

CHURCH Notices

CHURCH OF CHRIST
South Forrest Avenue
G. V. Chatman, Evangelist
Sunday Bible Study 10:00 A. M.
Preaching 11:00 A. M. & 7:30 P. M.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 P. M.
All are welcome to these services

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Rev. E. D. Penton
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship 11 A. M.
Evening Worship 7:30 P. M.
Wednesday Prayer Service 7:30 P. M.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
S. Lake Ave. & Walnut St.
Rev. H. E. Garrett
Church School 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship 10:35 A. M.
Nursery for babies and small children during Sunday School and Church.
The Youth Fellowship at 7:15 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30 P. M.
Wednesday Prayer Service 7:00 P. M.
Choir Practice following Prayer Service.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Robert T. Limer, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship 10:35 A. M.
Nursery for small children during morning service.
Training Union 6:45
Evening Worship 8:00
Wednesday Prayer Service 7:45 P. M.

THE CHURCH OF GOD
S. Verona Ave.
Rev. Roy Miller, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Young People's Service Thursday 7:45
Sunday Evening Service 7:15 P. M.
Tuesday Prayer Service 7:15 P. M.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
Sunday School 9:30 A. M.
Sunday Morning Service 11 A. M.
Wednesday Evening 8 P. M.
Corner East Pine & Fairfield St.
Reading Room Open Tuesday and Thursday 3:00 to 5:00 P. M.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Church St. & N. Forest Ave.
Rev. Herbert Graetz, Pastor
Mrs. J. Paul Garber, Choir Director
Mrs. Vaughan Driggers, Organist
John P. Garber, Jr., Sunday School Superintendent
Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship, 11:00 A. M.
Nursery for Small Children During Morning Service.

CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER (Episcopal)
Rev. Frank M. Butler
Holy Communion
Sunday, 7:30 A. M.
Church School, 9:30 A. M.
Morning Service and Sermon, 11 A. M.
Nursery for babies and small children, 11 A. M.
Wednesdays and Holy Days, 10 A. M.
Holy Communion

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
W. Main St. & DeSoto Ave.
Pastor: Rev. J. D. Benson
Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship, 11:00 A. M.
Young and Junior Society 6:30 P. M.
Evangelistic service: 7:30 P. M.
Mid-week prayer service Wednesday 7:30 P. M.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
Chapel at Walker Memorial Sanitarium & Hospital
J. R. Young, Pastor
SERVICES:
Morning Service.
Sabbath Worship, Saturday 11:00 A. M. Sabbath School 9:30.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 7:45 P. M.
Public cordially invited to all services.

FLORIDA AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH
v. Lawrence Collins, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship, 11 A. M.
Training Union, 6:45 P. M.
Evening Service, 8 P. M.
Prayer Service Wednesday Evening, 8 P. M.

ST. CATHERINE'S CATHOLIC CHURCH OF SEBRING
Sunday Mass — 7 and 11 A. M.
Week Day Masses — 8 A. M.
Altar Society meets second Monday in each month.

WOODRUFF HEIGHTS BAPTIST CHAPEL
Location: Rental Office Recreational Room
Sunday School — 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship — 11:00 A. M.
Evening Worship — 7:30 P. M.
Wed. Prayer Service 8:00 P. M.

It Pays to Advertise

Soil Conservation News

By Sam Polston
Agricultural Engineer

The Soil Conservation Service regards very much as Mr. Hiram L. Swain whom I am replacing. He resigned last week from the Soil Conservation Service to enter private enterprise in the South end of the Highlands Soil Conservation District. Mr. Swain has been with the Soil Conservation Service for the last 17 years in Georgia and Florida. He is a native Floridian and has been working with the Soil Conservation Service in South Florida since 1933. He is a graduate of the University of Florida, having received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Agricultural Engineering and a Master's Degree in Soils and Agronomy.

I have been working with Mr. Swain in the Highlands Soil Conservation District for the past month, and have met a goodly number of the District Co-operators but there are many whom I have not been able to meet, so I would like to take this opportunity to invite the Farmers of the Highlands Soil Conservation District to our office in the Court-house at any time and discuss their conservation problems. Perhaps we can help each other.

Our board of supervisors consists of Mr. Katherine Waggoner, who is chairman, Mr. Danley, vice chairman, Mr. L. L. Hinkle, Mr. Ross, and Mr. Hinkle. Mr. Hinkle is very much interested in your conservation problems and willing at anytime to assist you in solving them. Also, the Highlands Soil Conservation District still has the technical assistance of Lloyd Zorn and Claude Howerton available to the co-operators.

Conservation plans have been completed this week on 200 acres for Cooperator H. A. Pfaff, 420 acres for W. H. Calhoun, 271 acres for Alan Altvater, and 568 acres for Grover A. Keen.

The Highlands Soil Conservation District Board of supervisors held their regular monthly meeting Monday night, December 4, in the courthouse. Members of the board present were: Vice-chairman Cole Danley of Lake Placid, Mr. J. Z. Zorn, District Conservationist of the Arcadia Work Group, were here for the meeting.

The recent farm plans of Nathan R. Rood, Miller and Berkowitz, T. J. Durance, Dr. Stuart J. Ward, Roy D. Sims, Ivey Walden, H. D. Tudor, M. L. Smith, and Harry M. Childress were delivered to the board of supervisors for review and approval.

The board of supervisors along with Mr. Zorn discussed at length the citrus irrigation problems in this county. Mr. Ward and Mr. Danley say that with the ever increasing acreage of citrus in the county, the supply of irrigation water is becoming more and more a serious problem, and the people who irrigate should strive for better distribution and more efficient use of water. Mr. Danley says over crops in groves causes the applied water as well as the rainfall to enter the soil more uniformly, therefore reducing the dry spots which are so commonly found.

Mr. Bramlett of Ocala moved a motion into the district last week and began combining Hairy Indigo seed. The first plot to be harvested was 50 acres of Hairy Indigo from which 5000 pounds of seed was combined. According to Mr. Ward, this early Hairy Indigo is preferable for grove planting because the seed will mature early enough that it can be clipped or dried before cold weather. There are also approximately 250 acres of common Hairy Indigo, mostly in groves, to be combined. Due to the damage from cold weather in North Florida, it would be advisable for anyone wishing to plant Indigo next year, to obtain the seed before the supply is exhausted. The seed may be bought from Mr. Bramlett or any of the co-operators having seed harvested or contact the Soil Conservation Service office in Sebring or Lake Placid.

Help Fight TB



Buy Christmas Seals

Hitler Auto On Display Friday and Saturday, December 8th and 9th



The Local Legion Post is featuring Friday and Saturday of this week, the display of the huge Mercedes limousine that was once the pride of the late but NOT Lamented A. Hitler. The car and its heavy armor is being displayed here between the hours of 9:30 A. M. to 9:30 P. M. on both days. A free will offering will be accepted to be used in welfare work of the Legion. The armored limousine length is 19 ft. 5 in., and weight 9,500 lbs., has a 70 gallon gas tank, 1 1/4 inch bulletproof glass, fully steel plated with 1/2 inch steel body plate and specially built inner tubes. Speed of car is 102 miles per hour and gas consumption 3 miles per gallon. The car was captured May 7, 1945. The car will be displayed on the Mall.

Vets Information And Service

By Melvin T. Dixon
State Service Officer

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CHAIRMAN ANNOUNCES COMMITTEE ELECTIONS

Election time for the P. M. A. County Committee is here, announces Chairman Carl R. McIntyre. These Committees will administer the 1951 Agricultural Conservation Program which provides assistance to aid the farmer in carrying out soil conservation practices on his farm.

The following Committees, Carl McIntyre, Chairman: F. C. Payne and J. B. Sellers have served for the past year. These Committees urge all farmers interested in the P. M. A. Program to attend and vote in a committee for the coming year.

If the polls are given by December 15, the following Committees will administer the 1951 Agricultural Conservation Program which provides assistance to aid the farmer in carrying out soil conservation practices on his farm.



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Directory

CLUBS, ORGANIZATIONS & LODGES

MINISTERS' ASSOCIATION
First Monday, 10:30 A. M.
Auditorium First Baptist Church

AMERICAN LEGION
First and Third Wednesdays
8:00 P. M., Legion Home

LEGION AUXILIARY
Second Monday, 8:00 P. M.
Legion Home

CITY COUNCIL
Second & Fourth Mondays
7:30, City Hall

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
Directors Meeting
Second & Fourth Thursdays
8:00 P. M. Chamber of Commerce

Rebekah Lodge No. 65
First & Third Mondays
Brickell Bldg.

GARDEN CLUB
Jacaranda Circle—Second Thurs-
day, Members Home

Hibiscus Circle—Second Thurs-
day, Member's Home

ROYAL ARCH MASONS
Highlands Chapter No. 41
Second Tuesday, 8:00 P. M.
Masonic Temple

POINCIANA LODGE No. 227
First & Third Mondays 8:00 P. M.

KNIGHT TEMPLARS
Hollywood Chapter No. 17
Fourth Monday, 8:00 P. M.
Masonic Temple

JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB
Fourth Tuesday, 8:00 P. M.
Customers' Room

ORDER EASTERN STAR
Leigh Chapter, No. 85
Second & Fourth Thursdays
8:00 P. M. Masonic Temple

AVON PARK FIREMEN
Meets Second & Fourth Thursday
Fire Station

PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOC.
Third Thursday, 3:15 P. M.
High School Auditorium

TRIPLE LINK CLUB
2nd & 4th Mondays, 8 p. m.
Brickell Bldg.

FISH & GAME ASSOCIATION
First Thursday, 7:30 P. M.
Club House, On Road 17 South

Avon Park Public Library
Library Hours
Monday & Friday—2:30-5:30 p. m.
Wednesday—9:45 a. m.-12:00 p. m.
Saturday—4:30-8:30 p. m.

ALPHA OMEGA CHAPTER
of Beta Sigma Phi
2nd & 4th Mondays, 8 p. m.
Members Home

JUNIOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
Palms Restaurant
Thursday's—7:00 p. m.

AVON PARK EXCHANGE CLUB
Each Thursday, 12:15 Noon
Palms Restaurant

LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE
Each Thursday, 8:00 P. M.
Moose Club, South Forest Ave.

WOMEN OF THE MOOSE
Regular Meetings 2nd and 4th
Monday Nights

ROTARY CLUB
Each Wednesday, 12:15

BOY SCOUTS
Troop 157
Each Monday, 7:30 P. M.
King's Court

WOMAN'S CLUB
First Friday, 3:15 P. M.

VETERANS FOREIGN WARS
First and Third Tuesdays
8:00 P. M. Fire Station

TEEN-AGE CLUB
Each Friday and Saturday
7:30 P. M. to 11:00 P. M.
Youth Civic Center

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL WOMAN'S CLUB
Third Monday, Customers' Room
Florida Power Corporation

Fifty Florida counties will send delegates to the Florida Farm Bureau's ninth annual State Convention, November 16 and 17 at Daytona Beach.

Every good book given to our library is a brick in the house of knowledge.

FPC Expansion Will Bring Big Payroll

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of our Company in charge of all the Division and District operations. He has asked that I convey his warmest regards to his many friends here.

I would like to comment on the second factor contributing to the increase in the splendid letter which you sent to the Apalachicola Chamber of Commerce at the time of Ridge's. Ridge's promotion to manager of our western division with headquarters at Apalachicola, Fla., has always been one of the ablest forces of our organization and, while I am sure that you failed to see him, it is good to know that his work among you was so much appreciated that you saw fit to pay this tribute to him on the occasion of his promotion.

We are delighted that in George Woodham we had another man fully qualified to step in as his assistant. Mr. Woodham, who has only been with you a few months, I feel sure that you have already found that he has ready ear and a willing hand to carry out your plans.

I would also at this time like to pay tribute to the many fine employees of our Company who live and work with you here in Avon Park. Our Company has more than 1400 such employees scattered throughout Central and South Florida. It is the basic philosophy of our Company that our employees should take an active interest in the civic work of their communities and assist in every possible way in the development of the areas which we are privileged to serve, for we realize that your success is our success.

I am glad to again come to the Ridge Section of our great state, and particularly to Avon Park. I have often commented that this area is the finest inland area served by our Company. Your rolling hills and beautiful lakes would certainly satisfy anyone so far as ideal living conditions are concerned.

I feel, therefore, that, before getting into the main topic of my talk tonight regarding our Company, I would like at this time to pay a real tribute to your Chamber of Commerce. As you know, during the past ten years Florida has been the fastest growing state east of the Rockies. Without the aid of the Chambers of Commerce of each of our local cities and communities and our Florida State Chamber of Commerce, I am sure that this would not have occurred. I have heard a great deal of the work done by your local Chamber of Commerce. I trust that you will give it your fullest support and that your coming membership drive will be most successful.

I feel highly honored that you have asked that we come to your meeting tonight to talk about our Company. Florida Power Company is a large enterprise and I might be accused of being biased in favor of the Company in somewhat the same way as the minister said that he was biased on the side of the Lord. I have been with the Company for almost a quarter of a century and have seen it grow and progress through that period. It is a real pleasure to discuss with you for the first time the growth of the Company, its present territory and facilities, and our plans for the future, particularly as they relate to Avon Park.

The birthplace of our Company was Pinellas County, Florida, where the first 30 kilowatt plant went into operation on August 5, 1897. I have been unable to learn just exactly the origin of your electric service, but I understand that one of our early predecessors was the Florida Ice and Power Company which built a small plant in Lake Wales, serving the Ridge Section from Davenport to Avon Park. This company later became a part of the Florida Public Service Company.

Our Company now serves 28 counties in Florida and through its subsidiary, the Georgia Power and Light Company, 21 counties in Southern Georgia. Our Company in this short span of 52 years has grown from that small 30 kilowatt plant into a system having 5 steam electric plants, 3 hydro electric plants and 2 diesel engine plants, with a total generating capacity of over 240,000 kilowatts serving over 150,000 customers and delivering to them more than 1 1/2 billion kilowatt hours each year. Within the next 5 years our plans are to install additional generating capacity which will add more than another 120,000 kilowatts of generating capacity. One of these additional units will be located here in Avon Park and is expected to be completed during 1952.

This phenomenal increase in the demand for electric service and the expansion of our plant capacities to meet this demand comes from two sources. First is the rapid and increasing population of our state. As I mentioned earlier, Florida has been the fastest growing state east of the Rockies. A great deal of this growth has taken place

in the territory served by our Company. As an example, the customers of our Company in the Avon Park district increased from 1164 in 1940 to 2666 in 1950, an increase of approximately 130 per cent. During the year ending September 30, 1950 we installed over 1000 new kilowatt hours of capacity.

The second factor contributing to this phenomenal increase in the use of kilowatt hours per customer. During the same 10 years, the annual use of electricity by the average per residential customer in this district has increased from 1198 kilowatt hours to 2053 kilowatt hours, an increase of almost 70 per cent during that short period. Our Company has great faith in the future of the area we serve. It is no secret that we plan many years in advance so that when service is required either for residential or defense purposes, we will be ready to meet that need.

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After thorough consideration, however, it was decided that the power needs of this area and its adjoining territory justified the establishment of the plant here in spite of the increase in operating cost. Our 1951 budget for the Lake Wales Division is over 4 million dollars, the highest of any of our 6 Divisions and over 25 percent of our entire budget.

I think that this short resume of the growth and plans of our Company for the future will give you some indication of the problems which have faced us during the past decade, and will challenge us in the future. These business-managed, tax paying companies have met successfully the unprecedented demand which was placed on them during the past war and the post war period and are making plans for the future which will guarantee that we will not be too little or too late if further demands should be placed upon us during the future.

blissome years which may be facing us. Unfortunately, there are those in high places in our government who have attempted and are still attempting to nationalize the electric industry. I ask sincerely that you give this matter careful and earnest consideration. The nationalization of the electric industry would be only one step towards the socialization of our entire economy. Fortunately, there are others who have been forced to come to our rescue through threats in which they themselves were involved. The most notable of these groups have been the doctors who became tremendously disturbed at the prospect of socialized medicine. The creation of the various authorities, such as the Tennessee Valley Authority and the Columbia Valley Authority, are part of the master plan whereby the federal government would in a large measure pass to the hands of those appointed by the Federal Government the control of the electric industry. Mr. David Lillenthal, once head of TVA, said: "When ever controls electric controls people. Every phase of our American economy depends to an increasing extent upon electric power. For this reason, we should all be alert for any movement which would threaten the freedom of our people at a time when we are fighting dictatorship through the world."

In closing, I want to assure each of you that our Company has faith in your city, in this area, and in Florida. We have and will demonstrate that faith by seeing that an ample supply of electric service is available to meet every demand. We will continue to be partners in the progress of Florida.

COUNTY AGENTS TO MEET AT PUNTA GORDA
Next year's program of 4-H club work for boys of eight South Florida counties will be formulated at a meeting of county agents and their assistants in Punta Gorda, December 13. W. W. Brown, boys' club agent with the University of Florida Agricultural Extension Service, announced here.

Highlands County assistant agent, B. J. Harris of Sebring, will be in charge of the program which will affect 800 boys. Representatives will be present from Manatee, Charlotte, Lee, Sarasota, Hardee, Highlands, DeSoto and Collier counties.

Youth work in the eight-county area, Brown said, has been concentrated on livestock, pasture improvement and truck crops. S. McMullen of Gainesville, district agent with the Extension Service, plans to help plan the 4-H club program.

Read all the ads as you will find them very interesting.

It Pays To Read The Classified Ads

Part of the large crowd that attended the Avon Park Chamber of Commerce Annual Dinner Thursday night, Nov. 30th at the Jacaranda Hotel.

Fresh Chevrolet Styling Imparts Lower Lines
The styling of the new four-door sedan is one of lower appearance. Radiator grille has been simplified. Lower fender covers raised. Models also offered 6-cylinder improvements which approximate a lower, safer

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Decorations at Thanksgiving were lime cake.

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Gala Reception For New Members Of Jr. Women

The annual reception members held by the Jr. Women's Club at the Jacaranda Hotel Tuesday night, was a festive occasion.

A lavish turkey dinner, all the usual trimming on a table beautifully set in green and gold, and a display of Christmas cards in graduated sizes, glittered with glittering stars, were placed to form a tree under which angels sang. Red and gold holders, with green and red berries, also were placed. Place cards were in form of little girls in togas, with sprigs of olive on the brims of their hats.

Mrs. W. N. Klueberg, president, presided at the dinner. Mrs. Klueberg, the president, presided at the dinner.

A short business session followed the dinner. Mrs. Klueberg called and new members were introduced. Then the 1950-51 year program was read. Mrs. Klueberg called and new members were introduced. Then the 1950-51 year program was read.

All officers were elected, each giving a brief report on their duties.

The evening closed with singing, led by Mrs. Klueberg, Jr., who also sang. Mrs. Klueberg, Jr., who also sang.

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Birthday Party

Peggy Bussard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bussard, celebrated her ninth birthday Saturday afternoon.

Given by her mother and father, the party was given at her home, 10 North Lake View.

The party room was decorated in Christmas theme, with packages containing which were rendered to guests and laid on the gift table.

A novel way of Christmas story, with guests taking part, by all.

Elizabeth Howell for the peanut hunt. Refreshments of ice cream, party was served.

Guests were: Betty off, Claire and St. Sarah Lou Smith, E. Julie Bess, Crutcher and Mary Lou Warren, Lanelle and Linda Tondoe, Sara Leal, Gene Thomas, Cindy Vickie Carter, Nar Mary, Lois Robert Howell, Miss Anna Mary, Mildred Mary Myers, and Evers.

Susan Brown Birthday Party

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Clubs

Gala Reception For New Members Of Jr. Women

The annual reception for new members held by the Junior Woman's Club at the Jacaranda Hotel Tuesday night at 7 o'clock, was a festive occasion.

A lavish turkey dinner, with all the usual trimmings, was served on a table beautifully decorated in red, green, and gold, to exemplify Christmas. Cactus plants in graduated sizes, gift and sprigged with glittering artificial snow, were placed to form a Christmas tree under which small gold angels sang. Red candles in gold holders, with green holly and red berries, also decorated the table. Place cards were in the form of little girls in Christmas togs, with sprigs of holly tucked into the brims of their tiny red hats.

Mrs. W. N. Klueberg read a prayer, before the dinner. After the dinner, the president, Mrs. Walter Mandis, welcomed the new members.

A short business session followed the dinner, during which roll was called and new members introduced. Then the year books for 1950-51 were passed out. The books are bound in leather, and are so attractive that they are being sold for \$1.00 each. Mrs. H. B. Klueberg, president, was in charge of the year books.

All officers were also introduced, each giving a brief resume of her duties.

The evening closed with card singing, led by Mrs. John P. Garber, Jr., who also sang a solo. Mrs. Klueberg accompanied on the piano.

Hostesses were Mrs. M. F. Stokely, Mrs. Herbert Todd, and Mrs. Ed Touchton. Miss Hilda Roddick made the decorations for the table, assisted in placing them by Mrs. Charles O. Lackey. Mrs. Herbert Todd was responsible for the place cards. Mrs. Stuart J. Ward, Jr., chairman, sent the invitations to the new members.

Mrs. Walter Betts, Senior Sponsor, was a guest.

New members welcomed were: Mesdames James Anderson, Floyd Freer, Earl E. Chavell, Long, L. T. Mitchell, J. T. Landress, William Monroe, Robert J. Barben, Cecil Ferguson, R. H. Barner, Gerald Kelly, N. H. Booth, Cecil Skipper, Velma Weeks, Bob Willis, A. A. Bean, and George Gribble.

Birthday Party For Peggy Bussard

Peggy Bussard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Bussard, celebrated her ninth birthday last Saturday afternoon with a party given by her mother at their home on North Lake Viola.

The party room was decorated in the Christmas colors. A Christmas tree decorated with packages containing the favors, which were reindeer and Santa Claus and lambs, centered the gift table.

A novel way of reading the Christmas story, with all the little guests taking part, was enjoyed by all.

Elizabeth Howell won a prize for the peanut hunt.

Refreshments of birthday cake, ice cream, party mints, and punch were served.

Guests were: Betty Kay Wyck, Mrs. Claire and Steve Maxwell, Sarah Lou Smith, Eva Campbell, Julie Bess, Crichtfield, Frances and Mary Lou Warren, Dale Nutt, Lanelle and Linda Griffin, Pat Tondue, Sara Leslie Harrison, Gene Thomas, Clyde Coleman, Vickie Carter, Nancy Watter, Mary Lou Roberts, Elizabeth Howell, Misses Alma Harrell, Jerry Marley, Mildred Myers, Mrs. Mary Myers, and Mrs. D. O. Evers.

Susan Brown Has Birthday Party

Susan Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Brown, celebrated her thirteenth birthday with a party given at her home Saturday evening, November 25, from 7:30 to 10:30. The young people enjoyed several lively games, among them "Pin the beard on the turkey."

Decorations carried out a Thanksgiving theme. Refreshments were lime freeze and cake.

Guests were: Fred Meeks, Clement McFarland, Dick Reddick, Kellon Hill, Donny Crew, Jimmie Waldron, Frances Fisher, Eileen Sachsenmaier, Lella Johnson, Edith Hagen, Lou Ann Austin, Peggy Martin, and Betty Sue Woodham.

Mrs. E. Ludington assisted Mrs. Brown.

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Christmas Tree For Public Use

Dr. Frances R. Bayley, retired Methodist minister, gave an inspiring Christmas message, "The Jesus Had No Name," at the last meeting of the Senior Woman's Club, held Friday afternoon, December 1, in the Palm Room of the Jacaranda Hotel.

A beautiful program of cards appropriate to the holiday season was presented by a vocal quartet composed of Mrs. and Mrs. J. Paul Garber and Mr. and Mrs. John P. Garber, Jr. Mrs. Garber, Jr. also sang one solo. They were accompanied by Miss Gloria Garber.

The theme of the program was "Fine Arts," of which Mrs. Ralph Herring is chairman. Mrs. Charles F. Kenney, co-chairman, led charge of the program.

Three new members were accepted by the club: Mrs. Guy Bolt, Mrs. G. S. Easton, and Mrs. G. H. Mills.

Mrs. Samuel Norris, president, read the Twenty-third Psalm as a memorial to the late Mrs. C. H. Purdie.

The club's annual card party meeting held on Tuesday, January 9, tickets will be on sale only. The club is going to have a Christmas tree placed in the Mall, the tree to be decorated with lights in the Florida House decoration. This tree is for the use of the public, and anyone who wishes to hold a Christmas party around it can do so.

Also, the club owns a Santa Claus suit which can be rented for \$1.00 on occasion. Mrs. W. J. Hurd has charge of this suit. Mrs. Norris, in behalf of the club, thanks all those who gave donations for the Christmas tree for the Jacksonville orphanage, and for the baskets to be distributed here. The donations were both plentiful and attractive, and were much appreciated.

Regular Meeting Rebekah Lodge

Eleanor Seavern Rebekah Lodge No. 65 held its regular meeting Monday night, December 4. Business meeting, refreshments were served at the Avon Park Cafe.

There was one visitor, Yvonne Beal of Cambridge, Ohio, member of Olive Rebekah Lodge.

Members present were: Bertha Kelley, Amelia Dick, Bertha Barker, Lillian Bridges, Esther L. Jones, Mrs. Lona Keen, Mary Smalley, Belle Martin, Leona Trobitz, Tillie Yuster, Mildred Murphy, Elizabeth Murrell, Ella Rosenberg, Gladys Hagen, Helen Mann, Cleo Lookhoff, Cora Wray, Mildred Waddell, Mary Fields, Marguerite Vogt, Virginia Cornejo.

Farewell Party At Moose Hall

The Women of the Moose held a farewell party at Moose Hall, Friday night, December 4, for Mrs. Fred Stoddard, a member from New York who had been staying in Avon Park for several months. She and her husband expect to make their home here. However, Mrs. Stoddard was called home suddenly by her husband's injury in an accident, and her coming to Avon Park must await this recovery.

A large number of guests attended the party, including the men of the lodge. Refreshments were served, and a variety of attractive gifts were presented to Mrs. Stoddard.

5th Birthday Party For Anne Johnson

Little Anne Johnson was given a party Monday afternoon at her home in celebration of her fifth birthday. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Johnson.

Anne and the group of children who were her guests had a happy time playing games.

The refreshment table was really decorated to carry out a Christmas motif; it was decorated with a large sugar plum tree, with an individual tree at each child's place. The cake was appropriately iced in red, green and white, and ornamented with Christmas trees, ice cream, candy, and cookies were also served.

SCHOOL XMAS PROGRAM

Section One of the Ninth Grade, with Mrs. Vaughan Driggers sponsor, will present the Christmas program in the high school auditorium on Friday, December 15, 8:00 P.M. Colored slides illustrating the Christmas story will be shown.

All parents and friends of the school are invited to attend this program. The band and glee club will furnish appropriate music.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bovard returned Tuesday, Nov. 28, from Trenton, Pa., where they attended the wedding of their grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Heron Bovard and Patty also returned from Trenton.

Shopping on the Mall

By Sun Staff Writer

For giving luxury in a little room, and at a cost not too great—there's nothing like a good cosmetic or perfume. And the packages to be found on the Mall are as lovely as the contents. There's perfume on a dainty little stand, turned into crystal slippers or swans of attached to golden bells. Bottles of nail polish make graceful little ladies of earlier days. And there is also on the market a special package at a special price, introducing a new product of an established firm. It's a wonderful smooth, moist powder base, packaged with an compressed "see powder" and one of those long, long lipsticks, all come in an different complexions.

For men, there's a trim plastic travel case that rolls up to practically no size, and contains a razor, tooth brush, comb, lotion, toothpaste—indeed, everything a man needs for his morning grooming.

If you're buying a Christmas gift, and you're looking for a gift that's useful, and a gift that's beautiful, and a gift that's practical, and a gift that's a little different, try this. It's a little pink, pinky, pinky, pinky, with the supporting structure a tall candle. Very pretty.

Don't forget that small children love bright picture books. We saw several, and especially noted a large Christmas book, a green paper bell page when the cover is opened. There are records for children too.

A housewife would adore those Pyrex casseroles which fit into colored wicker baskets—so you won't burn your fingers. Or she might prefer a luncheon set in dark green glass, square-shaped for modern living.

If someone in your family long for a baton, you can find one along the Mall—even a baton that lights.

For women of all ages—and all types of temperament—there's some lovely jewelry to be found hereabouts. We noticed especially a large collection of pins, many set with brilliant, some shaped like animals, or musical instruments, or dancing figures, and others in more conventional form. They cost very little, and are so very attractive.

If Sonny wants to listen to Straight Shooter Timothy, when you prefer chamber music, why should either of you endure frustration? Solve your problem by giving him a minute radio of his own, priced at less than \$15.00. Its volume and tone are surprisingly good; yes, we listened to it.

There are some good-looking ties and dressing gowns for men in evidence around town, too. And nylon slips for ladies, with lace so delicate it seems it might melt in the air.

One store in town has a large stock of gift handkerchiefs and scarves. Also some attractive purses. By the way, you need a large bill folds these days.

"Dumb" panties for very small girls—well, they have tiny ruffles around the bottom, and come in pastel shades and white. Cute!

We haven't room for everything, but we want to remind you that many of the products mentioned above are nationally advertised, and a variety of attractive gifts were presented to Mrs. Stoddard.

Firemen Enjoy Turkey Supper

The Avon Park Firemen, their families, and friends, enjoyed a turkey supper given by the association last Thursday evening, 7:30 P.M., at the Fire Station.

Immediately after the supper, Mack Flowers, secretary of the association for three consecutive years, briefly discussed the association's accomplishments since it was organized nearly five years ago. He also introduced the chairman of the Highlands County Civilian Defense Committee, Col. Hagemaster, discussed the defense program in general and pointed out to those present what would be expected of every man, woman, and child.

Other special guests included Mrs. Rev. and Mrs. H. Edgar Garrett of the First Methodist Church.

Join our Public Library

Carol

As Joseph was awaiting,
He heard an angel sing.
This night shall be the birth
time
Of Christ the heavenly King.

He neither shall be born
In houses nor in hall,
Nor in the place of paradise,
But in an ox's stall.

He neither shall be clothed
In purple nor in pall,
But in the four white linen
That swathe babies all.

He neither shall be rocked
In silver nor in gold,
But in the arms of Mary,
That resteth on the mould.

As Joseph was awaiting,
There did an angel sing,
And Mary's heart at midnight
Was beat to be our King.

Then he who clothed good people
This night of all the year,
And light up your candles,
For his star shined clear.

For the Christmas Tree
Brought Gladness
To the Heart of Every Child.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arlin S. King, a son, Larry Arlin King, born December 2, at Walker Memorial Hospital. Birth weight was 9 pounds 9 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Haynes of Sebring, a son, Kenneth Gordon Haynes, born December 2, at Walker Memorial Hospital. Birth weight was 8 pounds 3 ounces.

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