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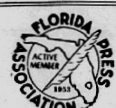
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Plaque Dedicated As Tribute To Charles S. Donaldson

A moving and dignified ceremony Thursday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock dedicated the bronze plaque to the memory of the late Charles S. Donaldson, founder of our Mall. The plaque, gift of the Avon Park Garden Club, has been permanently placed in the Mall near the iron deer, between Lake and Verona avenues.

Mrs. C. S. Donaldson and Dr. and Mrs. John Donaldson were present during the dedication.

The Rev. H. D. Gietz led the act of dedication, with the audience participating, and which closed with the dedication of the memorial, "As a testament of our love for and great indebtedness to Charles S. Donaldson, pioneer citizen, public servant, botanist, horticulturist, founder and developer of the Mall, friend of God and man and every living thing."

In his address, Mr. Gietz paid the following tribute to the founder of the Mall:

"Mr. Charles S. Donaldson, beloved citizen and founder of the Mall, was a man of rare intelligence and ability, a true gentleman in every sense of the word. He was not only a great man, he was a good citizen as well. He did more than simply live in his town; he gave of his means and talents and worked tirelessly for its growth and improvement. The development of the Mall is a testament of that devotion, a living memorial to his love for nature and his desire to make Avon Park a beautiful place in which to live. Of him can be properly said, we are the better because he lived and worked among us. The name of Charles S. Donaldson will be remembered with deep respect and appreciation by all who shall live in our community and by many beyond its borders."

Mr. Gietz complimented the local Garden Club for placing the memorial plaque in the Mall, and noted with appreciation the interest of the town's people in the development of Donaldson Park and care of the Mall.

Mrs. James A. Johnson, representing the Avon Park Federation of Garden Clubs, welcomed Mr. Donaldson's family and the people. She then read a letter from Mrs. Charles S. Donaldson, thanking the Garden Club for its tribute to her husband.

Mayor Wiley S. Jr. delivered the introductory address. L. B. Rush, president of the City of Avon Park, spoke on the Council's plan for future care and development of the Mall and Donaldson Park.

Avon Park To Have Dial Phones Soon

J. L. Deleag, manager of the local office of the Inter-County Telephone and Telegraph Company in a conversation with the editor of the Sun, stated that most of the work has been completed at the local office of converting over to the dial system.

They expect to start laying cable now, and will be completely installed by the end of the year. Mr. Deleag stated that the conversion should be accomplished about July of this year.

A new addition has been added on to the present building giving the company much more needed space, and the entire building brightened up by redecoration.

Mr. Deleag also stated that converting over to the dial system does not mean that the working force will be reduced as they expect to handle much more toll business and are prepared to install more phones.

DR. COLEMAN TO ATTEND FLORIDA MEDICAL ASSN. CONVENTION APRIL 26-29

Dr. Hubert W. Coleman, of Avon Park, will represent the DeSoto-Harke-Highlands-Gladys County Medical Society at the 70th annual convention of the Florida Medical Association, April 26-29, in Hollywood, according to announcement by Dr. Samuel M. Day, secretary of the Association.

Dr. Coleman is a member of the House of Delegates, policy making body of the Association, and officially elected representative of the local society to the state society.

At the close of the meeting, Dr. Coleman will return to his home county to report to the Society. Those doctors whose duties make it impossible for them to attend the meeting may be fully informed on the activities of their state Association.

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COMING EVENT

All who enjoy fishing should save Wednesday afternoon, April 29 for Special Attraction on Lake Verona. Read a complete story in next week's Avon Park Sun.

Regular Meeting Of City Council

The city council met in regular session Monday night with all members present. Several people appeared and discussed delinquent taxes and general business was transacted. Following are a few of the high lights of the meeting:

A group of citizens appeared in regard to paving of turn-ins on West Pleasant Street. They were informed that the paving material had arrived and work would be done as soon as possible. They further requested to be allowed to purchase enough paving material to pave their driveways. They were referred to the Cone Brothers, who have the material.

L. D. McGiboney presented to the Council a drawing showing the plan to close one city street and open two other streets on his property located on the east side of Lake Isle. The Council expressed themselves favorably on the plan but declined to take any official action until a plat is prepared.

M. H. Grice and J. A. Lanerhart of the Lanerhart Construction Co. of Bartow appeared in regard to the local Garden Club for placing the memorial plaque in the Mall, and noted with appreciation the interest of the town's people in the development of Donaldson Park and care of the Mall.

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What Big Eyes You Have, Darling



Susan Frances gazes with wide-eyed wonder at this antic world. She is the daughter of Major and Mrs. Francis H. Skipper of Albuquerque, New Mexico; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Skipper of Avon Park. About nine months old when the picture was made, Susan Frances is now a year old.

The Avon Park Jaycees, in cooperation with the Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, will stage a Fish-A-Thon for kids, ages 4-14 inclusive, at Lake Verona, Saturday, April 25, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.

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Elder Fans 13 Men As APHS Defeats Sebring 8-2

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Local Chaim-Fox Chest X-Ray Survey

The executive board of the Highlands County Tuberculosis and Health Association met for its first quarterly meeting of the new year at Avon Park on Monday.

Extensive plans for the county-wide chest X-ray survey to be held from May 9 through June 6 were made. Mrs. S. O. Norris was selected Avon Park chairman of the survey, with Mrs. Sam A. King as assistant chairman.

Mrs. Alexander Blair of Lake Placid, H. M. Baldwin of Avon Park, and E. A. Houck of Sebring were named to represent the local association at the annual meeting of the Florida TB and Health Association to be held at Jacksonville May 13-15.

Directors Mrs. Sam King of Avon Park and R. Worth Stumaker were elected to the executive board.

The others of the board are H. M. Baldwin, president; Mrs. Alexander Blair, past president and director-at-large; Miss Kathleen Boyle, first vice president; Mrs. E. E. Runkin, second vice president; S. F. Longbottom, treasurer; Mrs. Martha Stofner, secretary; E. A. Houck, executive secretary; and Dr. L. W. Martin, representative director.

Mrs. Sara MacNamara, field consultant of the Florida TB and Health Association, was a guest at the meeting.

Band To Give Concert Sunday

The Avon Park High School Band will present another concert Sunday afternoon at 3:30 in the high school auditorium.

This concert will give the band the opportunity of playing to the local public — and the public the pleasure of hearing it — before the band goes to the State Music Contest at Palm Beach the last of this month.

—See you IN CHURCH Sunday—

Public Dance To Benefit Cancer Crusade

If you have enjoyed teen-age fun at the Youth Center, then go to the Army tonight (Friday), Friday, all Teen Club recreational facilities will be available to the public. The occasion is a dance for the benefit of the Cancer Fund.

The party will be from 8:30 p.m. till —Admission \$1.00, stag or drag.

The dance is positively informal and for all ages. If you do not dance, all Teen Club games are there for you to use. For instance, there's the new Jokari game — anyone who enjoys tennis, ping-pong or handball will like this.

There will be some square dances, with an experienced caller—whistle dances, or whatever variety of dance you call for. Anne and Jack Hutchinson, Youth Center directors, promise they'll help you have a good time, and if you don't know how to dance, they'll show you how by dancing with you.

Mrs. W. H. Warren, local Cancer Crusade chairman, and Mrs. L. M. Lagon, will have charge of soft drinks and hamburgers.

There will be tables in the yard behind the Army if the weather permits.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Rush will be at the door to sell and take.

Mrs. Vernon Lanier has charge of tickets. J. E. Judd is in charge of the entertainment. Mrs. J. P. McGinnis, Moore Lodge, Dr. R. P. Hedrick, Rotary; Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Garden Club; L. B. Rush, Lions Club.

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School Board Reappoints Faculty

Most of the public school teachers throughout the county were reappointed on recommendation of the Douglas High School Board at its meeting in Sebring, Tuesday, April 14.

The following asked that they not be reappointed: Miss Annette Myers, Miss Lynn Banks, Miss Alice Ruth O'Brien, Miss Katherine Hamilton, and Dr. Kenneth C. Walters, Avon Park; Miss Clarence Truelove of Sebring; Principal Harris Neumann and Mrs. Donald Todd, David Pinson and Mrs. Nancy Pinson of Lake Placid.

William Mullen of Sebring is retiring. The contract of Joseph Moore, vocational agriculture teacher at the Douglas High School (Negro), Sebring, will be canceled.

The board also advised Miss Martha Bruns, physical education director, on leave of absence, that her position is open. The leave was granted for her to attend college, but the board learned that she did not enter until the second semester.

All non-instructional personnel also were reappointed, except Mrs. William Kessler, lunchroom manager at DeSoto City, who requested that she not be reappointed.

Miss Vogt Has Sold Insurance Business

Mrs. Margaret Vogt, who has handled fire and accident insurance here for more than 25 years, has sold her agency to Hubbard B. Vogt, who is now in Philadelphia, Pa. She has been a real estate dealer as well as an insurance agent. A few years ago, she moved her office to her home on North Lake Ave.

Mr. Biggs, who is already established as an agent for general insurance, including fire and accident, announces that he will write insurance for the same company as handled by Miss Vogt, in addition to Travelers, Home, and Hanover insurance companies.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Blanford are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. George Spangler of Indianapolis, Ind. Mr. Spangler is an official of the Indianapolis Power and Light Co. and has visited our new plant here, and thinks it is quite different and modern. The Spanglers will be with the Blanford for a two-weeks visit.

Red Devils Circus Repeats Performance By Popular Request



REV. JOHN Q. CRUMBY

Father Crumby To Go To Orlando

The Rev. John Q. Crumby, vicar of the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer and of St. Anne's Church, Wauchula, will leave this parish June 15, to become rector of the Church of St. Michael in Orlando.

Father and Mrs. Crumby came to Avon Park on October 1, 1951, when he assumed vicarship of the local church.

During Father Crumby's stay here, an officer of the Church of the Redeemer stated that Mr. Crumby had completed a new Sunday School building, and increased the number of its communicants by about 100 per cent. The number of the Sunday School 15 per cent.

Father Crumby is a Priest Associate of the Order of the Holy Cross and a member of the American Church Union and other church organizations.

He was ordained priest in the Church of the Holy Communion, Charleston, S.C., on June 1, 1949. He was vicar of St. Alban's Mission, Kingston, S.C., and of St. Stephen's Mission, St. Stephen, S.C., from June 15, 1949, until he came to Avon Park.

Growing Interest In Adult Education

Enrollment in commercial classes in the Adult Education program is now so large that two teachers are required. However, if others are interested in these courses, they may still enroll, particularly in shorthand and bookkeeping classes. The classes meet every Monday night, from 7:30 to 9:30, in the high school commercial room.

The Industrial Arts class, taught by James Paige of the regular faculty, met for the first time on Thursday last, when 12 new students enrolled. The class would like to enroll others. If you are interested in woodworking, crafts, mechanical drawing, etc., it is your opportunity to add to your skills.

In the commercial department, Miss Alice Ruth O'Brien, qualified teacher, is now teaching one typing class each Monday night. Ellis Watson is teaching typing, shorthand, and bookkeeping. Enrollment as of last Monday: shorthand — 20 students; Miss O'Brien's typing class — 25; Watson's typing class — 25; bookkeeping — 18.

Additional classes for the summer will be added to the program when there is sufficient registration. Interest in other subjects will be expressed for example, in arithmetic or working for a high school diploma — but the number wishing such a course has not been large enough to maintain a class.

Latest addition to Florida's gallery of attractions is the Garden of Eden located near Boca Raton on the east coast.

Weather Report

By Charles Horne
Weather Observer

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Hey, Kids
Don't forget the Fish-A-Thon on Lake Verona Saturday, April 25th. Poles, lines and bait will be furnished.

The 1953 Red Devil Circus played to such a large crowd Saturday night—all available standing room being filled—that the performance was repeated Monday night.

The quality of the program, ranging from two tiny girls, Georgianna Franz, 4, and Patsy Martin, 3—on the trapeze to the fine work of high school girls and boys in stunts, acrobatics, spinning ropes, and swinging ladders, indicates that coaches, Miss Lucy Harding and Joe Franz and their young performers, worked long and hard during the past month.

Those kids were really good. As proof of this, the fact that some out-of-town people who stood through the Saturday performance, returned Monday for a second and better viewing.

We wish we could give special mention to all the performers, from the ringmaster, the funny clowns, but we haven't room — there were only 300 of them.

The circus, owned by Mr. Gorman, contributed much to the show through its circus music, traditional drum rolls and other musical effects.

T. J. Ward, in top hat and red coat, was ringmaster.

The circus was opened by the 1953 Circus King and Queen, Day and Cairns and Susan Ware. They and their court were preceded by the circus royalty—Joanne Tootle and Bill Ward.

A parade and midway entertainment, including a performance by the Mildred Murphy and her noted educated horse, Red Fox, preceded the show Saturday. Following the midway parade, the circus moved to the P.T.A.

The P.T.A. is grateful to all who helped in any way to make the circus such a big success. Those in charge say that the circus could not be presented without the help of Avon Park residents.

GEORGE WOODHAM CHOSEN FOR HIGH LODGE OFFICER

At the annual convention of the Woodmen of the World, held recently in Tallahassee, George Woodham of Florida Power Corporation, was elected High Lodge Advisor, second ranking state officer for the lodge. Mr. Woodham had been Head Banker for two years prior to his election to the new office.

Other officers elected at the convention included: Attorney General Richard W. Erwin, National Delegate; H. B. Jackson of Tallahassee, Head of State Council; J. B. Locklin of Chatsahoochee, Head Banker; Ernie Baker of Miami, Secretary.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED

Mrs. W. H. Warren has been appointed Avon Park chairman of the Cancer Crusade, and is making an appeal for volunteers to help put over the drive in this city. Please phone Mrs. Warren at 322.

There has been proclaimed cancer control month by an act of Congress and special proclamation by President Dwight D. Eisenhower. The Florida Governor Dan McNary.

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INWARD STRENGTH

C. H. Bolton, Pastor

First Baptist Church

Psalm 23. "He restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake."

One day Mr. Gaynor, then mayor of New York, befriended a "down-and-out", and a friend criticized him for it saying that the man was no good and did not deserve the help given him. Mr. Gaynor told his friend of a visit of a mother to Napoleon in behalf of her condemned son. Said Napoleon, "Twice he has committed this crime. He deserves to die." Said the mother, "Sir, I do not plead for justice, but for mercy."

"But he doesn't deserve mercy," said Napoleon. She replied, "Oh no, indeed, but it would not be mercy if he deserved it." "Well, then I will have mercy," said Napoleon. Here in this 3rd verse David tells of two more of the many blessings he received from his Shepherd: "He restoreth my soul." He gives me another chance like Napoleon gave the condemned boy. Then He would guide him in "paths of righteousness."

I. The doctrine of another chance.

"He restoreth my soul, my life—me." What causes us to need restoring? Sin; disobeying the Shepherd. To stray is to get hurt. There are two ways He restores us: When we go astray He takes us back and gives us another chance. The Shepherd does that for his sheep; the Father did that for his wayward son; the Lord does it for us. Another way is when we bruise ourselves by our sins He restores us. The shepherd would stand at the entrance to the sheepfold and put oil on any hurt place found on one of his sheep. The Lord does as much for us. He restores us in that way.

II. The direction of our paths.

"He leadeth me . . . paths of righteousness." He leads the way. He does not drive us. He is with us, going on before us. In that way He makes it safe for us.

"Paths of righteousness" simply mean paths that are right. And He would travel no other kind nor lead his sheep in any other. He leads where it is best for us, not necessarily where we want to go. Yet we would do well to remember that to go astray from His leading is to find the road rough coming back. It is best to stay with the Shepherd.

And He leads us afloat "for His name's sake". His name, His reputation, His honor.

EDITOR'S MAIL BAG

Mr. Arthur S. Kinney,
Managing Editor
Avon Park Sun
Avon Park, Fla.
Dear Art:

A great big orchid to you for publicizing the Avon Park Plant employees in last week's Sun.

Page 1 also carried a terrific story and believe me all of us here at Florida Power are most grateful.

Again many thanks from all of us to all of you, I am,
Most sincerely,
Pat
J. K. Flanagan
Director of Adv.-Publicity

Avon Park, Fla.
April 13, 1953

To the Avon Park Sun:

As a long time citizen of Avon Park I should like to express myself with literally hundreds of others. Now that the 30 days of parallel parking are nearly up, I am all the more glad to have the old parking way back again. Now that the Council has had its fun and got everybody mad at them, they say "we all will get adjusted to it." No! Never! But we are thinking there will be some adjustment made when election comes again.

There was never enough parking spaces and now 54 percent of the cars are off the street, so people can run down our streets like mad.

It is perfectly ridiculous and foolish and time the City Council came to their senses.

Sincerely,
An old tax payer

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MRS. ROSALIND P. BLANTON

Mrs. Rosalind Preston Blanton, 85, died in her sleep at her home in Mulberry, Saturday, April 4.

She was the mother of Mrs. Vera Kabin of Avon Park.

Born in Wellborn, Mrs. Blanton lived for many years in Tampa before moving to Mulberry 32 years ago. She was a member of the Mulberry Methodist Church, past matron of the Mulberry Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, and first past chief of Mulberry Temple 31, Pythian Sisters.

Other survivors include two daughters, Mrs. L. L. Sellers of Clearwater and Mrs. F. R. Miller of Mulberry; three sons, L. D. Blanton and S. O. Blanton, of Tampa, and C. H. Blanton, Mulberry; seven grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held in the chapel of the A. M. Seizer Funeral Home Tuesday afternoon, April 7, at 2 o'clock with the Rev. Homer Bain and the Rev. Angus McClelland officiating. Interment was in Woodlawn Cemetery, Tampa, with the Mulberry Church O.E.S. having charge of services at the grave.

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Highlands County Memorial Fish And Game Club

The Highlands County Memorial Fish and Game Club held its April meeting on Thursday, the 9th. Dedication of the new kitchen, and of all the recent improvements by the club at its headquarters field, was conducted by Rev. H. D. Graetz, of Avon Park.

In the dedication the members present, with the Rev. Graetz, dedicated those improvements to the furtherance of good fellowship, friendship, fair sportsmanship, an increased interest in the club's aims for conservation of natural resources, and to the memory of all those who have aided in making the club field a haven for the true sportsman.

A barbecued chicken dinner was served at 6:30 p.m. At the conclusion of the dinner a heavy thunderstorm upset somewhat the plans of the committee, and members hurried away. At the business meeting, President George W. Dickey presiding, the speakers were Edward T. Heinen, of the Florida Game and Fish Water Fish Commission, who gave a talk on the work his commission does toward making healthy conditions for fish life in lakes

and streams; Thomas Bozman, of the Florida Game and Wildlife Dept., who explained the handling of growth in fresh waters and of methods of clearing it, and Jack Grant, editor of the magazine, Florida Wildlife, who spoke on advantages of exchange of ideas among sportflood through the medium of the printed page.

President Dickey appointed a committee, Charles Zeigler, Fred Wild and Mr. Nickerson, to confer with Mr. Bozman and his department on hyacinth conditions. A plan was outlined for a magazine article, with pictures, covering the club house building, lake and stream aspects of Highlands County, with Mr. Bozman and W. H. Reddick to act with Mr. Grant on the project.

The May meeting of the club will include another barbecued chicken dinner.

ANNUAL MEETING OF EPISCOPAL WOMEN

The annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Diocese of South Florida and the Diocesan Convention will be at St. Peter's Church, St. Petersburg, April 21-23.

Mrs. E. G. Touchton will be delegate from St. Margaret's Auxiliary of the Church of the Redeemer, with Mrs. John Q. Crumly alternate.

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Mr. McDonald reported that this dramatic engineering exhibition has been scheduled for Miami April 24 through May 3 at the Dinner Key Auditorium. The show will be open free of charge to the general public.

Educational and informative, the show was conceived to familiarize the American public with the skill and research that goes into the designing of today's cars. It has been seen by more than 9,500,000 persons in 24 cities throughout the United States.

"New Worlds in Engineering" contains more than 100 audience-participation exhibits, in which the spectator can test his driving reactions, see how radioactivity has been put to work in automobile research and discover how the Chrysler Corporation has made vehicles safer, more dependable and more comfortable. A highlight of the show will be a car you can see through. It is a transparent chassis complete in every detail. It has more than 1200 working parts and operates under a spectacular black light.

Three of the newest advances in sports-type "idea cars", the K-310 sports coupe, the C-200 convertible and the Chrysler "Special" will be shown.

Accompanying the three "idea cars" will be Chrysler's latest engineering triumph, the A-333 engine. This experimental, higher compression version of the standard Fire Power V-8 engine, using high-octane gasoline, produces 353 horsepower, nearly double the output of the present production model of this engine.

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White House Ceremony—Last Saturday morning President Eisenhower presented to Senators Holland and Smith the beautiful first prize trophy which was won by the Florida Citrus Commission's float in the inaugural parade last January. The trophy is a gold cup, mounted on a solid walnut base which stands together more than 18 inches high. The inscription on the trophy reads, "Eisenhower-Nixon 1953 Inaugural Parade 1st Prize Float Awarded to Florida Citrus Commission." The delay of 2½ months for the presentation was necessary because of the time required for the engraving and for making the special base. Miss Nevada Jane Langley, "Miss America" of Lakeland, who rode on the float in the parade was unable to be at the presentation ceremony due to a conflicting television appearance in New York.

Two Golfers—There's an old saying around Capitol Hill that you can tell how much work a congressman is doing by his golf score. During last fall's Congressional recess, Senator Smathers played on the Augusta, Ga. course and shot a 74. President Eisenhower heard about it when he was there and was kidding the Senator about his game being too sharp. The other morning when the picture of the trophy presentation was made they compared scores again and agreed that each must be working pretty hard because their games were in the "horrible 90's." Incidentally, the cup presentation was made at 8:30 in the morning so that President Eisenhower and Senator Smathers could get an early start with their golfing at the famous Burning Tree Country Club.

T-V For Tampa?—Even though the T-V hearings were resumed here last week, nobody seems to know any more than they did before about when the tangle will be straightened out and who will be allowed to go into the T-V business in Florida. Here to help press his own case was former Governor Doyle Carlton, spearheading one of the three companies trying to get channel 13 in the Tampa area.

Trust Fund—The Department of Interior has set up a trust fund for the purchase of historical items for the proposed museum at Ft. Caroline, Congressman Bennett's pet project, located on the south bank of the St. Johns river. The fund is still small but is expected to grow from time to time. Being purchased at present are 15th century items covering the colonial period in Florida. Plans for the construction of the museum have lain dormant due to the national emergency, but the Department of Interior plans to purchase items from the trust fund and store them until the museum is completed and open to the public. At present they are interested in early armor and weapons and household effects.

Republican Conclave—Back in town for the special meeting of the Republican National Committee which selected Judge Leonard W. Hall as new chairman were Florida's official Republican leaders: G. Harold Alexander, Mrs. Helen Bowman Leach, and C. C. Spades. Also in the party was Lewis Taylor, Mayo, Republican Committeeman for Lafayette County.

Melton Auto Museum To Open April 25

Hypoluxo, Fla.—A new and notable tourist attraction is scheduled to open here April 25. It is the James Melton "Automatium," a museum of antique automobiles which the well-known singer has collected during the past 20 years and which is recognized as one of the world's largest and finest collections.

The attraction, located at the former Lake Shore Club—once time plush Gold Coast gambling casino on the shores of Lake Worth, will include not only Melton's world famous collection of automobiles but in addition will be one of the most extravagant settings for an attraction of any in the entire state.

More than 100 vintage cars make up the bulk of the Melton collection. The exhibit also includes early day bicycles, stage coaches, fire engines, top models of most of the real autos and a wide variety of other automotive curios.

Melton, who is currently on a concert tour of the west, has been commuting to Florida by plane in order to supervise preparations for the opening late this month.

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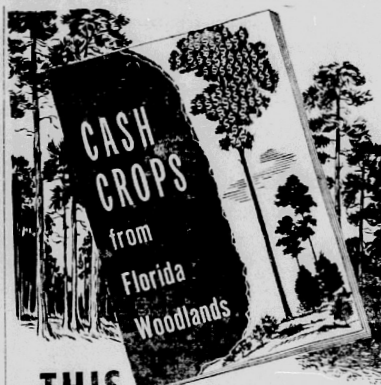
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60th Wedding Anniversary Honored



MR. AND MRS. A. W. FORBES

Mrs. Forbes' 91st Birthday Also Celebrated

The Avon Park Winter Guest Club held open house from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. Thursday, April 9, for Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Forbes, who were celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary. Many friends called to congratulate the happy couple.

The descendants of Mr. and Mrs. Forbes include two daughters, Mrs. Dorrit Wolverton of Avon Park and Mrs. Lucy Street of Los Angeles; a son, Norman A. Forbes of Los Angeles; nine grandchildren; and seven great grandchildren.

Those acting as hostesses at the open house were: Mrs. E. F. Armstrong, Mrs. Lena Kean, Mrs. Orr Love, Mrs. William Stirling, Mrs. Walter Walker, and Mrs. R. H. Boward. Many of the Winter Guests took part in a program of musical numbers and talks.

On the following Monday afternoon, April 13, a group of friends called on Mrs. Forbes to help her celebrate her 91st birthday.

The afternoon was spent socially by those present, each one telling of a funny incident that had happened to her. Lovely flowers were brought to Mrs. Forbes and many beautiful cards and other remembrances.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Asia Mitten, Mrs. Bertha Kelley, Mrs. R. H. Boward, Mrs. Lena Kean, Mrs. Dorrit Wolverton, Mrs. E. F. Armstrong, Mrs. Amelia Dick, Mrs. Wm. Langenbahn, Mrs. Wm. Stirling, Mrs. James Oppy, Mrs. Orr Love, Mrs. Jack Richmond, Mrs. Sylvia Book, Mrs. S. O. Norris, Mrs. Willis Robinson, and Mrs. A. W. Forbes.

Circle Two Regular Meeting
Circle Two of the First Methodist Church met Tuesday at the church, with 13 members and one guest present.

Mrs. Vallie Purdy had charge of devotionals, with Mrs. Charles Harris leading the study of Acts.

The financial report, by Mrs. Mary Gresham, showed the circle over the top in its apportionment for the year. Plans were made for a new church project.

The hostesses, Mrs. George Riffe and Mrs. Jean Dobbin, served delicious refreshments to the following:

Mrs. E. H. Brodie, Mrs. Mary Gresham, Mrs. C. H. Harris, Mrs. J. Henderson, Mrs. H. Jackson, Mrs. W. E. Jackson, Mrs. L. Kirkwood, Mrs. A. Lipstreu, Mrs. L. Rawlings, Mrs. H. W. Reddick, Mrs. V. Purdy, and a guest from Fruitland, Md. — Mrs. N. MacPherson.

The May meeting will be a covered dish luncheon at the church, May 11, at 12:30.

Lewis-Mott Marriage

Miss Clara Elizabeth Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lewis of Sarasota, and Pvt. Walton Mott, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mott of Avon Park, were married by Dr. H. C. Wayman at Friendship Baptist Church last Tuesday night.

The couple was attended by Miss Fredonia Mott, sister of the bridegroom; Miss Gloria Lewis, sister of the bride; and Owen Mizell, the bride's brother-in-law.

The bride wore a white nylon taffeta dress and carried a white Testament and a bouquet of white carnations.

Mr. and Mrs. Mott will leave soon for Camp Stoneman, Calif., where he will be stationed.

Incendary or deliberately set wildfires accounted for nearly three-fourths of all the woods fires in Florida last year.

Methodist WSCS Elects Officers

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met in the sanctuary Tuesday afternoon.

The meeting opened with singing, "Jesus Calls Us," Mrs. Ben T. Stewart had charge of the program and read various scripture selections. She gave a talk on "The Old, Old Story of Jesus."

The Lord's Prayer followed. Mrs. Fred Simcox presided at the business meeting. The nominating committee made its report and the secretary was instructed to cast an unanimous ballot for the following new officers:

Mrs. George A. Kelsey, president; Mrs. L. H. Ford, vice president; Mrs. Georgia Dimmick, recording secretary; Mrs. K. F. Harris, treasurer; Mrs. C. H. Harris, secretary of literature and publications; Mrs. R. Gerrard, secretary of children's work; Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, secretary of student work; Mrs. Fred Simcox, secretary of missionary education; Mrs. S. E. Roberts, secretary of spiritual life; Mrs. R. C. Jarrett, promotion secretary; Mrs. Ben Stewart, secretary of Christian social relations and local church activities; Mrs. T. O. Martin, "sunshine" secretary.

W.S.C.S. Circle Five Meeting

Circle Five of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met Wednesday afternoon, April 8, at the home of Mrs. T. O. Martin on South Lake Avenue, with Mrs. C. J. Barnes and Mrs. H. G. Roberts hostesses.

The devotional consisted of Scripture reading by Mrs. G. H. Mills, followed by the Lord's Prayer in union.

During the business session, which was conducted by the circle chairman, Mrs. T. O. Martin, the following officers were elected for the 1953-54 year:

Mrs. T. O. Martin, chairman; Mrs. K. F. Harris, vice chairman; Mrs. W. R. Dimmick, secretary; Mrs. George Woodham, treasurer.

Following the business session, the hostesses served refreshments of rice krispie delight and cold drinks.

Present: Mrs. G. H. Mills, Mrs. L. H. Reimer, Mrs. Alta Robinson, Mrs. M. I. McClaren, Mrs. R. M. Duthie, Mrs. J. W. Richmond, Mrs. F. G. Simcox, Mrs. Harry Gibson, Mrs. H. Heath, Mrs. Lula Crawford, Mrs. K. F. Harris, Mrs. H. G. Roberts, Mrs. George Woodham, Mrs. C. J. Barnes, Mrs. T. O. Martin, Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, and Mrs. N. MacPherson.

American Heritage Program Theme

Members of the Woman's Club enjoyed an interesting program, based on the preservation of our American heritage, at the club's regular meeting held Friday, April 10, Mrs. Virginia C. Warwick had charge of the program, and herself gave a talk on forests, parks, and other wildlife.

Mrs. Bertha Maxson discussed "Beautification of Our Highways," and Mrs. B. M. Davis spoke on "Birds and other wildlife. Mrs. S. O. Norris sang "Trees," accompanied by Mrs. W. Earl Jackson, pianist.

Plans were made for the annual club luncheon on May 8 at the Jacaranda Hotel.

It was decided to send a delegate to the state women's club convention in Miami next week.

NOTICE
Beginning this Sunday, April 19, the Avon Park Grill will close Sunday evenings. The grill will be open Sundays from 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Adv.

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Betrothed To Richard Landress

Announcement has been made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Cathryn Marie Comstock, of Jacksonville, to Pfc. Richard A. Landress, U.S. Marine Corps, Albany, Ga.

Miss Comstock is the daughter of Mrs. Curry Parkes, of Jacksonville, formerly of Sebring, and Dr. Byron H. Comstock, of Lakeland.

Pfc. Landress is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Landress of Avon Park.

Miss Comstock was graduated from Sebring High School, and was employed as secretary at the Eighth Air Depot here for a year, before moving to Jacksonville, where she is presently an employee of the Personal Finance Co.

Pfc. Landress is a graduate of Avon Park High School, where he was active in athletics, and captain of the football team. He was connected with Robco Skipper Packing Co., before enlisting in the Marine Corps.

The wedding will take place in May.

Fay Taylor Circle Meeting

The Fay Taylor W.M.U. Circle of the First Baptist Church met with Mrs. L. D. McGiboney Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. S. F. Longbottom opened the meeting with prayer, after which there was a short business session. Mrs. E. A. Martin then taught the lesson from the 12th and 13th chapters of Romans.

The hostess, Mrs. McGiboney, served parafat pie and coffee to the following members: Mrs. E. A. Martin, Mrs. S. F. Longbottom, Mrs. Willie White, Mrs. B. F. Carp Sr., and Mrs. Cribbs.

Ames Circle Gives Surprise Shower

Ames Circle of the First Methodist Church W.S.C.S. met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Imogene Kelsey, with 10 members and two visitors present.

Chairman Eunice Cleveland presided at the meeting. Helen DeShong led the devotionals. Imogene Kelsey read an article, "Methodist Women Getting Acquainted in Malaya," Millie Pearson gave the treasurer's report.

After the business meeting, Martha Mathews gave the study on Acts, chapters eight and nine.

The circle will meet with Kitty Lou Reddick in May.

During the social hour a surprise stork shower was given Mrs. Virginia Rich. The lovely gifts were presented to her in a decorated basket by the chairman.

After Mrs. Rich had opened her gifts, the hostess served refreshments:

Eunice Cleveland, Helen DeShong, Pearl Ford, Mildred Ferguson, Martha Mathews, Leslie Nute, Millie Pearson, Eva Paige, Vivian Rich, Connie Whit, Velt Mae Lee.

TRIPLE LINK CLUB COVERED DISH SUPPER

The Triple Link Club had a covered dish supper at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Tomlinson on Lake Lillian last Monday evening.

Those who enjoyed the evening were: Helen Harris, Ester Jones, Bertha Barker, Bella Rosenberg, Amelia Dick, Gladys Hagan, Stella Sonnemom, Belle Martin, Corinne Barnes, Lillian Bridges, Hedwig Roberts, Lula Crawford, Cora Wray, and visitors Helen Pardee, Clissa Easton, and H. E. Barker.

Mrs. W. S. Betts went to Midland, Texas, last week, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Hue (Nancy) Nunnalee, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hammond left Tuesday for Cobb Island, Md., where they will spend the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cherry and son, Mickey, spent Tuesday and Wednesday here with Mr. and Mrs. John D. Turner and family.

Cpl. Douglas Fields, at the Korean front with the First Marine Division, has written his parents that he is safe, but that a number of his buddies have been killed.

Cpl. Fields will soon have served his term of active duty, and was expected to be sent out of the front lines within a few days.

BIRTHS

(The following births occurred at Walker Memorial Hospital.)

To Mr. and Mrs. George Daniel McGee of Sebring, a daughter, Virginia Ray, born April 8. Birth weight was 7 pounds 14 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Osteen, a daughter, Peggy Joyce, born April 12. Birth weight was 7 pounds 8 ounces.

O.E.S. News

Leigh Chapter No. 85 held their regular meeting April 9, with Mrs. A. Stender as guest.

The next meeting will be held in the Masonic Temple April 23 at 8:00 p.m. All members are urged to come and all visitors will be welcome.

Grace O. Blanford, Reporter

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"SOMEBODY LOVES ME"
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Thurs.-Fri. April 23-24
"NEVER WAVE AT A WAC"

CHURCH Notices

CHURCH OF CHRIST
(South Forest Avenue)
Charles Tidwell, Minister
Sunday: Bible Study, 9:45 A.M.
Prayering, 11 A.M. and 7:30 P.M.
Wednesday Bible Study, 7:30 P.M.
All are welcome to these services

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Rev. E. T. Corbin
Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship, 11 A.M.
Evening Worship, 7:30 P.M.
Wed. Prayer Service, 7:30 P.M.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. H. E. Garrett
Church School, 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship, 11 A.M.
Evening Service, 7:30 P.M.
Nursery for Children
Youth Fellowship, 6:15 P.M.
Wednesday Evening: Choir
Practice, 6:30 P.M.; Youth Recre-
ation, 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Service, Thursday, 7:00 P.M.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Dr. C. H. Bolton, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship, 10:30 A.M.
Nursery for small children dur-
ing morning services.
Training Union, 6:45 P.M.
Evening Service, 8:00 P.M.
Wednesday Prayer Service, 7:45 P.M.

CHURCH OF GOD
North Florida Ave.
Rev. Roy C. Miller, Pastor.
Sunday School, 10 A.M.
Sunday Morning Worship, 11 A.M.
Sunday Evening Worship, 7:30 P.M.
Tuesday Prayer Service, 7:30 P.M.
Thursday Young People's Ser-
vice, 7:30 P.M.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
Cor. E. Pine and Fairfield
Sunday School, 9:30 A.M.
Sunday morning service, 11 A.M.
Wednesday evening, 8 P.M.
Reading room, open Monday
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FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH
Rev. E. G. Tippin, Pastor
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Services, 10:30 A.M.
Sunday School, 9:15 A.M.

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Mrs. J. Paul Garber, Choir
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Robert J. Barben, Sunday
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Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M.
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ing morning service.

CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER
Rev. John Q. Crumby, Vicar
Sunday Services
Holy Eucharist, 7:30 A.M.
Church School, 9:45 A.M.
Holy Eucharist, 11 A.M. (2nd
and 4th Sundays, Morning Prayer)
Wednesdays, Holy Days, and
Saints Days, Holy Eucharist
10 A.M.
Saturday:
7:30 P.M. Angelus, Compline,
Preparation, and Sacrament of
Penance

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
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Pastor: Rev. Craig Wyant
Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M.
Young and Junior Society, 6:30 P.M.
Evangelistic service, 7:30 P.M.
Mid-week prayer service Wed-
nesday, 7:30 P.M.

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Sabbath Worship, Saturday, 11 A.M.
Sabbath School, 9:30 A.M.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday,
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FLORIDA AVENUE BAPTIST Church
Rev. Kenneth Tucker, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship, 11 A.M.
Training Union, 6:30 P.M.
Evening Worship, 8 P.M.
Prayer Service, Wednesday
evening, 8 P.M.

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Evening Worship, 8 P.M.
Wed. Prayer Service, 8 P.M.

EDITOR'S MAIL BAG

Avon Park Sun
Avon Park, Florida.
My Dear Mr. Kinney:
I want to say "Thank You" to our City Council for trying parallel parking. I am one of many who feel it is a safety improve-
ment over diagonal parking and
hope it will be continued. The
few people who find it difficult
to park parallel should learn how
to do it. In order to have a license
to drive a car, the driver is sup-
posed to have all the skills neces-
sary for the successful operation
of it, which naturally includes
parking according to whatever
parking system may be used. To
squawk about parallel parking
proves nothing but a lack of skill
on the part of the driver who is
squawking.

One undesirable feature of paral-
lel parking, since it gives more
driving space on the streets, is
the tendency for drivers, particu-
larly tourists, passing through
town, to exceed the speed limit.
That can be corrected. Many
towns use traffic lights to make
dangerous intersections safer and
to curb speeders. A few traffic
lights about two blocks apart
down the Mall would help the
situation considerably. Since there
is much traffic around the Post
Office, that would be a good place
for a traffic light. Between the
Burnett Bank corner where the
present light is and the ACL
tracks would be a good place for
another light. Another traffic light
or two could be put at best points
between the SAL tracks and the
West end of the Mall.

Another crying need is to take
the trucks off the Mall. The truck
rout tried recently South of the
Mall passed too many populated
areas. The increased danger made
it wise to discontinue that. But
what is wrong with the proposed
route North of the Mall which
goes all the way through citrus
groves? I drove over it last week
and noticed that on the entire
route from where it turned off the
Frostproof road to where it
came into Sebring road there are
very few homes, just one here
and there among citrus groves.
To get the trucks off the Mall in
order to reduce danger and abol-

ish the terrific noise nuisance, this
truck route seems the perfect an-
swer to the problem. A black
topping on this proposed route,
of course, would be very helpful.
As long as the City Council is
doing the right thing for the best
of all, it should not mind criti-
cism. It is impossible to please
all, particularly the selfish who
see no good in anything unless it
benefits them directly. "Be sure
you are right, then let nothing
stop you."
Improvements should follow
closely on the heels of the need
for them. Twenty years, or even
ten or five, is a long time to wait
for what we need now. Don't you
think?

An Interested Voter

Soil Conservation News

By Lloyd A. Zorn
U.S. Soil Conservation Service
A. D. Roberts, cooperative of
the Highlands Soil Conservation
District has prepared 20 acres of
land on his ranch at Hicoria to
be planted to hairy indigo and
Pangola Grass. Bob Stephens has
prepared about 100 acres for Mac-
sile Brothers on their Citrusville
ranch which will also be planted to
Pangola grass.

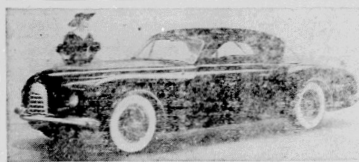
Wesley Durrance of Lake Placid
recently completed installing a
series of ditches for seepage
irrigation system to irrigate clo-
ver and carpet grass.
The District assisted the Mackie
Company in working out complete
soil and water conservation plans
on their grove and ranch at Lake
Placid and on their ranch at
Greenville. A conservation plan
was also prepared for R. C. Lewis
of Moore Haven on his property
at Venus.

Anyone wishing to plant hairy
indigo, either as a cover crop or
in combination with pasture gra-
sses, should do so within the next
4 to 6 weeks. If seed are not avail-
able, the Highlands Soil Conser-
vation District will assist co-
operators in locating them.

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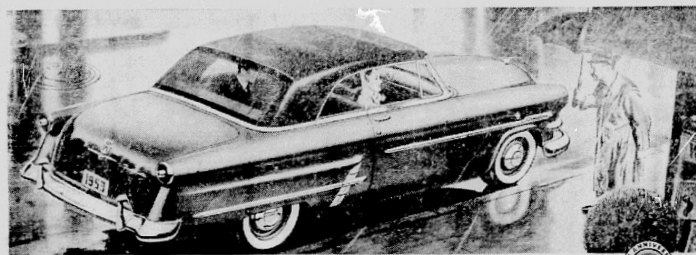
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Legislative Highlights By Leo Wolitzky

Tallahassee — The most important events of the second week of Florida's 1953 legislative session occurred shortly before the weekend adjournment in the senate. Friday, first, Senator George Dayton of Dade County, chairman of the senate appropriations committee, introduced the general appropriation bill. To do that, he interrupted debate on the measure to appropriate \$3,000,000 to build the first unit of the University of Florida medical school. The medical school bill, guided by the experienced hand of Senator W. A. Shands of Gainesville, was approved by a one-sided vote. Opposition chief was Senator R. B. Gautier of Miami. The young medical school at the University of Miami is now receiving a subsidy from the state of \$3,000 per student enrolled, and indications are that this subsidy will be continued.

Representatives Emory "Red" Cross and Ralph Turlington, representing Alachua (Gainesville) county in the house, have handled the medical school measure in that body.

Rarely, if ever, has the general appropriation bill—the measure that allocates funds for the operation of all state governmental services for the next two years—been presented to the legislature so early as was the senate measure this session. Rep. James Moody of Hillsborough, chairman of the house appropriations com-

mittee, was expected to have his version of the measure ready for presentation early this week.

Rep. Hugh Dukes of Jackson county has introduced legislation designed to tighten up the state's motor vehicle financial responsibility law. . . . Rep. George Oskell of Dade county has introduced a bill to permit the courts and the public to know more about persons who seek to have their names changed. Oskell was joined by many house members in the bill which gives to circuit judges much discretion in the granting of such petitions in order to forestall hoodlums and other undesirable persons from hiding behind new names. The measure is expected to be of assistance in law enforcement.

Rep. John S. Burwell, veteran Broward county legislator, has an unusual distinction in that he has managed the campaigns of two successful candidates for speaker of the Florida house of representatives. Burwell handled the vote-getting chore for former Speaker (now senator) Evans Crary in 1945. He repeated in the present session when he managed the campaign of his Broward county colleague, Thomas E. "Ted" David, who has been nominated for the speakership of the 1955 house. Senator T. Davis of Madison has been designated president of the 1955 senate.

The Florida Press Association in its spring convention during the past weekend at Jacksonville Beach, formally commended the legislature for its expeditious handling of difficult state problems early in its 1953 session which is now in its third week. Informal messages from Senate President Charley E. Johns of St. Johns and House Speaker C. Faris Bryant were received by the convention.

The long sessions and difficult decisions involved in attempting to allocate funds to various state agencies have not dulled the wit or seriously ruffled the feelings of members of the house appropriations committee headed by Rep. James Moody of Plant City. Rep. Volie Williams of Seminole county and Rep. Joe Bill Roof of Manatee have engaged in spirited debate over particular spending items, ending generally in agreement to reduce spending.

Rep. Pittman of Santa Rosa county, joined by other representatives, has introduced the teacher pay increase measure recommended by the Florida Education Association, a measure providing for a \$500 increase across-the-board in all teacher ranks, an increase of \$240 in the value of each transportation unit, and a \$60 boost in the current expense unit value.

Rep. Ken Ballinger of Leon county presented the proposal recommended by State Superintendent Thomas D. Bailey providing for a \$600 teacher pay increase in all ranks.

A bill by former Speaker B. Elliott of Palm Beach providing for a sliding scale increase in teacher pay, with the major increases in the lower ranks, was also receiving consideration, while Rep. Harry Stratton of Nassau county was considering presenting another sliding scale measure. Rep. Stratton's plan, not yet introduced, would give rank five teachers a \$560 pay raise, rank four \$480, rank three \$380, rank two \$300, and rank one \$260. Under these proposals, teachers in the higher pay brackets—those with bachelor, master and doctor degrees—would receive the smaller increase.

Chairman Roy Surles of the house education committee and Senator George Leaird of the senate committee have slated a joint public hearing on these measures for Wednesday afternoon.

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WHEREAS, funds secured through the annual Cancer Fund Drive make possible continuing research, treatment, and cancer education programs, and

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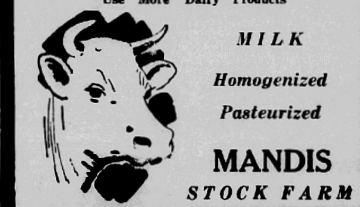
WILEY SAULS JR., MAYOR

INSPIRING SIGHT



United States Marines have led the annual Florida Watermelon Festival Parade for years and will participate again this year. Festival manager Jack Grant hopes to have the famed Marine Band back again this year and is negotiating for its engagement. The 1953 Florida Watermelon Festival will be held at Leesburg, May 24.

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