Apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamont Sonneman and son Edward are visiting Mr. Sonneman's mother, Mrs. Estelle Sonneman at her home on Kendell Boulevard.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Larsen and children, Miss D. M. Priuss, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Larsen and Robert Naslund of Oshkosh, Wis., visited Ringling Art Museum in Sarasota, Sunday.

Miss Joyce Larsen, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Larsen will compete in an Oratorial Contest at Forrest Lake Academy, today (Friday) after having been chosen winner in a similar contest held last week at Walker Memorial Hospital.

Francis Skipper has recently been initiated into the Block and Bridle Club, University of Florida Chapter, a National Organization which takes in major agricultural schools. The purpose of the club is to encourage and promote the livestock industry in the state of Florida.

Mrs. L. M. Greer left Monday, by plane, for her home in Paris, Tenn., having received news her son, Lee M. Greer, Jr., was injured in a serious accident, Sunday. Mrs. Greer has been the winter guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. Paxton Hill and family, who drove her to Tampa, where she took the plane home.

Pfc. Billy G. McConnell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonidas J. McConnell, of this city, has recently arrived in Japan and been assigned to Yokota Air Force Base, most prominent of the Far East Air Forces aerial installations, located approximately thirty miles northwest of the Tokyo-Yokohama area.

Rucgarie Rogers, seamon apprentice, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Rogers of this city, recently visited Athens Greece, and Istanbul, Turkey, while serving aboard the aircraft carrier, USS Tarawa with the Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean Forces under the command of Admiral Richard L. Connolly.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Mosley and children, Barbara, Billy and Shirley joined about 50,000 other Floridians at Winter Park, Tuesday to witness the President of the United States, Harry S. Truman, receive an honorary degree of Humanities from Rollins College.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur S. Kinney were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Orr at Ocala.

Visitors are always welcome at Florida Forest Service installations.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. John Schmidt, Jr., are the proud parents of a baby son, born Tuesday morning, March 8, at Walker Memorial Hospital. The new arrival weighs six pounds, eight ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Frank Elder are happy to announce the arrival of a son, Friday evening, March 4, at Dr. Coleman's hospital rooms. The young man weighs 8 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Lannie Higgenbotham announce the arrival of a son, Tuesday, March 8, at Walker Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James Robert Woodham announce the arrival of a baby boy, born March 3, at Dr. Coleman's hospital roms. The young arrival weighs 7 pounds, 8 ounces.

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IN RE: ESTATE OF EVA L. REED, Deceased.
NOTICE OF FILING PETITION FOR FINAL DISCHARGE OF EXECUTRIX

Notice is hereby given that I have filed my final returns as ancillary executrix of the estate of Eva L. Reed, deceased; that I have filed my petition for distribution and for final discharge, and that on March 16, 1949, I will apply to the Honorable Howard G. Livingston, County Judge of Highlands County, Florida, for approval of said final returns and for an order of distribution and for final discharge as executrix of the will of Eva L. Reed, deceased.

EDLA REED FREIDSTROM,
Ancillary Executrix.
KEITH E. COLLYER,
Attorney for Executrix
Avon Park, Fla.
Feb. 18-25—March 4-11

IN THE COUNTY JUDGE'S COURT IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA
IN RE: ESTATE OF CORA MAY NELSON, Deceased.
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MAKE APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE
TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that I have filed my final report as Ancillary Administratrix C. T. A. of the estate of Cora May Nelson, deceased; that, I have filed my petition for final discharge, and that I will apply to the Honorable Howard G. Livingston, County Judge of Highlands County, Florida, on the 22nd day of March, 1949, for approval of the same and for final discharge as Ancillary Administratrix C. T. A. of the estate of Cora May Nelson, deceased.

This 18th day of February, 1949.
MARLINE L. DAVIS,
As Ancillary Administratrix of the Estate of Cora May Nelson, Deceased.
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Attorney.
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MARGARET P. STEWART
S. COLQUITT PARDEE, JR.
Attorney at Law
Avon Park, Florida.
Feb. 25—March 4-11-18

IN THE COURT OF THE COUNTY JUDGE IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA
In The Matter of the Estate of William E. Morgan, Deceased.
NOTICE OF FILING PETITION FOR FINAL DISCHARGE OF ADMINISTRATRIX.
TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that I have filed my final returns as administratrix of the estate of William E. Morgan, deceased; that I have filed my petition for final discharge, and that I will apply to the Honorable Howard G. Livingston, County Judge of Highlands County, Florida, on April 4, 1949, for approval of the same and for final discharge as administratrix of the estate of William E. Morgan, deceased.

March 4, 1949.
ANNIE L. MORGAN,
Administratrix of the estate of William E. Morgan, deceased.
MATIE W. TOMPKINS,
Attorney for Estate.
March 4-11-18-25

IN THE COUNTY JUDGE'S COURT, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA
In Re: Estate of FRED FREDRICKSON, deceased.
File No. 902
CITATION
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All persons claiming any beneficial interest in the estate of Fred Fredrickson, deceased.

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in this court praying for the determination of the beneficiaries of the estate of Fred Fredrickson, deceased, and you are hereby required to file proof of your beneficial interest in the said estate, in writing, within forty days after the first publication of this notice. Should you fail herein, decree will be entered in due course upon said petition.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said court, at Sebring, Florida, this February 24th, 1949.

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By Mrs. Lucille T. Rankin, R. N.

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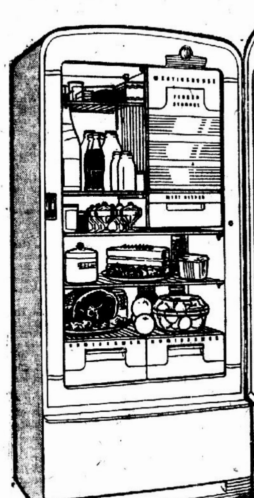

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AS WE SEE IT

By Art Kinney

Of all the splendid civic organizations active in AP, we want to tip our battered old writing machine, to the Avon Park Firemen's Association . . . At present they have "sparked" the successful amateur vaudeville show that was presented last night at the High School auditorium to raise funds to buy Christmas toys for the underprivileged children of this city . . . They are co-operating whole heartedly with the Letela Boat Club in promoting the big amateur boat races to be held here on April 3rd . . . And now comes the biggest project for humanity of all . . . "The Walking Blood Bank" . . . It is almost impossible to establish a regular blood bank in a city the size of AP, so the members of this fine organization hit on the idea of forming a "Walking Blood Bank", for the protection of our citizens, and are now calling for volunteers for the purpose of having their blood typed . . . and this information will be on file at the Fire Station, so that Doctors and hospitals will be able to call there and find out immediately who has the right type blood for any transfusion. Read the story in an adjoining column, and we feel sure that all who can will volunteer for this humanitarian cause.

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Congratulations to the ladies of the Avon Park Garden Club for putting on one of the finest and most beautiful Flower displays ever to be shown in this part of the state . . . Being rather tired of the job of meeting deadlines and all the worry of getting a readable paper out on time, the writer "snuk" home a little early Wednesday afternoon to get in some rest before supper, but the Mrs. informed me that I had better freshen up as we were going to attend the Spring Flower Show and no "ifs and ands" about it . . . Boys and girls, it was like stepping into a new world of glory, and in spite of the fact we felt [illegible] ladies, we felt a little [illegible] when we spotted four or five others of our gender present . . . Our first impression was that it was like going to a popular movie, as we had to stand in line to get into the portals of this transformed fairy land . . . As we shuffled along past the many beautiful arrangements, that tired feeling began to leave us and from then on we thoroughly enjoyed every minute of the tour . . . As we made our exit from this bower of beauty, we were greeted by two charming young ladies in beautiful formal gowns presiding at the punch bowl who served us with a generous helping of liquid sunshine, Florida orange juice . . . Result of the tour was that we went home more rested and contented than if I had of got in that cat knap that I had planned on.

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Just as a matter of information, and in order to keep the records straight that this column only speaks the truth, we checked with several old timers of AP, and was informed that, "that wet stuff" that fell here early Tuesday morning was really rain, the same stuff that all grove and home owners have been praying for . . . Chief Giddens, local observer reports that .39 of an inch fell during a short time, and evidently broke the drought that has existed here for too long a time to remember.

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The Jaycees are sponsoring a project to reorganize a National Guard Unit for AP . . . It is estimated that if this project is successful, it will bring a payroll of at least $25,000.00 per year to Avon Park . . . Everyone in AP should lend a helping hand to this live organization in bringing this project to a successful conclusion.

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There's a large number of earnest workers canvassing the town for memberships in the National Red Cross, giving of their time and energy without pay, so let's do our share by contributing our membership to these workers when they call on us.

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The past few years, farmers and cattlemen have prospered, and we heard a cattleman complaining the other day that all of this "fresh money" had changed his whole pattern of life . . . "First off", he said, "the wife insisted that I tear down our old Chic Sale and install a modern inside bathroom. Then she read it was fashionable nowadays to have an outside barbecue for cooking. So now I read my Sears Roebuck catalog indoors and do my eating outdoors. It's pretty confusing."

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Council Re-Orders Fire Truck—Enforce Garbage Ordinance

On Monday night the City Council opened bids for the purchase of a one and one-half ton truck for use as a "Grass Fire" truck, as re-advertised. Net bids were Avon Park Motor Co., $1,380.00, I. H. Ford Motor Co., $1,379.00 and Wells Motor Co., $1,450.00, all for 1949 models. An alternate bid offering a 1948 model Studebaker truck was rejected as not being satisfactory. After discussion of the bids received the bid of I. H. Ford Motor Co., for a Chevrolet truck at net price of $1379.00 was accepted.

It is anticipated that the new truck will be delivered this week and that the special fire fighting equipment now installed on the old truck will be transferred to the new vehicle at an early date and the new truck placed in active service.

A committee from the Chamber of Commerce appeared before the Council and recommended that a joint committee, representing the City Council and the Chamber of Commerce, be formed for the purpose of studying what improvements should be made in Donaldson Park, especially the facilities of the Winter Guest Club, and the cost thereof, with a view to exploring the possibilities of making funds available for such improvements as are found to be necessary to insure adequate recreational facilities for our winter visitors. Mr. Campbell and Mr. Delegal were named to represent the City Council.

The Mayor advised the Council in regard to progress being made to make the provisions of the ordinance relating to disposal of garbage and trash fully effective. The Mayor stated that approximately 170 business and residential properties had applied to engage the City to collect and dispose of their waste matter. Mr. Wilkes also stated that the survey of the City [illegible] the ordinance and [illegible] who desired to engage the City had been completed and accounting records almost completed.

The Mayor anticipates that a complete list of all who have engaged the City to collect and dispose of waste matter and who have stated their willingness to pay the prescribed charge, will be given to the City employees responsible for such collections not later than Monday, March 21st.

As soon as the list has been given to the City employees they will be instructed that no garbage or trash will be collected from any premises the occupant of which has not engaged the City for such service. Any occupant of either a business establishment or a residence, who desires to engage the City to make collections and disposal of garbage and trash and who has not already done so, should make application to the City Hall before March 19th. The Mayor and City Council have directed that the provisions of the ordinance relating to disposal of garbage and trash be strictly enforced.

The Council was advised that interest on the bonded debt of the City, in the amount of $21,521.38 and payable to bondholders on April 1st 1949, was due to be forwarded to the First National Bank of Chicago. The Council approved payment and directed that the amount stated be remitted to the designated bank.

Assessor Warns Of Deadline

County Tax Assessor P. G. Gearing today stated that April 1st is the last day for making Personal Property Tax Returns on store stocks, grove equipment, garages, packing houses, livestock and every type of Tangible Personal Property subject to county taxes.

Mr. Gearing also advised that April first is the deadline on making application for Homestead Exemption and that all persons should attend to this important matter right away. He advised that all bona-fide residents of Florida who occupied their homes on January 1st or before should, if applying for the first time, bring along their Deeds so as to have the necessary information on hand to get their proper exemptions.

Mr. Gearing also stated he would be in Avon Park each Friday afternoon this month at the Estelle McGinnis office to assist anyone who desires help in making these returns or exemption applications.

Join your Chamber of Commerce.

Soil Conservation Miracle Day April 7

A mechanized army of over 200 farm tractors together with a battallion of workers will move in on the Fellowship Bibical College's 385 acre farm near Sanford on April 7th to stage a giant one-day soil conservation "Face Lifting" operation.

In one day the entire soil and water conservation program will be written on the land by the workers and machines. 185 acres of rough land will be cleared by bulldozers, prepared, limed, fertilized, and seeded to adapted pasture grasses. A one acre fish pond will be constructed and stocked with fish. 52 acres of land will be set aside and planted to wildlife plants. Mile long drainage ditches will be dug to remove excess water from wet lands. Irrigation practices will be installed. 58 acres of truck land will be renovated and seeded to cover crops and 379 tons of limestone and 50 tons of complete fertilizer will be applied to pasture land.

The gigantic event has been named Soil Conservation Miracle Day. The sponsers estimate that over 35,000 people will come from all parts of the country to see the job done. "This operation is the first of its kind ever staged in Florida," Ed Higgins, Manager of the Seminole County Chamber of Commerce and chairman of the Steering Committee, said, "and judging from the reports of other people who have put on similar programs we may even reach 50,000 attendance."

The U. S. Soil Conservation Service technicians planned the soil and water conservation program and will be on hand April 7th to direct the application of [illegible] on the land the Fellowship Bibical College will use the farm in connection with their agricultural teaching program with college students.

The dramatic demonstration packs into one day's program jobs that it would normally take a farmer five years to accomplish. All of the materials and labor are donated by interested commercial firms. "We think this demonstration pays off in two ways," Higgins stated, "first we emphasize the importance of soil and water conservation to the welfare of all the people both rural and urban, and secondly by staging the operation on the college farm we will assist a small struggling college to get its agricultural program off on the right foot."

The sponsering agencies are: The Seminole Soil Conservation District, Greater Orlando Chamber of Commerce, Seminole County Chamber of Commerce, Orlando Sentinel-Star, Sanford Herald, and the Fellowship Bibical College. Lee Wilson, local farm machinery dealer heads the Machinery Committee.

Report Of State Welfare Board

Public assistance payments through the State Welfare Board continued to increase in February, a compilation of figures just made reveals, according to C. Parke Anderson, Chairman of the District No. 8 Welfare Board.

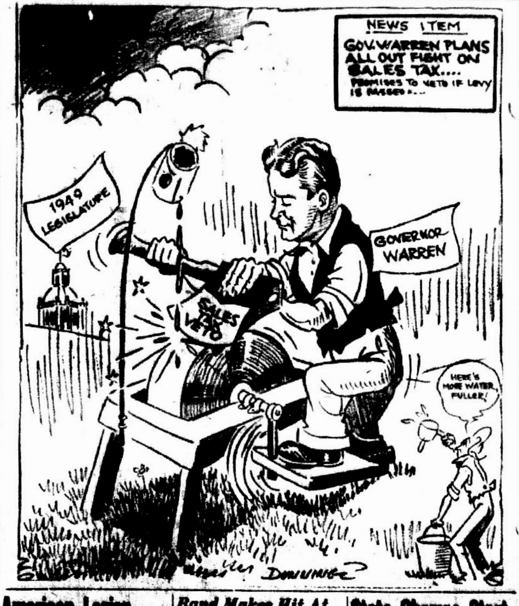
In Highlands County, [illegible] warrants were issued totalling $22,580.50.

Over the State as a whole 85,292 warrants were issued covering a total of 114,196 needy aged and blind persons and dependent children. The assistance payments totalled $3,452,003.50. Administration and service costs covering a variety of social services not indicated in the three major assistance programs amounted to approximately 5.2 percent, Mr. Anderson said.

There was a net increase of 829 in the number of assistance recipients in February as compared with January, and payments were up $37,173. The increase was comparatively low, due principally to an exceptionally large number of cases which were closed during the month.

Of the total assistance payments, $1,251,953.75 came from State Funds as against $2,200,049.75 from Federal sources.

In Highlands County, warrants with a value of $15,911.50 were issued to the needy aged as compared with $15,956.50 in January; $754.50 to the blind as compared with $727.50 and $5,914.50 to dependent children families as compared with $5,616.00.


NEWS ITEM
GOV. WARREN PLANS ALL OUT FIGHT ON SALES TAX....
PROMISES TO VETO IF LEVY IS PASSED....
1949 LEGISLATURE
GOVERNOR WARREN
SALES TAX VETO
HERE'S MORE WATER, FULLER!
Les Dowling

American Legion Elects Officers

At the last regular meeting of the local American Legion post, officers were elected for the coming year. Unanimously elected Commander of the post was John [illegible] who has been filling the position for a portion of the past year. First Vice Commander Spike Reiner and Second Vice Commander Leonard B. Rush were elected to the substitution spots. Others elected were: Historian, W. M. Hetherington, Chaplain; Phil Boardman, Sgt.-At-Arms; John Bryant, Finance Officer; Capt. J. B. McEaddy, and Service Officer, R. Devon Reddick.

Since the meeting, the commander has appointed Marion Nelson to act as adjutant.

The remainder of the meeting was devoted to discussion of several interesting topics, among the most important of which was the skit to be presented by the Legion in the Firemen's children's Christmas benefit on March 17.

Certain alterations to the clubhouse were also discussed and authorized, for its improvement and more utilitarian use for the members and their guests.

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Jaycee News

The regular meeting of the board of directors was held Tuesday evening at the Florida Power Customers Room. At this meeting two very worthwhile community projects were discussed and proposed to be undertaken by the local club.

The first to be voted as a Jaycee project is the improvement of Head Field. This will consist of the building of a concrete block fence around the outfield, additional fencing of the parking area, and proper rest room facilities. The funds for this project will be obtained from the selling of advertisement to be painted on the outfield wall. A committee has been appointed to begin plans for this project.

The second project voted to be sponsored by the Jaycee is the reorganization of a national guard unit here at Avon Park. The unit will be a anti-aircraft battery. This project will when the battery is at full strength bring a payroll of approximately $25,000 a year in to the town, besides creating two full time jobs with a salary of $2,800.00 each. The present need is to find someone that served during the war in one of the top three enlisted grades, or with commission service, to help organize the unit. Any one interested in helping organize the unit please [illegible] Hubbard Biggs at Touchton Drug Company office.

The board of directors discussed the possibilities of starting a soft ball league. Any individual or organization interested in sponsoring a team or playing in the league please contact Jerry Senkarik at Ward 5 & 10 Cent Store.

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Band Makes Hit At Pinecrest Club

The Avon Park High School Band, under the direction of Gene Germain were guests at the Pinecrest Lakes Club on Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. [illegible], hosts at the Club made the plans and a local [illegible] arranged for the lighting facilities.

The concert lasted two hours, and those present expressed their appreciation of the wonderful music supplied by the band. Harold Worden played a trumpet solo, "Stars from the Velvety Sky," by Herbert Clark. Miss Lynn Longbottom sang three numbers, "Serenade of the Bells", "Far Away Places" and "Stormy Weather". The Majorettes put on an act to represent stormy weather while Miss Longbottom sang.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerhardt Meyne, noted music lover, connected with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra of Chicago, were present and commented on the wonderful talent and cooperation of the band. Mr. and Mrs. G. A. T. Washburn of Avon Park praised the youthful musicians, as did the supervisor of music of the Chicago Public Schools, who is a guest at the Club.

Others present from Avon Park were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Garber, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Ford and Professor and Mrs. A. B. Wilhite.

When the preformance was over the guests took up a collection and donated $147.50 to the Band.

Cattlemen Applying Limestone To Pastures

More and better grass and more beef and healthier cattle are in the making. Large quantities of limestone being applied to the Earl Hartt, W. C. Touchton and Lykes Bros. ranches this spring is going to do the trick.

Recent experiments have proven that limestone or calcium is the key to economic pasture production on the acid soils of this area. First it corrects the acidity of the soil which tends to burn off the fine feeder roots of the grass. Secondly it retards the leaching of plant food applied in the form of fertilizer and practically eliminates this loss. Thirdly it furnishes calcium for the grass which, when eaten by cattle is turned into bone material. This means a sturdy framework, fewer broken bones when cattle are penned or hauled and less lameness due to weak, defective joints.

Experiments at the Range Cattle Experiment Station, Ona, Florida the past few years showed that where phosphate was applied year after year on unlimed soil that there was no build-up of this plant food but that when it was applied to soil that had received one ton of limestone per acre that the phosphate content increased with each application. Also that the cattle grazed the grass on the limed soil more readily and made more economical gains than on the unlimed soil.

State Champs Start Baseball Practice

The 1948 High School State Baseball Champions began their Spring training March 1st at Head Field. The Champions [illegible] from last year. They are as follows: [illegible] Donald [illegible], [illegible], Virgil Martin, Ralph Hill, Glenn Render, James Davis and John Delegal.

The Red Devils open their season at home today, against the Wauchula Wildcats. Last season the Red Devils defeated the Wildcats twice.

Players out for practice are: Virgil Hall, Douglas Fields, Bobby Whitcomb, Phillip Gaskins, Thomas Jenkins, Edgar Pabor, Norman Todd, Eddie Meeks, Mister Hall, Jeril Clenny, Jimmy Kelly, Eugene Reynolds, Bruce Spencer and Gene Cruse.

The schedule of games for the season are as follows:

March 18—Wauchula	Here
March 22—Frostproof	Here
March 29—Lake Placid	Here
April 1—Sebring	Here
April 5—Ft. Meade	Away
April 8—Wauchula	Here
April 12—Lake Wales	Here
April 22	
April 26—Lake Placid	Here
April 29—Bartow	Here
May 3—Sebring	Away
May 6—Ft. Meade	Here
May 10—Lake Wales	Here
May 17	
May 20—Mulberry	Here
May 26-27-28—Dist. Tourn.	
May 30—June 4—Ridge Tourn.	
June 13-18—State Tourn.	

NEWMAN NAMED GAME DIRECTOR

Coleman Newman, 37-year-old biologist, Monday was named director of the Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission.

He succeeds Ben C. Morgan, who died of a heart attack in Washington last Wednesday.

Newman has been administrative aide to Morgan since December. Before then he was chief biologist in charge of deer and turkey restoration and of acquisition of lands for public hunting grounds.

He will receive $7,800 as director. Morgan was paid $8,500. Newman's salary as assistant director was $5,500 a year.

72,000 FRYS RELEASED IN COUNTY HATCHERY

Howard Livingston, president of the Highlands County Fish and Game Club, announced that through the efforts of the Club, the Federal Hatchery at Welaka delivered by special truck 72,000 frys to the Highlands county hatchery, and they were released at midnight, Monday. The frys arrived in perfect shape and in 3 to 4 months they will become 5 to 6 inch fingerlings that will be released in the lakes of Highlands county.

Several thousand of the frys that were left over were released in Jackson and Angelo lakes.

It Pays to Advertise.

Firemen Ass'n. Organizing Walking Blood Bank For A P

The Avon Park Firemen's Association are actively engaged in organizing what will be known as a "Walking Blood Bank", primarily for the use of citizens of Avon Park.

It is the plan of the Association to have all persons who are willing, have their blood typed, and this information along with the name, address and telephone number of the volunteer will be on file at the Fire Station, where in an emergency the doctor or hospital can call and state the type of blood needed, and the station will be able to locate the proper donor on very short notice by checking the files.

The persons having their blood thus typed, will be furnished with a card showing what type their blood is, and this card can be carried at all times, and in case of an accident of the bearer there will be no delay in securing the right blood for a transfusion.

Dr. Beaumont, Highlands County health officer, has endorsed the plan and has offered his service to draw the samples of blood from any volunteers who wish to co-operate in this splendid movement. Dr. Beaumont is at the City Hall every Wednesday morning until 11:30 o'clock.

Any person knowing their type of blood, and wishing to join the "Walking Blood Bank," are asked to get in touch with J. C. [illegible], chairman of the committee, or call the Avon Park Fire Department and give them this information.

Spring Flower Show Tops All In Beauty

The theme, "Spring" was truly portrayed Wednesday at the annual Flower Show, sponsored by the Avon Park Garden Club at the Episcopal Parish House. 500 guests visited the show during the afternoon and evening.

The focal point of beauty was the pool with its background of native bay trees, banana plants and fern, bordered by shell orchids and wild iris.

The mantel was banked with carissa, which formed a background for lovely hibiscus blossoms.

Judges for the artistic arrangement classes were Mrs. Donald McDonald, Mrs. Joe K. Hayes, Winter Haven and Mrs. George Pratt, of Sarasota.

The following were awarded ribbons in Class 1—Spring Flowers: Blue, Mrs. Hilda Maddox, yellow calendulas; Red, Mrs. L. D. McGibboney, marigolds and calendulas; White, Mrs. C. Davis, calendulas in a wooden bucket.

Class II winners were: Blue, Mrs. Earl Hartt, blue ageratum and white stock; Red—Mrs. Bob Porterfield, red and white bouganvillia; White — Mrs. Hilda Maddox, snapdragons and Queen Ann's lace; with their Buxom Bouquets.

Class III, arrangements of wild flowers, had the following winners: Blue, Mrs. Harvey Hagan, cypress greenery, lantana and moss; Red, Mrs. Dan Ellis, brown and yellow crotons; White, Mrs. Earl Hartt, chinaberry blossoms and [illegible].

Class IV, [illegible]: Blue, Mrs. W. J. Head, [illegible]; Red, Mrs. W. C. [illegible]; White, [illegible].

Class V, Fruit and [illegible] Mrs. R. G. Perry, [illegible].

Class VI, Flowerless arrangement: Blue, Mrs. Bob King, green leaves in pewter dish; Red, Mrs. Nels Kinberg, green leaves in pottery bowl; White, Mrs. W. S. Betts, Dracena leaves.

Class VII, Line arrangement: Blue, Mrs. W. S. Betts, Bird of Paradise; Red, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, grevillia banksi in green bottle; White, Mrs. Ted Ward, Litche blooms and fruit.

Class VIII, Arrangements using copper: Blue, Mrs. Earl Hartt, shrimp plant and guava leaves; Red, Mrs. W. J. Head, croton leaves, yellow marigolds and hibiscus; White, Mrs. Herbert Todd, pansies in copper bowl.

Class IX, Green and White: Blue, Mrs. Bob King, white gladioli in milk glass bowl; Red, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Encharist lilies; White, Mrs. Earl Hartt, white gladioli in porcelain vase on teakwood stand.

Class X, Foliage arrangement for small apartment: Blue, Anna Rumpes, croton leaves in iron kettle; Red, Bee Anderson, wild smilax in bottle; White, Mrs. R. L. Padgett, Cherokee bean blossom in novelty container.

Class XI, Miniatures, (a) Blue, Mrs. Anna Rumpes, [illegible]; Red, Mrs. Nels Kinberg, Lantan in nut shell; White, Mrs.

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Governor Asked To Probe Sebring School Dispute

Governor Warren was asked Wednesday to investigate the failure of Highlands school trustees to reappoint Mitchell Ferguson, Florida Educational Association president, as supervisor of the Sebring schools.

The following telegram, signed by J. Chappel Taylor, chairman of the citizens committee seeking reappointment of Ferguson, and Mayor J. D. Mitchell, also a member of the committee, was sent to the Governor today:

"Congratulations on your fine stand regarding 'hooded hoodlums'. Spirit of fair play important in our county and for this reason we appeal to you to appoint impartial observer to sift facts regarding ousting of Mitchell Ferguson, president of Florida Education Association, from Sebring job.

"We feel that hooded charges which assassinate a man's character are as deadly as hooded raiders who assassinate a man's body. Petition of more than 1500 names of taxpayer and voters attest to indignation of citizens. Leaving personalities out of it, we ask that a wrong be righted before it is too late."

New Plymouth [illegible] Now On Display

[illegible] Wells Motor Co. [illegible]

Completely [illegible] streamlined, the new Plymouth contains a [illegible] which is [illegible] safety, and [illegible] comfort.

Wheelbase has been [illegible] for a better ride and [illegible] stability but at the same time the over-all length has been reduced for ease of handling. Although [illegible] new bodies provide [illegible] for room for passengers, [illegible] car's appearance reflects a complete change from last year's models. The Plymouth may be seen at Wells Motor Co.

A new automatic [illegible] of the same type used on other Chrysler Corporation cars has been added. Among the outstanding innovations is the combination ignition and starter switch which completely eliminates the starter button. The car starts by turning the ignition key slightly beyond the [illegible] position. When released, the key automatically returns to "ignition on" position. The device is not only a driver convenience, but makes it impossible for [illegible] to [illegible] and [illegible] pushing the starter button.

New seat [illegible] cells to reduce the [illegible] of the cushion and to provide greater support, if needed.

The addition of a 10,000 ohm suppressor permits the use of a larger initial spark plug gap, resulting in improved idling and low speed, light load performance. The push-pull type of switch for headlights, panel lights and heater has been replaced with rotary-action, [illegible] controls, and a new [illegible] fuel gauge gives [illegible] reading when the ignition switch is turned off on.

Air intake velocity on the Navy jet fighter plane Fury (FJ-1) is [illegible] knots at two feet from the plane's nose.

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WEATHER REPORT

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March 10	[illegible]	[illegible]	
March 11	[illegible]	[illegible]	
March 12	[illegible]	[illegible]	
March 13	[illegible]	[illegible]	
March 14	[illegible]	[illegible]	
March 15	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
March 16	[illegible]	[illegible]	