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Avon Park Folks In Germany

Cpl. Henry Clark, Mrs. Roberts, Lt. John D. Roberts

10 August, 1951
Eschwege, Germany

Avon Park Sun
Avon Park, Florida.
Dear Sirs:

Thought it might be interesting for you to know that on the week-end of July 14-15 my wife and I met Cpl. Henry Clark in Frankfurt, Germany. I am enclosing two snapshots taken in the area of the "Bahnhof" (R.R. station). Cpl. Clark wrote me a letter when he arrived in Hanau, Germany, so on that week-end my wife and I drove to Hanau to meet him. Frankfurt is only 15 miles from Hanau, so we spent a very nice two days together there.

I also drove to Mannheim, Germany, about six weeks ago and looked up Pvt. Leslie LaFlam. We had a nice talk about Avon Park.

If any more of the people from Avon Park get over this way I sure wish they'd get in touch with me. My address is:

1st Lt. John D. Roberts, 7734 Signal Serv. Det. c/o Eucom Ordnance School, A.P.O. 171, U.S. Army.

P.S. We receive the "Sun" regularly, and it sure is nice to get all the news from home.

(Note: Lt. Roberts' return address given on the envelope of his letter is also copied for the benefit of those wishing to write him from the U.S.: Lt. John D. Roberts - 02033872, c/o Eucom Ordnance School, APO 171, c/o Postmaster, New York, N.Y.)

Civil Air Patrol Change Meeting Date

Highlands County Civil Air Patrol Cadets from Avon Park and Sebring met last Friday night at the Cadet Headquarters at the Municipal Pier to begin the official organization of the Patrol. The Cadet Honor Code, Leader Personnel, types of instruction and choice of Air Age subjects were discussed.

It was also decided, beginning with Tuesday September 4, all future meetings would be held Tuesday nights at 7:30 instead of Friday nights, due to the athletic program in the County. No meeting will be held this week. Boys and girls 15 through 17 are cordially invited to attend the CAPC meeting on September 4, and enjoy an interesting evening with the cadets.

DRIVERS' EXAMINATIONS TO BE ON FRIDAYS

Beginning next week, examinations for driver's licenses will be given on Friday afternoons instead of Monday.

Highway Patrolman John E. Hicks will be at the City Hall every Friday afternoon from 2:00 to 4:00, to conduct these examinations.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Norris spent the weekend in Orlando with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Prestly.

Big Crowds Attend Baptist Revival

The First Baptist Church is now in the second and final week of their revival services in the "Big Tent" on South Highlands Avenue. Between 500 and 700 have attended every night. More than 50 have been in the choir each night. Prayer groups are meeting at 7:15. A young people's "Singspiration" is held at 7:00. Congregational singing has been enjoyed as well as special music furnished by the men's quartet, girls' trio, duets and solos under the direction of R. O. Stone, Jr., evangelistic singer.

Bennie Skinner, 19-year-old evangelist, is reported to have moved the congregation every night with powerful Bible messages. Spokesmen for the First Baptist Church feel that no one in Avon Park should miss the opportunity to hear this outstanding evangelist.

Must Have Drivers License By Sept. 30

County Judge Livingston has been supplied with a large number of 1952 Florida driver licenses, an announcement from the Department of Public Safety said today.

The announcement said that motor vehicle operators must obtain a renewal of their permits by September 30 or face arrest. Drivers may start obtaining their licenses on the first of the month.

The Department stated the most important change in license this year is that the expiration date has been moved from October 1 to September 30.

Another change in the driver license law effects military personnel. Men and women in the armed forces have been granted ninety days after their discharge to obtain a renewal of their permits without penalty.

Persons seeking a license for the first time or those whose permits have expired must undergo a driving examination.

Higgins Named As Highlands Comm.

Governor Warren Monday named W. V. Higgins of Sebring to the Highlands County Commission, to fill the unexpired term of John W. Schumacher, removed by the 1951 state senate after suffering a nervous breakdown.

Higgins, a realtor, resigned from the Highlands school board, to which he was appointed last year by Warren, to accept the commission post. Henry G. Bailey, Sebring insurance agent, was appointed to replace him on the school board.

Mrs. Demos Mandis is at home again after visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Caraberis, and family, in Trumbull, Conn.

ClearGround For Library Building

The site of the new library is being cleared and building is expected to begin next week. The fund on hand will start the work, but is not enough to complete it. Your help is asked.

Everyone would probably agree that a progressive community should have a good public library, with a large range of reference books and non-fiction, as well as fiction. For several years, our library has been huddled into the Woman's Club building, which is wholly inadequate, too small to house the number of books we should have.

Therefore, when one of the women listed below calls on you sometime during the month of September, please be ready to receive her with as generous a contribution to this library building fund as you possibly can. What helps the town, helps you individually, and we believe this library project will have far reaching benefits to the community for years to come.

Those calling on homes, beginning next week and continuing through September, are: Mrs. Samuel Norris, Mrs. Earl Hartt, Mrs. W. D. Dorminey, Mrs. W. W. Wingfield, Mrs. S. F. Longbottom, Mrs. R. H. Lawhon, Mrs. W. J. Head, Mrs O. C. Wilkes, Mrs. I. H. Ford, Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mrs. C. R. Ginn, Mrs. J .C. DeShong, Mrs. M. Kirkland, Mrs. R. J. Barben, Mrs. Cecil Skipper, Mrs. Floyd Wells, Mrs. C. O. Locke, III, Mrs. J. W. Fisher, Mrs. Herbert R. Todd, Mrs. H. E. Keller, Mrs. F. A. Truan, Mrs. Alice Sherman, Mrs. R. H. Jordan, Mrs. A. C. Wester, Sr., Mrs. Walter S. Betts, and Mrs. E. G. Todd.

Let's all get behind the library committee and its helpers and put this money-raising campaign over in a big way.

Local Adventist Church To Be Represented

James McCarthy, of the maintenance department at Walker Memorial Hospital, has been chosen to represent the Walker-Memorial Seventh-day Adventist church at the North American Laymen's Congress at Grand Ledge, Michigan, August 29, to September 2.

More than 10,000 people are expected to attend week-end meetings of this first national laymen's meeting ever held by the church. They will include 2,400 official delegates chosen from among the most active Adventist laymen.

Practical instruction in house-to-house visiting, welfare work, holding Bible classes and cottage meetings, distributing literature, and other lay activities, will be featured in daily workshops.

Plans are being made for 5,000 visitors at the congress to visit every home in nearby Lansing in an effort to encourage greater study of the Bible.

Guest speakers at the congress will include Senator John W. Bricker of Ohio; Michigan's Governor G. M. Williams; the Adventists' world president, Elder William H. Branson of Washington, D.C.; and other church leaders from this country and overseas.

BIGGS ATTENDS INSURANCE SCHOOL

Hubbard K. Biggs, Avon Park, has just completed a week-long short course in property and liability insurance on the campus of the University of Florida, held August 20 to 24.

Biggs was awarded credit by the National Association of Insurance Agents for having successfully completed the work.

The course was conducted by the General Extension Division of Florida and the Florida Association of Insurance Agents. Classes of introductory, standard, and advanced insurance education were offered.

SOCIAL SECURITY

A representative from the Social Security office in Lakeland will be at the City Hall here on Tuesday, September 4 and 18, from 9:30 to 12:00 noon, for the purpose of assisting residents on Social Security matters.

An Open Letter to the Mayor

Editor's Note — The following letter was received by the Avon Park Sun with a request to publish same. It is our opinion the letter should be published, and we will be glad to give the Mayor space in the Sun to answer same. The Sun is not taking sides in the local political campaign, but we feel it is our duty to open the columns of the paper to our subscribers who wish to express themselves on the political questions of the day. All such communications must be signed, although your name will not be published if requested not to.

August 29, 1951

Editor of the Sun,
Avon Park

It will be appreciated by the writer and the taxpayers of Avon Park if you will give the following letter space in your valued paper. Thank you.

Hon. Wiley Sauls, Jr.
Mayor

Why should your Police Department cost $6,586.80 to March 31, 1951?

When you only spent for:

Fire Department	$ 3,679.54
Park Department	2,062.57
Sanitary Department	5,191.42
Street Department	7,426.65
Total	18,360.18

Your Honor, why not publish your City Audit of March 31, 1951?

Your Honor, the Charter requires the above and the public would appreciate a look at their City Affairs.

Thanks for your answer next week in the Avon Park Paper.

A Tax Payer of
Avon Park

17 For Council Three For Mayor

W. T. Connell and Hubbard K. Biggs have thrown their hats in the ring and qualified as candidates for election to the City Council. The total number of candidates, with the deadline for filing only a few hours away, is 17.

There have been no further qualifications of candidates for Mayor beyond the original three.

Florida Power Issues Hurricane Advice

Don't take chances with electricity during hurricanes, George F. Woodham, manager for Florida Power Corporation here, warned today, pointing out that the greatest trouble lies in fallen wires.

"We build our lines and equipment strong enough to withstand driving winds and rains of great force, but in spite of all we can do, trees fall, lightning strikes, lines are knocked to the ground, and services go out during hurricanes," Woodham said.

"We will do everything possible to get your service back on as soon as it is safe to do so.

Woodham urged that the following rules be observed during hurricanes:

If your power should go off, notify the local Florida Power office immediately, (telephone 117), but call only one time or you will tie up the telephones with needless calls.

Beware of lines that have fallen to the ground. Notify Florida Power immediately. stay away from lines, instruct children to keep away, and don't try to move lines with sticks or brooms, and don't go near metal fences on which lines may have fallen.

If you have a home freezer and the electricity should go off, don't open the doors or the frozen food will thaw quickly. The freezer will protect the food for 36 to 54 hours if the doors are kept closed . . . and up to 72 hours if the freezer is full.

If your lights grow dim but continue to burn, notify the local office immediately, and open the main switch into the house to cut off the electricity as the low voltage might cause refrigerator or freezer motors to burn out.

T. H. Maxwell and Thomas Maxwell have returned from a two-weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Maxwell at White Plains, Georgia.

Avon Park Schools Will Open Tuesday, Sept. 4th

Regional Conference State Sponsoring Committee On Juvenile Court Act

The last of five regional meetings with reference to the new Juvenile Court Law, enacted by the 1951 legislature, will be held at the Court House in Sebring on Saturday, September 8, commencing at 10:00 o'clock.

Everyone interested is invited to attend. Those who plan to attend are asked to notify Judge Livingston at Sebring, in order for the committee to have a rough idea as to how many to prepare luncheon for.

This meeting is designed primarily to acquaint those who will be involved in the operation of the Juvenile Court Act with the practical application thereof.

Therefore, please remember that your questions are urgently solicited. If there is any phase of the new law or its contemplated operation that you desire explained, ask your questions and someone will endeavor to give you an answer.

PROGRAM

9:30 A.M.—Registration at Courtroom at Court House — South Commerce Street

10:00 A.M.—Call to Order — Judge Howard Livingston, Regional Chairman
Invocation — Rev. O. K. Cull, Pastor Christain Church
Exposition and Analysis of Juvenile Court Act—Hon. Roger J. Waybright

10:30 A.M.—Opinions and Interpretations Relative to the Law—Hon. Richard W. Erwin, Attorney General, State of Florida, (or an Assistant from his office)

10:45 A.M.—Private Agencies and Institutions—Sarah Kirby

11:00 A.M.—The Practical Operation of the Law — W. Ira Hazlett, Probation Officer, Juvenile Court, Dade County

11:30 A.M.—Questions and Opinion Forum. (Please be prepared with your questions and present same at this time)

12:15 P.M.—Adjournment

12:30 P.M.—Luncheon at the Sebring Hotel, South Ridgewood Drive
The Growth and Development of the Juvenile Court in United States and in Florida — Hon. Bowden Hunt, Juvenile Judge, Polk County

1:30 P.M.—What the Department of Public Welfare can do — Sherwood H. Smith, State Director

2:00 P.M.—General Discussion and Summing Up — Hon. W .S. Criswell, General Chairman

2:30 P.M.—Adjournment

USDA Agencies Meet at Sebring

The Highlands County Agricultural Mobilization Committee has been charged with the responsibility of presenting to the people of Highlands County an outline of the program of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. This committee is made up of representatives of all the USDA Agencies that serve the farmers of Highlands County. Friday August 31, at 7:30 P.M., a county-wide meeting of all farmers and others interested in the agriculture of the county will be held in the courthouse.

This get-together will be in Sebring at which time the programs of the different agencies of the USDA will be described. The purpose of this meeting will be to obtain from the farmers and others interested in agriculture, a critical analysis of each agency of the USDA, to determine the ways in which they can provide more effective and efficient service to the family farm during this period of mobilization emergency as well as in peacetime.

The U.S. Soil Conservation Service, which is an agency of the USDA, cooperating with the Highlands Soil Conservation District, works with farm families. At this county-wide meeting the Soil Conservation Service, along with the other agencies will discuss the USDA as it relates to the family farm and we urge all farmers and people interested in better agriculture to attend.

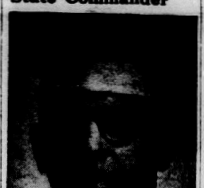
NOTED VARSITY FOOTBALL PLAYER IS GUEST HERE

O. W. Moseley and son, Doug Moseley, of Luverne, Ala., Mr. and Mrs. Lobel Wise of Birmingham, Ala., Mrs. Agness Driver and small daughter of Montgomery, Ala., all visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Moseley several days this past week. Mrs. Driver and Mrs. Wise are Mr. O. W. Moseley's daughters.

Doug Moseley is captain of Kentucky's football team for this coming season. This is Doug's third season of varsity competition and he has been honored by several pre-season selections for All-American offensive center for the 1951 season.

During his visit, Captain Moseley worked out a couple of hours each afternoon at the local baseball park in order to be in the best of condition.

State Commander



Frank J. Falsone of Tampa will be inducted as State Commander of the American Legion, Department of Florida, at ceremonies in Winter Haven Sept. 1. Mr. Falsone, business and civic leader, is a public accountant, a director of the Columbia Bank, Past Commander of the Marcelo-Gonzalez Post of Tampa, a director of the American Legion Crippled Children's Home of St. Petersburg and a member of the Florida Council of Continuing Education. As State Legion Commander this year he will be host Commander to the National Convention which is scheduled to be held in Miami, Oct 15, 16, 17, 18.

KYNES, MONTSDEOCA ARE NAMED FLORIDA GRID ASSISTANTS

Addition of Jimmy Kynes and Fred Montsdeoca to the University staff as student assistants was announced by Head Coach Bob Woodruff.

Kynes, who lives at Marianna was captain of the Gators in 1949 and won his varsity letter three seasons. Montsdeoca, from Avon Park, was a punting specialist and letterman with the Gators the past three years.

Montsdeoca graduated this year and will take graduate work in physical education, while Kynes, a 1950 graduate, will pursue further study in law.

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Missionary From Cape Verde Islands

The Nazarene Church of Avon Park announces a very special service on Sunday night, Sept. 2, 1951, at 7:45 p.m. The service will highlight a recently returned missionary from the Cape Verde Islands, who will relate many interesting stories, including stories about the natives and their customs and behaviour, and his own fifty-mile trip on muleback the day after a very narrow escape from a raging storm at sea.

The missionary is making a tour to bring to us a closer picture of our neighbors, how they need and must have the gospel. All are welcome to attend this service of special interest. The pastor says, "Tell a friend and come."

Boy Staters Address Rotary Meeting

Wednesday, Jack Ward and Bruce Spencer, delegates to Boys' State at Tallahassee, and sponsored by the American Legion and Avon Park Rotary Club told the members of the Club of their experience at Tallahassee.

The boys really took great interest in their work at Boys' State and their report proved of great interest to the Club.

A. E. Engleman appeared before the Club and made a plea for support on the question of placing the Avon Park Fire Department under civil service. Mr. Engleman brought out in a forceful way why the department should be placed under civil service.

Colon DeShong was installed as a new member in the Avon Park Rotary Club.

Visiting Rotarians: J. B. McClendon and Bob Russell of Frostproof; Louis Alsneyer and Ray Kelly, Sebring. Visitors besides Mr. Engleman were Ralph Hill and Bert Marshall.

Weather Report

Following is a report of the weather for the week

	H.	L.	R.
August 23	94	75	
August 24	94	70	0.90
August 25	92	75	
August 26	89	75	
August 27	94	74	
August 28	94	75	
August 29	96	75	

Last Day To Register---Your Duty To Vote

Today, Friday, August 31st at the City Hall - Every Voter in Avon Park Should Vote

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"TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY"

By Russell Kay

Recently the University of Miami conducted a survey in the Greater Miami area to determine what induced folks to come to Florida. Were they influenced by newspaper advertising, radio, television, publicity or what?

While all of these avenues of contact brought a goodly number, the thing that influenced people the most was the recommendation of relatives or personal friends who had been there and returned with glowing reports of their trip.

The visitors who are with us today are the super-salesmen who will advertise Florida far and wide and cause millions to follow in their footsteps. Florida possesses an abundance of natural charm and beauty, lakes and rivers, ocean and gulf, sunshine and sea breezes, palm trees and bathing beauties, but her greatest asset is her people.

Every visitor must contact people everywhere, hotel clerks, bellboys, waitresses, taxi drivers, sales girls, clerks, policemen. The over-all picture and opinion our tourists form of Florida is based primarily on their reaction to our people.

They won't like Florida if they don't like our people. All of our sunshine, palm trees, beaches and other attractions lose their glamour and appeal unless they are backed up by the friendliness and courtesy of Floridians as individuals.

Realizing this, the Florida Power and Light Company inaugurated a campaign a few months ago to sell the idea that "Courtesy Pays." By the use of car and telephone stickers, placards, posters and advertising, they broadcast the slogan "Courtesy Wins Friends For Florida, For Your Company and For You."

Company employees were the first to react. Everywhere they turned they found reminders that "Courtesy Pays". Meeting customers with a smile became a habit. Girls on the switchboards, clerks behind the counter, truck drivers, service men, everyone began to get courtesy-conscious.

So successful was the campaign that others were impressed. Walter Headley Chief of Police, set out to win friends for Miami, the Department and his Force. Decals on every motorcycle and patrol car urged courtesy and reminded every officer that "Courtesy Wins Friends, For Miami, the Department and You." Stickers appeared on desks, telephones, washroom mirrors, everywhere. Everywhere a member of the Miami Police Department turned he encountered such a reminder. Pedestrians and motorists alike noted a marked change. The old familiar, "Hey, You, pull over to the curb," gave way to a more courteous approach. Smiles replaced scowls. Officers were firm but courteous and the results were amazing.

So impressed was a California visitor that he wrote, "The sunshine of your courtesy is even more penetrating and impressive than the sunshine of Mother Nature herself."

In October, Miami will play host to the American Legion National Convention and thousands of Legionnaires from every state in the Union will be her guests. Many of these folks will be visiting Florida for the first time and the Magic City is anxious to make as favorable an impression on them as possible.

Noting the success of the Power Company and Police Department courtesy campaign, Joe H. Adams, of El Comodoro Hotel, General Convention Chairman, is adopting the courtesy theme and slogan for the convention.

Thousands of stickers, posters and other forms of reminders will be displayed throughout the greater Miami area in hotels, restaurants, on cabs, car and buses, in Legion Posts and at convention headquarters carrying the slogan, "Courtesy Wins Friends For Miami, The Legion and You."

It is bound to pay off in a big way for there is nothing that means as much to a visitor or stranger as friendliness and courtesy. The language of courtesy is understood and appreciated by almost everyone. Little words like "Please," "Thank You," or "I'm Sorry," generate a feeling of warmth and kindliness. Irate customers can be completely disarmed by them. It is natural to respond in kind and when you smile and are courteous, the other fellow usually meets you half way; if he doesn't, you have the satisfaction that attends being courteous, for you have retained the sunshine in your heart and that makes personal happiness.

Other communities, organizations and companies would find it tremendously profitable to follow Miami's lead and inauguarate a "Courtesy Campaign." Not for a day, or week or month, but always.

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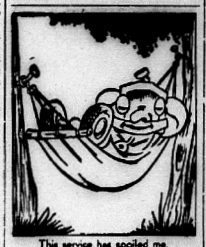

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AVON PARK SERMONETTE

COMMON AND RARE DISEASES

J. D. Benson
Church of the Nazarene

It has been quite alarming in the past few years to enumerate the vast number of new but rare diseases. Many of them seem to appear suddenly in certain areas of the universe while others come on gradually and become worse as time goes on. Many of the more common diseases have been equally as much of a problem to control or cure as have the new ones and even today we realize that many of the most common diseases are becoming serious in that medical science cannot control them.

I speak of one of these common and probably a most common malady for which the medical science has no cure nor ever will have. This disease has been known since the time of the beginning and is very prominent today. It is called by many names and is commonly known the world over. It is known as "morbus Sabbaticus", or Sunday sickness, and is a disease peculiar to church members. The symptoms vary but never seem to interfere with the appetite. It never lasts more than 24 hours. No physician is ever called It always proves fatal in the end —to the soul!

It is becoming fearfully prevalent, and is destroying thousands every year. The attack comes on suddenly every Sunday. No symptoms are felt on Saturday night; the patient sleeps well and wakes feeling well, he eats a hearty breakfast; but about church time the attack comes on and continues until services are over for the morning. Then the patient feels easy and eats a hearty dinner. In the afternoon he feels much better, and is able to take a walk and read the Sunday papers; he eats a hearty supper, but about church time he has another attack and stays at home. He wakes up Monday morning refreshed and able to go to work, and does not have any symptoms of the disease until the following Sunday.

The remedy — "Be not deceived; God is not mocked". (Gal.6:7)

If you are bothered with this disease and wish a permanent cure, then get upon your knees and call the master physician of the soul and when he hears, confess your sins and he will forgive them for you. Don't wait too long for this is a deadly disease to the soul.

Turtle Mound, near New Smyrna Beach was donated to the state in July, 1951.

IN MEMORIAL

In loving memory of my dear husband, C. G. Drawdy, who passed away August 20, 1951:

Memories are treasures no one can steal; death leaves heartbreak no one can heal. Treasured thought of one so dear often brings a silent tear. Friends may think the wound is healed, but they little know the sorrow lying with my heart concealed. Thoughts return to things now past; time goes on but memories last.

It was bitter grief to part with one I loved with all my heart, the blow was hard, the shock severe. But Jesus heard and answered prayer. I never dreamed his death so near, but Jesus' arms carried him through, and only those who've lost can tell the pain of parting without farewell.

And while he rests in peaceful sleep his loving memory I shall keep.

A heart-broken wife
Mattie Drawdy

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere gratitude to our many friends for their kind expressions of sympathy, and beautiful floral offerings during our recent bereavement in the passing of our loved one C. G. Drawdy.

Mrs. Mattie Drawdy
and Family

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RED BLISS
Potatoes 5 lbs. 34c

RAJAH
Salad Dressing Quart 45c

A&P SMALL SIZE 303 Can
Early June Peas 25c

FLA. or GA. SHIPPED Lb.
FRYERS 54c

Sunnyland, Tender Smoked
HAMS
HALF or WHOLE
10 - 14 Lb. Avg. lb. 57c

SONGSTRESS
FROZEN
Peas - Fordhook Limas
Baby Limas - Spinach
19c

ALLGOOD SUGAR CURED
Breakfast Bacon LB. 49c

GOLDEN SHORE 8 oz. Pkg.
Breaded Shrimp 49c

RUSSO FROZEN 12 oz. Pkg.
Strawberries 29c

IONA STANDARD
Tomatoes No. 2 Can 15c

ANN PAGE
Strawberry Preserves 29c

FAB, large pkg.	30c
AJAX, 2 cans	26c
SUPER SUDS, 2 lge. pkgs.,	60c
GERBER'S Strained Babyfood	10c
DIAL SOAP, large bar	17c
PLANTERS PEANUTS	36c
SPRY Shortening, 1-lb. can	99c
Hi-C Orange Ade, 46 oz. can	26c
LUX SOAP FLAKES	30c
BAB-O CLEANSER	13c
RINSO, large pkg.	30c
LIFEBUOY Soap, reg. bar	8c
CUT-RITE, waxed paper	27c

Get Your Safety Edge 13 ounce
Cut Glass TUMBLER
Packed With
20 Our Own TEA BAGS
For Only 25c

A&P FOOD STORES
AVON PARK, FLORIDA

VOTE FOR
OL'N (CHERRY)
HARRIS
Candidate for CITY COUNCIL

If elected I will support:
1. No New Taxes.
2. Work within City Budget.
3. Publish City Audit Reports.
4. Repeal Present Garbage Tax.
5. Work for the Betterment of Avon Park.

YOUR SUPPORT WILL BE APPRECIATED

Paid Political Advertisement

"Movie Time In Florida"

Theatre managers and officials representing the 446 theatres now operating in Florida will gather in Jacksonville this week to lay plans for this state's participation in a nationwide celebration of the 50th anniversary of the movie industry in America.

For many years our theatres have been rendering public service in the promotion of bond drives, cancer campaigns, Red Cross Roll Calls and the like and their efforts have resulted in bringing millions of dollars to these worthwhile causes.

Now they propose to do a job for themselves in a nationwide campaign to be known as "Movie Time, U.S.A." Each state will adopt the national theme but include the local state name, so here it will be "Movie Time in Florida, U.S.A."

Everyone in the far-flung movie industry will participate in this effort — Hollywood producers, distributors, movie stars and exhibitors. It promises to be a birthday party that the public will thoroughly enjoy and long remember.

Florida State Service administers 24 state parks and 17 historic memorials.

Save Money - Read The Ads

Hurry . . . phone for an appointment to drive the 1951 Kaiser

1951 Kaiser International Beauty Award Winner of the Grand Prix d'Honneur Cannes, France

Equipment, accessories, specifications and models are subject to change without notice.

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125 North Ridgewood Drive
PHONE 2371 SEBRING

Veterans Information

By Melvin T. Dixon
State Service Officer

Certainly we have county courts and district courts in the State of Florida, but what relief would such courts afford the average litigant or defendant were it not for the services of lawyers who are skilled in the art of presenting evidence to the courts so that impartial decisions might be rendered? Certified personnel of the Florida Department of Veterans' Affairs, The American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars and other leading veterans' organizations present the veteran's side of his claim before the Veterans Administration. It can truthfully be stated that the Veterans Administration has the same deferential regard for service organizations as have the civil courts for attorneys. It can likewise be said that veterans organizations have the same esteem for the VA officials. It isn't a matter of "fighting and throw-beating" on the part of either. It is a situation where both sides meet in mutual desire to accomplish the results intended by our numerous laws pertaining to veterans benefits.

Great emphasis can be placed on the manner in which claims are now handled by local service officers, as compared with procedures in handling claims for World War I veterans. Veterans Service Officers have been schooled to forward claims through the State Service Office of the Florida Department of Veterans Affairs. This schooling has been a difficult undertaking in some instances. Service Officers of the old school have now learned that much confusion can be avoided by channeling veterans claims through the State Service Office where experienced service officers can sift out evidence derogatory to the interests of the veteran, and at the same time outline to them the type of evidence which will enhance the claim.

Veterans and their dependents are today receiving service on a local level and state level, which is unprecedented. Five years after World War I, a Veterans Administration was undreamed of, and service to veterans by representation was practically nil. One year after World War II chaos ruled supreme within the VA. The VA had been caught flat footed, without sufficient personnel and funds. And while the VA is today operating more efficiently, much credit must be given to local veterans service officers for the efficient manner in which claims are handled.

Most claims for veterans benefits are now adjudicated in only a few weeks, and not to exceed a very few months. Much pain, anguish, suffering and unnecessary waiting would have been avoided in World War II cases had there been a Florida Department of Veterans' Affairs functioning prior to World War II.

The Crusade for Freedom offers every American an opportunity to play a part in a "great campaign of truth" to win the war of ideas.

Avon Park in 1915

I came to Avon Park in October, 1915, a village of about 500 population, with two stores carrying general merchandise. One was owned and operated by B. F. West and Son. Edited the other by G. F. Sanders and Sons (Fred and Vade).

The Avon Park Bank was the only financial institution in town. It was owned by Mr. Hoyt, and was located in the building occupied by the Peoples Bank. He started events by saying "Let's have a meeting." Those present were Mr. Hoyt, Mr. Sanders, Mr. Lambert, Mr. Hall, Mr. Hill, Mr. Landis, Mr. Hoyt

This Week In Tallahassee

By J. Kenneth Ballinger
Florida Press Association

Workers in most of Florida counties now have a cost of living pay raise, ranging from $90 to $300. There is no indication that a special session of the legislature will be called to try to add to these sums. Florida Education Association says that 36 out of the 67 counties have not adjusted pay boosts out of local funds. 17 counties gave no raises. Others haven't reported. The Florida dollar value for school pay this year will be $3,080 per teacher, an average increase of $200. This is slightly above the national average, according to the state department of public instruction, but the cost of living didn't come close to matching the increase in costs of living, as well.

Lawyer's Title Guaranty Fund dropped forward this week and voluntarily deposited $100,000 with State Treasurer Ed Larson as further guarantee that it can pay off on the real estate titles it insures. This organization, unique in Florida, was formed by lawyers to insure titles. It now has about 800 members and by the middle of this summer it had issued title guarantees on $50,000,000 worth of Florida real estate. Although it is exempt by special law from making the deposits required of other commercial insurors, its directors decided to comply voluntarily.

The state railroad assessment board valued railroad and telegraph property in Florida at $117,814,443 for tax purposes this year. Bruce Davis, secretary for the board, said this is slightly more than for last year — increases being mostly for larger rail lines. The railroads cut out seven and a fraction miles of main line but increased side tracks. The valuations go to the counties which assess ad valorem taxes against them.

Flame-proofing the mattresses and other fabrics in frame rooming houses and tourists courts has been ordered by the State Hotel and Restaurant Commission, comprising members of the state cabinet. This commission since the 1951 legislature, has taken over the duties of the old state hotel commission. The new rule will affect places which are non-fireproof.

The man who makes up the license tags for your car — Arch Livingston of Tallahassee has decided they'll have orange letters on a blue background for 1952. This changes from the present green and yellow. Tests in Miami showed said Livingston that orange and blue are two of the four colors best meeting the sun test. The slogan will change from "Keep Florida Green" to "Sunshine State" as result of 1951 legislation. They'll go on sale January 5 this next year. Livingston has ordered 1,267,000 tags from the factory operated by state convicts at Raiford.

There'll be a conference soon between spokesmen for the state executive branch, the heads of the legislature and the leader of the capital press corps to work out plans for dividing up space now being air conditioned and renovated at a cost of $150,000. The work, in the old senate and house chambers, and on the present house chamber is moving ahead, the cabinet learns, and soon they'll be in the final blue print stage. Before that time comes, the conference will be called, for there isn't room enough to go around, and it becomes a question of how much less each department can do with.

Chairman Raymond E. Barnes of the Florida Industrial Commission reported this week that he hopes for an end to bitter fighting between Florida and Alabama, over cotton pickers, now in short supply. He has returned from a meeting with the Alabama department of labor relations director, in which they discussed the practice of hiring labor back and forth across the state line. Crews to work Florida farms on a rotation basis, and similar crews in Alabama, are expected to harvest all crops and put an end to labor-pirating.

MARINE RECRUITER HERE ON MONDAYS

Staff Sgt. Charles Lucas, Lakeland Marine Recruiter, announced that a Marine recruiting sergeant will be in the Avon Park Post Office each Monday morning during September, except Labor Day, for the purpose of answering queries concerning the opportunities offered by an enlistment in the Marine Corps. Avon Park residents, both male and female, are invited to visit the sergeant between the hours of 10 A.M. and 1:30 P.M.

Sergeant Lucas also announced that for the first time since World War II, young ladies who join the Women Marines will have an opportunity to be stationed in Hawaii for duty.

First Reward For Forest Fire Arrest Made By Bankers

Orlando — Payment of its first $100 reward for information leading to a conviction for a Florida forest fire law violation was announced today by the Florida Bankers Association.

J. E. Bryan, President of the Association and President Union Trust Company, St. Petersburg, said that a Nassau county law enforcement officer has been given the award. The Forestry Committee of the Florida Bankers Association has a standing offer of the $100 rewards to persons who provide information leading to the conviction of anyone who willfully sets a forest fire in violation of the state law. X. L. Pellicer, Vice President St. Augustine National Bank, St. Augustine, is Chairman of the Florida Bankers Association Forestry Committee.

The receiver of the award gave a Florida Forest Service investigator information which led to the identification and confession of a Hilliard man. He subsequently was convicted in Nassau County Circuit Court and placed on full probation for two years.

Weekly Business Review

Tourists and travelers in Florida spent an estimated $554,400,000 in retail stores in the State last year, the Florida State Chamber of Commerce stated yesterday.

This tourist-expenditure-total includes amounts spent only in retail stores of all types, eating places, filling stations, etc. Expenditures by tourists for rents, hotel rooms, utilities and amusements are not included in this total.

This week's business review of the State Chamber's research and industrial division places total retail sales in Florida last year at $2,800,000,000 which would appear to be $1,000 per Florida resident.

This, however, is not the case as the tourist expenditure figure of more than half a billion is included in total retail sales.

The average American spent $928 in retail stores in 1950 and the average resident of the Southeastern States, $672. The Florida resident per capita retail store expenditure lies somewhere between these two figures; an average would place it at $800. On this basis, $2,245,600,000 was spent in the State's retail stores by Floridians. The balance, or $554,400,000 remains as the total spent in these stores by tourists.

WRIGHT'S PACKAGE STORE
Choice Liquors
Free Delivery
Phone 363

ELECT
Stan Taft
CITY COUNCIL

Running Independent for the Betterment of Avon Park. Your vote and support will be appreciated.

Political Advertisement

Vote For
Omer K. McClure
Independent Candidate for MAYOR

MY QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE OFFICE OF MAYOR OF OUR CITY

Am a successful business man, retiring on my own resources after 21 years of selling life insurance. Can give full time to the office. I am not disabled in any way. Don't draw any army or other pensions. Was raised by Christian parents in a Christian home. Am a member of the First Baptist Church, and a God-fearing man.

If elected will serve our City to the best of my ability with the help of Almighty God.

Your support will be appreciated.

I Am In Favor of:

Operating within our budget and means. Beautifying the Mall. Installing street drinking fountains. Installing Public Rest Rooms. Better lighting for our City. An efficient Police Force. Assisting all our Civic Organizations. Having clean sports and recreation for our children and teen-agers. Only hiring home town people for all kinds of work. Securing factories to employ our home people. Make Avon Park a better and bigger city.

I Am Against:

The garbage tax. Any rooming house tax or unnecessary burden upon our people. City property being sold to anyone other than by public auction. Any political group or faction not trying to help the working man.

Political Advertisement

WAYNE W. ALBRIGHT
For Councilman
Ex-Marine

Justice To All:
To work for the benefit of all citizens.

Protest Any New Taxes:
Utility or Realty
Operate within our budget

Encourage City Expansion:
Business, Factories, and Residential

Municipal Beach:
I am in favor of beautifying our City and City Beach all can enjoy

Repeal Garbage Tax:
To prevent unsanitary conditions in our City.
In favor of Mosquito Control

If Elected No Favoritism:

A Vote For Progress

Paid Political Advertisement.

Where To Find It In Avon Park

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

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

PARENT-TEACHER ASSO.
Third Thursday, 3:15 P.M.
High School Auditorium

ALL PURPOSE ALL STEEL "Quonsets" durable buildings for farm and industry

JOE B. HEVIA
c/o Avon Auto Supply, Inc.
Phone 285 Avon Park, Fla.

Touchton Drug Co., Inc.
3 W. Main St.
Phone 22

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

GARDEN CLUB
Founders Circle—2nd Thursday
Members Home

BUSINESS WOMAN'S CLUB
Third Monday, Customer's Room

REDDICK'S Firestone Store
Children's Toys
Bicycles—Tricycles
Firestone Tires
PHONE 323

L. Estelle McGinnis, Insurance
Jacaranda Building
Phone 151

BERT TURNER
EXPERT
Watch Repairing
30 N. Butler Ave.
Just Behind Weekley Furniture

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

GARDEN CLUB
Hibiscus Circle—Second Thursday
Member's Home

POINCIANA LODGE, NO. 227
F. & A.M.
First & Third Mondays, 8 P.M.

AVON PARK MOTOR CO.
Ford
N. Verona Ave.
Phone 33

Wells Motor Co.
DODGE — PLYMOUTH
"Dodge Job-Rated Trucks"
PHONE 63 W. MAIN ST.

The City Council
INVITES YOU TO
MAKE YOUR HOME IN
Avon Park

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

EXCHANGE CLUB
Each Thursday, 12:15 Noon
Methodist Church Annex

JR. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
Florida Power Corp. Lounge
Thursday—8:00 P.M.

BONDED
House Mover
24-Hour Wrecker Service
PHONE 17—DAY OR NIGHT
Murphy's Garage

FURNITURE for less!
WEEKLEY'S
Cut Price Furniture Co.
W. Main Street

Ridge Flooring Company
Fine Materials and Skilled Workmanship
Plastic Wall Tile
Asphalt Tile
Linoleum
Floor Finishing
22 W. Main Street Phone 253

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
First and Third Thursdays
8:00 P.M., Chamber of Commerce

ROTARY CLUB
Each Wednesday—12:15
Brickell Building

ALPHA OMICRA CHAPTER
of Beta Sigma Phi
2nd and 4th Mondays, 8 P.M.

Jacaranda Service Station
AAA
(Across From Theatre)
Standard Oil Products
PHONE 279 — NIGHTS 240-J

DAVIS 5-10-25c
Opposite The Jacaranda
Established 1924
Dry Goods and Variety Merchandise
SIMPLICITY PATTERNS

Katherine's Beauty Shoppe
108 E. Main
Phone 212

Eleanor Seaverns
REBEKAH LODGE NO. 65
First and Third Mondays
Brickell Building

KNIGHT TEMPLARS
Holyrood Commandery, No. 27
Fourth Monday—8:00 P.M.
Masonic Temple

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

MEADOWS Model Cleaners
Tom and Marion
QUALITY CLEANING
Prompt Service
PHONE 355-J

Avon Upholstery Auto-Furniture
VENETIAN BLINDS
County Distributors for
CHRIS-CRAFT MOTORS
Main Street Phone 379

JORDON & SON Jewelers
"The Bride's Store"
AVON PARK
Watch and Jewelry Repairing

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

ROYAL ARCH MASONS
Highlands Chapter No. 42
Second Tuesday 8:00 P.M.

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

AVON GARDENS Florist
16 E. Main St.
Phone 350
ALL HOURS

Avon Park Cafe
"A GOOD PLACE TO EAT"
AVON PARK, FLORIDA

Gough Machine & Welding Shop
Massey-Harris Sales and Service
Tractors—Combines
Farm Implements
TELEPHONE 240-W

AVON PARK FIREMEN
Meets Second & Fourth Thursday
Fire Station

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

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

DUTTON'S Appliance Store
"We Service Everything We Sell"
Electric and Gas Appliances
G. E. and Philco Radios
Main St. Phone 304

Ridge Fuel Co.
ROOM 15
Jacaranda Arcade
Distributors
GREEN'S FUEL GAS

Smith Hardware Company
Under Same Management for 36 Years
7 East Main Phone 74

TRIPLE LINK CLUB
2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 8 p.m.
Brickell Bldg.

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

LIBRARY HOURS
Monday & Friday—2:30-5:30 p.m.
Saturday—8:00-12:00 p.m.

The Barnett Bank of Avon Park
Your deposits NOW Insured up to $10,000.00
Member Fed. Dep. Ins. Corp

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PRESCRIPTIONS
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CHEVROLET-OLDSMOBILE
Wheel-Balancing—Steam Cleaning—Undercoating
GOOD YEAR TIRES
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