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## New Council To Take Office October 1st

The last meeting of the old Avon Park City Council took place on Monday night, September 26th. This was a joint meeting of the old and new council. Many matters were discussed and the new members were shown or explained some of the workings of the council.

Before retiring the council agreed to donate $450.00 to the Woman's Club to help in their financial program for the Library. The $300.00 promised to the Chamber of Commerce, half of the cost of the folders for the City was voted to be paid, and a sum of $250.00 was donated to the Avon Park Athletic Association. A letter from Mr. Charles Ginn was read in connection with the use of the tennis courts at the Youth Center. He asked that the courts be reserved for the Youth Center on two nights a week. After careful consideration it was agreed by the Council that they would try a scheme whereby the Youth Center would have the exclusive use of the courts either from 7:30 to 9:30, two nights or from 7:30 till they close on one night.

Members of the old council, who will leave office at midnight Friday, said they were glad to report all current bills paid and a surplus left for the incoming council to begin work with in contrast with the $3,000.00 deficit when they took office two years ago. The following is a copy of the financial status of the city at the audit of the books to close the year, September 24th, 1949.

Summary of financial position of the City of Avon Park as of this date.

Books for old fiscal year closed September 24th, 1949. Accounts to be audited beginning September 28, 1949.

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| GENERAL FUND: | | |
| Cash in Barnett Bank | | $5,461.13 |
| LIABILITIES: AGAINST GENERAL FUND: | | |
| Payroll to Sept. 30th for City Officials permanent and temporary employees | $2,040.10 | |
| Bills payable | 378.00 | |
| Withholding tax due Federal Govt. | 251.40 | |
| Due Chamber of Commerce (Adv. folders) | 300.00 | |
| Due Women's Club for Public Library | 450.00 | |
| Total liabilities | | $3,567.50 |
| Net balance available to incoming Council | | $1,893.63 |
| SINKING FUND: | | |
| Balance in Barnett Bank after payment of interest and bank fees due October 1st. | 4,374.39 | |
| Less account due Bond Buyer for advertisement | 37.50 | |
| Net balance unobligated | 4,336.89 | |
| BALL PARK REVENUE FUND: | | |
| Balance in Barnett Bank after retirement of 8 bonds ($400.00) and payment of part interest | $ 624.75 | |
| Less amount due bondholders for interest | 213.75 | |
| Net balance unobligated | $ 411.00 | |
| SPECIAL ASSESSMENT: | | |
| Total amount due under judgement of Court has been paid in cash, $6,000 on hand | | |
| WATER & LIGHT: | | |
| Balance in Barnett Bank | $6,597.20 | |
| Less payroll to permanent employees to September 30, 1949 | 235.00 | |
| Net balance | $6,806.95 | |

### Accident Victim Said To Be Improving

The victims of the car crash which occurred on September 25 although still in the hospital are said to be improved. Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Moring are at Wesson Hospital in Sebring. Mr. Moring suffered a fractured right ankle, lacerations of the face and chest injuries. Mr. Moring sustained head injuries, and severe lacerations of the face and forehead.

The five Negroes who at the Sebring General Hospital are Avant Lee, of Nocatee with a broken leg and head cuts; Ben Mason, of Wauchula, facial lacerations of the arms and legs; Richard Johnson of Sebring, lacerations of the left ear, simple fracture of the right arm and possible internal injuries; Elizabeth Humphrey, Arcadia, lacerations of left ear, contusions, lacerations of both legs, left arm broken at elbow, right arm has possible fracture; Sara Clark also of Sebring, lacerations of left leg, multiple lacerations of forehead, severe lacerations of the face and nose. Fortunately none of the victims were killed.

The Morings were driving a 1949 Oldsmobile which is completely demolished. Avant Lee, colored, was driving a 1936 Chevrolet, which is also completely demolished. The accident was investigated by Johnny Hicks, of the Florida Highway Patrol.

The accident occurred at 8 P. M., approximately 3 miles south of the city limits of Avon Park.

### Adult Courses At Florida Southern College

Citizens of near-by counties have shown a great deal of interest in the adult courses to be offered at Florida Southern College, E. B. Crim, director of the department, said today.

Crim, Lakeland business man, attorney and former director-attorney, office of housing expediter for Polk County, will teach two of the 20 courses to be offered.

His class in public speaking and training for leadership will continue for 12 weeks, he announced, and sales psychology and business management will last for six weeks.

Crim stated that regardless of what type of business a person is

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### Navy College Training Program

The Navy announced recently that the fourth nation-wide competitive examination for its College Training Program has been scheduled for December 3, 1949, and will be open to high school seniors or graduates within the age requirements. Successful candidates will be given a four-year college education at government expense and will be commissioned as officers of the Navy or Marine Corps upon graduation.

The program is open to male citizens of the United States between the ages of 17 and 21, and quotas have been assigned to each state and territory on the basis of its high school population. Those who are successful in passing the aptitude test will be interviewed and given physical examinations; then, if they are found in all respects qualified, their names will be submitted to state and territorial Selection Committees composed of prominent citizens and naval officers. The Navy expects to enter about 2,000 students into the program commencing with the fall term of college, 1950.

The students selected by these competitive examinations will be assigned to the 52 Naval Reserve Officers' Training Corps units which are located in various universities and colleges in the United States. If accepted by the college, they will be appointed Midshipmen, U.S.N.R., and will have their tuition, books, and normal fees paid for by the Government. In addition they will receive pay at the rate of $50.00 a month for the four-year period. Upon graduation they may be commissioned as officers in the Regular Navy or Marine Corps and required to serve on active duty for two years. At the end of this time they may apply for retention in the Regular Navy or Marine Corps, or transfer to the Reserve and return to civilian life.

Applications are available at high schools, colleges, Offices of Naval Officer Procurement, and Navy Recruiting Stations.

Mr. A. B. Wilhite, Principal of Avon Park High School, who is acting as the Navy's local civilian representative, will be pleased to provide specific information about the program, including the time and place of the competitive examination, the method of making application, and the specific age and scholastic qualifications.

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## Children's Committee Begin Christmas Planning This Week

The Avon Park Children's Committee met Tuesday evening at the Union Congregational Church, Rev. W. J. Ashworth presiding, and started the ball rolling toward a bigger and better program of Christmas cheer for needy families.

Last year a Christmas Committee was appointed with Rev. John E. Pickens as chairman, and the excellent cooperation of organizations and individuals enabled them to serve sixty families with about 150 children. The duplication of giving and accompanying missing of others existing in former years was largely avoided. However, because some organizations and individuals would not cooperate in the united effort, there was some duplication. In one case, for example, the men delivering baskets for the Christmas Committee found two other baskets already delivered from non-cooperating groups. If all will cooperate this year, such experiences can be avoided.

The aim of the Christmas Committee is two-fold primarily. First, an effort to eliminate all duplication; second, an effort to see that each and every child who would otherwise not receive Christmas gifts would be served. One of the first steps must be to prepare lists of families and children involved with age and sex indicated. The Committee invites organizations and individuals to send in names for this list. All such families will be duly investigated.

Later organizations and individuals can cooperate in one or more of several ways—by gifts of money, supplies or toys; by agreeing to take care of one or more families either securing the families from the list investigated by the Committee, or at least reporting to the Committee the names of any families they intend to help; by working with the central Committee in preparing boxes and packages.

Last year the Committee received a total of $143 but this is not nearly sufficient to give worthwhile toys to so many children, even when all organizations and individuals took care of families and children independently. It is hoped this year to receive $300 and this is an excellent time for organizations and individuals to turn in pledges or actual cash to the Committee. The sooner this is done the better able the Committee will be to do a good job.

Already there is indication of helpfulness. The Avon Park Firemen put on an entertainment some time ago, and now have $100 which is promised to cooperate in every way possible. Mr. T. J. Ward, owner of Ward's 5-10 & 25c Store, has promised to contribute a liberal number of new toys. Several organizations including the American Legion, P. T. A., Rebecca, Women's Club, have committed the Committee asking how they might best help. We are certain this excellent helpful spirit will be duplicated by many others.

The Christmas Committee appointed last year and with the understanding they would continue through the 1949 season includes the following members: Mrs. Charles Shepherd, Mrs. Edwin Carter, Mrs. A. C. Wachendorfer, Helen Harris, Mrs. Walter Dickson, and Rev. John E. Pickens. Others will be added at once, but any of the above will be happy to hear from those who want to help. Let's make this a truly Merry Christmas for everyone.

### Promotion Day Held At First Baptist Church

Sunday, September 25th was promotion day at the First Baptist Church. In the nursery class, those under three years, there were 10 who were promoted to Mrs. Longbottom's class of beginners. The youngsters sang a song and stole the show. Mrs. Geurndt is the superintendent of the nursery. Mrs. Longbottom promoted 13 of her class to that of Mrs. Touchton's primary department. Mrs. Lora Stuckey received 20 into the Junior Department. These students were given a new bible by superintendent Malcolm Crews. Mrs. E. A. Martin of the Intermediate department received 20 new students, promoted 7 of her pupils to the Young Peoples Department, of which Mrs. Lawhon is the superintendent. These superintendents have several teachers working with them in each department.

Last year 259 persons joined the Sunday school and 71 joined the church. Next Sunday, October 2nd is "Forty Niner" day and all of those who have joined the Sunday school or church since last year are urged to be present. Rev. Liner's theme will be "God or Gold."

Seven pounds of cheese were consumed per person in 1948.

### Funeral Services Held For Clarence D. Wild, Sept. 25th.

Funeral services for Clarence D. Wild, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Wild, who passed away September 22, were held at Stephenson's Funeral Chapel on Sunday, September 25th, at 3:00 o'clock with the Rev. Graetz officiating. Mr. Wild, born in 1917 in Avon Park, was a popular athlete during his school days here.

Internment was in Bougainvillea Cemetery. Pall bearers, Wiley Sauls, Jr., James Ward, J. T. Williford, Fred Reddick, T. J. McGinnis and P. A. McFarland.

Survivors are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Max Wild, three sisters, Mrs. Mary L. Cobb of Savannah, Ga., Miss Carolyn Wild and Miss Ruth E. Wild of Tampa, two brothers, Henry W. Wild of New Orleans and Fred Wild, County School Superintendent of Sebring.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We the undersigned wish to express our sincere heartfelt thanks for the kindness of all those who contributed to the services of the funeral of our beloved son and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Wild,
Miss Carolyn Wild,
Fred Wild,
Mrs. A. L. Cobb,
Henry Wild,
Miss Ruth Wild.

## OLD SETTLERS DAY

by Elliot Wales

October 12th may be just another day on the calendar to a lot of people, then to another group it will mean a great celebration for the discoverer of America, Christopher Columbus, but to a very particular group in Avon Park it will mean a day of grand reunions and a day for reminiscing. It is Old Settler's Day.

Avon Park Old Settlers Association is an organization, founded in 1945, by an earnest group of "Old Settler's," whose incentive for its inception was "The Glory of the Old's shall be in the Young."

Every year the Association receives, by an annual meeting, a place for Old Settlers to gather and exchange reminiscences", this is from their charter.

Already there is a current of interest and good spirit as regards the annual get-together, as projected plans are made for the 13th annual meeting on October 12th, 1949 at Donaldson Park, a most appropriate meeting place in as much as the Park was named for Mr. C. B. Donaldson, formerly Mayor of Avon Park, who made possible the beautiful botonical array on the Mall and an active member of the Old Settlers Association.

Over two hundred invitations are to be sent out this year for the affair and a big turnout is anticipated. Mrs. Ray Walden one of the first to start the organization, together with Mrs. J. R. Bennett, Secretary, and Mrs. Cora Wray, Treasurer are working to get all mailing lists up to date so that no name will be omitted. Also personal contact is being made whenever possible. It is the desire of all of the officers to make this a memorable day in the organization and in Avon Park.

Mr. Byrum Shockley, Historian is preparing a paper, which will be read at the meeting. This will be his third in the series which he is preparing on Avon Park.

A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon, each member who can bringing something for the table, which will be spread picnic style under the covering at Donaldson Park.

Avon Park's youngsters will have to give way to Avon Park's oldster for the day. The informal get-to-gether will undoubtedly bring forth much information of the original founding and many interesting facts of Avon Park from those who have had much to do with the early organization of one of the cultural centers of Florida. The name Avon Park was given this settlement by the English founders, after Stratford on Avon, the birthplace of William Shakespere. There is much tradition and interesting history behind what has developed to be what is known as Avon Park, by the pioneer fathers. There are many of the descendants of these pioneers living in the Avon Park City.

It is a hope, that from this present meeting, there will arise the beginning of a series of articles and features by the old timers of Avon Park, that will be of interest to every Avon Park resident.

There are in Avon Park today many who are not in the Association and it is a desire that an interest will be stimulated to bring many new members to the club. The main requirement for application is a residence of twenty years or more in Avon Park. There are no dues in the Association. The officers Mr. Cyril Baldwin, President; Mrs. J. R. Bennett, Secretary; Mrs. Cora Wray, Treasurer or the organizations founder, Mrs. May Walden will be glad to receive applications.

Several local merchants have already expressed an interest in the day and several very nice prizes have already been offered by Avon Gardens Florist owned by Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Curris, Ward's Department Store, and by Jordon & Son, Jewelers.

A partial list of prominent names from past meetings and of old settlers and of early families, still living in Avon Park is given herewith. It is hoped that any omissions will be called to the attention of the officers at once that next week when complete final preparation story will have those names to add.

Mrs. May Walden, Mrs. Cora Wray, Mrs. Caroline Good, Mrs. Mildred Wray Waddell, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Noland, Mrs. Clara Davidson, Mr. W. H. Drummond, Mr. and Mrs. Rex A. Reed, Mrs.

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### C. Parke Anderson Re-elected President of Soil Conservation



C. Park Anderson
by
HIRAM L. SWAIN

The Highlands Soil Conservation District is honored in having its own president re-elected as State President of the Association of Soil Conservation District Supervisors. The Association has made rapid progress under the leadership of Mr. Anderson.

The State Presidency which Mr. Anderson has accepted is an unpaid job that requires a great deal of time and energy. Mr. Anderson has given unstintingly of his time and energy in the administration of this progressive organization.

The State Association under the leadership of Mr. Anderson has entered into several memorandums of understanding with other related groups. The purpose of memorandums of understanding is to insure a better coordination of all agricultural and other groups in the state so related to Soil and Water Conservation.

Mr. Anderson's farming profits at Lorida and Hendricks Field are doing fine. The nursery plots were planted to insure a source of planting material to cooperators in the District. We know from experience in these plots can be grown many species of high nutritive values as B hall and Bahia. Bahia is hopeful for the dry areas and from the seed we get it we. The District is hopeful that the owners of these plots will keep them off the District Nursery plots.

Two applications for Soil Conservation Plans were turned in this week—M. E. Dozier, 18,000 acres, Gordon Albritton, 500 acres.

### Chief Starter Appointed For Regatta

According to a letter received this week from Lenny Rush, Jr., executive secretary of the American Power Boat Association, Lenny Rush was appointed chief starter for the regatta held at Lake Alfred Sept. 27-30th.

Lenny Rush, an executive of the Lotela Boat Club has been active in outboard racing in this country for several years and has an entry in the A. P. B. A. regatta that was held in Lake Alfred.

Pearl Rybisk, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Welch, pastor and Mrs. O. E. Wolff, Mrs. L. H. Park, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Thomason, Mrs. Lennis DeWitt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Krause, Mrs. Hessler Weese, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. England, Mrs. Alice McCarthy

## Community Concerts For Avon Park

### Red Devil Pow-Wow

by PAT LAGONI

Things are really stirring at the big yellow schoolhouse this week with our football season opening Friday, the 30th against Auburndale. The Red Devils are in tip-top shape and rearing to go.

The cheerleaders have been practicing some new yells and are really hoping for a lot of help in giving the boys the support they deserve. They'll be out there playing their very best for the honor of Avon Park, so the least we can do is to let them know we're right behind them. Let's have a big turnout Friday and let them know we're there.

Football may be the main topic for the week, but there are many more interesting activities which are keeping us busy. More of the clubs mentioned last week have chosen their officers. The Devil's Club officers are: Leon Lenderman, President; Harold Barker, Vice President; Anne Palmer, Secretary and Joyce Summers, Treasurer. The Rowdan Dramatics club has chosen the following: Helen Knowles, President; Judy Wright, Vice President; Virginia Norris, Secretary; Beth Sisco, Treasurer; Joan Sapp, Reporter. Officers of the Senior Hi-Y Club are: Richard Landrum, President; and Geraldine Elder, Secretary-Treasurer.

The Devil's Chatter staff is working hard trying to get their first issue of the school paper out Wednesday, October 5th. The staff have been getting subscriptions for the past few weeks and are now in the midst of the people and students of Avon Park will buy a subscription and help our paper.

The staff of the newspaper is: Editor, Joy Lagoni; Assistant Editor, Joan Sapp; Sports Editor, Bill Jones, and Judy Wright and Judy Wright, Typists; Reporters, Beth Sisco, Joan Sapp, Barbara Ann Hall, Jones, Gwendolyn Hall, Jones, Gwendolyn Hall, Jones, Gwendolyn

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

# U.S. Crops at Near-Record Peak; Lewis Hints at Coal Mine Strike; Steel Industry Resists Wage Hike

EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.

## Over Sarajevo?

EIGHTEEN AFTER the end of World War I this writer stood beside a cracked piece of pavement on the main street of Sarajevo, Yugoslavia. The crack marked the spot where a bomb, thrown at the Archduke Franz Ferdinand on June 28, 1914, had touched off the first World War.

The bomb had been thrown seven years before. I, that a young assassination student in the Balkans, visited Sarajevo; yet in those seven years the cracked pavement had not been repaired. Reconstruction moves slow in the Balkans. Tonight I—at that time being a very young student—it moves even more slowly. Would our cosmos is dark and weary Europe.

Well, another war did come; and today events are shaping up in those same tired but turbulent Balkans which could bring still another Sarajevo almost overnight.

Should Tito be assassinated, should the Red army divisions on the Hungarian - Yugoslav border start south, should revolt flare in Bulgaria, Hungary, Rumania, Albania, Greece, war might engulf all of them again. And war in Europe has a habit of being contagious.

### Danger vs. Hope

Yet with all its dynamite-laden danger, the Balkan situation also presents one of the most optimistic developments in the cold war against Stalin. For, to date, Russia's satellite dictators, despite their threats to the contrary, have failed to follow Stalin's lead in [illegible] countries. Here [illegible] Washington: [illegible] of workers, the [illegible] has been doing [illegible] to aid recovering [illegible] the [illegible] dollars' worth of [illegible] by Poland and [illegible] are on New York [illegible] to make. But they [illegible] Washington.

[illegible] Budapest the little [illegible] have [illegible] Prague, Bucharest, Sofia, Hungary, Rumania. [illegible] is purely a result of the [illegible] Stalin boycott. People have [illegible] but they can't buy.

[illegible] farmers have revolted [illegible] collectivization, national [illegible] is coming to the front, and [illegible] generally don't like their [illegible] masters.

### Tito's Spies

Also, Tito, formerly an NKVD operator trained by the Soviet, is now using NVKD methods against the Soviet, not merely in Yugoslavia, but in all the satellite countries. He has about as many underground agents in Czechoslovakia, Bulgaria and Rumania as Moscow has working against him.

Should this network of undercover revolt start popping, it may start a chain reaction throughout all eastern Europe.

SITUATION B—Yugoslavia: Tito has had 30 million dollars in gold sailed away in Portugal. He now has withdrawn five million dollars to finance revolts in other satellite countries. Once disliked by the Serbs, Tito is now their hero, thanks to opposing Moscow's farm collectivization. In fact, Tito, still a staunch Communist, is stronger at home than ever, could not be kicked out of office, can only be removed by assassination.

So far, Moscow has tried the latter course—and much more frequently than has leaked to the press. Apparently Stalin, worried over what goes on in the other satellite countries, doesn't want to risk open war with their friend Yugoslavia.

Through U. S. eyes—If the Red army should cross the Yugoslav border, U. S. military experts believe Tito's troops can hold out about three months.

To bolster Yugoslavia's defense, the United States has enough arms to supply four divisions stored on the British island of Malta. They could be rushed to the Dalmatian coast in a hurry.

U. S. worry—Should Yugoslavia fall completely to Moscow, then Greece, according to U. S. experts, would soon go Communist. They point out that it was not until Tito cut off supplies to the Greek guerrillas that the Greek army made any real progress in cleaning up the Communists.



SUPERCILIOUS SWINE UNIMPRESSED BY GI — Neutrality for honors as outstanding's most snooty member, this porker at Okinawa, Japan, is entirely unbeguiled as Pfc. Jos McClendon, Modesto, Calif., uses an engineer to capture disease-bearing mosquitoes in a house at Okinawa. The GI's not-too-happy look is probably inspired by the realization that a hog with such a superstitious appearance might quickly benefit an inferiority complex in any human being who gazed too long.

## U.S. CROPS:

### Near Record

Marshall plan countries, nations everywhere sharing in the largesse of Uncle Sam, would rejoice at the news that the 1949 U. S. crop forecast indicated a near-record volume. Be rosy was the picture that experts held that this year's farm production would almost approximate 1948's record output.

REPORTING late, the U. S. department of agriculture said that if the crop did not top all records, it certainly would be second only to last year's figure. Since the growing season for most crops was practically over, there was little likelihood in any change in the crop forecast.

Corn, especially, was abundant, with this crop almost certain to result in some sort of controls on acreage. The prediction for the corn crop was 3.5 billion bushels, only 2.5 per cent below last year's record, but 27 per cent above average. The new figure was only 100 million bushels less than the forecast of a month ago.

It was believed that a corn crop of this size was virtually certain to lead the government to invoke production controls on the 1950 crop in a move to prevent accumulation of a burdensome surplus. As a consequence, corn from this year's crop is expected to move into government hands under price-support programs to join the more than 400 million bushels remaining there from the 1948 crop.

NO OFFICIAL decision on corn was likely, however, until after the October crop estimate.

The agriculture department's wheat crop estimate of nearly 1.35 billion bushels was virtually unchanged from a month previous. This would make it the fourth largest wheat crop on record. Also among the relatively large crops were rice, tree nuts, soybeans, grapes, cotton, flaxseed, sorghum grain, dried beans, sugar cane and cherries.

## RELIGION:

### 15 Priests Held

Charging the church with using an underground communications network, the Communist government in Czechoslovakia arrested priests in an effort, it said, to smash the organization.

THERE were indications that despite the arrests, the system was still working because it was needed by the church to maintain contact between its priests and their bishops.

As a point in proof of the continued operation of the system, it was pointed out that parish priests still are sending in declarations to the government that they would rather go to jail than obey a new church-control bill which the Communists proposed to enact.

PRIESTS who have been sending in these declarations say they will never accept appointment from anyone except their freely-acting church superiors.

The church has demanded that the government call off its war against the clergy if it wants to enter into any new negotiations for an agreement as to the role of church and state in the governmental setup.

### Relax, Fellows

All was serene, at least for the moment, between the American army and the American air force. The army apologized and thus ended a "battle" crisis growing out of the army's challenge of an air force claim that a mythical "enemy" armored force had been wiped out in war games in Germany.

The air force general in command, after the army blast at his claims, had threatened to pick up his planes and go home from the maneuvers.

Then the army admitted the air force was right, with the commanding general apologizing for the inability of his ground-forces umpire to assess properly the sudden strikes by the air force.

## COAL:

### Lewis Sputters

In the North, trees were showing the first sparks of autumnal color. In the West, snow already had fallen in one state. Fall was in the air and the crisp sharpness, the thinning sunlight all indicated the time was right.

And up in his west, John L. Lewis knew it. The United Mine Workers' chief was threatening coal strike—and at a time when the threat would be most effective.

BUT AS USUAL, his threat was based apparently upon the highest ideals. There was no question of higher wages or shorter working hours. Instead, Lewis charged that southern coal operators had bled the union's welfare fund white by withholding payments.

Lewis did not mention the word "strike," but he said a continuation of the default in payments might cause "reactions deterrent to the constructive progress of the industry."

However, everybody on the sidelines in Washington construed that statement to hold a strike threat. The National Coal association advised its members that Lewis' language was a "direct threat" and added:

"No mention is made of the fact that there is no contract and no agreement to pay. . . ."

## STEEL:

### 4th Round Unsure

Unless the situation changed drastically, there would be no fourth-round wage increase for the nation's steelworkers. Almost on the eve of the strike call, the CIO-United Steelworkers union gave up its fight for a wage hike, and called off the strike.

THE million-member union accepted both President Truman's recommendation for an extension of the strike truce and recommendations of a presidential fact-finding board aimed at solving the steel-wage dispute.

Philip Murray, union boss, told the President in a telegram that he gave up the wage increase demand "with profound regret," but agreed to the board's recommendations "in the interest of concluding a prompt settlement."

Six of the nation's major steel producers accepted the truce extension request, but no company had given an answer on the board's formula.

*PRESENT FARM AID DEFENDED*

## Aitken Claims Wheat, Cotton Props High

According to Senator Aitken (R., Vt.), present farm aid law provides for high price props for wheat and cotton and he declared that anyone who contends otherwise is guilty of misrepresentation.

The senator was defending the flexible farm-support law he helped write in the preceding congress and which bears his name. Barring new farm-aid legislation, the Aitken law would become effective next January 1.

He said he thought the law requires that in 1950 support of wheat and cotton prices be at 82 to 90 per cent of parity. He called this a "far cry from the misrepresentation of those who tell wheat and cotton growers that they will get only 75 per cent under the 1949 act."

## FINANCE:

### Advice to British

If the British got nothing else out of the Washington conference on the island's financial crisis, they had received a lot of advice.

That they were not too prone to follow it was evidenced by British comment in the homeland and hints by Washington newsmen that the British monetary delegation was peeved at the way U. S. treasury chief John Snyder was bossing the show.

WITH bland disregard for the fact, British comment in London was to the effect that Uncle Sam was playing England for a sucker. On the other hand, there was much criticism in the U. S. that the British had nothing but their own yen for the labor government to blame for their financial plight.

In the midst of the clamor, one thing appeared to be distinct; The major forces in U. S. agencies which might help the British were agreed that devaluation of currency was the immediate answer to Europe's financial problems. Snyder believes that, and he has been backed up by the opinion of the World Bank and Monetary Fund.

EUGENE BLACK, American president of the 48-nation World Bank, summed it up neatly. He said:

"I do not underestimate either the complexities or the far-reaching consequences of such action (devaluation), but I fail to see how it can be avoided."

## SECURITY:

### Cost Rising

An increase in the cost of social security to about 15 billion dollars by 1960, and possibly more than 30 billion by the year 2000, would be the net effect to American taxpayers if congress would pass the pending proposals to expand our present system.

THIS ESTIMATE was made by the Research Council for Economic Security, a Chicago organization, in a study entitled Estimated Cost of Social Security Expansion. Cost estimates are based upon the estimated population and mortality rates for future years. No allowances for variations in wage or price levels has been made.

The expanded program, all of which has been given consideration in the 81st congress, consists of four parts:

1. Increase in old age and survivors insurance benefits and coverage.

2. The introduction of a new concept in federal social insurance, namely, compensation for temporary and permanent disability.

3. An expansion in federal public assistance payments.

4. Adoption of a national compulsory insurance system.

"THE COST in terms of taxable payrolls," the council points out, "ranges from 9.7 per cent to 11.6 per cent in 1980, depending upon low-cost or high-cost estimate. For the year 2000, the estimate ranges from 12.3 per cent to 18.8 per cent of taxable payrolls.

## WORLD SERIES:

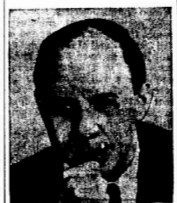
### Video at Movies

Everything, someone has observed, happens in Brooklyn. What was slated to happen in Brooklyn this fall would engage the interest of every baseball fan in the nation.

FOR, at a Brooklyn theater, all the World Series baseball games were to be shown, via television, on the theater's movie screen.

True, it was an experimental project for which the theater-owner reportedly paid $10,000; but other theaters had shown some interest in the plan, and it had the endorsement of A. B. "Happy" Chandler, baseball's high commissioner.

## Tapped as Envoy



Robert D. Murphy, career diplomat and former political adviser to Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, was nominated for post of U. S. ambassador to Belgium. He would succeed Admiral Alan G. Kirk, who is new U. S. ambassador to Russia.

## PARTY LINE:

### On the Farm

Communist officials, including three representatives from Moscow, held an organization and policy-making meeting at Beacon, N. Y.

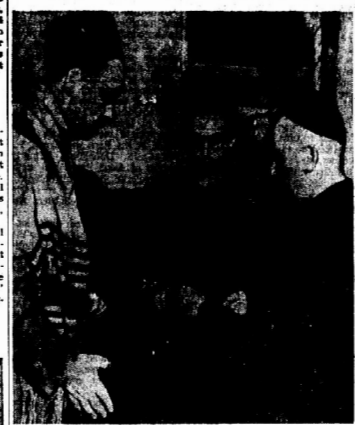
That's the story that fell into the hands of the senate judiciary subcommittee on immigration. It reputedly came from one Maurice Malkin, Brooklyn, a self-acknowledged former Communist official in this country.



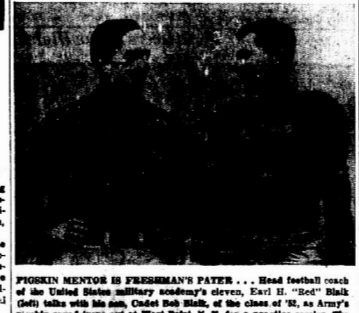
F. D. R. ELEUTED AGAIN . . . But he is F. D. R., Jr. and he is elected a bridegroom. Rep. Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., stands with his socialite bride, the former Suzanne Ferris, 26, after their marriage at the New York apartment of the bride's mother. Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt and the bridegroom's brother, Elliot, attended the ceremony. The 34-year-old son of the late President was divorced last May in Nevada by his first wife, the former Ethel Dupont.



FIGHTER AND FAMILY . . . Training for his fight with Charles Fusari at the Polo Grounds, New York, Rocky Graziano roots with wife, Norma, and his children, five-year-old Andrew and infant Rocky at Demarest, N. J., training camp. Pausing up the usual drink of water, Graziano allows Rocky to feed him from her bottle of milk. Graziano usually would not stay in a training camp for more than a few days, because he missed his family. This helped, and he KO'ed Fusari in the 10th.



UNUSUAL NUPTIALS . . . In a ceremony lawful only in Rhode Island, Rabbi Morris G. Silk (right) unites Mendel Rosenblum and his niece, Mrs. Regina Polistreng, in Providence. Jewish law ordinarily forbids such a marriage, but in a case like this, the ceremony was sanctioned as a worthy deed. Spouses of both bride and bridegroom were slain by the Nazis. Mrs. Polistreng came to America and was supported by her uncle. He found himself unable to maintain two households.



PIGSKIN MENTOR IS FRESHMAN'S PATER . . . Head football coach of the United States military academy's eleven, Earl H. "Red" Blaik (left) talks with his son, Cadet Bob Blaik, of the class of '52, as Army's pigskin squad turns out at West Point, N. Y. for a practice session. The coach's son is a basketball team participating in his first season of play on the frosh of West Point's squad.



EAST DIVORCES WEDS . . . Yolanda Lopez Packet, daughter of vice-presidential candidate in the Philippines, goes to Reno to divorce Robert Packet, former U. S. army officer, whom she married in 1946 to culminate an East-West romance. They were married in Hollo, Island of Panay.



ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY . . . After conferring with Democratic party leaders, former New York governor, Herbert Lehman, announces at press conference that he will be a candidate for the U. S. senate. Lehman met with Paul Fitzpatrick, state chairman, and Edward J. Flynn, Bronx leader.



CONVALESCENT . . . "Tootsie," four - month - old pet pugnacious stairs at home of his master, Ray Prust, Chicago, after breaking both left legs in a fall from third floor window.



POISE FOR THE BOYS . . . Demonstrating superb poise and self-possession, three-year-old Mickey Newberry, Cleveland, Ohio, leads Corregidor Post No. 570 in American Legion parade in Philadelphia. Mickey is the mascot of the post.



"THE ICE-WOMAN COMETH" . . . Mrs. Elizabeth Folger, 36, Plymouth, Mass., only known ice-woman, totes 2,700 pounds of ice during her seven-day week. She also milks four goats.


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WOMAN'S WORLD

# Right Pattern Use Helps You Fashion-Wise

By Ertta Haley

IF YOU'RE hard to fit, if you want to be fashionably dressed and if you want to save money on clothes, the best thing to do is to make friends with paper patterns. Though your material may cost $7, it's easy enough to make it into a dress worth three times that amount with the proper styling and workmanship.

Like buying a dress, selecting the proper pattern and material which goes with it, the case requires some study. However, the study is fascinating since you are the subject, and the grade you make is a ticket to the group who knows how to dress.

You'll have to study not only the patterns themselves, but also fashion trends and your own personality and figure problems. To do the best job, select a pattern whose style will do something for you, just as certain dresses will bring out or mask figures.

Dresses for teen-agers may appeal to many of the older women, but it must be remembered that the charm lies in their youthfulness. They would appear ludicrous on a woman, who may still be a size 14, but is three times past the age.

Dramatic dresses and suits look fine if you're the type, but if you aren't, why not choose something more appropriate like a simple tailored style or a softly feminine one?

Let's suppose that you have studied to the point where you can choose the proper style. The next important error not to make is the selection of the improper fabric for the pattern.

Maybe you have a soft, flowered print which you have in mind to



*Select patterns for your type . . .*

use for a dress. If you've chosen a tailored type of pattern, however, that soft material won't form the nice, sharp edges, pleats or other tailored lines required and the dress will not be successful.

Softly draped dresses cannot be made from stiff materials that simply will not drape and which are meant for the tailored type of clothes.

With the fabric picture so much improved over the past several years, there should be little difficulty in selecting or obtaining the one you need and want, as well as all the colors you could desire. The main thing is to put suitable pattern and the right fabric together.

## Dotted Velveteen



Polka dots are importantly featured for fall by Carolyn Schmurr in this youthful fashion. She selects black polka dots on mustard colored velveteen for a snug - fitting jacket trimmed with a velveteen collar and matching skirt.

**Choose Patterns To Fit Needs**

You wouldn't think of going into a store and buying an evening gown or fancy dress for which you had no use, simply because it looked so nice, would you? A lot of women, when turned loose with patterns and ideas that they can be made less expensively than ready-made clothes, feel they can make up all sorts of clothing, use or no use.

Before selecting a pattern stop to consider whether the garment



*With individual measurements.*

has a place in your wardrobe. Don't consider just the pattern, but how it will be used, as well as how it fits your own individual needs.

Fancy blouses may be beautiful things, but if you're going to wear them in a business office, wouldn't it be more fitting to choose something tailored?

If you're choosing dresses for wear around the house, select something that is comfortable as well as pretty, in addition to something you won't have to be forever laundering, ironing and mending.

Many women will try a pattern and give up in discouragement before they finish. Why? The pattern may look deceptively simple but carries a lot of fine detailing that the inexperienced just simply can't cope with. If you're not certain of how you can determine these things, consult the clerk or take along a friend who knows about patterns.

One reason why patterns have become so popular is that many women have found their use a perfect solution to the fitting problem. The size you need in a dress is the size you will need in the pattern, but the best way to decide the size is to take measurements and then compare them with those given for the pattern.

## Be Smart!



Feathers, but no fuss, just smart, smooth-flowing simplicity lasteed! These are the earmark of the new fashion picture for Fall. Sketched here is the very personification of this spirit from a current collection. The brim is a verifiable saucer of black velvet, highlighted by a velvet ribbon of emerald green. White coq feathers arranged on a flowing line add the newest touch of all.

KATHLEEN NORRIS

# No, Chastity Is Not Obsolete

IT IS DISTINCTLY disheartening to find, prominently featured in a current magazine, an article by no less an authority than Doctor David Mace of Drew university, provocatively entitled "Is Chastity Outmoded?"

Disheartening, because it seems to me dishonest to so title an article that, after flirting about suggestively among alternatives to adolescent and youthful chastity, Doctor Mace comes down to the old code, comes down rigidly and idealistically; sex, he decides, must be lifted to a high level, must wait for maturity and marriage, and be sublimated into true mated love, the highest happiness man and woman can know.

We've been patiently preaching that, we mothers, teachers, guides, so I had, to the end, we have no quarrel with Doctor Mace. But we certainly can feel small respect for the man who indicates in his title that chastity is debatable and is careful to remind young and impressionable readers that there are several schools of thought on the subject.

**Religious Scruples**

He eliminates those of us whose religious scruples keep us pure. He also eliminates from his analysis—for despite the high moral tone he develops, it is an analysis—those who consider chastity highly inconvenient and whose policy is to do as they like.

This leaves, he says "the extremely large third group that lies between." Those who "try to add up the arguments on both sides."

Doctor Mace states that the traditional viewpoint is that unchastity is undesirable because of its effects on the individual, in terms of



*. . . religious scruples keep us pure . . .*

disease, unwanted children and the damage it may do to the community, making family life and society unstable.

On the other hand, he admits there is the argument that "to suppress sex desires makes people frustrated and bottled up. To express them leads to growth and enlargement of the personality." Later, "while in the past full sexual freedom was impractical because of the danger of venereal disease and illegitimacy, medical science has now changed all that.

"Any intelligent youth," says the doctor in the next sentence, "will tell you that the doctors have got V. D. licked." And later again, "the man at least can take measures to protect himself. For the woman, safeguards are not so easily available." But if protective measures fail, both social diseases can be cured, he observes.

Immunity, however, cannot be guaranteed. "The boy and girl who come together sexually, must face the possibility of pregnancy. If it occurs," says the doctor unqualifiedly, "they have three alternatives, a forced marriage, an abortion or an illegitimate child."

He admits these are negative arguments for chastity. But he feels that the future may see them weakened, or even entirely neutralized. "Someday," he says, "venereal disease may be stamped out and a completely reliable contraceptive put at everyone's disposal. Will chastity be outmoded then?"

Doctor Mace goes on to a "critical question." At what point is it appropriate for a young couple to have sexual relations when their intention is to marry? As soon as they know they are serious in the intention to marry, or not until they actually are wed?

Or this point, says the doctor, there is a strong difference of opinion. How can they know that they are sexually well matched unless they test out this side of their relationship in advance?

And anxious to be fair to this argument, he cites the case of a man who could not decide between two women whom he regarded as possible wives. It may be satisfactory to the doctor for them to "test" for compatibility.

Nothing is said of the degradation of the women who submitted to his "process," of the insolent stupidity of the man experimenter, or of the insult offered all decent women who read this article.

But in the end, after some confused floundering, Doctor Mace comes gravely and decorously to the conclusion that "the whole trend of expert opinion today is toward regarding sexual harmony as a function of good personal interaction."

This is a scientific way of saying they are burnesse.

He also says poetically that "given love and sexual normality, sex is the servant of love, and must be made to do its bidding." If that means anything.

The article ends upon an idealistic note. "What we need," says Doctor Mace, "is a new ideal of chastity, as a discipline gladly accepted so that human love can be kept warm and tender and unsullied."

This is a new ideal to you, reader? But you do a great many good mothers and fathers and teachers injustice if you call it new.

# Berlin Brownies Take Odd Jobs

## Work to Get Funds To Attend School

BERLIN.—Would you like a handsome young man to take care of a wallflower at your birthday party? Or a girl for baby-sitting? Or somebody to clean your rugs?

Just call the Brownies (Heinzelmaennchen) of West Berlin. For 36 cents an hour, they'll tackle any odd job anybody wants done.

The Brownies are a tradition of the city of Cologne. Hundreds of years ago, the story goes, the helpful little spirits made life a pleasure for the people. They did all the work while the city folk were asleep. Then a curious shoemaker's wife, who wanted to see what the Brownies looked like, frightened them away.

They never appeared again—until 1949. Right now there are about 400 Brownies" officially registered in Berlin—students who have to earn extra money so they can attend West Berlin's free university.

Chief Brownie (Oberheinzelmann) Ulrich Heckert, 24, a student of medicine, started the enterprise. With money he had collected from public-spirited citizens, he launched an extensive advertising campaign to let Berliners know the Brownies had come back.

The Brownies had 1,400 work hours in the first month. Four months later they had 4,200. But that wasn't enough. At best it averaged about 10 hours a month a student and a net income, after deductions for administrative expenses, of nine West marks ($2.70).

Nevertheless, Chief Brownie Heckert says he is quite happy about the increasing number of orders for student services. His fiancee, Ingeborg Janecke, 22, a photographer by training, is the Brownies' office secretary.

"Each student is paid 1.2 West marks (36 cents) an hour," She explained, "no matter what kind of work he does. The student keeps 86 pfennigs and 25 pfennigs go into the funds from which we pay the advertising, office rent, telephone bills, accident insurance and so on."

## MIRROR Of Your MIND

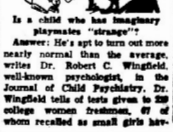
*Heartlessness Is a Danger*

By Lawrence Gould



**Can a heartless person win your affection?**

Answer: Certainly, if he (or she) is clever enough. It is easier in some ways to win the affection of someone whom you care nothing about than of someone you are genuinely fond of, since wanting intensely to have someone like—or love—you may make you feel tense and awkward with him. There are egotists who gratify their vanity by "turning on the charm" until they're sure you like them and then have no further interest in you. But you're better off than they are in the long run since a person who can not be hurt cannot be happy, either.



**Is a child who has imaginary playmates "strange"?**

Answer: He's apt to turn out more nearly normal than the average, writes Dr. Robert C. Wingfield, well-known psychologist, in the Journal of Child Psychiatry. Dr. Wingfield tells of tests given to 200 college women freshmen, 67 of whom recalled as small girls having playmates who existed only in their own imaginations. Compared with the average of the whole group, these students showed less neuroticism, less introversion, more skill in personal relations and a greater degree of confidence in themselves.



**Can you know a person you haven't lived with?**

Answer: You can never "know all about" anybody under any circumstances, any more than you can absolutely know yourself, and however long you may live with another person, you are never wholly safe against surprises. But day-by-day contact usually does reveal sides of anyone's personality which may not appear if you see him only occasionally. It's not just a case of his being on his best behavior when he's with you; it's that when we are "off guard" (for instance, at the breakfast table) that we are prone to unconscious self-revelation.

## LOOKING AT RELIGION

By DON MOORE







## KEEPING HEALTHY

# Another Cure for Alcoholism

*By Dr. James W. Barton*

ALL OVER THE WORLD today determined efforts are being made by individuals and organizations to cure and prevent alcoholism. Alcoholism not only ruins the life of the alcoholic but ruins the life also of his or her family.

I have spoken before of the excellent work being done by Alcoholics Anonymous, a group made up of cured and not entirely cured alcoholics. These men and women lean on, or pray to, a higher power than themselves and ask to be given the strength to abstain from alcohol just one day at a time. The cured by this organization with branches everywhere is estimated at nearly 20 per cent.

I have also mentioned the drug benzedrine sulfate (amphetamine) which not only takes away the desire for alcohol, but gives the patient a boost physically and mentally that tides him over a weak spell or hangover.

A drug, accidentally discovered by two Danish physicians, that takes away the desire for alcohol is called antabus. In the "Journal of the American Medical Association," Drs. Erik Jacobsen and O. Martensen - Larsen, Copenhagen, Denmark, report the results obtained by antabus in 500 cases up to December, 1948.

Cases were treated in open wards in hospitals and were allowed to pay short visits to their offices and homes.

"It is important for rapid mental ends social restoration to bring patients back into their ordinary lives as soon as possible, so that they may learn to live non-alcoholic lives among normal drinkers.

"Antabus is cheap and easy to administer, but it is also easy for the patient to discontinue treatment thinking he can stop drinking again if he takes antabus again. The drug causes very disagreeable symptoms—great flushing of face, nausea, vomiting, dizziness and breathlessness.

"These symptoms are so severe that they prevent persons from taking alcohol."

The British "Lancet" states: "So far no harmful systemic effects on liver, heart, kidney or blood forming organs have been observed; nor have any untoward effects been noted."

## HEALTH NOTES

Today the lives of many men and women stricken with both tuberculosis and influenzal meningitis are being saved by new drugs—penicillin, sulfas and streptomycin.

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When we see, smell and remember the taste of the food placed before us, all the digestive juices begin to flow.

Physicians have learned in the past few years that patients may suffer from symptoms, the cause or causes of which cannot be discovered in a well equipped laboratory.

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A patient in bed with no exercise and a mental fuss of worries is not usually hungry, yet he must eat well to gain weight and strength.




## Wingless Chickens Cause Speculation

### Impact on Industry Studied by Growers

Poultrymen and consumers throughout the United States are still speculating on the degree impact on the poultry industry of the development of wingless chickens.

Peter Baumann, Des Moines, Iowa, a veterinary-supply salesman, has raised a flock of 400 such chickens and has proclaimed loudly that they are the "nearest thing" alive to famed cartoonist Al Capp's "shmoos."

Baumann said he had spent 10 years developing the wingless flock, and that he expects the breed to set a new trend in chicken raising. He pointed out that the wingless chicken has a thick layer of white meat where ordinary chickens have wings.

Baumann said he had kept his



For those who dislike chicken wings, Peter H. Baumann, of Des Moines, Iowa, has come up with wingless chickens. He is shown with the completed wingless chicken (right) with an ordinary chicken (left).

chickens breed a secret because he wanted to be sure it was a success. He studied animal husbandry at Iowa State college and accepts his wingless chickens are not a "freak." A freak does not reproduce, he argued.

The ancestors of this new breed of chicken, Baumann said, came from Texas. He was traveling through that state in the 30's when he acquired a light Brahma rooster and a white Minorca hen. Each bird had only one wing.

He bred them, he said, and was astonished when the hens hatched wingless chickens. He then began experimenting and breeding.

Baumann reported that at first he got only three or four wingless birds out of 100 eggs. Now, he said, about 35 of every 100 chicks have no wings at all. Some of the others, he said, have stubs or a stub on one side and a wing on the other.


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2 Add sifted dry ingredients; stir only until combined.
3 Stir in melted shortening.
4 Fill greased muffin pans ⅔ full. Bake in moderate oven (400°F.) about 20 min. Yield: 12 muffins.

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Narrow Poultry Houses Give Way to New Style

D. D. Moyer, extension poultry specialist at Ohio State University, says the narrow type poultry house 15 to 20 feet deep is giving way to houses 30 to 40 feet in depth, built long enough to house 300 and more birds.

Moyer cites a difference of one acre in the type of house built. Less space is cut down, land loss, reduced cleaning is easier and it is less trouble to move equipment.

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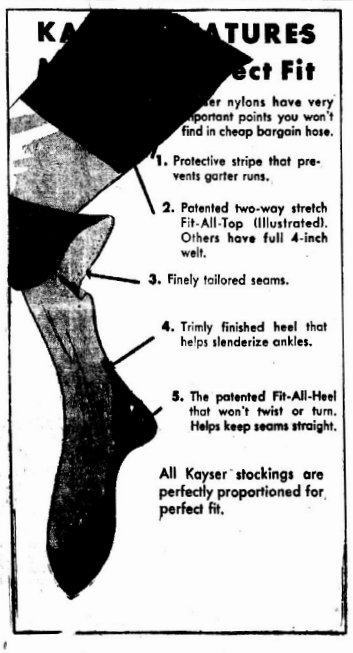
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**Farmers and other suppliers are asking what they can do to preserve this efficient outlet for their products.**

**Our 110,000 employees are asking us to protect their jobs and pensions.**

**Labor leaders are wiring us their opposition to this threat to labor's living standards.**

**If all these people will be hurt, why then do the anti-trust lawyers want to put A&P out of business?**

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**Where is this alleged destruction of other grocers? Where is there any evidence of their inability to compete with us?**

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**Is this in the public interest?**

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## *Plans For Survey Of Crippled Being Completed*

Board Members of the South Central Society for Crippled Children and Adults will meet October 5th, 7 o'clock at Clewiston Inn, Clewiston, Florida. This will be a formal meeting to complete plans for a survey of this district. The five counties represented will be Hardee, Highlands, DeSoto, Hendry and Glades. Board members to attend are as follows:

Hardee—Mr. Latimer Farr and Mr. H. B. Dominick; Highlands—Mr. Fred Wild and Mrs. Eunice Carter; Hendry—Mrs. Agnes Y. Thomas and Mrs. M. M. Prewitt; DeSoto—Mr. L. H. Hancock and Mr. Lewis Purvis; Glades—Mr. Velton Walters and Mr. Carr Settles.

Chairmen to give reports at the meeting are:

Mr. Fred Wild—Constitution and by-laws; Mrs. F. A. Chambless— Publicity; Mr. Riley Dennington—Survey.

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## *Increase In County For Work Permits*

Highlands County showed an increase of only seven work permits for minors under 18 for July, August and part of September, bringing the county total with permits to approximately 68, according to the latest reports of the Florida Industrial Commission.

Employers with minors are required by the Florida Child Labor Law to have permits prior to the employment of a minor. More attention is to be shown to those parts of the law concerning youths working during school hours now that school has reopened.

Employers who do not have certificates for minors employed by them should have the youth obtain these certificates from the office of the County Board of Public Instruction. To get the permits, the young person must show proof of his age, have parental approval and promise of employment.

The law further states that each day a minor is employed illegally is a separate offense for the employer and that he may be held accountable for each of them.

Persons having youths working for them are reminded of the double compensation clause in the Workmen's Compensation Act in the event minors without the proper certificates are injured.

"While the commission is not trying to establish a record in prosecutions for child labor violations," Raymond E. Barnes, chairman, stated, "it is charged with enforcement of the provisions of the law which are designed to protect the health of young people by regulating the type and hours of employment."

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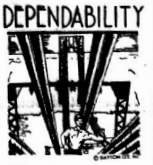
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This is being written just after my return from weekend evangelistic speaking engagements in Memphis, Tennessee. I was in Memphis in a church meeting when I was a very young man forty-four years ago. I remember how during that church campaign, the pastor urged the men to attend the services. He told me that so many of the best Christian women in his church had unconverted husbands and that they were praying for these husbands. We had a large number of converts, but most of them were women and young people. There were very few men saved. Sunday night in Memphis when we gave the invitation, there was a very large response; and there were more men than women who took a stand for the Lord Jesus Christ. This reminded me of the change I have seen take place in my lifetime. We see three or four times as many men converted now as we do women. The modern revival is a revival among men. In the old days, we used to say, "How can we reach the men?" Now we say, "How can we reach the women?" What America needs is an old-time woman revival. If the women in this country would come back to God, many millions of men would be saved.

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The best thing outside of Heaven is a good woman, and the meanest thing outside of hell is a mean woman. In the sight of God, of course, the sin of man and the sin of woman is the same; and any sin that sends a man to hell will send a woman to hell. But as far as world consequences are concerned, it is worse for women to sin than it is for men to sin. As a matter of fact, women are always better or worse than men. They have more soul. They have more heart. They have a way of more completely abandoning themselves to the causes with which they are identified. They are usually out and out if they are out and out for the right thing. We have heard in our lifetime hundreds of men say, "I would have gone to hell, but I just could not climb over my mother's prayers," and many hundreds have said, "I could not go to hell. I had such a good wife." Women always pull men up or pull them down. It was a woman who robber Samson of his strength. It was a woman whose voluptuous dance sent Herod to hell, and Herod is not the only man who has gone to hell because of the voluptuous dance of a woman. Paul, writing to Timothy, said in so many words, "Timothy, I know you are a good man. You had a good mother and such a good grandmother." Very often we find that great women are the daughters of great men, but nearly always great men are the sons of great women. God, give us more Christian wives, Christian mothers, and Christian girls in America.


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# Clubs - - Social Activities - - Personal Items

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Mr. and Mrs. Ray K. Bachtell

Mrs. Carolyn Consegra of Bell, Florida, and Ray K. Bachtell were married on Sunday, September 25, immediately following the morning services at the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Bob Liner officiating.

The bride was attractively dressed in black crepe and wore a corsage of American Beauty roses.

The couple are residing at 933 West Main, Avon Park.

## Mrs. L. W. Wicker Entertains At Supper

The Bertha Smith Circle of the First Baptist Church was entertained at a supper on Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wicker, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Harold Henderson who left on Saturday for Auburn, Ala., where he will resume his studies at the Polytechnitic Institute.

A delicious supper of chicken pilau, slaw, baked beans, rolls, cake and Coca Cola were served buffet style to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Durrance, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Landress, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Engleman, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Cornelius, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lawhon, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shackleford, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rhiner, Rev. and Mrs. Robert Liner, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Smith, Miss Jean Daughtry, and Malcom Crews.

## Lora Clement Class Met With Mrs. McClure

The Lora Clement Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. Kelly McClure, Jr., Monday night, September 26.

During the business session, officers were elected for the new church year. The sunshine sisters were revealed and during the social hour games were played and refreshments served which consisted of fruit salad, cookies, and iced tea.

Those present were Mesdames Norman Fowler, Audrey Turner, Kelly McClure, P. A. McFarland, L. M. Shackleford, Billie Martin, J. T. Landress, R. C. Adams, Harold Guerndt, C. A. Stimson, Marshall Davis, J. C. Marshall, Rubye Cribb, Bernie Johnson, Jack Delaney, Charles Lawhon, E. A. Delaney, Murray Wilson, John Mathis, and Mrs. Ross Bigbie.

## Sally Thorp Treats Teen-Agers

Drinks were on the Thorpe Friday night at the Youth Center, one hundred and twenty of them.

Teenager Sally Thorp wished to do something nice for her many friends of the teenage club, her father, Milton Thorp, is local distributor for "seven up" and other soft drinks so together the Thorps gave this unusual treat to the teenagers who send a lusty thank you to Sally and her parents.

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## Circle No. 1 Met With Mrs. Pickett

Circle No. 1 W. M. S. of the Florida Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. Grace Pickett on September 27, with eleven members present.

The devotional was read by the chairman, minutes by the secretary and a motion was made and carried to change Circle No. 1 to Zura Martin Circle, also plans were made to start a library in the Circle.

New officers elected were Mrs. Grace Pickett, Circle chairman, Grace Pickett, Circle chairman, Mrs. W. D. McInnis, program chairman, Mrs. lizzie Elder, community mission, Mrs. V. C. Bass, secretary, Mrs. J. A. Bass, Treasurer, Mrs. Vivian Murray, publicity chairman, and Mrs. Zelma Dixon, stewardship chairman. Others present were Mrs. C. H. Ellis, Mrs. J. W. Whitehurst, Mrs. L. A. Stewart, Mrs. L. M. Collins, Mrs. G. F. Lewis and Patricia Pickett.

## C. S. W. C. Held Chicken Supper At Methodist Church

The Church School Workers Conference held a chicken supper, Thursday evening at the Methodist Church.

Those enjoying the evening were Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Ashworth, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Harrison, J. C. Matthews, G. E. Crawford, Mrs. Hubert Bussard, Jerome Shiltz, Mrs. O. F. Wycoff, Mrs. J. H. Kirkwood, Mrs. A. L. Riggins, Mrs. T. O. Martin, Mrs. Harold Nute, Miss Millie Pearson, Rev. M. L. H. McMullen, Miss Ouida Fields, Mrs. Russell Miselle, Mrs. E. A. Shearer, Miss Ann Sides, and Mrs. R. A. Gerrard.

## Senior Woman's Club Executive Met

The Senior Woman's Club held an executive meeting Wednesday, 10:00 A. M., at the home of Mrs. A. R. Martin.

Officers and committee chairmen present were: Mrs. W. D. Dorminey, treasurer, Mrs. E. W. Hart, recording secretary, Mrs. A. C. Wester, welfare chairman, Mrs. E. G. Todd, chairman library, Mrs. Esther Perry Hornbaker, international relations, Mrs. Hayes Maxwell, district chairman of Indian affairs, Mrs. H. B. Donaldson, membership chairman, Mrs. C. C. Wilkes, first vice president, Mrs. A. R. Martin second vice president, and Mrs. C. F. Kinney, club president, presided.

Plans were drawn up for a season of civic and social activities. Club meetings will be held again this year at the Palm Room of the King's Jacaranda Hotel.

Members are reminded of the dale of the first meeting October 7, at 3:00 P. M. and are urged to attend an interesting program has been arranged and a cordial invitation is extended to all new members and their friends.

Guests Sunday of Mrs. Gladys Smith were Mr. and Mrs. Perry Smith of Lakeland and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Finnell of Miami.

## Barbara Jean Bigbie Celebrated 3rd Birthday

Little Miss Barbara Jean Bigbie was delightfully entertained at a party Wednesday afternoon, given by her mother, Mrs. G. T. Bigbie with Mrs. Pauline Bigbie and Mrs. Frances Adams assisting. The happy occasion being Barbara Jean's third birthday.

The children enjoyed games played on the lawn, the many nice gifts were opened, then all the guests were gathered around the birthday table, which was covered with white cloth trimmed with pastel pink and green, with matching napkins and colorful cups and plates in which were served ice cream, cake and pineapple juice. The pretty birthday cake was white with the letters "Happy Birthday Barbara Jean" written in green and holding three pink candles. Favors of miniature baskets in shades of pink and green filled with mints were given each little guest and those enjoying the party were Charles Lawhon, Patsy Sue Martin, Georgianna Godwin, Janis Adams, James and Chris Nelson, Judy Walker, Judy Ann Colthran, Patsy Higgins, Mike and Norman Frances, Diane Landress, Margaret Wendt, Harriet Crews, Clifton Crews, Danieda Kay Smith, Lynda Jane Shepherd, Devorah Reddick, Tura Ann and Eddie Delaney, Morris Adams and Lanse Padgett.

## W. S. C. S. Circle 4 Met With Mrs. Cason

W. S. C. S. Circle 4, previously known as the Wesleyan Service Guild met on Monday, September 26, at the home of Mrs. Rosemary Cason with Mrs. Russell Mirelle as co-hostess.

The devotional was given by Mrs. J. C. Matthews and the first meeting after the summer vacation got well under way, under the leadership of the president, Mrs. Wm. Carter, with much thought being given to the years coming project.

Those present were the Mrs. Wm. Carter, Mrs. R. Massey, Mrs. Russell Miselle, Mrs. J. N. Tomlinson, Mrs. C. DeShong, Mrs. G. E. Crawford, Mrs. R. Cleveland, Miss Millie Pearson, Mrs. I. H. Ford, Mrs. J. C. Matthews, Mrs. J. T. Williford, Mrs. R. D. Reddick, Mrs. L. Nute, and Mrs. Rosemary Cason.

## Births

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fowler of Key West, Fla., a son named David Karl, weighing 8 pounds, 11 ounces, at the Walker Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Fowler is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. John E. Pickens of Avon Park.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Leverett a daughter, named Cynthia Sue, weighing 8 pounds, 7 ounces, at the Walker Memorial Hospital, September 17. Mother and daughter are reported to be getting along fine.

## Pearl Todd Circle Met With Mrs. Lassiter

The Pearl Todd Circle No. 2 of the W. M. S. of the Florida Avenue Baptist Church met on Monday night at the home of Mrs. Ethel Lassiter. After prayer led by Mrs. Arelia Ward the election of officers followed: Mrs. Ethel Chairman Ethel Lassiter, Sec. and Treasurer, Erie Lewis, Missionary Chairman, Bertie Gilliard, Stewardship Chairman, Eva Farmer, Program Chairman, Etta Floyd, Publicity Chairman, Arelia Ward.

Mrs. W. D. Fletcher conducted an interesting bible study on Paul's third journey to Jerusalem.

Refreshments of cake, ritz crackers with cheese spread and Coca Cola were served to the following: Mrs. W. D. Fletcher, Nila Collins, Erie Lewis, Ethel Lassiter, Arelia Ward and nine new members who were Lessie McAfee, Beulah Earnest, Etta Floyd, Bertice Gilliard, Florence Gilliard, Cornbell Walters, Millie Thompson, Villa Crawford, Evie Farmer, and one visitor, Mrs. L. A. Stewart of Circle 1.

The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Florence Gilliard. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Fletcher, October 24, at 7:30.

Miss Peggy Jo Smith of Clewiston spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Gladys Smith.

Sgt. W. K. Fields and Pfc. F. Hartis of Washington, D. C., were recent guests of Mrs. Mary N. Fields.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Letgworth and children of Lakeland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Simpson and family, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward McCallon of Philadelphia are spending a month at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Landis.

Miss Yvonne Head left Saturday for Tallahassee to resume her college work there. Yvonne will enroll as Junior this term.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Shockley and son Jimmie left Monday for Tampa where they will spend some time.

Miss Mary Sue Dickson left on Wednesday for Tallahassee to assume her college studies. Mary Sue will enter her Junior year this term.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Biggs and daughters, Carolyn and Sandra were guests of Mrs. Biggs mother, Mrs. D. C. Barrow at DeSoto City, on Sunday.

Miss Alma Harrell, popular grade school teacher of Avon Park is a patient at Walker Memorial Hospital where she is doing nicely.

Business visitor in Lakeland, Fla., last Wednesday were Mrs. John A. Bailey and daughter, Barbara Ann. Also Mr. Bill Sachsenmaier, all of Avon Park.

Sgt. Charles Smith who has been spending some time with his mother here, Mrs. Gladys Smith left Tuesday for Fort Benning, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Sepula of Philadelphia, Pa., formally of Avon Park, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Walker on Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jennings Bryan Cromartie and Mrs. and Mrs. Vernon Collins, all of Deland, were visiting with friends and relatives in Avon Park on Sunday.

Mrs. Cora Wray with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Mathis and Larry and David Wray spent last Sunday in Tampa, Florida, visiting Mrs. Wray's daughter and son-in-law, Sgt. and Mrs. Frank Waddell.

Among the recent guests at the Avolon Hotel were Mr. W. P. Shelly, Miami; E. R. Nichols, Melbourne, Florida; A. E. Carroll, Cocoa, Florida; Linda Bergman, Tampa; Charles N. Abbott, Lakeland; Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Marmoff, Miami; and L. E. Woods of Coco.

Betty Ann Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson, accompanied by her mother and Mrs. Harold Turney left Monday for Lakeland, where she will enroll at Southern. Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Turney returned to Avon Park Monday afternoon.

Nancy Pickens, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. John Pickens left Avon Park on Monday for Lakeland where she will be a student at Southern. Nancy was accompanied to Lakeland by her parents who returned to Avon Park on Monday afternoon.

Among the football enthusiasts locally to make the northward trek to Gainesville last Saturday for the game were Ed Touchton, Bob King, Jr., Bobbie Keller, Donald Ladd, Evelyn Gribble, Ouida Fields, Vernon Lanier and DeRetha Saylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Henderson spent the week-end in Lakeland visiting their daughter, Miss Helen Henderson, a '49 graduate of the Avon Park High School. Miss Henderson has accepted a very fine secretarial position with the firm of O'Neil & Lee Insurance Incorporated in Lakeland.

## "SERENITY"



Photo by—W. W. CARNES

Mrs. Jennings B. Cromartie

The portrait above, of the former Miss Betty Jo Wells, has received national honors.

Last May, at the Florida State Photographers Association Convention in Daytona Beach, this portrait entitled "Serenity", was selected by the nationally known Mr. Frank J. Perkman, of Apleton, Wisconsin, who holds a degree from the Photographers Association of America of Master Photographers, as the most outstanding portrait of a lady on exhibit in the salon.

"Serenity" was then entered into the portrait competition at the Photographers Association of America Annual Convention in Chicago last month and of 2500 entries from all parts of the United States and Canada, was one of the 200 chosen for award.

As an additional honor, Mr. Carnes was notified last week that his portrait was being retained by the P. A. of A. for the Traveling Loan Collection and possible publication in the P. A. of A. "Professional Photographers" magazine.

The Traveling Loan Collection is comprised of 40 photographs selected each year from the annual salon to be sent to any part of the United States and Canada upon request of Art exhibitions, museums, etc., for the purpose of exhibiting the outstanding work of portrait photographers.

Betty Jo and her husband have resumed their studies at Stetson University, where she is completing her Junior year and is a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority.

Mrs. Martha Allen of the Jacaranda Hotel spent the week-end in Lakeland and Plant City where she was the guest of her brother and sister in law, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Miller. Mrs. Allen is opening the home in Plant City for her mother who is expected soon from a summer sojourn in the North.

Mrs. Bernie Johnson and children Bernice and Bill and Mrs. J. L. Wells who recently accompanied Mrs. J. R. Wells and Mrs. A. J. Worrell to Spartenburg, S. C., returned to Avon Park on Friday night. Mrs. J. R. Wells and Mrs. Worrell remained in Spartenburg for an indefinite visit with friends and relatives there.

Following their marriage last Friday evening in Tampa, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Tucker started their honeymoon trip and spent the week-end as guests at the Jacaranda. The Bride was the former Florence May of Tampa and the bridgroom Robert (Bob) Tucker a frequent guest at the hotel is well known among the golf enthusiasts of Avon Park.

Week-ending at their homes or visiting friends were the following guests of the Jacaranda. Miss Sarah Sellers, who spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Sellers of Wauchula, Miss Geraldine Marley with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Marley of Eustis, Florida. Miss Griselda Riner visited Mr. and Mrs. Garland Burt of Lakeland, Fla.

## Winter Guests Club News

By David Arthur Brodie

**AN APOLOGY**

We wish to apologize to Mr. David Arthur Brodie, in that the following, through error, was omitted in last week's issue.

Once more it is our sad duty to report the death of two of our members, Mr. Fred Bock, and Mr. G. H. Moore.

It was only yesterday that we learned that Mr. Bock had passed away last week at Garrett, Ind. We were not so surprised in his case, because it was well known that he had been in poor health for a long time, and as yet, we have no particulars.

In the case of Mr. Moore, while he had not been in robust health for some time, and had recently undergone an operation, he had recovered sufficiently to be able to help repair some of the homes that had been damaged by the recent hurricane. It seems that on Saturday morning he started to repair some damage to the roof of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mitten. The weather was hot, and after a time, Mr. Mitten went up the ladder with some water to give Mr. Moore a drink, but received no answer when he called him. Mr. Mitten, it will be remembered, had recently undergone an operation on his eyes for cataracts, and could not trust himself on the roof, so he called a neighbor to investigate, who found Mr. Moore dead. The club extends its sincere sympathy to both bereaved families.

Mr. Moore was born at Deer Lake, Michigan, and was sixty nine years, seven months, and twenty four days old. A merchant by profession, for twenty years he operated a grocery store at Stepney, Conn., and was a member of the fire department there. He was a popular member of the Winter Guest Club here, and an enthusiastic shuffleboard

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Music-Lovers Are Urged To Assist The Program Committee Select The Desired Type of Concerts. Please Check Four Attractions and Mail List To Mrs. Charles J. Kenney, P. O. Box 455, Avon Park, Florida.

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Farm and Grove Products (certain exemptions)
Advertising Space Renters
Amusement Devices of all Kinds
Boarding and Lodging Houses, Motor Courts, Trailer Parks and Hotels, Cafes, Restaurants and Other Eating Places
Contractors of all Kinds
Dance Halls
Manufacturing, Processing, Conveying and Mixing
Professions of all Kinds
Public Service Performances of any service to the public in return for a consideration
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After January January delinquent, a 10% penalty is added to the amount of the license. When a license remains unpaid for ninety days, it is the duty of the Tax Collector to issue a warrant against the person liable for payment.

*J. C. DeSHONG,*
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## *NOTICE TO VOTERS OF SPECIAL SCHOOL DIST. NO. 1 ELECTION OF TRUSTEES, TO BE HELD NOV. 8, 1949*

Qualifications for voting are that a person will be duly registered and shall have paid tax either on real or personal property for 1948. This list of eligible voters is secured from the Supervisor of Registration. (A duly registered person is a person who is registered to vote in Highlands County General Election. Registration Books will close on October 4, 1949). I have been notified by the Supervisor of Registration that in checking tax receipts for 1948 that the receipts were made out only in the name of one party, whereas both husband and wife should be entitled to vote. Due to the fact that the tax receipts in quite a number of cases were issued in one party, I suggest that all who would like to vote in this election check your tax receipts and see if the receipt is in the same name as your deed. If not, bring deed and receipt for 1948 to the Supervisor of Registration and check your eligibility to vote in Trustee Election.

*FRED WILD,*
Superintendent,
Board of Public Instruction.

PRESENT DAY ECONOMY UNDERMINES . . .

# Clink of Dime Is Death Knell of Parting Era

## . . . THE PROVERBIAL NICKEL PHONE CALL

By H. I. PHILLIPS

THE NICKEL'S LAST STAND

AMERICAN TELEPHONE companies are experimenting with 10-cent pay stations, which abolish the proverbial 5-cent call. Even that is to be more expensive than it is.

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In some cities field tests are being made with new phone booth dime-a-call machines. We presume the tests have two purposes: (1) to see how the apparatus works; (2) to note how loudly the user squawks.

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The telephone business "ain't" what it used to be and the telephone companies are up against terrific costs. For all we know the nickel phone call is as economically unsound as the nickel bus fare, the nickel hotdog and the nickel movie. But a bigger fight is likely, as the public has been brought up on the 5-cent phone call. It may even regard the telephone booth as the nickel's last stand.

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It has been the 5-cent piece replaced in most every field, but there is something about disassociating it from a phone booth that fills many a heart with anguish. One of the few things left in America at the old price is the nickel phone booth. It stands almost by itself as a place a man may enter without asking, "I wonder how prices have gone up in here since I was around last time."

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There has always been something about the clink of a nickel in a phone booth that made sweet music, and of late it has been enjoyed unutterably as a soothing proof that there was still something in America not out of reach of a man in the lower brackets.

Even if you made the call and found your girl has just left for dinner with somebody else, it didn't seem exorbitant. But when it takes a dime to get the same news it will be something else again.

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We can see the phone companies' point. There is not the money in conversation that there used to be. It costs twice as much to produce "summer phone" as it did 10 years ago. The companies say they are losing money on the transmission at nickel pay-station rates.

Nevertheless we look for a hot time at hearings before the public service commissions. Elmer Twitchell is among those who will be present with some novel pleas. "I may not fight the abolition of the nickel call if the figures show it is necessary," he said, "but I will demand that a 10-cent phone booth be made twice as roomy as a nickel one."

"I want it better ventilated too," he continued. "In a nickel phone booth you are practically in solitary confinement. If I pay a dime I may even demand a soft chair and maybe television."

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("A $15,000 dream house raffled off on Sixth avenue, New York, had to be sold by the owner for $1,000 because of the costs of moving and reassembling." news item)

**Want a lovely dream house?**
**Take a chance—yes mam—**
**Win it and, my dearies,**
**How the dream will bust!**
**Fifty cents a ticket . . .**
**Give your luck a try!**
**Who will get the bellhop?**
**Some fast dollar guy!**

It seems to us the dream house might have been advertised as having hot and cold indifference, a fine view of snafu, crossed-up ventilation and an acre of headaches.

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### YE GOTHAM BUGLE & BANNER

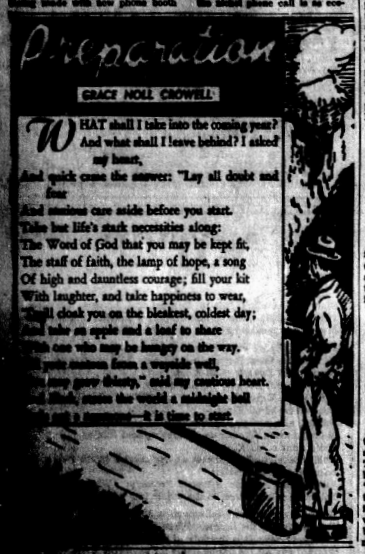
*A British parliament member says John Bull will not be bicked around by unlettered fat bellied money magnates from the U.S. . . . This is the first indication anybody could look at Uncle Sam and sing, "He's too fat, he's too fat, he's too fat for me." . . . It's sad heart Jolson's next picture will be called "Jolson Hit The Jackpot," "Jolson Follows Through" or "Jolson Takes Port Knox." . . . The driver who killed Margaret Mitchell and who is alleged to have been drunk, speeding, and on the wrong side of the road, as well as a reputed offender against traffic laws, is charged merely with involuntary manslaughter, the penalty for which is one to three years!!!*

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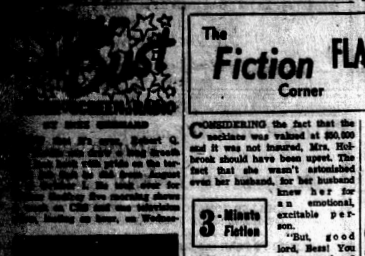
Why movie review readers go mad:

"The second Jolson film is not as sentimental nor as heart warming as its predecessor." — Kate Cameron.

"Of course the plot of the new Jolson movie is soggy with sentiment. The songs drip with nostalgia."—Jim O'Connor.




WHAT shall I take into the coming year?
And what shall I leave behind? I asked my heart,
And quick came the answer: "Lay all doubt and fear
And anxious care aside before you start.
Take but life's stark necessities along:
The Word of God that you may be kept fit,
The staff of faith, the lamp of hope, a song
Of high and dauntless courage; fill your kit
With laughter, and take happiness to wear,
You'll cloak you on the bleakest, coldest day;
And take an apple and a loaf to share
With one who may be hungry on the way.
Leave sadness from a wayside well,
Leave every thing," said my cautious heart.
"Well, cause the world a midnight hell
. . . It is time to start.





ROBERT Q. LEWIS

Guy evenings, Godfrey's popularity made him a difficult mate to fill in for, and Lewis was bound to be a target for a lot of criticism, just because he wasn't Arthur. Now they're saying that there couldn't have been a better man for the job. Lewis did his best, of course, but he wasn't worried; he's done too many outstanding shows of his own for that.

Sonny Tufts carried a container like a knitting bag to the "Easy Living" set at RKO every day; it held a two-quart thermos of half-milk, half-cream and another filled with soup and sweetbread mixture. It was his daily lunch.

The father-son team of Walter and John Huston, which won three Academy awards last year, will be reunited in Horizon Pictures' next for Columbia. "Reminiscences of a Cuckoo" will co-star Walter Huston and Montgomery Clift. John Huston will direct, and, following tradition, will be seen in a small part. It should be good; everything John Huston does succeeds.

The cigarette company now sponsoring "Ladies Be Seated" and "One Man's Opinion" with Walter Kiernan, his editorial boys from Detroit to ABC, they replace "Against the Storm," Daytime serial, and "Queen for a Day."

Cathy Lewis, "Jane" of "My Friend Irma," is back again after a long illness. Marie Wilson ("Irma") told me, "sometimes I get sort of annoyed at Cathy, but I could forgive her anything, she's such a wonderful actress!"

The

# Fiction Flash of Brilliance

Corner

By Richard H. Wilkinson

CONSIDERING the fact that the necklace was valued at $50,000 and it was not insured, Mrs. Holbrook should have been upset. The fact that she wasn't astonished even her husband, for her husband knew her for an emotional, excitable person.

3-Minute Fiction

"But, good lord, Bess! You might at least act concerned. I paid $8 grand for that rope. Maybe you think I'm made of money."

"That," said Mrs. Holbrook, "is the point."

"Point? What point?" Mr. Holbrook was becoming irritated.

"I mean," said Bess, "that I'm not the empty-headed, irresponsible person you think me. The diamond necklace wasn't stolen. I left it back in New York—in a safety deposit box."

"You what?"

"The jewels that were stolen were imitations. I wouldn't dream of wearing the originals without having them insured."

Mr. Holbrook's mouth fell open.

"So you see," said Bess. It isn't as bad as it seems."

Rita Fenway, one of the guests, suddenly said: "But it doesn't alter the fact that there's a thief aboard. And that means we're all in danger of being robbed. And the cruise won't be over for another week."

"Of course," Mrs. Holbrook said. "And nothing could be more satisfactory. My dears, consider that we are to be on the high seas for a week. The criminal, whoever he is, will have to remain with us during that length of time. A week, my dears, will give our clever and efficient captain ample opportunity to apprehend the thief."

An hour after Mrs. Holbrook had demonstrated her hidden genius she excused herself from a group in the main lounge and unobtrusively descended to her cabin. After a moment she rang for the captain.

"Captain Talbert, my husband has undoubtedly told you about the theft and instructed you to apprehend the thief."

"Yes, ma'm. I have two of the crew making a search now."

"Instruct them to desist. It will not be necessary."

"But, Mrs. Holbrook, your husband said—"

"Never mind what my husband said. The necklace has been returned." She nodded toward a box on her dressing table.

"Returned? The imitations, you mean!"

"No. The real ones. Captain Talbert, I'm going to take you into my confidence. The story I told about the necklace being imitation was false. I've never worn fake jewelry and I never shall. I merely told that story so that the thief would think his loot valueless."

CAPTAIN TALBERT'S face lighted. "And then you spoke about apprehending the criminal by searching for the imitations so that the thief would return——"

"Exactly. The imitations weren't worth keeping, and in order to dispel the possibility of having them found in his possession he decided to return them. In doing so he unintentionally returned the originals—and spared me the unpleasantness of facing my husband—alone."

Captain Talbert nodded understandingly. He knew what the word "alone" meant. He regarded Mrs. Holbrook with frank admiration. "Mrs. Holbrook, allow me to congratulate you, and please understand that you will have my fullest co-operation. After a reasonable length of time I'll announce that we have been unsuccessful in our search."

A moment later Captain Talbert went out. Left alone, Mrs. Holbrook sat down before her mirror. It had been a strain. A great strain. She sighed wearily. It was such a relief to feel that once more she could return to the role of the irresponsible spouse that her husband understood and expected.

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE

LAST WEEK'S ANSWER



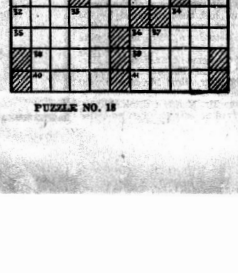
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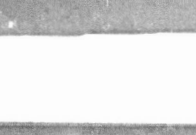
1. Kind of ax (archeol.)
5. Subsides
9. Scope
10. Additional amount
11. Removed moisture
12. A support
14. Devoured
15. To go to bed
16. Sign of the infinitive
17. Scorch
19. Lair
20. A song of praise
22. Suitable
23. Hebrew letter
24. Is able
25. A mere taste
26. Cant
29. Trouble
30. Wall border
31. Board of Ordnance (abbr.)
32. A social gathering of men
34. A limb
35. Spring month
36. Buckets
38. A spring fast period (Eccl.)
39. Ostrich-like bird
40. One of Old Norse works
41. Soft bunches, as of cotton

**DOWN**

1. Box
2. One of the Great Lakes
3. Sheltered side
4. Little boy
5. Live coal
6. Material made of poor diamonds
7. Plaiting
8. Private
11. Facts
13. Even (poet.)
15. Male sheep
17. Fragment
18. Female fowl
21. Made to fit
22. Game of chance
24. Boulder
25. Straightforward
26. Jolt
27. Mark used to denote a spurious passage
28. Wooden pegs
29. King of Judah
30. Greek letter
33. Variety
34. Told a falsehood
36. Bench-like seat
37. Wine receptacle



PUZZLE NO. 18




SCRIPTURE: Isaiah 6.
DEVOTIONAL READING: Hosea 14.

## What is a Call of God?

Lessons for October 9, 1949

IF YOU knew exactly what God wanted you to do, would you do it? Of course you would. The trouble is: How does any one know what God's will is?



Dr. Foreman

For example, a young man is thinking about his life's work; what shall he choose? Most young men would do what they were sure God called them to do, but what is a call?

The story of Isaiah throws some light on this problem. (We are beginning this week a three months' study of the great prophets Isaiah and Jeremiah.) True, he lived some 2700 years ago, and half way to the other side of the world; but human nature has not changed in 2700 years.

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### From Man about Town To Man of God

ISAIAH was a young man about town, in the small but wealthy city of Jerusalem, about 700 years before Christ. He was a personal friend of all the important people, a man of good education, with wide horizons of interest, of independent means, eloquent, polished, the sort of man who makes a good career diplomat.

He tells in some detail the story of how he came to be a prophet. The story is in Isaiah 6. Perhaps if we had been there with a camera and a wire recorder we might have been able to photograph the cornphins and take down their cries, just as Isaiah saw and heard them.

What we do know is that that experience changed Isaiah's life. Up to that time (on his own showing) he had been a "man of unclean lips;" from that time on he began to be a spokesman for the Lord. Let us try to say what the story of that life-changing vision, that call, means in terms of our own experience.

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### The Flame of God

FIRST there was the overwhelming sense of God's reality and power and holy majesty. No one can ever experience a call who does not take God seriously.

A God "afar off," a God who is only a problem, an idea, a hypothesis, never called any one. God alone can make himself real to man; and only a man with a real sense of a living God is going to hear his call.

Next came Isaiah's realization of his own unfitness and sin. A man who feels equal to a great task is probably not equal to it. "Them as knows nawthin' fears nawthin'," as the Irish say. A man who feels good enough to serve God, just as he is, is not good enough. A man without a sense of sin is too full of it.

Then comes the burning coal from the altar; Isaiah feels that his guilt is gone, as we can fully do God's will with an unforgiven heart. Isaiah was not sinless at one stroke, of course, yet it is possible to turn from all known sin; it is possible to devote one's loyalty to God; and this Isaiah did.

It was only then that he heard the call: Whom shall I send? In modern and less picturesque language, Isaiah was conscious of a need he had not felt before—that is, of God's need, of his people's need.

What those needs were will come out in later studies. The point is that young Isaiah, who hitherto had lived only for himself, now saw the need of the city and the people among whom he lived.

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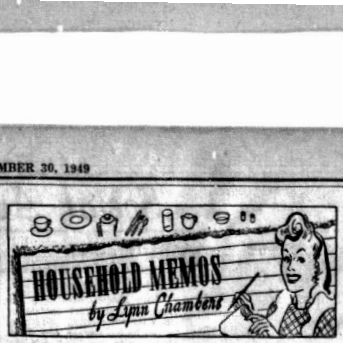
### "Here Am I; Send Me."

THEN comes the last stage—Isaiah's willing offer of himself. His great talent was his ability to use language. He could make words march and sing as few men of any race have done. But up to that time, it seems, his gift of eloquence had been used chiefly in telling dirty stories.

Now he has repented, and been forgiven, and he says to God: Use me. His voice, his knowledge, his eloquence, which he had been using against God (or at best, only for Isaiah) he was now to use for God and man.

So there is a call: A sense of God, near and commanding and holy; repentance; forgiveness; a sense of need; willingness to devote all one's gifts to fill that need.

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## Provide Healthy Snack For School Youngster After Busy Study Time

HOWS your cookie jar standing up these days? Do the youngsters make a short and snappy line to your back door because they know you always have a nice handout for them? Or, is yours the home deserted by those youngsters as well as their friends in favor of a more friendly kitchen?

Cookies are so simple to make, it's a wonder any home is without an ample supply at all times. Most recipes make several dozen cookies and they're both easy to mix and quick to bake.



The recipes chosen for today will make a hit with youngsters because they're flavorful but not too fancy.

**Chewy Raisin Wafers**
**(Makes about 4 dozen)**

½ cup seedless raisins
½ cup shortening
¼ cup water
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
1 cup brown sugar (packed)
1½ cups rolled oats
½ cup chopped nuts
¾ cup sifted all-purpose flour
¼ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon soda
½ teaspoon cinnamon
¼ teaspoon nutmeg

Rinse and drain raisins. Heat together raisins, shortening and water to melt shortening. Cool. Blend in flavoring, sugar, oats and nuts. Sift together flour, salt, soda and spices to blend into raisin mixture. Chill dough. Drop by teaspoonfuls on a greased cookie sheet. Bake in a moderate (350°) oven 8 to 10 minutes.

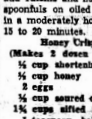
**Applesauce Cookies**
**(Makes 6½ dozen)**

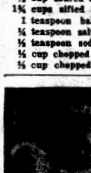
2 cups sifted flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
½ teaspoon soda
½ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon cinnamon
¼ teaspoon cloves
½ cup shortening
¾ cup light brown corn syrup
½ cup sugar
1 egg, beaten
1 cup canned applesauce (sweetened)
½ cup raisins
½ cup chopped nuts

Sift together flour, baking powder, soda, salt, cinnamon and cloves. Cream shortening until smooth, then gradually blend in corn syrup and sugar. Beat until light and add egg. Add sifted dry ingredients alternately with applesauce; add raisins and nuts. Drop by teaspoonfuls on oiled sheet and bake in a moderately hot (400°) oven for 15 to 20 minutes.

**Honey Drop Cookies**
**(Makes 2 dozen 4-inch cookies)**

½ cup shortening
½ cup honey
2 eggs
½ cup soured cream
1¾ cups sifted flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon soda
½ cup chopped nuts
½ cup chopped dates





A few cookies and a glass of milk makes a healthful snack for youngsters after school. It gives them that necessary boost in energy that's needed in play before the evening meal.

**LYNN SAYS:**
**These Cookie Making Tips Help You**

Ingredients for cookies will blend together more readily if they have been allowed to reach room temperature. If the dough is too soft for drop cookies, let it chill until proper texture is reached.

Fragile cookies keep best in tins, with waxed paper in between the layers.

Do not store crisp cookies with moist ones in the same container, as the crisp ones will become soggy.

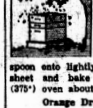


The look of approval on Junior's face is only an indication of how good these "chewy raisin wafers" actually are. Whether they're eaten hot off the cookie rack or are several days old, they're going to taste like more.

**LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU**
Fricassee of Lamb
Mashed Potatoes
Buttered Green Lima Beans
Gelatin Fruit Salad
Biscuits
Honey
Beverage
Coconut Cake

½ teaspoon nutmeg
1 cup oven-popped rice cereal

Blend shortening and honey. Add well-beaten eggs and cream. Sift flour with baking powder, salt, soda and nutmeg. Add to first mixture. Stir in nuts, dates and cereal. Drop from spoon onto lightly greased baking sheet and bake in a moderate (375°) oven about 20 minutes.



**Orange Drop Cookies**
**(Makes 4 dozen 2½-inch cookies)**

½ cup shortening
1 cup sugar
½ teaspoon salt
4 egg yolks
1 orange rind, grated
½ cup orange juice
2½ cups all-purpose flour
1¼ teaspoons baking powder
¼ cup hickory nuts or black walnuts, chopped

Blend together shortening, sugar, salt and egg yolks until light. Add grated orange rind and juice. Sift together flour and baking powder. Stir into creamed mixture, then add nuts and stir until smooth. Drop by teaspoonfuls on a greased cookie sheet and bake in a moderate (375°) oven, about 15 minutes, or until delicately brown. Remove cookies from pan to a cake cooler, and ice each cookie separately, holding the cookie in hand while doing it. These cookies are iced while still warm so they will have a nice glaze when cooled. Ice with:

**Orange Frosting**

2 tablespoons orange juice
1¼ orange rind, grated
1 egg yolk
2 cups confectioners' sugar
¼ teaspoon salt

Add orange juice, grated rind and salt to egg yolk. Stir in sugar and work until smooth.

**Gum Drop Bars**
**(Makes 3 dozen)**

4 eggs, beaten thoroughly
2 cups light brown sugar
1 tablespoon cold water
2 cups sifted cake flour
¼ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon cinnamon
½ cup pecans, chopped
½ cup shredded gum drops

Add sugar and water to eggs which have been beaten thoroughly. Sift together dry ingredients and sprinkle a portion over the gum drops and pecans. Add remaining dry ingredients to sugar and egg mixture: fold in nuts and gum drops. Spread thinly on an oiled and floured shallow pan, 10½"x15", and bake slowly in a moderate (325°) oven for 25 to 30 minutes. When cool, cut into bars.

Drop cookie doughs may be chilled if you do not wish to bake them all at once. Simply wrap in waxed paper or store in a well-covered bowl and refrigerate. Let soften before using by allowing to stand at room temperature.

Cookies will bake to a more even brown if the pans or sheets on which they are baked are not shiny surfaced.

When the recipe for cookies calls for a generous amount of fat, it is not necessary to grease the cookie sheet.


Relieve Stuffy Nose FAST!



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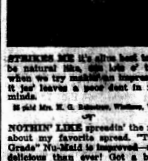
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## Grandma's Sayings



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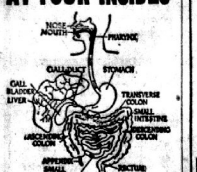
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## JEST JESTIN'

**Just Wanted To Know**

A rather smallish man was hailed into court charged with picking a man's pocket. The complainant was very near-sighted and didn't seem very sure of his facts. He couldn't positively identify the other man as the one who stole his watch.

The judge, faced with the lack of evidence, was forced to discharge the alleged pickpocket. When the man stood there, as if he didn't comprehend the meaning of the justice's words, the judge repeated the words which dismissed him.

"All right," he said, "you're free to go. You may leave. You are judged not guilty. Go on."

The man still wasn't sure. "Does that mean," he asked, "that I can keep the watch?"

**Gr-rr!**



Dentist's wife—"Have you been able to collect that bill Mr. Jones has owed you for so long?"

Dentist—"No, darn it. I met the guy on the street yesterday and he had the nerve to snap at me with the teeth I made for him."

**First Choice**

A prospective father had become so keyed up with the waiting that he staged a premature celebration. He managed to break away from his drinking companions soon after midnight and headed for home. He was helped through the door by the nurse.

"Is my son here yet?" he demanded, and without waiting for a reply, continued, "Oh, he must be. Show him to me, will you, please!"

The nurse, without a word, pulled back some curtains and revealed triplets. He blinked his eyes several times, counted them again to make sure it wasn't the alcohol multiplying for him, then seemed to brighten all of a sudden.

"I'll keep the one in the middle," he announced.

**Somewhat Tougher**

In the heat of an argument with a judge, a young lawyer lost a little of his temper. The judge was not one to brook any insolence from young whippersnappers, so he pounded his gavel and said sternly, "I fine you ten dollars for contempt of court."

Hardly were the words out of his mouth when the lawyer piped up, "Yes, Your Honor. I was sort of expecting that. I have the money right here in my vest pocket."

"Well," continued the judge, "look through your other pockets and see if you can dig up the rest of the sentence—thirty days in jail."

**Never Fails**

Bored—"Why do you call Mark a small-talk expert?"

Bored—"If there's nothing to say, he'll say it."

**No Consolation**



The young swain climbed into a field to gather some flowers for his girl friend and sighting a bull in the same pasture, called to a nearby farmer, "Hey, mister, is this bull over here safe?"

"Well, sonny," drawled the farmer, "I don't know for sure, but I can tell you he's a darn sight safer'n you are."

**JUST TO BE SURE**

Farmer's wife: "Take the dr-ug-ist!"

"Yes, ma'am."

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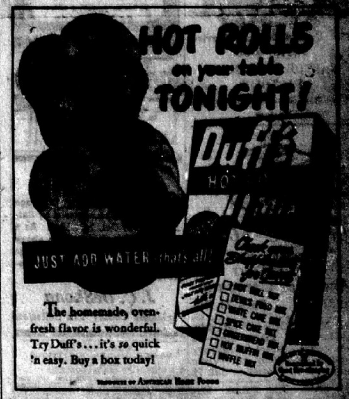



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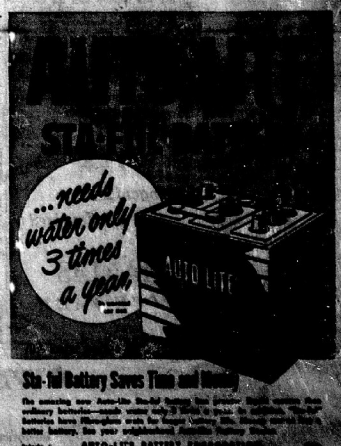
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All State and County Beverage Licenses must be renewed by Saturday noon, Oct. 1st., 1949. As a matter of course, after the above date, application will have to go to State Beverage Dept. for approval or disapproval.

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Highlands County Tax Collector.

LEGAL NOTICE
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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, pursuant to the "Fictitious Name Statute," House Bill No. 1078, Chapter No. 18553, Laws of Florida, 1941, will register with the Clerk of the Circuit Court, in and for Highlands County, Florida, upon receipt of proof of the publication of this notice, the fictitious name, to-wit: Edgewater Caladiums, under which I am engaged in business at Sebring, Florida.
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## *Winter Guests Club*

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player. Handy with tools, he had a small shop of his own, where he made, and repaired cues for his fellow members with whom he exercised daily. He was never happier than when he was doing small favors for his neighbors and friends. It was just such a favor in which he was engaged when he was stricken by a heart attack. The labor-saving devices in his own home are mute evidences of his ingenuity and skill. For such small favors, he would accept no remuneration, being satisfied with a grateful "Thank you," and a happy expression of appreciation. He consistently declined any proffered official positions in the Club, so that his activities, in the interests of the Club, were largely altruistic.

Besides Mrs. Moore, he leaves two daughters, Miss Bertha Moore, of Troy, New York, and Mrs. Robert Woodruff of Avon Park, also a son, Melvin of Wilfred, Michigan, a brother, Electus of New Jersey, and a brother-in-law, Mr. Frank Wheeler of Avon Park. The funeral was held at Mizelle Funeral Home parlor, Tuesday, at 10:00 A. M. with Father Butler of the Episcopal Church, officiating. Interment was in Bougainvillaea Cemetery at Avon Park.

The pall-bearers were Walter H. Walker, Ernest Armstrong, Frank Beckwith, John Nuber, George Riffle, and Edward Dobbins, with C. J. Starrett, and J. W. Richmond, alternates.

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As most of our members are aware, because of the extensive publicity it received throughout the country, we have just passed through what is considered the worst hurricane in ten years. Fortunately, there was no loss of life here, due directly to the storm. Some damage was done to the roofs of homes and outbuildings, here and there in the City, and next morning most of the streets, especially the Mall, were so littered with broken branches, and other debris, that traffic was greatly impeded.

A large section of the roof of the clubhouse was ripped off, and the interior flooded, but so far as we know, no serious damage was done. The City has been very prompt in repairing the damage, and we have now a complete new roof, with the exception of the kitchen. The verandah sills, floor, and railing have been repaired, and new concrete steps built at the front entrance.

Anxious to see what damage had been done to their property, the Armstrongs, the Walkers, the Mayzacks, the Beckwiths, the Richmonds, and perhaps others, soon appeared on the scene, and were all more or less gratified to find that no very serious damage had been done. While during the storm, some nervously walked the floor in anxiety and distress during the night, others who never before had seen a hurricane, went blissfully to sleep during the worst of it.

## *Adult Courses*

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engaged in, the following topics should prove beneficial in the sales psychology courses: scientific selling as a profession, the knack of selling yourself, five fundamentals of every sale, effective speech; the salesman's best tool, how to get and hold new customers, diplomacy increases sales, how to quickly recognize sales ability in others, and other subjects.

Other adult education courses to be taught by business men and Florida Southern faculty members will include esthetics, civics, art, music, recreational development for teen agers, business law, Spanish, poetry, child guidance, musical instruments, European peasant smocking, income tax accounting, citrus, nutrition, personal charm, cabinet design, gardening, religion and others.

For the convenience of parents who would like to attend these night classes, a nursery with a nurse and assistants will be provided on the campus.

The weekly classes will begin on October 17 at 7 p. m., and registration will open on October 7. Those wishing further information may write, telephone or visit the director of adult education at the college.

Syrup, gum and cattle fodder can be made from the carob tree, a native of Greece, recently recommended as a new industry for Florida's west coast.

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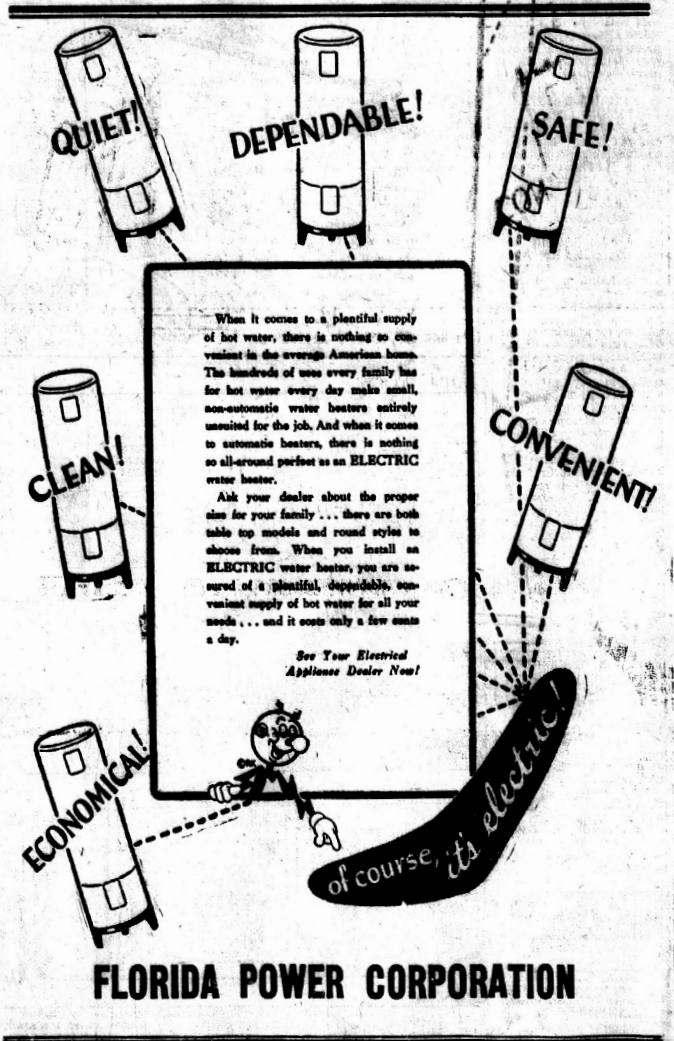
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YOUR NEWSPAPER
The Sun is the only paper boosting Avon Park 52 weeks a year. Your patronage will expand operation and bring further benefits to you.

## AVON PARK OFFICIALS NAMED IN MIDNIGHT COUNCIL SESSION

The new council held the first official meeting of its two-year term at 12:15 o'clock Oct. 1st, when councilmen made their appointments, decided in an executive session starting early last night.

The appointments, according to the after-midnight announcement:

S. E. Booth, city clerk, tax collector, superintendent of water works, auditor and comptroller.

Ernest Johns, chief of police; John W. (Tex) Coleman, and W. A. Roberts, patrolmen.

Wilbur Giddens, fire chief and superintendent of public works; W. E. Gillard, assistant chief.

Mrs. Edna Leighton and Mrs. Mildred Ford, assistants to the clerk.

Appointment of a city attorney was postponed until a future date.

Booth, the official with many titles, returns to the office he held several years ago. He succeeds A. M. Owens, retired brigadier general of the U. S. Army.

Johns succeeds J. H. Pate, under whom he served as a patrolman. Coleman succeeds Johns as patrolman, and Roberts continues on the beat he has held several years. The wharf built by Pate was dismantled by Alton Elder and Ross Giddens as an economy measure.

Giddens and Gillard remain in the positions they have held for several years.

Mrs. Leighton and Mrs. Ford were assistants to Booth.

All other city employes are being retained.

Only three members attended this early morning session: Ed Gough, president; Manning Kirkland, vice president, and Charles Lewiston. John Dillard, the only member of the retiring council re-elected, and Thomas (Dode) Shivers, left after the executive session ended before midnight.

A motion to retain the services of [illegible] made [illegible] Gough, [illegible] Kirkland [illegible] Lewiston [illegible] Dillard [illegible] Shivers [illegible] Gough

## Farm Topics

### Lift-Type Device Used on Tractor Will Aid Materially In Loading Farm Chores

It's help with those odd chores about the farm that so often are time-wasting and back-breaking, presents Ferguson Company of Dearborn, Mich., in offering a lift-type utility carrier for use on tractors.

The Pittsburgh carry-lift is attached in a few seconds to tractors fitted with the regular three-point hitch pattern holes. Made of alloy spring steel and structural steel, it will handle loads as heavy as 700 pounds.

An important feature of this new unit is the quick conversion from a platform lift to a fork lift, making it universal in the types of loads it can both lift and carry. It can be used as a platform lift either with or without a back panel, and pock-



The farm carry-lift is attached through the regular three-point hitch connection

et type. The load-carrying platform can be raised and lowered either by the tractor hydraulic lift or by the carry-lift.

It is fast lift, the utility people state, a small load of hay can be picked up from the ground and carried to the barn in a matter of minutes. The lift can be operated by the power take-off of a tractor or by the tractor engine.

Operation will be found particularly suited because material can be moved over any kind of ground, under any condition where a tractor can operate and to places it would be inaccessible by other forms of transportation.

### Popular Belting



A victim of the war, the first red rubber agricultural belting has been made available to farmers by a Pennsylvania manufacturer. Available since 1940 only as a higher-priced industrial belting, the red rubber belting was a pre-war favorite with America's farmers. This farmer's smile as he gets his first roll indicates a big welcome on its return to the farm market. This belting is particularly popular because of its added flexibility and toughness.

### Value of Bicarbonate Use In Swine Feeding Tested

An experimental feeding program to determine the value of bicarbonate of soda in the fowling of hogs is being conducted this fall at Iowa State college.

The results will be aimed at determining whether the feeding of bicarbonate of soda produces observable benefits in the growth of swine and whether the ingestion of sodium equal to 1 per cent of the ration will produce results.

WOMAN'S WORLD

## Moving Need Not Be Confusing If Operations Well-Organized

By Ertta Haley

WHEN MRS. X recently moved, most of her best china was broken beyond repair. When Mrs. B. gave up her home several years ago, the furniture which she had stored was found useless as she recovered it, and it had to be given away. Mrs. S., on the other hand, had dinner in her new home the same day she moved.

Moving doesn't occur too often for any of us, but when it does, it should be a smart move as well as a safe one. The job of moving is actually a very scientific one. When you follow the rules you'll have a minimum of distress and confusion.

It's a big job to move household goods from one house to another, or from one town to another. It's not a matter of piling things into the car and carting them over, even if the house is on the next block.

Much can be done before the actual moving, and though, at first, this seems like an enormous job, it's well on the way to completion by the time you've made a list of what can be done, and know how it should be done.

You'll undoubtedly call in a mov-

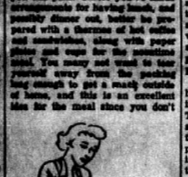


Avoid breakage during moving . . .

er, or a warehouseman, as they are sometimes named, for the job. For your own safety and peace of mind, select one who is reputable. If furniture or other goods are to be stored, the reputable dealer invites inspection of his quarters. After all, you're going to trust him with the family possessions!

**Here's the Routine For Moving Day**

Your rugs and carpets will be moved first. After this comes the dinnerware, glassware, silverware, pots and pans. Unless you've made arrangements for luncheon, a hot, possibly dinner out, better be prepared with a thermos of hot coffee and sandwiches, along with paper plates and cups for the possible meal. You may not have time to tear yourself away from the packing long enough to get a meal outside of home, and this is an excellent time for the meal since you don't



. . . and cut down confusion, too.

have to rely on your household equipment.

You may plan to pack the dishes yourself, or have the mover do it for you. If you do it yourself, the materials may be provided for you: shredded paper, barrels and tissue paper. If the mover takes care of the entire operation, he makes himself responsible for any breakage which might occur. Fees are determined by the hours worked.

The heaviest dishes should be packed at the bottom of the barrel and lighter ones on top to cut down on breakage. Plates should never

### Be Smart!



be placed flat, but rather stood on edge to resist breakage if the barrel is dropped. Professional movers usually tip the barrel to get the proper pack.

**Glassware Needs Careful Packing**

If possible, never pack the glassware in the same barrel as the dishes. If you do not have enough glassware for a separate barrel, it may be packed in the same barrel with the dishes, but special precautions must be taken against breakage.

Protective excelsior bedding is needed for each piece. Each piece of glassware is wrapped in tissue paper. Fragile stemware needs special tissue paper wrapping to protect the shank.

When professionally wrapped, barrels with dishes and glassware allow no free space for the dishes to move since a slight move might shatter several pieces, if not the whole barrel. The pack is tight and safe.

**Keep Household Goods Properly Organized**

Get your pots and pans together before moving time; they all go into excelsior padded barrels. Toasters, irons and waffle irons should be covered and placed in the bottom of boxes or barrels with protection to keep them from moving about inside. You don't want them dented or marred.

Wrap silverware in tissue paper carefully, be it flatware or serving silver. These, too, are placed in barrels.

All barrels and boxes should be numbered. Keep a listing of what goes under each number so you can extract from the right barrel when you want a certain item. This avoids plowing into barrels or boxes you aren't ready to unpack.

You can do a lot toward speeding operations before movers arrive. Take the carpets off the floor and roll them neatly. Take down drapes and curtains and venetian blinds. Many women feel it's smart to have them cleaned at this time to save moving. If you launder curtains yourself, don't iron until you arrive at the new place since they are easier to move when rolled instead of carefully boxed to avoid wrinkling.

**Keep Notebook For Small Items**

It's discouraging to have something misplaced for months after moving. If you go through drawers and desks and cabinets with box in one hand and notebook in the other, much of the disorder may be saved.

Small articles from certain drawers may be placed in boxes to be returned to the drawers in the same order. Keep a listing so you can locate even a small item at any time.

Lightweight items such as linen and clothing may be placed in dresser drawers for moving.

Keep books, book ends and such heavy objects out of dresser drawers for moving. Furniture is heavy enough by itself without being weighted additionally with several pounds of books. And, most furniture drawers are not constructed to take such heavy items. They may give way and you'll have a repair bill to pay as well as moving.

Books are best packed in cartons which are tied securely. These are easily handled, and the books are kept together.

Casters moved from furniture should be kept in well-labeled sets. Brooms, mops and curtain rods may be tied together with cord for easy handling.

If you move the refrigerator have it serviced and bolted before the movers arrive.

Work out floor arrangements for the new home and tag the furniture. The movers can then route each piece to the room in which you want it.

### Make a Safe Move



Moving day is comparatively simple for this young homemaker who has a reputable warehouseman packing her dishes, mirrors and glassware. Here she observes the mover carefully packing several plates in a stack with protective layers of shredded paper between each plate. The stack is then wrapped in tissue paper and placed on edge in a soft bed of shredded paper in the bottom of the barrel which has been tipped so the plates lay back.



SCRIPTURE: Isaiah 1:10-20; Jeremiah 7:1-7.
DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalm 84:1-4.

## Seven-Day Religion

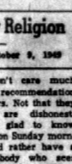
Lesson for October 9, 1949

EMPLOYERS don't care much for letters of recommendation signed by preachers. Not that they think preachers are dishonest. The employer is glad to know where the chap is on Sunday mornings. But he would rather have a letter from somebody who sees him every Saturday night and Monday morning.

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**Religion Won't Keep Sweet by Itself**

IT IS a temptation as old as religion, to put it on one side of a wall and life on the other. But the prophets showed, once and for all, that God has literally no use for religion which has been dissected off from life. Religion which is kept apart from life turns sour and bad. In Isaiah's time, everybody knew there was something wrong with the country.



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Isaiah's diagnosis was shocking: Religion is our principal trouble. God is tired of it. What! The pious people would exclaim. Look at the crowds in the Temple every holy days! Listen to all the prayers, count the number of tithers. If anything is wrong with our country, it can't be religion! But religion it was.

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**Why God Was Tired**

A CATHOLIC priest would shock everybody should he call Vatican City "Hell's Half Acre." Isaiah picked his fellow citizens by calling Jerusalem "Sodom and Gomorrah." Those cities were the worst places the Hebrews had ever heard of.

They were so lost the Lord had to destroy them by fire—and in them people could be found there. The prophet follows up that first shock by another. Every single expression of organized religion comes under the prophet's lash.

Sacrifices and offerings (v.11), attendance at the sanctuary, observance of the Sabbath and other holy days (v. 13), church gatherings, corresponding to our rallies and conventions (v. 13), even prayers (v. 15).

Put that into modern terms: attendance at church, Bible reading, singing, prayer—if that is all, then all is not good. It may be religion, and of course it is one kind of religion; but not the kind God wants.

Indeed, Isaiah says God hates it; he is "fed up" with it (vv. 11). What was wrong? Isaiah tells them that, too, in short simple words. "Your hands are full of blood."

Oh, the people would protest, we are not killers, we don't lay a hand on anybody. Isaiah goes on to explain: seek judgment (i.e. justice), relieve the oppressed, judge the fatherless, plead for the widow.

You don't kill outright, you churchgoers, he would say, but you are so indifferent to justice in your city, you take so little interest in the people at the bottom of the heap, that people die here, widows and orphans die, simply because no one cares.

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**What Makes a Town Worth Saving?**

ALAS, nobody did care. One hundred and more years went by, and Jerusalem came close to its end. But nobody thought that disaster could strike. The belief had grown in every one's mind that the Temple of the Lord would forever insure the safety of the city in which it stood.

But a young prophet, Jeremiah, preached a sermon on the same theme as Isaiah's (Jer. 7) It is not the temple that will save you, it is not church attendance that will bring you the favor of God.

As the men of Jerusalem looked back to the great days of Moses, they thought of the sacrifices and offerings, the tabernacle and the rituals and all the pageantry and paraphernalia of a picturesque religion, as the great thing that God had given them.

But God remembered it otherwise. Jeremiah even says (with understandable exaggeration) that God had not said a word about sacrifices and offerings; the Ten Commandments, with all they implied, were the main thing.

What God looks for, back of all our church attendance and Bible reading, is "justice between a man and his neighbor." A place where that can be found is a good place.

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## HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



**Deviled Swiss Puffs Make Delightful Sandwich**
*(See Recipe Below)*

**Luncheon Ideas**

DO YOU FEEL that your head is brimming full of question marks instead of good ideas when it comes time to think of something for luncheon?

Then tack the ideas given in today's column somewhere where they'll be sure to remind you of something guaranteed to be successful. Some of these recipes are for simple family fare while others are sheer elegant eating, suitable for guests, for a special Sunday night supper.



With a well rounded luncheon dish, you need only a big vegetable or fruit salad, chilled to icy crispness, to make the main course complete. Your dessert might be pie, cake, ice cream, or simply fruit and cookies.

Keep your pantry shelves well supplied with staples, as well as such items as dried beef, deviled ham, noodles, evaporated milk, rice and condensed soups so that you can whip together these recipes without trips to the store at the last minute. In this way you'll be well prepared to meet family meal problems as well as those which arise when guests drop in.

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SWISS deviled swiss puff is truly new and different, easy to prepare and fun to eat. When made in the individual casserole skillets as shown in the picture, it will be a real success at a ladies' luncheon. Savory deviled ham is used in the recipe, but you might also try liver sausage or another favorite meat spread.

The cheese mixture may be prepared, except for the baking powder, a day in advance of use, in case you are rushed for time in meal preparation. Remove the mixture from the refrigerator an hour before using so that it will be soft for easy spreading. Add the baking powder just before using.

**Deviled Swiss Cheese Puff**
(Serves 4)

½ cup evaporated milk
1 tablespoon flour
1 tablespoon water
1 egg, slightly beaten
1 cup grated Swiss cheese (processed)
¼ teaspoon onion juice
Dash of tabasco sauce
¼ teaspoon baking powder
4 tablespoons deviled ham
2 tablespoons evaporated milk
4 slices bread
4 slices tomato

Heat the ½ cup evaporated milk in top part of double boiler. Mix flour with water. Stir into milk and cook until thickened, about five minutes. Add the beaten egg, cheese and seasonings and continue cooking until cheese is melted and the mixture thick and creamy. Set aside to cool. Blend ham with two tablespoons of evaporated milk. Spread the slices of bread with the ham mixture, then top each with a slice of tomato. Blend baking powder into cooled cheese mixture. Spread the cheese mixture thickly on each sandwich. Place sandwiches in individual shallow casseroles or in a shallow baking pan. Place under broiler. Using moderate heat, broil until cheese is puffed and slightly browned on top. Serve at once.

Note: American cheese or pimento cheese are also good to use in the above mixture to replace Swiss cheese, if desired.

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A BUDGET MEAL that is a tasty-tempting dish can be turned out of dried lima beans, seasoned with onion, mace and powdered sage, the latter to point up the sausage topping. Double rich evaporated milk poured over the beans for baking



adds richness to the dish as well as keeping the beans admirably moist.

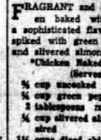
**Limas Louisiana**
(Serves 6)

1 cup dried lima beans
2 cups water
3 tablespoons finely chopped onion
1 teaspoon sugar
¼ teaspoon mace
1 teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon powdered sage or poultry seasoning
½ pound small pork sausages
½ cup evaporated milk
Shredded green pepper

Wash beans; soak for several hours or overnight in four cups water. Drain; cook beans in the two cups of water until tender. Add onion, sugar and seasonings to the beans. Place the sausages in a skillet and cook until the links are browned. Use the drippings to grease the baking dish. Turn the bean mixture into the dish. Pour milk over the beans. Arrange browned sausages over the top. Shred a bit of green pepper over them and bake in a moderate (350°) oven for 50 minutes.

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FRAGRANT and steaming chicken baked with rice boasts a sophisticated flavor combination spiked with green pepper, onions and slivered almonds.



***Chicken Baked with Rice**
(Serves 6)

⅔ cup uncooked rice
½ cup green pepper, chopped
2 tablespoons minced onion
¼ cup slivered almonds, if desired
1½ cups diced chicken
1 10½-ounce can condensed mushroom sauce
½ teaspoon salt
Few grains black pepper
1 cup evaporated milk

Cook rice according to favorite recipe or directions on package. Mix with green pepper, onion and almonds. Arrange layers of rice, chicken and soup in a 1¼ quart casserole. Season with salt and pepper. Add milk and bake in a moderate (350°) oven until bubbling and browned, about 30 minutes.

**LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU**

*Chicken Baked with Rice
Slivered String Beans with Carrots
Molded Cherry-Pineapple Salad
Raisin Cinnamon Buns
Boston Cream Cake Beverage
*Recipe Given

LYNN SAYS:
**Make Cooking Easy In These Simple Ways**

Use the pastry blender for mashing eggs for egg salad or sandwich mixtures. It works easily to make the eggs coarse or fine, as you like.

Get the full, taste from green peppers for a salad or any other dish, by grating or shredding them, instead of chopping.

Add a few banana flakes to hot or cold cereal just before serving. They add delicious flavor.

When you purchase ice cream which has been frozen too hard to serve, place the container under hot water for just a few seconds, and it will slice readily enough for serving.

Poached eggs will not spread if you stir the water vigorously in one direction, to create a whirlpool, before you drop in the eggs.

Before scalding milk for a recipe, butter the bottom of the pan you use, before pouring in the milk. It will not scorch or brown so easily.

### Becoming House Dress Flatters Larger Figure



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