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Avon Legion Juniors Win First Two Games Of Season

By JOHN GARBER
The Avon Park Junior American Legion baseball team, composed of talent from both Avon Park and Sebring, won their first two games of the season this past week. They are coached by Coach Joe Fontana.
Last Monday, June 18th, the Avon Legion juniors walked away from Sebring with a 3-0 victory in the first game. The Sebring Legion juniors completely convinced that they had taken a beating. The score, Avon 12, Bradenton 3.
In Herb Hart's Sebring led the hitting and scoring for the Avon juniors with 2 hits and 3 runs. Sam Elder, Jim Kelley, Gene Reynolds, and Morris Harper each drove out a hit. Jenkins, Elder and Kelley were close second to Herb Hart's 3 runs by scoring 2 runs each. Reynolds, Whitcomb and Meeks scored the remaining 3 runs.

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The Arcadia juniors were host to the Avon juniors last Wednesday at their home in Arcadia. The Avon juniors were in a mood to take pity—they left their host trailing by a score of 29-0.
Batteries:
Avon Park—Harper, Hart, and Spencer.
Bradenton—Games, Whidden, Normon, and W.

The next junior Legion game will be held at Head Field, Friday, June 22, bringing the Naples juniors as their guests.

Ted Ward Graduated With High Honor

Ted W. Ward was graduated June 11 from Wheaton College, Wheaton, Ill., receiving a Bachelor of Music in Education degree with high honor. Ted has consistently been on the honor roll at Wheaton in spite of concluding a full four year career in only three school years.
He is a member of the Scholastic Society and Chi Sigma Theta honor society in education. For two years, Ted was student director of the band, orchestra and chapel choir, and during his second year was the band's drum major. During the past year, as a practice teaching project, he has organized and directed the Wheaton College Academy Band and has accepted a position on the faculty there for the coming year. This summer he will be on the staff of the University of Miami summer band camp.

Ted is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Ward. He was graduated from Avon Park High School as valedictorian in 1948.

FLYERS WIN TWO MORE GAMES

The American Industrial Sales Corporation Flyers achieved victories numbers 35 and 36 on Saturday night at Eagle Lake when they defeated the strong Gulf Lumber Company team of St. Petersburg.

The Flyers won the first game 2-0 behind the no-hit pitching strategy of their newly acquired pitching sensation, Roy Hampton. He struck out 11 men, and allowed no hits this game. The second game was won 9-5 behind the pitching of Ray Hobbs. Mack Flythe led the Flyers back, with a triple, two doubles, and a single. Dick Dennis and Bud Garrett also hit tremendous triples for the Flyers.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. McCough of Baltimore, Md., are visiting Mrs. McCough's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Cannon.

Lake Denton Baptist Assembly

Construction is under way on four additional cabins at the Lake Denton Baptist Assembly. Last year 84 boys and girls attended the two weeks of camp which were held. With the additional facilities it is anticipated that many more will attend the four weeks of camp which will be held this year from July 15 through August 11.

AVON PARK, FLORIDA, JUNE 22, 1951

What Is A Litter Bug?

The numerous and messy bits of paper, cardboard cartons, empty bottles and other trash strewn over parkways and the margins of our sidewalks, making the streets of Avon Park look as shiftless as an unmade bed at high noon, indicate that we have litter bugs in our midst. In order to combat this creature, we must learn something about him.

This bug cannot be recognized from his appearance, but only by the trail of litter he leaves behind him, for he is a fine example of protective coloration: he looks precisely like an average human being.
He is divided into two species: the juveniles, which seem to live on paper-wrapped candy and chewing gum, and cokes, often slipped from paper cups, and the grandiosa horribilis, which deposits in quite conspicuous places, two-cans and bottles not used for soft drinks.

Yet the litter bug should not be exterminated. He is usually a worthy member of the community if captured and taught good housekeeping habits. Quite often, a little friendly instruction in civic pride and showing him the proper places to throw trash will reform him.

However, in order to prove your point, you may have to spend a full wastebasket in the middle of his own home.

David Bean Farnell, 69, was stricken with a heart attack Saturday morning, June 16, while at work on a building job. He was rushed to Walker Memorial Hospital, where he was pronounced dead at 11:30 a.m.

David Farnell Died Saturday, June 16

A native of England, Mr. Farnell, who was known to his many friends as "Uncle Dave," had been a resident of Avon Park for 32 years, and was a contractor and builder. He came here in May, 1919, to build the Mutual Crute Co. building, Lake Byrd Lodge, the north wing of the old Hotel Avon, and many Avon Park homes were also the result of his labor and supervision.

In his business life, he was known to be a man of honor and efficiency. His friends also valued the dry humor of his speech, which still held the flavor of his birthplace.

Mr. Farnell was born March 17, 1882, in West Heslerton, England. He came to the United States shortly after his marriage, settling first in the middlewest, then moving to Florida.
He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Clara Farnell of Avon Park; a son, Ivor M. Farnell; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Farnell; and grandsons, Ronald Farnell, all of Tampa; two brothers and one sister in England.

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning, at 10:30, June 19, at the Congregational Church, with the Rev. Herbert C. Gray officiating. Burial was in Bougainvillea Cemetery, with Stephenson Funeral Home in charge.

Active pallbearers were: Ed Touchton, Harmon Atkins, Millford Dilley, W. M. Cribbs, Jack Delaney, and Henry Sellers.
Honorary pallbearers were: E. F. Armstrong, W. T. Connell, Theodore Weisberger, Martin Huebner, W. J. Harrison, and Metcalfe Howard Maddox, H. C. Byrge, Harold Guerdin, Lester Armstrong, and J. J. Cribbs.

Wearing Apparel Under Price Control

Manufacturers of practically all types of men's, women's, children's, and infants' apparel are brought under price control by Ceiling Price Regulation No. 45, issued June 14 by the Office of Price Stabilization, the South Florida district office announced.
Purpose of the new regulation, which manufacturers must comply with by August 15, is to roll back any cost margins that may have been widened since pre-Korean days, to restore normal cost price relationships and to grant makers any needed relief from the general freeze order.

In addition to most kinds of garments and underwear, the regulation controls prices on bathing suits, handbags, neckwear, scarves, earmuffs, garter supporters, hat bodies, and other accessories important in the family budget. The apparel manufacturers Ceiling Price Regulation 45 is a further step in the planned program of providing "tailored" or special OPS regulations to cover the needs of each industry and to further hold the value of the buying power of our dollar, the OPS district office said.

ENLISTMENT BARS DOWN

Men who have received notice or pre-induction mental and physical examinations may voluntarily enlist in the U.S. Army or U.S. Air Force from today to July 15, Sgt. James W. Hay, recruiting sergeant in charge of this area announced today.

Women Of Moose Install Officers

An installation ceremony for newly elected and appointed officers of the Avon Park Moose Chapter 1137, at Moose Hall.
Elected officers are: Mary Alice Elder, junior graduate regent; Bernice Mintz, senior regent; Chloe Lookhoff, junior regent; Kathleen Currie, chaplain; Estelle McGinnis, recorder, and Gladys Page, treasurer.
Those appointed are: Ruth Hines, guide; Mary M. King, assistant guide; Myrtle Wilson, secretary; and Leon Collins, arborist.

Governor Pat Lookhoff of Moose Lodge 1333 of A-on Park served as installing officer. Members of the Lake Wales chapter of Women of the Moose, through invitation by Mrs. Mintz, senior regent of the Avon Park chapter, were in charge of conducting the ceremony, with their senior regent, Frances Remer, serving as installing chairman.

The ceremony was beautiful and impressive, with the officers being led through an arch of flowers, and a basket of flowers placed at each officer's station. All the women present wore white formal dresses.
Mrs. Mintz, on behalf of the installing officers, presented a gift to the governor and to each of the installing officers from Lake Wales. Mrs. Mintz also received a gift from the chapter, this being presented by Estelle McGinnis.

The Sebring chapter was also represented at this ceremony. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

Professional And Practical Nurses Must Be Licensed

With the signing of the Nurse Practice Bill by Governor Warren who termed it a "worthy bill," the Florida State Nurses Association has begun to close their fight in the 1951 legislative session for a better law regulating the practice of professional and practical nursing.
Under the present law, the law requires all professional and practical nurses in this state to be licensed. Practical nurses have until July 1, 1952 to qualify for licensure without examination, but should apply immediately.

C. of C. Protests Seining Proposal

On June 15, the Avon Park Chamber of Commerce, through its president, Herbert R. Todd, sent a letter and resolution to Ben McLaughlin, director of the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, protesting a proposal to be considered at the commission's meeting in Deland on Monday night, June 18.

The proposal was to allow commercial seining and the sale of fresh water scaled fish, with fishermen being required to pay two cents per pound to the state commission.
The meeting, which was to be a mass meeting of sportsmen with members of the commission, was announced in the Tampa Morning Tribune on June 13.

The letter stated: "Any change in the laws which will permit commercial seining of fresh water lakes is strongly opposed by this organization. It is felt that it would be humanly impossible to individually supervise commercial seining as game wardens now have a difficult time under the present rules. Further, it would lower the recreational facilities for residents and visitors. It must be noted that tourists contribute a large portion of the economic stability of the State of Florida."

The substance of the resolution was the same.
Mr. McLaughlin replied that while any seining is allowed it will be necessary for the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission to hold several meetings, at which time we will arrive at a decision guided by what the citizens of the state wish.

Weather Report

Following is a report of the weather for the week:
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Summer Recreation Program Starts Monday At 8 A. M.

Sebring Man Killed As Car Overtakes

Highlands County's 10th annual vehicle fatality this year, a recent high in the county's 35-year history, occurred Saturday night, June 16, when Thomas Watson Loftin, 33, died instantly of a heart attack received when his car overtook on a roadway at former Hendricks Field near Sebring.

Loftin was pinned between the wreckage. His companion, 19-year-old Edward O'Berry, escaped with a bruised shoulder.
The accident, which occurred about 11:15 o'clock, was investigated by Sheriff Broward Coker and Florida Highway Patrolman John E. Hicks.
Loftin, a World War II Army veteran, served in the Pacific theater. He was a member of the first department at Sebring's municipal airport at the former 17 school.

He was a nephew of Roland Drott, County Registrar of voters.
He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Ethel R. Loftin; two sons, Thomas W. Loftin and Roland W. Loftin; his mother, Mrs. Thomas W. Loftin, Jacksonville; and two sisters, Mrs. James Anderson and Mrs. E. Emerick, also of Jacksonville.

St. Paul's Conversion To Be Shown In Film

"The Conversion of Saul" will be the second in a series of films on the life of St. Paul to be shown at the First Baptist Church. It is scheduled to be shown on Wednesday, June 27 at 7:45 p.m. An account of the persecution of the early Christians by Saul of Tarsus in his determination to stamp out the Christian movement is depicted in his conversion and blindness and ends with the restoration of his sight by Ananias.

The first of this series of films, "Stephen, First Christian Martyr," was shown one month ago and was very well received by the large crowd which attended at that time. An even larger attendance is anticipated for the showing of "The Conversion of Saul." The public is invited and there is no admission charge and no offerings will be taken.

Five more films in this series will be shown at one month intervals on dates to be announced. These are very fine Bible teaching and inspirational films and will be enjoyed by those of all ages.

SOFT BALL MEETING

The soft ball league will hold a meeting next Tuesday night, at 8 o'clock, in the Florida Power lounge room.

This meeting should be attended by any and every person interested in organizing a soft ball league here this summer.
5:00-11:30, American Legion baseball game, with Wauchula (there).
7:30-10:30, Youth Center—Junior High.
Saturday, June 30
7:30-11:00, Youth Center—Senior High.
Note: Special attention is called to the Youth Center hours. The center will be open on Fridays for the junior high group; on Saturdays for the senior high group.

Congregational Youth Camps

Above is a lakefront view of Lake Byrd Lodge, conference center for the Congregational Christian Churches of Florida, where camps for the young people of these churches is now being held. The senior high camp began June 18, and will continue through June 26. Junior high camp will begin June 27, running to July 3.

For further information and application blank for licensing, write to Mrs. Delcie C. Ingles, 230 West Forsyth street, Jacksonville.

Rotary Meeting

Charles Laying, of Orlando, a former intelligence officer in War II was the speaker at Rotary Wednesday. Mr. Laying gave a very interesting talk on Korea. Visiting Rotarians and guests were: M. E. Applegreen, Avon Park; H. R. Hoyt, Sebring; Elck Fleckenstein, Lake Wales; Allen Intz, Sebring; Louis Schultz, Winter Park; Dick Riker, Frostburg; and Tom Flaherty, Avon Park.

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'TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY'

By Russell Kay

Both the general public and the racing interests should look with genuine approval on the new State Racing Commission appointed by Governor Fuller Warren last week. The men named are well known and respected, and, by this action, the governor has taken a long step toward restoring confidence.

The severe criticism of the old commission and its questionable operations by the Haley committee, which followed the prior findings of the Kefauver committee had placed racing in a shaky position. One legislator went so far as to attempt to wipe it out entirely.

On the new commission are two members of the legislature who resigned to take the appointment — State Senator G. Warren Sanchez and State Representative D. C. Jones of Naples. Both are able and respected men who can be depended upon to serve well in conducting the affairs of the agency.

Equally capable are the other members of the commission: Carl Hanton of Ft. Myers, Lawrence Rogers of Kissimmee, and Charles S. Isler of Panama City. As publisher of the Ft. Myers News-Press and a former president of the Florida Press Association, Carl Hanton is well and favorably known throughout the state. During the time he was actively editing the paper he was the most quoted editorial writer in Florida and his writings were packed with sound reasoning and couched in language that was forceful and impressive. He is thoroughly familiar with the mental functions and is not the kind of a man who will permit the wool to be pulled over his eyes or who will hesitate to speak up when the occasion demands.

Lawrence Rogers of Kissimmee, attorney and former publisher of the Kissimmee Gazette, has a long background of public service to the state and the state. He has served as city judge and mayor, and in order to accept the Racing Commission post resigned as vice chairman of the Central and South Florida Flood Control District.

Charles S. Isler of Panama City has practiced law for 13 years and at the time of his appointment served as city attorney. A graduate of the University of Miami, he is also a Navy war veteran, and was a member of the ethics and general committee of the Florida Bar Association.

D. C. Jones of Naples (Collier County) was representative in the 1951 House where he served with distinction and credit. He is former member of the Florida Game and Fish Water Fish Commission.

Senator G. Warren Sanchez of Live Oak has a clear and brilliant record as a legislator, having served in both the House and Senate. He should serve with equal credit on the Racing Commission.

The new commissioners replace the five commissioners whom the State Senate refused to confirm following the Haley committee investigation and report which had nothing but harsh words for the old commission appointed in 1949.

Members of the old commission were Leo Edwards (Miami), Roy Patton, Crescent City; B. P. Beville, Gainesville; Ralph L. Crum, Lakeland; and Percy O. Corbin, Blountstown.

The Haley committee found that the commission's affairs were conducted in "an atmosphere of jealousy, distrust, and displayed a total lack of unity."

The committee also charged that the old commission reinstated several known bookmakers, apparently without any justification to Florida tracks. It further found that expense accounts "were irregular and appeared to amount to unlawful expenditure of state funds for the private benefit and pleasure of one of the commissioners."

It is significant that no member of the newly appointed commission comes from an area where racing is established and operating. Areas where the majority of dog and horse race tracks are located are not represented on the commission.

Over one-third of the area of the United States is covered by forest land.

AVON PARK SERMONETTE

By E. D. PENTON.

Pastor, Assembly of God Church, Luke 25: 28. And they drew nigh unto the village, whither they went, and he remained though He would have gone farther. But they constrained him saying, "Abide with us, for the day is far spent."

The cry of the world today is for security. Everybody is searching for it, and yet no one seems to feel that they have it. We are made to realize more and more the need for it, but only a few of the teeming millions of today seem to know where the only security that is worth while can be found.

In this portion of scripture, we find two men going down a very despondent road of life. As far as they knew, they had just lost the only thing in life that was worth while. It was only after they came into their home, and had fellowship with Him, that they were brought to realize that everything was all right.

Does your way seem obscure? Have you lost a grip on the security that you have longed for? Then let me ask you today, have you extended an invitation to Christ to come in and abide with you? There is not a time in your life or mine that we do not need to invite Him into the activities of our life. Whether we are young, middle aged, or whether we have reached into the later years of life, we still need the help and guidance of Christ.

Our youthful years are thoughtless years; we cannot see danger in anything, and especially it is hard to see the need of inviting Christ into a life that seems so promising for the future. Paul, the great apostle, tells us to flee youthful lusts. In the early days of our life, we should be willing to say, "Let me abide with me, lest I lose my way."

The middle of our life is taken up in fulfilling ambitions, and getting ahead in this life. It is a time of the greatest desire for indulgence in pleasure and sin. The influence of this is that we are too busy to invite Christ into this time of our life. But regardless of all this, He still stands at the door of your heart, and says, "I would like to come in if you would offer me an invitation." You need Him now, so why not throw the door of your heart open, and let Him come in here and let Him take care of the road facing loss and destruction.

Abide with us, for it is evening. There are more people who need Him, and less people that find Him, in this phase of life than in any other. The evening of life is a time of looking back upon our accomplishments, and also our mistakes. The latter are usually more prominent. It is the time of warning of sickness, and the jail of infirmity. If ever you need Him, you need Him when the sun is sinking. Let us prepare for that day, by saying to Him now, "Abide with me, for the day is far spent." Remember, friend, He will not come in until you invite Him in, so it is up to you to do something about your security for the future. In Christ is the only real security to be found.

Churches of Christ, Scientist

That God's infinite power must ever be recognized as absolutely supreme will be the theme of the services in all Christian Science churches next Sunday, when the subject of the Lesson-Scripture will be "Is the Universe, including Man, evolved by Atomic Force?"

A verse from Revelation supplies the Golden Text: "We give thee thanks, O Lord God Almighty, which art, and wast, and art to come, because thou hast taken to thee thy great power, and hast reigned" (11: 17).

Selections from the Bible include the following verse from Joshua (3: 17): "And the priests that bare the ark of the covenant of the Lord stood firm on dry ground in the midst of Jordan, and all the Israelites passed over the dry ground."

Correlative passages from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy include: "From beginning to end, the Scriptures are the full accounts of the triumph of Spirit. Mind, over matter . . . The Christian era was ushered in with signs and wonders" (p. 139).

— See you IN CHURCH Sunday —

This Week In Tallahassee

By J. Kenneth Bullinger

Tallahassee—Although clamor for a special session of the legislature continued to increase in school circles, the prospects for such a session for the single purpose of providing state funds for a \$300 cost-of-living increase for school teachers remains uncertain. Leading educators will meet with Governor Warren here on June 27 to discuss such a session. Legislative opinion remained divided on the subject. Many favor putting it up to local school boards and local taxpayers to provide the increase. Others point to the fact that a special legislative session, even though called for that one subject, can waive the rule by a two-thirds vote and consider anything. Further, those members who cannot afford to remain in Tallahassee at their expense for 30 days might demand pay, and others would fall in line. Some two-thirds of the members have indicated they will serve without pay, but there is no sign of weakening in the issue which split the session at the time whether to take the required \$12,000,000 for the pay raise out of a broadened sales tax on small consumers, or from higher taxes on big machinery and equipment purchases.

The Florida Park Service has started to open two public recreation areas blessed with funds by the legislature. Killbuck Gardens near here, and Manatee Springs State Park in Levy county. Killbuck Gardens is a part of the estate of Mr. Alfred B. MacKay, and contains one of the most beautiful gardens in the country. It was offered as a gift to the state in memory of the late Alfred B. MacKay and was accepted by the park board after the legislature approved maintenance of \$20,000 a year. Manatee Springs is one of the undeveloped state properties along with the fabulous Sunnee River, and will become a recreation area for the people of four surrounding counties. The park service also is making plans for extending work on Highlands Hammock State Park near Sebring, which was allotted a special fund of \$65,000 for the two-year period.

Twelve changes in the Florida constitution were voted by the voters in November, 1952, for adoption or rejection. If adopted, these changes would earmark a part of the state auto tag money for the next 30 years to build school houses, add three justices to the 7-member state supreme court, give home rule to counties through uniform charter laws, establish two new senatorial districts, one in Monroe county and the other in Bay and Washington counties, and make minor changes in several counties.

The only new tax passed by the 1951 legislature was vetoed by Governor Warren. It would have levied on the gross intrastate revenue of bus and truck lines, railroads, telephone and telegraph companies and private utility companies for the new regulation of the utilities. Governor Warren's veto message said it was manifestly unfair to tax one group for the added expense of regulating another, when the first group already is paying for its own regulation. His veto also called attention to the impossibility of separating transportation income between interstate and intrastate traffic.

A new state racing commission will take over this week from a five-man board severely criticized by the Haley committee of the recent legislature. Following refusal of the state senate to confirm the five members, Governor Warren scrapped the old board and named a new one which promises to meet senate approval. They are Carl Hanton, Fort Myers publisher; State Senator G. Warren Sanchez of Live Oak; State Representative D. C. Jones, Naples; Charles S. Isler, Panama City; and Lawrence Rogers, Kissimmee, attorney. The old board came under fire for its lenient policy toward bookmakers and the conduct of its affairs.

Hotels and tourist courts and houses must hereafter tell how much lodgings will cost and how many units are available at all prices. This is one of the new laws which became official this week.

Raise Confederate pensions \$300,000 yearly from \$60 to \$90 per month.

Increase maximum workmen's compensation from \$28 to \$35 per week.

Liberalize Sunday blue laws, to allow most businesses to operate legally.

Provide mandatory jail sentences for bookmakers.

Prohibit children firing BB guns or rifles unattended.

Increase board of control (universities) from 5 to 7 members. Establish juvenile courts throughout the state where desired.

Open racing commission records to state and county officials.

News Of Our Service Men

Cpl. John W. Dawson, Jr., 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Dawson, former Avon Park resident now living in Miami, has been awarded the Silver Star medal, third highest American military decoration, for "courageous protection of comrades and fearless leadership against an attacking Chinese force" while on active duty in Korea. He is the grandson of Mrs. Della Lassiter and the nephew of Mrs. Julia Hunt, both of Avon Park.

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WALKER MEMORIAL IMPROVING GROUNDS

Work is going forward in making the grounds about the hospital more attractive. H. H. Evans, an experienced landscape artist, is directing this project. The east bank of Lake Lillian in front of the main building will be beautified with palms and shrubs.

The chief consumer of forest products is the lumber industry in Florida.

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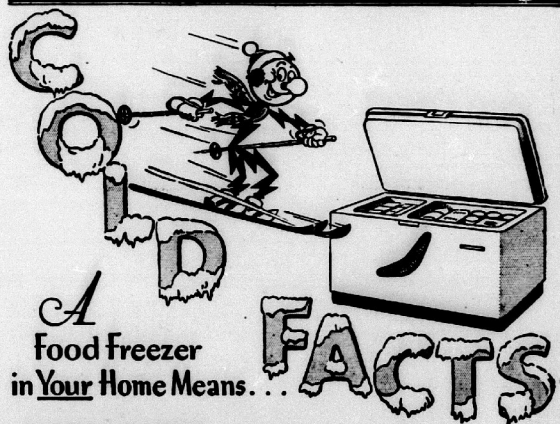
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Construction In Florida On Increase

The sum of \$283,100,000 was spent last year for new homes, hotels, business and industrial establishments, highways and all other construction in Florida, the Florida State Chamber of Commerce stated yesterday.

This total was up 18 per cent from 1949 expenditures for all construction in the State. Furthermore, the 1950 total was only 4 per cent under the total for 1948, the highest year on record.

Private funds furnished \$563,000,000 of money spent for construction in Florida last year with residential building accounting for 77 per cent of the private fund total. This week's business review of the State

Chamber's research and industrial division gives other principal categories as: \$70,200,000 for industrial and business construction; \$35,200,000 for privately owned utility plants; \$48,200,000 for highways; \$50,700,000 for public buildings and \$16,100,000 for water system and plants.

Construction contracts let since January 1, 1951 have been greater in value than in 1950. Significantly, this year's construction is made up, so far, of approximately two-thirds government building, contrasting highly with last year when private building accounted for 82 per cent of total expenditures.

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The three-day showing of "Passage West" at the Hilans is a dedication to its star, Arleen Whelan, who in private life is Mrs. Hugh Owens of Jacksonville, Fla. Miss Whelan is co-starred with John Payne and Dennis O'Keefe.

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UNDERSTORM SEASON HERE— EXPERT TELLS SAFETY MEANS

Gainesville, June 18—There'll be a lot of lightning before the understorm season is over but there are a number of things you can do to protect yourself from it.

The thunderstorm season, says Professor Francis Rogers, agricultural engineer in the University of Florida college of agriculture, begins usually in late April and lasts through July.

"If our weather is normal," he said, "we may expect an increasing number of such storms this season advance."

The Gulf Coast area from just south of Tampa up to Cedar Key has more thunderstorms than any other part of the state and Florida has more than any other state, said Rogers.

"A well grounded house or other building with closed windows is the safest place during thunderstorm," Rogers said. He closed windows exclude all currents on which charges may travel and the "grounds" conduct charges into the soil.

Farmers and others who work the open country should seek shelter as soon as a storm begins, said Rogers. He warned specifically not to stand under lone trees, in open fields or near fence poles or sign boards.

Such objects are prime targets for lightning, explained the agricultural engineers and you can't get to a house, take shelter in heavy woods, but not under a tree and in the open.

Some other data on electrical storms:

Automobiles and other passenger motor vehicles are safe and sound, so they are fairly safe for ages.

Properly grounded lightning rods are effective against lightning bolts and other lightning strikes on the farm but it is better to have all electrical metal connected to the rod system.

Lightning rods are usually attached at the point of entry to all power lines and wire where these change lines to el along them into the house.

Lightning rods are not good.

A special point the farmers were made by Rogers, The theory.

If you're out in a small boat fishing when a thunderstorm develops, forget about the fish and get yourself to land as quickly as you can. A small boat on the water is a near perfect target for lightning.



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Veterans Information And Service

By Melvin T. Dixon
State Service Officer

Veterans with military service dating from June 27, 1950 were put on a par with World War II veterans with respect to certain benefits by the quick passage through both houses of Congress of Public Law 24, 82nd Congress, and signed by the President on May 11, 1951. This speedy action resulted from recent newspaper publicity regarding a Korean veteran who was denied admission to a VA Hospital.

Under Public Law 28, persons who served on or before June 27, 1950 now may receive medical, hospital and domiciliary care and burial benefits on the same basis as veterans of World War II. Also, such persons and their dependents now may be eligible for compensation and pension under the same conditions as those who served in World War II.

In presenting the resolution for consideration on May 10, 1951, the Committee on Veterans' Affairs amended the proposal to include burial benefits and language to make certain that dependents of veterans were also covered by the proposal.

The law provides:
First: Hospital care and domiciliary care for non-service-connected disabilities in the same manner as now provided for World War II veterans. This means that a veteran can be admitted to a Veterans Administration Hospital for an injury not received or connected with the service of a statement is signed that he is unable to pay for the hospitalization and medical care and if a bed is available.
Second: Burial benefits of \$150 and an American flag.

Third: One-year presumptive period of service connection for chronic and tropical diseases. Active pulmonary tuberculosis has a 3-year presumptive period.

Fourth: Public Law 28 is restricted to laws and veterans' regulations administered by the Veterans Administration and thus does not involve retirement rights which some former members of the Armed Forces enjoy. Neither does it provide for preference in obtaining Federal employment on a parity with WW

FHA Loans Still Available In County

The Farmers Home Administration has an extremely flexible program for establishing and maintaining family type farms, according to Wilson H. Harrison, County Supervisor in Wauchula. The FHA operates in the three most important fields of agricultural credit. It makes loans to help farmers become owners of efficient family-type farms, for essential capital goods and operating expenses, and for the construction and repair of farm buildings. This type of credit helps farm families operate most efficiently and healthfully.

The FHA in Wauchula, or its predecessor agency, has assisted more than eight hundred families in Hardee, Highlands and DeSoto counties, according to Mr. Harrison. The sum of all loans exceeds two million dollars. The history of the FHA reveals that small farmers can be made into successful operators who become a contributing part of their community instead of a drain on community resources. But, this requires adequate credit and advice in sound farm management methods applicable to the family's labor, land and money. The FHA personnel are trained to give families guidance in their farm and home operation.

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43 Persons Per 1,000 On Public Payroll

A total of 118,446 persons held positions under federal, state or local governments in Florida at the end of last year, the Florida State Chamber of Commerce reported yesterday.

Stated another way, this means that 43 persons out of every thousand in Florida held public positions. The national average was 42 persons per thousand. Total salaries of these public employees and, in addition, the salaries of members of the armed services stationed in Florida, approximated \$360 million last year. This government payroll has been for a number of years the second largest payroll in the state. Only the service establishments' business exceed government as an employer.

In addition to persons employed directly by governmental units in Florida, an undetermined number of persons are actually employed by government indirectly. For example, those persons employed last year in the expenditure of \$119,000,000 in all types of public construction and buildings are, in effect, public

employees during contractual periods but are not included in the 118,446 total public employees.

This week's business review of the State Chamber's research and industrial division breaks down the 1950 public employee total into 31,850 federal civilian employees, 24,754 state employees and 61,842 county, city and district employees. Among the state and local employees last year were 34,060 part and full time employees in the school systems of the state.

Florida leads the nation in total production of watermelons. Texas is second and Georgia third, according to the Florida Farm Bureau.

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Rebekah Lodge Regular Meeting
The Eleanor Seewers
of the Rebekah Lodge
meeting Monday night
close of the meeting
were served.
Park Cafe.

There was one visitor
Barnes of Pullman
Michigan. She
regularly during the
but will soon be leaving
the summer in the
lodge members have
joyed having her visit
hope she will have
summer and that she
next fall.

Members present
specially: Lena Rott
Dick, Bella Roser
Reed, Esther L. Jones
Ed, Gladys Hagan,
Elizabeth Mizell,
Vogt, and Mary Fie.

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Bertha Smith Circle Meet
The Bertha Smith
U. First Baptist
Monday night, July
house of Mrs. Cal
with Mrs. Velora
hostess. The program
presented by members.
Refreshments
whipped cream, and
Cokes were served.
W.M.U. was a guest.
Those present
Mrs. E. J. Smith,
Mrs. S. S. Francis Adams,
Ophelia Rhinehart,
and Mrs. Kelly M.

Mr. and Mrs. Attend Wedding
Mr. and Mrs. son Jack have
Whitson, III, of
graduation from
June 11. The
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They also visited
relatives in the
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Meeting Of Founders Circle

Mrs. G. F. Ward was hostess to the Founders Circle of the Founders Club on Thursday afternoon, June 14, at the home of Mrs. John H. Hood, co-hostess.

Because of the hot weather, the refreshments were long, cool drinks and snacks served as the members arrived.

Mrs. Paul Rump was in charge of the program, which was an interesting round-table discussion of hysteroicall, the culture of which will be the club's horticultural project for the year.

The club decided that the annual plant exchange day would be July 10.

Numbers were drawn for plants donated by members. Those winning were Mrs. Parke Anderson, Mrs. E. G. Touchton, and Mrs. W. F. Ward.

Mrs. D. M. Ellis, who was in charge of plants, was in Donaldson Park near the lake, wishes to thank the members of the City Council and Wilbur Giddens, fire chief, for making the bed, furnishing fertilizer, and watering the plants every day. She also thanks Mrs. E. F. Armstrong and Mrs. John Nubel for donating the verbenas, and J. L. Deleagal for donating petunias placed in the bed.

She thanks the members of Founders and Hibiscus circles for giving plants and helping with the work of the above projects.

Rebekah Lodge Regular Meeting

The Eleanor Seaverns Rebekah Lodge No. 65 held its regular meeting Monday night. At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served at the Avon Park Cafe.

There was one visitor, Corinne Barnes of Pullman Lodge 415, Pullman, Mich. She has attended regularly during the past months but will soon be leaving to spend the summer in the north. The lodge members have much enjoyed having her with them. They hope she will have a very pleasant summer and that she will return next fall.

Members present were: Mary Suedley, Lena Trobitz, Amelia Dick, Bella Rosenberg, Mary Reed, Esther L. Jones, Belle Martin, Gladys Hagen, Tillie Yuster, Elizabeth Mizelle, Margaretha Vogt, and Mary Fields.

Preparing For Give-Away Day?

Are you getting your plants ready for the plant give-away day?

July 10 is the day. Donaldson Park is the place.

Garden Club women will be there to receive plant donations, and to help you select.

Oh, yes—not only plants, but corns, bulbs, seed, etc., will be very acceptable.

And what about little trees and ornamental shrubs of any kind? Someone may just be your garden for the one that makes your garden so crowded.

If you have something unusual, a tag and the directions for its care will be appreciated.

Tell your neighbors. Nothing for sale, but given free whether you bring plants or not.

Every plant or shrub carefully tended helps to make Avon Park more beautiful.

That is our aim.

Bertha Smith Circle Meeting

The Bertha Smith circle, W. M. U., First Baptist Church met Monday night, June 18, at the home of Mrs. Catherine Mitchell with Mrs. Vela Johnson as co-hostess. The program was presented by members of the circle.

Refreshments of Jello with whipped cream, crackers, mints and Cokes were served.

Mrs. E. A. Martin, president of W.M.U., was a guest at the meeting.

Those present in addition to Mrs. Martin and the hostesses were: Mrs. S. J. Pendleton, Frances Adams, Irene Levereite, Ophelia Rhiner, Garland Kelly, and Mrs. Kelly McClure.

**Mr. and Mrs. Ward
Attend Wedding**

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Ward and son Jack have just returned from Wheaton, Ill., after attending the events in connection with Ted's graduation from Wheaton College on June 11, and his marriage on June 12 to Miss Margaret Hockett of Evanston, Ill. They also visited their parents and relatives in Chicago and Tolono. They were accompanied by Garth Spencer, who with Jack, was in the wedding party. Garth stopped off in Gainesville to attend summer school.

Stop, look and lessen grade crossing accidents, the National Safety Council urges. Heed the warning signs.

News From Walker Memorial

The local Seventh-day Adventist church has provided new pews to adequately care for the needs of the members and visitors. Services are held each Saturday morning. Sabbath school begins at 9:30 and preaching service at 11 o'clock. Visitors are always welcome to these services.

Last week the Sabbath school leaders provided a program with special reference to the proposed medical institution for Asuncion, Paraguay. Miss Malvina Prouse related incidents in her recent trip to South America. Being a nurse, Miss Prouse gave a graphic picture of the needs for medical assistance in the countries she visited. The offering for the day was \$191.00. A portion of this will be used toward building the hospital in Asuncion.

John Patterson and family of Mobile, Ala., have joined the Sanitarium group. Mr. Patterson is the assistant chaplain.

Herman Ray has joined the Sanitarium staff as assistant chaplain and director of public relations. Mr. Ray, a graduate of Southern Missionary College, Collegeville, Tenn., has had many years of experience in connection with Adventist medical institutions.

He is the Florida Sanitarium Nursing School at Orlando.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther May of Asheville, N.C., were recent visitors to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ray.

They are planning to visit to Miami where Mr. May will be manager of another Adventist medical institution, the Hileah Sanitarium and Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Biggs have recently of Pullman Lodge 415, Pullman, Mich. She has attended regularly during the past months but will soon be leaving to spend the summer in the north. The lodge members have much enjoyed having her with them. They hope she will have a very pleasant summer and that she will return next fall.

Members present were: Mary Suedley, Lena Trobitz, Amelia Dick, Bella Rosenberg, Mary Reed, Esther L. Jones, Belle Martin, Gladys Hagen, Tillie Yuster, Elizabeth Mizelle, Margaretha Vogt, and Mary Fields.

Preparing For Give-Away Day?

Are you getting your plants ready for the plant give-away day?

July 10 is the day. Donaldson Park is the place.

Garden Club women will be there to receive plant donations, and to help you select.

Oh, yes—not only plants, but corns, bulbs, seed, etc., will be very acceptable.

And what about little trees and ornamental shrubs of any kind? Someone may just be your garden for the one that makes your garden so crowded.

If you have something unusual, a tag and the directions for its care will be appreciated.

Tell your neighbors. Nothing for sale, but given free whether you bring plants or not.

Every plant or shrub carefully tended helps to make Avon Park more beautiful.

That is our aim.

Bertha Smith Circle Meeting

The Bertha Smith circle, W. M. U., First Baptist Church met Monday night, June 18, at the home of Mrs. Catherine Mitchell with Mrs. Vela Johnson as co-hostess. The program was presented by members of the circle.

Refreshments of Jello with whipped cream, crackers, mints and Cokes were served.

Mrs. E. A. Martin, president of W.M.U., was a guest at the meeting.

Those present in addition to Mrs. Martin and the hostesses were: Mrs. S. J. Pendleton, Frances Adams, Irene Levereite, Ophelia Rhiner, Garland Kelly, and Mrs. Kelly McClure.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Attend Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Ward and son Jack have just returned from Wheaton, Ill., after attending the events in connection with Ted's graduation from Wheaton College on June 11, and his marriage on June 12 to Miss Margaret Hockett of Evanston, Ill. They also visited their parents and relatives in Chicago and Tolono. They were accompanied by Garth Spencer, who with Jack, was in the wedding party. Garth stopped off in Gainesville to attend summer school.

Stop, look and lessen grade crossing accidents, the National Safety Council urges. Heed the warning signs.

H. J. Mumma is ill in Walker Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Dot Edge is visiting friends in Davenport, Iowa.

Mrs. W. B. Irby of Moore Haven spent last weekend visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Harris left Wednesday to spend a two-weeks vacation on the east coast.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Collins have as their guest their daughter, Mrs. B. V. Vraginov of Chicago.

Joyce Gee of Winter Haven is spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. George Gribble.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Armstrong spent from Sunday through Tuesday last week in Tampa and at Clearwater Beach.

Miss Anne Page and Elizabeth Stahlmayer, both of Orlando, are the guests of Mrs. C. H. Shepherd.

Ted W. Ward, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Ward, was graduated from Wheaton college, Wheaton, Ill., on June 11, receiving the degree of Bachelor of Music in education.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon E. Oldham and son Russell, from Shreveport, La., and Miss Dorothy Jones, of Gainesville, are spending the summer with Mrs. Esther Jones.

Scouts Michael Hetherington and Bobby Tomlinson of Troop 156 left Sunday afternoon for Camp Rotary near Auburndale to spend a week. They were driven up by Jim Heim.

Mrs. H. E. Nunnallee and two children from Midland, Texas, are the guests of Mrs. Nunnallee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Betts. They will stay for two months.

The senior high camp for the young people of the Florida Congregational Christian churches began Monday of this week at Lake Byrd Lodge, and will continue through June 25.

Bobby Bolt and Devon Gaster, who left Avon Park last week on a trip west, have reached Kingfisher, Okla., according to a card received from them. The two young men, in a rather elderly coupe, intend to go to the west coast, working as they go. They plan to return home sometime next fall by way of Canada.

The Rev. and Mrs. Danette Gill were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Q. Freer on Thursday last week. Mrs. Gill is the former Charlotte Carr, and was once a resident of Avon Park. She and her husband were on their way to Mr. Gill's new church, located near Fort Myers. While here, they also visited other friends.

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Mrs. R. W. Collins and daughter, Cheryl, recently spent several days with Mrs. Collins' parents, the Ed Goughs.

C. B. Geiger left Monday for Battle Creek, Mich., where he will spend about 10 days with his son, Harland Geiger, and family.

Camp St. Mark for senior boys and girls is being held at Episcopal Camp Wingman, under the direction of Father Seger. It began Monday and will last 10 days.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Moseley and family spent last week in Ridgester, N.C., where Mr. Moseley attended the Sunday school classes at the Baptist Bible school.

The Rev. F. M. Butler went to Orlando Wednesday to attend a meeting of the Diocese of South Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Conger left Tuesday, June 19, for the north. They will be gone about two months and will visit in New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and Massachusetts.

Miss Alma Harrell left the latter part of last week for Quantico, Va., where she will stay for a week before going on to the mountains of North Carolina, where she will spend the summer.

Miss Ann Brodie graduated from the University of Florida on June 11, receiving a Bachelor of Arts degree in education. She has now gone to Yellowstone Park, Wyoming, where she will spend the summer.

Mrs. Sam King and two small children will move to Avon Park about June 25, and will live on Lake Isis. Her husband, Dr. King, will arrive around July 1 from Miami, to enter Dr. H. W. Coleman's offices.

Mrs. F. A. Voorhees is seriously ill in Walker Memorial Hospital. She is reported to have fallen on Tuesday, June 12, fracturing her pelvic bones. Her daughter, Mrs. Robert Tolman of New York City, is here.

Jimmie Cooper left Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Cooper, to enter Orange General Hospital, where he will have an operation on an injured finger. He received the injury playing baseball.

Miss Marjorie Stewart, Miss Anne Brandt, and Harold Stewart, all of Tallahassee, arrived the latter part of last week to spend two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Ben T. Stewart. Marjorie and Harold Stewart are the niece and nephew of Mr. Stewart.

Clarence King, manager of City Market, who was taken in Walker Memorial Hospital on Thursday last week for an emergency appendectomy, is now recuperating at home. He expects to be back at the market next week.

Earl W. Hartt was one of the 25 men installed as the new board of directors for Florida Citrus Mutual at the meeting in Lakeland on June 19.

Byrum Shockley, who underwent an operation at Walker Memorial Hospital early this week, is recovering satisfactorily.

Charles Cannon, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Cannon, has been transferred from Washington, D. C., to Newark, N.J. He is a special agent for the F.B.I.

Mrs. Cora Wray, Helen Mann, Pearl Sprink, and Amelia Dick attended an important meeting of the Sebring Rebekah Lodge No. 28 on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Ivor Farrell of Tampa and son, Ronnie, spent last week here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Chandler.

Mr. Farrell joined them last week.

Anthony Russell Baldwin, graduate of Avon Park High School, has been awarded a Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering by the University of Houston, Texas.

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