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Big Lions Minstrel At 8 P. M. Tonight At High School

CALLING ALL LAUGH LOVERS—The big annual Lions Minstrel Show will go on the stage tonight (Thursday, April 5) at 8:00 o'clock in the Avon Park High School auditorium. The cast includes such notables as our senator to the state legislature, Doyle Carlton of Wauchula.

Proceeds of the show go to the Lions Christmas toy and sight-saving funds. Tickets are 75c and 35c.

Others in the minstrel cast are Dale Carlton, H. A. Strickland, Albert Lane, Marcus Knight, Edgar Davis, W. L. Warren, John Burton, and Mitchell Hope—all in blackface.

Avon Park's own popular vocal trio—Shirley Still, Clara Jo Still, and Mrs. LaVerne Hill—will be on the program. Opening music wil be by Olen Earnest and his dance band.

Preceding the minstrel, there will be a program of choruses and such other numbers as a pantomine by Earl Futch, a solo by Neva Howard, and a specialty act by the "Choraliers".

There's also a curiosity-arousing "64,000,000 Question" number and a beauty contest.

Music for the minstrel will be provided by Dutch Smith and his "Peace River Boys."

Red Devil Circus To Be Presented April 14, 16

Preparations are underway for the annual presentation of the Avon Park Red Devil Circus on Saturday, April 14, and Monday, April 16, and as the date draws near students, faculty members, and parents join together in a united effort to make the 1956 circus the best one ever presented.

P. T. A. members are busily planning an opening parade which will start at 4 p.m. Saturday afternoon from Donaldson Park. Children from one to one hundred are invited to join in the festive parade which will lead to the P. T. A. Circus Grounds behind the gym on Lake Avenue. At the circus grounds there will be booths of all types for your entertainment and also cold drinks and food of all kinds to ease your hunger pains. Starting at 5 p.m. a delicious spaghetti or ham supper will be served in the high school lunchroom.

Then at 8 p.m. the high school gymnasium will become a three-ring circus arena and school students will become veteran circus performers as the Red Devil Circus gets underway. The Circus Band under the very capable direction of Gene Gorman will open the show with a stirring number as the King and Queen of the Circus are ushered in behind their royal court.

New, breath-taking acts will be featured and new [illegible] will be seen as the lovely girls, daring boys, and daffy clowns perform for your entertainment. Directors [illegible] say that the students are [illegible] up into a real spectacular show.

Tickets will go on sale in the near future with prices the same as last year—$[illegible] for reserved seats; $1.00 for general admission for adults; $[illegible] for high school students; and $[illegible] for elementary students.

Next week's Sun will carry a story on the new acts and this year's performers who will thrill you in the 1956 Red Devil Circus April 14 and 16.

KENNETH SHERER TRAINING AT WYOMING AFB

A/2c Kenneth F. Sherer Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth F. Sherer Sr., is presently being trained as a Teletype operator specialist at Francis E. Warren Air Force Base, Wyoming.

At this historic former Cavalry Post, outside Cheyenne, the Air Force is training Airmen in many specialties. At Warren, officers and airmen are trained to become automotive, [illegible] and teletype operators, as well as repairmen, [illegible] tors, and supervi[illegible] tive and [illegible]

Sherer, [illegible] APHS last [illegible] of the [illegible] was one of [illegible] date to be [illegible] national exchange [illegible] and was sent to [illegible] He also received a [illegible] proficiency for completing [illegible] CAP course.

Red Devils Trounce Sebring Blue Streaks 14 To 3 Tuesday

The Red Devils [illegible] Devil Pitcher Dale [illegible] chances of pitching a no-hitter [illegible] the seventh inning for the Blue Streaks only hit. [illegible]

Gov. Collins Spent Much Of Last Week Of Official Duties

Tallahassee — Governor Collins spent much of last week on his official duties as he had declared he would during his campaign for a full term in the governorship.

But the latter part of the week he took time out for a campaign trip to Escambia county where he appeared over a television program and engaged in a handshaking tour in the Pensacola area Thursday (March 29).

At Pensacola, Governor Collins lashed out at interposition as a weak and ineffectual means of halting intergation.

"Interposition was a doctrine conceived in the early days of statehood but it lost its practical value at the end of he Civil War," Governor Collins explained. "It is only effective as a means of registering a protect with the federal government. It has no legal position of effect, and the people shouldn't be fooled into thinking that it could lead to anything."

Collins said Florida is the envy of other Southern states in the way the race issue has been handled. "It has all been done through lawful and peaceful means. The sound course is being followed in Florida."

Speaking over 13 television stations Friday night, the Governor declared, "We have a campaign on our hands. I am asking for a [illegible] the record we have made in the past 15 months. I know in my own heart it is constructive and sound and solid. If you feel that way, I want your help in this campaign."

Race Track Revenue Distributed

The fourth monthly distribution of the current racing season is being made today, a total of $44,000 going to each of the 67 counties. This distribution includes $28,000 from revenue received from jai alai, horse and dog tracks, and $[illegible] from the additional tax on dog tracks enacted by the 1955 Legislature.

This year's distribution to counties is $1,[illegible] more than last year's distribution at this time. Last year $[illegible] had been distributed to the 67 counties while for the same period this year a total of $[illegible] has been distributed.

Each of Florida's 67 counties has already received more money [illegible]

SECRETARY OF STATE BOB GRAY SUBMITS LIFE STORY

Robert A. Gray, Secretary of State of Florida, is a candidate for re-election. Below is an account of his life and work.

Robert A. Gray, Secretary of State, was born between Cairo, Georgia and Tallahassee, Florida, just over the state line on the Georgia side. His parents moved to Florida when he was six months old and he has lived in Florida since. His parents were Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Gray.

Besides attending the elementary schools available he attended the South Florida Military College, several summer teachers training schools, Georgetown University Law School and is an alumnus of the University of Florida. In his early years he taught school and was in the newspaper business, having spent five years on a daily paper. His teaching and newspaper work overlapped to some extent.

His political career began early, as he served as Clerk in both the House of Representatives and in the State Senate. He was elected to the Legislature in 1921 from his home county of Gadsden. He sponsored two measures in that session—the Uniform Textbook bill and the Legal Technicality bill, both of which became law. [illegible] school in Havana, resigning that position to accept a position with the State Treasurer. Some positions he has held are—Insurance Clerk, Chief Clerk, Motor Vehicle Department; Assistant State Auditor, State Auditor, Chief Bank Examiner and Assistant Comptroller. He was serving in this latter position when Governor Carlton appointed him Secretary of State April 12, 1930 to fill out the unexpired term of Senator Igou. A spirited campaign followed [illegible] he had three opponents. He came out successful in that campaign for the unexpired term and he has since been [illegible] elected without opposition from either party for six full four year terms. He has been in State service more than forty years.

Mr. Gray has taken an active interest in fraternal, civic and church affairs. He volunteered and served in World War No. 1, with the rank of Captain. He organized the American Legion Post in Tallahassee, was the first Post Commander, assisted in the organization of the American Legion Department of Florida and has served as Department Commander of that organization.

He is a Mason, having taken both York Rite and Scottish Rite degrees and is a member of the Shrine. He is Past Master of Jackson Lodge No. 1. He is a member of the Elks, Woodmen of the World, Grotto, Moose, Knights of Pythias and Order of the Eastern Star. In the latter he has served as Worthy Grand Patron.

He is a Methodist and has been on the official Board of his Church for forty years. He has been many times a delegate to District and State Conferences of his Church and five times a delegate to the General Conference of the Methodist Church which is the conference governing all Methodism. For eight years he was trustee of Wesleyan College in Macon. He has served as Cancellor of Florida Southern College and holds a LLD degree from that institution.

He is a charter member of the Rotary Club in Tallahassee and is a past President of that club. He has been a member of the Chamber of Commerce, Local and [illegible] years and has [illegible] part in civic affairs.

His hobby is state government and he wrote a textbook on that subject which is still being used in the high schools of the State.

He is a member of Phi Gamma [illegible], the [illegible] Society, The[illegible] social fraternity and holds honorary membership in a number of societies and organizations.

Mr. Gray has been active in the National Association of Secretaries of State having served on the national legislative committee and he is a past President of that organization. For a number of years he has been on the Executive Committee.

As Secretary of State he is ex officio member of numerous boards and commissions and is Vice Chairman of all those on which he and the Governor both serve. In the absence or illness of the Governor he serves as chairman.

He married Miss Grace [illegible], daughter of a Baptist Minister at Bartow. Mrs. Gray died November 4th, 1955.

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[illegible] well conducted and [illegible] property [illegible]

63 Arrests Made By Sheriff's Office

Sheriff Broward Coker and his deputies were busy last weekend, making 63 arrests in all.

[illegible] of these were for [illegible] and battery, two aggravated assault, one assault with a deadly weapon, and one for carrying a concealed weapon.

[illegible] charges numbered 13; [illegible] drunk, 1. [illegible]: No drivers license, [illegible] 12. Possession [illegible], 2. Permitting unauthorized person to operate a motor vehicle, 1. Driving while license suspended, 1. Driving while license revoked, 1. Failure to have vehicle under control, 1. [illegible] license tag, 1.

[illegible] Court [illegible] Heard

[illegible]

Other sentences were:

[illegible]

Tim Glenn, drunk, $15 or 10 days.

[illegible] Johns, drunk, pled guilty, $15 or 10 days.

[illegible] reckless driving, pled guilty, $35 and 30 days [illegible]

John Henry Brown, drunk, pled guilty, $15 or 10 days.

Charles Ballard, driving while intoxicated, pled guilty, $75 or 25 days.

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TB Association Annual Public Dinner Meeting

The Highlands County Tuberculosis and Health Association will hold its annual public dinner meeting April 10 at the Federated Club Building on the City Pier at Sebring.

The dinner will be served promptly at 7 o'clock in the evening ,with the Tom Mitchells doing the catering.

The object of the meeting is to inform the public of the association's activities. Through committees your TB and Health Association attempts to inform the community regarding tuberculosis and other health subjects, carry on a case-finding and rehabilitation program in cooperation with the medical profession and the county Health Department and support programs of better health.

Reports of the year, ending March 31, will be given and officers and directors for the new year will be elected.

Dr. Frank Cline Jr., medical director of the Florida Southwest Tuberculosis Hospital at Tampa will be the principal speaker. The Rev. John Dempsey Widden, pastor of the Sebring Christian Church, will also deliver an appealing message.

Musical entertainment will be provided by those favorites, the [illegible] family, also the Rev. and Mrs. George C. Stalling of the Sebring Presbyterian Church. [illegible]

Reservations must be made in advance through [illegible] Park.

PROCLAMATION

STATE OF FLORIDA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
TALLAHASSEE

WHEREAS, cancer threatens to invade two of every three homes in this state; and

WHEREAS, the 80,000 Americans reclaimed from death by cancer last year were only half the number who could and should have been saved; and

WHEREAS, our steadily increasing knowledge and understanding of the treatment of cancer are gradually decreasing the death rate in [illegible], and for various types of cancer among men the death rate [illegible]; and

WHEREAS, [illegible] fight to get the upper hand over [illegible] continues to demand the best brains of medicine and science; and

WHEREAS, this fight cannot be pressed successfully without the all-out support of our government and our people, under the leadership of the American Cancer Society; and

WHEREAS, the President of the United States [illegible] April as Cancer Control Month;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, LEROY COLLINS, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Florida, do hereby proclaim the month of April, 1956, as CANCER CONTROL MONTH in Florida, and urge all Floridians to support the American Cancer Society in every possible way, especially by following its current advice: FIGHT CANCER WITH A CHECKUP AND A CHECK.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Florida to be affixed at Tallahassee, the Capitol, this 8th day of March, A. D. 1956.

LEROY COLLINS
Governor

(Seal)
R. A. GRAY
Secretary of State

ALONG THE MALL

By YULA FISHER

Time is growing short for those of you who are not registered to vote in Highlands County. The deadline is Saturday, April 7. The supervisor of registration, Roland X. Droit, says that his office in the courthouse at Sebring will be open until 5:00 p.m. Saturday for the convenience of those who wish to register.

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There seems to have been a general exodus or migration of winter residents and visitors this week, although we hear it's still cold and disageeable up north.

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There will be an Avon Park Orange Belt League baseball team meeting tonight (Thursday, in the Florida Power room at 7:30 p.m. All those interested in playing on the town team should be present.

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There will be a board meeting of the Avon Elementary P.T.A. this afternoon (Thursday, April 5), at 2:00 o'clock in the cafetorium.

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The 45-voice Moody Chorale from Chicago's Moody Bible Institute, under the direction of Donald P. Hustad, will present a sacred concert at the First Methodist Church on Monday, April 9, at 7:30 p.m. The Chorale program fare ranges from "Sing Ye to the Lord," Bach motet (unaccompanied), to spirituals, sacred folk songs and the newest arrangements of gospel hymns. The local concert is a part of the Chorale's tour of the eastern half of the United States.

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"[illegible]? He is the one who [illegible] yesterday."—[illegible].

[illegible] STUDENT ON TOUR WITH WHEATON COLLEGE [illegible] GLEE CLUB

[illegible] Ward of Avon Park, Florida, a senior student at Wheaton College, Wheaton, Illinois, is a member of the Wheaton College Men's Glee club on their annual spring concert tour through Montana, Oregon, Colorado, California, Washington and Minnesota, March 23 through April 8.

All concert tours are sponsored by the college Conservatory of Music and are a part of a broad music training program leading to bachelor degrees in music and music education. The college is located 25 miles west of Chicago in Wheaton, Illinois.

Ward is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Ward of this city. He is preparing for the ministry.

Weather Report

By J. Wiley [illegible]
Weather Observer

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Gen. Cary Sends Note To GOC

A note of appreciation was received last week from General John B. Cary, Commander of 35th Air Division (Defense). General Cary terms "essential" the operation of Skywatch, which permits the effective employment of the patriotic volunteers in the GOC on a day to day basis as an integral part of our surveillance system. He feels that steps for[illegible] greatly increasing capability of the overall air defense system in this sector and adds "I assure you that the hard work of all of the volunteers is clearly paying off in terms of increased security of our country."

Every person who is inconveniencing himself for service at the Avon Park post undoubtedly wonders at times of the necessity of these efforts and is given above the opinion of the top authority on the subject, at least from a military standpoint.

Messiah Society Calls Meeting

The Lake Placid Messiah Society will meet at 7:30 Saturday, April 7, in the Lake Placid Methodist Church annex.

All interested persons in Highlands County or near-by communities are invited to attend the meeting. This society was formed last winter for the purpose of presenting Handel's Messiah annually. The first production was in Sebring during the 1955 Christmas season.

The meeting will be important, since officers are to be elected and certain matters of policy clarified.

Those attending who have copies of the Messiah are asked to bring them along.

Following the meeting, the women of the church will serve light refreshments.

Bankers To Meet In Annual Convention April 12, 13, 14

[illegible] — Practically every bank in the state will be represented when bankers of Florida convene for their [illegible] Annual Meeting to discuss affairs of state banking, finance, economics, and politics, it was announced here today by C. B. [illegible], President of the Florida Bankers Association and President [illegible] Ray E. Green, Bank Commissioner for the State of Florida, Tallahassee; and Gaylord A. Freeman, Jr., Vice President First National Bank, Chicago, Illinois. In addition, reports of activities and accomplishments of the Association during the past year will be rendered by all Committee Chairmen. Governor Leroy Collins is expected to attend a portion of the Convention.

The serious business of the occasion will be supplemented by an elaborate program of entertainment for both men and women which will be climaxed by the Annual Banquet on the night of April 14. Also at this event newly elected officers of the Association will be installed and each will make brief talks.

Expected to attend from Avon Park will be [illegible] Mrs. W. V. [illegible], Jr.

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Fight Cancer With A Checkup And A Check

April, Cancer Control Month, is at hand. The Volunteers of the American Cancer Society, like the voice of the turtle, will soon be heard in the land. This year they will chorus a catchy message: Fight cancer with a checkup and a check. We hope our readers will add to this the best of refrains: "check, double check", and without further ado, join the act. It's the greatest life-saving production ever to come to town.

By fighting cancer with a checkup, we can realize the Society's goal of doubling current cancer cure rates through mass adoption of early detection and prompt treatment. Last year 80,000 persons died of cancer only because treatment was begun too late. It cannot be stressed too often that most cancers are curable if caught or better, if "checked", in time.

By fighting cancer with a check, we are helping scientists to conquer cancer through research; we are helping cancer patients with a wide variety of comforting services at home and in hospitals; and we are helping the ACS to spread life-saving knowledge of cancer throughout the nation.

So how about a dress rehearsal? Your cue is to strike back at the disease that strikes one in four, two families in every three. Can you recite the seven danger signals of cancer? Is your checkbook, or wallet or your coin purse close by? The ACS volunteers are taking the stage.

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SAILING FROM SEATTLE FOR JAPAN—Capt. and Mrs. Richard J. Baker and children, Richard II, Wendell and Penelope, who have been visiting since March 9 at the home of Mrs. Baker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bennett, left the 23rd of March for Seattle, Washington, where they will sail for Japan.

Captain Baker graduated February 14 from the Intelligence Staff officers course at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas, and will serve as staff intelligence officer with the 35th Fighter Wing at Pakota near Tokyo for three years.

Captain Baker is a veteran of 14 years in the Air Force, having served as navigator in a lead bomber during the Normandy invasion.

Mrs. Baker will be remembered as the former Patti Rounds.

Paul Rounds of Tallahassee and his two daughters, Anita and Pamela, spent a week with his mother and sister while Captain and Mrs. Baker were here.

BIRTHS

Kathryn Virginia Ramey was born in Temple City, California, to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald T. Ramey on March 21. Her mother was Miss Elizabeth Luke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Luke Sr. of Avon Park.

Walker Memorial Hospital

To Mr. and Mrs. Wentford E. Ellis, Lake Placid, a son, James Wentford, born March 29. Birth weight, 7 pounds 12 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kinsie Harnage, a son, William Jefferson, born March 29. Birth weight, 8 pounds 4 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. James Burke, Fort Meade, a son, born April 1. Birth weight, 7 pounds 10 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frank Griffin, Sebring, a daughter, Ballerie Ann, born April 2. Birth weight, 6 pounds 7 ounces.

GATOR PATE IS MARINE BANDSMAN IN KOREA

Korea — Marine Pvt. Lawrence P. Pate, son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Pate of 26 S. Central Ave., Avon Park, Fla., is serving as a Bandsman with the First Marine Aircraft Wing, based near the town of Pohang, Korea.

Before entering the service in June 1954, he graduated from Avon Park High School and was employed by Stimson's Gulf Service Station in Avon Park.

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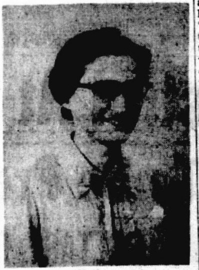
By Rev. Jane K. Wallace
First Pilgrim Church



Wallace

"I will Bless the Lord at all times: His praise shall continually be in my mouth." Psalm 34:1.

No man who is of any use to God and men will be able to pass through this world without trouble, trial, and difficulties. These are permitted in order to test and strengthen our faith. And all who pass through these in company with the Lord are sure to come out brighter, better and braver.

David was not exempted from this rule. Because he had been misunderstood and misrepresented by his own brethren. Hated and persecuted by King Saul. He also was in danger of losing his life. But listen to his testimony. "I will bless the Lord at all times." (Psalm 34:1). And is not this the proper condition into which all Gods people should come. Since it is true that all things work together for good to them that love God. Should we not be prepared to bless the Lord at all times. Right through this 34th Psalm there are many thoughts or glorious statements which cannot fail to bring blessing and comfort. On that our experience may henceforth be under all circumstances to bless the Lord at all times. That His praise may be continually in our mouth.

NURSES DISTRICT 27 TO MEET APRIL 9TH

Nurses District No. 27, Florida State Nurses Association, will hold its regular meeting Monday, April 9, at 8:00 p.m., at Walker Memorial Hospital.

There will be no speaker. The by-laws and constitution of the organization will be discussed.

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I am happy for the opportunity to serve you again and will endeavor to do my best to make you a good Supervisor of Registration.

Sincerely,

Roland X. Droit
Supervisor of Registration

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Announcement

To The Voters of Highlands County:

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Clerk of the Circuit Court.

I can assure you that I am familiar with the requirements of the office and that I can discharge the duties thereto competently, in spite of the slight heart condition which I admit is a handicap in my present position.

I am married, have five children, been a resident of this county thirty-four years, Chief of the Sebring Fire Department for 13 years. I would prefer to meet every voter personally and solicit his support, but I cannot afford to resign my position and devote all my time to campaigning; therefore, I earnestly solicit your help and support during the campaign and your vote on May 8th.

Forrest Howard

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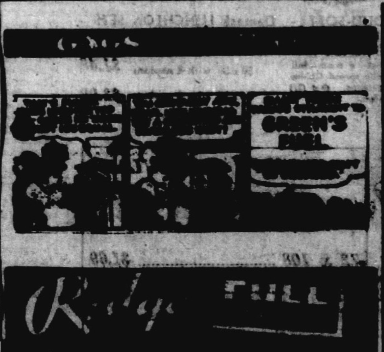

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Faith Lutheran To Dedicate Church Building Sunday

Dedication services for Faith Lutheran Parish House-Chapel, prominently located at 1600 North Lakeview Drive, will be held Sunday afternoon, April 8, at 3:30 p.m. It is anticipated that this service will attract visitors from many parts of the State. Guest speaker for the occasion will be the Rev. August Bernthal, pastor of Gace Lutheran Church, Winter Haven, and chairman of the Public Relations Department of the Florida-Georgia District, the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod. His theme will be "Who Built This Church?" based on Psalm 100. The Rev. Wm. von Spreckelsen, Executive Secretary of Missions of the Fla.-Ga. District, will read the rite of dedication and the Rev. E. G. Tippin, local pastor, will be liturgist.

A pre-dedication service will be held at the Womans Club Building on Sunday morning at 10:30 a.m. The Rev. Wm. von Spreckelsen will be the speaker.

Preceeding the service of dedication, Mrs. Howard Burt, Winter Haven, will feature a program of organ music on the newly acquired Allen electronic organ. This program will begin at 3:15 p.m. The public is most cordially invited to attend any or all of these services.

The L-shaped CBS church, designed by Heim & Heim, Architects, of Avon Park, will be a functional building. While the nave has a seating capacity of 132, the wing will accommodate 60 additional worshippers. The wing is divided by curtains to provide three Sunday School rooms. The pastor's study, a kitchen, and two rest rooms are adjacent to the wing. A soundproof "Cry Room", also to be used as a kindergaten classroom and choir dressing room, is set in at the rear of the main chapel.

Beautifully stained laminated beams support the high ceiling of the church. A large wooden cross predominates the front of the church against a background of obscure glass arranged between angular strips of wood, giving the effect of rays eminating from the cross when lighted from the interior. A thin metal cross projects above the narrow tower and covered walk-way. Planters in graduated heights will display native shrubbery. The chancel is formed by a combination of planters extending from the main walls and ornamental wood grills extend from the floor to the ceiling. The chancel is flooded with natural light from an enormous window of obscure glass with a cross of cathedral glass set in the center.

The beautiful altar, pulpit, and lectern paraments were made by the women of the church. The four sets to be used during the various seasons of the church year are silk brocade and have embroidered symbols framed with gold couching thread.

For the sake of elderly worshippers and worshippers confined to wheelchairs, gradual inclining walkways have been built at the entrance, instead of steps.

Messrs. John Senkarik, Ernst Scheuermann, Franklin Davis, and Richard Carlson constituted the building committee, with Mr. Senkarik as chairman. Messrs. Bennett and Moseley, Avon Park, were the contractors.

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First Baptist Church News

The Helen Hayes Circle of the irst Baptist Church met with rs. Reddick on March 28. Mrs. ingfield conducted the devo- ions and Mrs. Pendleton con- ucted the study of missionaries nd their work. Mrs. Reddick erved a delicious fruit salad with afers and coffee.

The Faye Taylor Circle met uesday afternoon, March 27, at he home of Mrs. Otto Skipper, ith nine members present. Mrs. L. O'Hern, co-chairman, gave he devotional and had charge of he business session. Mrs. Stuck- y, Mrs. Otto Skipper, and Mrs. . F. Martin presented a very nteresting mission program.

The Alice Moore Circle met on uesday afternoon at the home f Mrs. J. L. Wells, with six embers and two visitors present. rs. McGiboney presided at a hort business session. Mrs. C. H. olten presented an inspiring de- tional. Mrs. Lawhon had charge the program, and Mrs. Long- ottom read an article on mission ork. The theme of both the de- tional and program was evang- ism.

The Ruth Sunday School Class et with Mrs. L. D. McGiboney r their March 26 party. The ouse was tastefully decorated ith flowers, Easter eggs, and unnies. Mrs. Chandler Wingfield nducted the devotions.

After the business meeting was er, the guests played several ames and performed many in- [illegible]g stunts. Mrs. Henderson [illegible]e prize for having the best tistic ability in front of a mir- r. Mrs. O'Hern walked down an g-strewn path and never broke e. Many potential radio and V announcers are preparing for n audition.

After the strenuous evening, ests were seated in front of e blazing fireplace and served delicious lunch.

Officers Installed At Banquet

Placid Ridge Estates, in Lake lacid, was the scene Tuesday vening, April 3, of the Avon ark Junior Woman's Club's In- allation Banquet. The banquet as served in candlelight and ar- angements in white were used n the tables. Each of the forty- wo present was given a camel- a to wear.

Following dinner, the meeting djourned to the library for the stallation of new officers and short meeting. Mrs. Samuel O. orris served as installing offi- cer. Mrs. Norris is a past presi- ent of the Junior Woman's Club. ach officer was presented a [illegible] candle by her predecessor. [illegible] installed were: president, [illegible]at Lagoni; first vice presi- ent, Mrs. Mannie Kirkland; sec- nd vice president, Mrs. John rittenden; recording secretary, rs. Robert Young; correspond- g secretary, Mrs. Earl [illegible]; d treasurer, Mrs. William Proc- r. Upon accepting office, Miss agoni announced that the parl- amentarian elected for the com- g year is Mrs. James Ander- on and, as historian, Mrs. Nancy tarkey.

A musical program featured r. Edward Flanders of Sebring nd Mrs. John Garber, Jr., vocal- ts, accompanied by Mrs. Earl ackson at the piano.

Guests of the Juniors were rs. Norris, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. . C. Worden and Mr. Flanders.

Hostesses for the evening were rs. Robert Barton, Mrs. Mannie Kirkland, Mrs. John Garber Jr., rs. Wendell Smith and Mrs. eff Barrow.

ADIES AID WILL MEET T PRESIDENT'S HOME

The Ladies Aid of the Union ongregational Church will meet ednesday, April 11, at the home f he president, Mrs. S. O. Nor- s, 17 East Church Street. All [illegible] of the church and friends re invited.

Those attending should bring a overed dish for the noon lunch- on. It is important that they al- o bring their own table service, [illegible] the society's dishes and lverware will not be available t the Norris home.

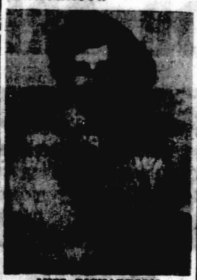
Those who can are [illegible] o come early, at 10 a.m., to [illegible] [illegible] collected for the [illegible] [illegible] that the pennies, which [illegible] fill a gallon jar, may be [illegible] in the bank.

[illegible]COPAL AUXILIARY [illegible] MEET NEXT WEEK

[illegible] Christian [illegible] [illegible] "Village of the Poor" and [illegible] Story"—will be shown at [illegible] next regular meeting of St. [illegible] Auxiliary, Redeemer [illegible] Church, next Wednes- [illegible], April 11, 2:30 p.m., in the [illegible].

[illegible] is in charge of [illegible]. [illegible] will be Mrs. [illegible] C. [illegible], Mrs. Eva [illegible], Mrs. . J. Barton, and Mrs. [illegible]. New auxiliary officers, elected [illegible] the March meeting, are: Mrs. [illegible] R. Stoddard, president; [illegible] Keith Collyer, secretary; and [illegible] treasurer.

Engagement Announced



MISS RICHARDSON

Mrs. Grace Richardson has announced the engagement of her daughter, Shirley Mary,, to William Orville Pollard, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Pollard of this city. The bride-elect is a senior in Sebring High School.

Mr. Pollard attended school here and graduated from Frostproof High School. He is employed by the Inter County Telephone and Telegraph Company in Avon Park.

An early June wedding is planned.

Bryant And Gore Wedding Date Set

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Betty Janet Bryant to A/2c James Franklin Gore has been announced by the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Bryant of Pecos, Texas.

The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gore of this city.

Wedding plans are being made for Sunday, April 15.

Miss Bryant is a graduate of Pecos High School and also graduated from business college in Lubbock last March.

After graduating from Avon Park High School, Mr. Gore entered the United States Air Force. He is now stationed at Reese Air Force Base near Lubbock, Texas, where he has three more years to serve.

His parents plan to attend the wedding.

Garden Club News

On Thursday, April 12, the garden clubs of Avon Park will meet in joint session at the Jacaranda Hotel for their annual spring luncheon. The business meetings will be held at 11 o'clock, the Federation meeting at 12 o'clock, and the luncheon at 1 o'clock.

Mrs. M. C. Kayton of Wauchula, the district director for the General Federation, will install officers for the coming year.

Hostesses for the day will be Mrs. J. Paul Garber, Mrs. Viola Alderman, Mrs. L. D. McGiboney, Mrs. W. J. Head, and Mrs. George Kelsey.

WEBBER COLLEGE FACULTY MEMBER TO SPEAK AT WOMANS CLUB MEETING

The guest speaker at the Woman's Club meeting in the clubhouse on Friday, April 6, will be Miss Dorothy Clutch of the Webber College faculty. Members are urged to note a change from 3 p.m. to 2 p.m. for this meeting and the tea for the girls of the senior class of Avon Park High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Downey left Monday for their home in Chicago after another winter on Lake [illegible].

Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Gibson have returned to St. Paris, Ohio, after spending the winter at their home here.

Mrs. Fred Stevens left last week to spend the summer in Frazeysburg, Ohio. Mrs. Stevens stayed at the Poinsettia Hotel this winter.

Mrs. Jim Luxton has returned from a two-weeks visit with her brothers, Harvey and Jim Spencer, and their families, near Auburndale. While there she attended the wedding of her nephew, Garth Spencer, to Mary Dean Wilkes.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Johnston, who spent the winter at their home on Lake Viola, have returned to Prairietown, Indiana, for the summer.

Gilbert A. Stebbins is a patient at Walker Memorial Hospital after suffering a coronary occlusion on March 25.

Dr. and Mrs. George G. Stoner and children, Mary Julia, Bill, and Ruth returned Monday to their home in Easton, Pa., after spending the Easter holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Stoner, on South Highland Ave. Also a guest at the Stoner home is Henry Stoner Jr., who is staying for several weeks to help care for his father, who has been ill.

Mrs. S. T. Kerr of 604 W. Walnut St. had as her guest the past week Mrs. Gussie Murphy, Mrs. Gladys Croyle and Mrs. Taylor of Johnstown, Pa., Mrs. Edna Evans and Mrs. Marie Haskins of St. Petersburg, and Mrs. Laura Finkle of Wisconsin. Mrs. Murphy and Mrs. Croyle are nurses at the Raymond Hospital in Johnstown, and Mrs. Kerr was formerly associated with this hospital. Additional guests Sunday were Mrs. Kerr's daughter, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Horner and son, Byron, of Lakeland.

High score at the Winter Guest Club Tuesday afternoon bridge session was held by Frank Beckwith on March 20 and by Mrs. Mabel Buckalew on March 27.

Misses Margaret and Lana Thompson of Wildwood spent the Easter holiday with Misses Lynelle and Linda Griffin.

Dr. Curtis Sears left Wednesday evening for West Palm Beach, where he will attend the annual x-ray symposium sponsored by the National Council of Chropractic Roentgenoloists. Dr. Sears will be in attendance through Sunday, returning to his office Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Armstrong have as their guests for a few weeks are their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hall, of Fostoria, Ohio. The guests arrived Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Hubert Shields and son, Tim, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. William Palmer as far as Graceville, Fla., as the Palmers were going to Hartford, Alabama, to visit relatives for Easter. Mrs. Shields spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. S. K. Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Johnston left Monday for their home in Champaign, Illinois, after spending the winter here.

Mrs. Gertrude Downie returned to her home in Boston, Mass., early this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pickell and daughter of New York State are visiting his father, Arthur, and Mrrs. Pickell.

The rumor that Mr. and Mrs. Jack Witt were back in Avon Park to live is just a rumor as he is still in school in Lakeland and does not expect an assignment until this summer. They did spend the Easter holidays at their home here with sons Jackie and Tommie.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Kaylor of Cumberland, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Elam Jr., Barberville, Ky., and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hightower and daughter, Sammye, of Wauchula, were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Luke.

Mrs. Henry C. Bradford and daughter, Miss Marian Lester Bradford, of Falls Church, Va., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. William N. Monsalvatge Sr. and Miss Flossie Baker. Miss Baker made a trip to Key West with her guests to renew friendships, Mrs. Bradford having been Miss Marian Lester of Key West.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughlan Long of Miami spent last week end with his mother, Mrs. Viola Long of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Smith drove her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Martin, and Devorah Reddick home from a visit with them in Tampa and spent Easter here, returning home on Monday.

Guests for Easter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. (Billy) Martin were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith of Mulberry.

Mrs. Thomas H. Luke and daughter, Mrs. Neill Miller, and her daughter, Jan, returned from a visit in Louisville, Ky. on Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Luke also visited her son, Walter L. Luke, in Bloomington, Ind., and another son, S/1c Hugh Drummond Luke, at Fort Benning, Ga. Mr. Luke spent the time they were away in Fort Pierce fishing with Dr. Neill Miller. His best catch was a nine-pound bass.

Thomas H. Luke Jr. and his family of Louisville, Ky. are expected to arrive on Sunday for a two-week visit with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Beach of Miami were guests from Friday until Monday of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Beach.

Albert B. Sircom is a patient at Walker Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Deem left Sunday to return to their home in Rock Falls, Illinois.

Judge and Mrs. Francis Johnston plan to visit in Washington this week as they are returning to their home in Concord, New Hampshire.

Norman Knight came to Avon Park last week to drive home with his father-in-law, N. A. Tyrell and Mr. and Mrs. David Hill of Manchester, N. H., who have been winter guests here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hancock left Monday for their home in La Porte, Ind., after another winter in Avon Park.

Musicale Given Last Friday

The students of Mrs. J. Curtis Lawhon featured Easter music in the recital given at Mrs. Lawhon's home last Friday, March 30. Instrumental numbers were included among the piano selections.

Performers were: Martha Olsteen, Beverly Giddens, Sally Nute, Linda Anderson, Danny Vaughan, [illegible], Eddie DeLaney, Carla Phillips, Debbie Ward, Frances Anne Hartwell, Kay Hartwell, Gayle Moon, Clytee Coleman, Claire Maxwell, Tura Anne DeLaney, Linda Griffin, Frankie Smith, Lathan Smith, Sara Simmons.

Junior hostesses were Clytee Coleman and Claire Maxwell.

Rotary News

Forrest G. Weese of Zanesville, Ohio, past director of Kiwanis International, was the guest speaker at Wednesday's Rotary luncheon meeting on March 28. His subject was on "What a Community Can Do For Itself."

Those present who are interested in the Community Development Association of Avon Park found Mr. Weese well qualified to present the desirable features for a community and a way in which residents may go about accomplishing an interesting and worthwhile program for development. He places the position of citizenship as a full time job for all who want their community to prosper, stressing the value of competition, whether for new industry, new citizens or for winter guests. He points out that customers will go where they are wanted and where there are proper facilities and does not underestimate the value of a campaign to beautify a community from every angle. He suggests that people who come in contact with visitors be salespeople for their community and that those in authority be kept aware that the townspeople expect their town to have what it takes to compare with neighboring cities.

Duke Christensen was the guest of Bill Young and visiting Rotarians were Charles Phillips of Williamston, Mass.; Paul L. Gross, Dallas, Pa.; E. F. Armstrong, Hicksville, Ohio; George L. Wick, Niles, Ohio; Jim Massie, Waynesville, N. C.; W. L. Arnold, Evanston, Ill.; L. F. Fitzpatrick, Toronto, Canada; Guy B. Finley, Coshocton, Ohio; W. W. Owens, Frostproof; E. M. Hamrick and R. O. Turner, Sebring.

TWO ON UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA DEAN'S LIST

Gainesville — Two students from the Avon Park area were named to the University College dean's list at the University of Florida last semester.

All earned a 3.5 or higher average, with 4 the top average possible. The point system gives 4 for A, 3 for B, 2 for C and 1 for D. More than 300 students earned the recognition.

On the list from this area were: Harry Leroy Hood and Bertha Jane Maxwell.

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[illegible]

LAKE WALES

Attend Sunday School regular.

Welfare Director To Attend Conference

Mrs. Anna Dee Church, Highlands County Welfare Director, left Tuesday to attend the Southern Regional Conference of the Child Welfare League of America, held in Atlanta on April 5, 6, and 7.

Two state welfare workers from this area—Mrs. Elizabeth Nellis of Avon Park, Lake Placid area worker, and Miss Jeanette Tavlock, Sebring—are also attending the conference.

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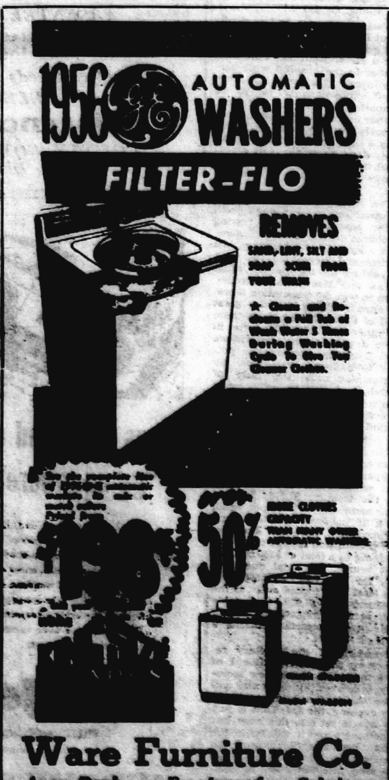
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Mr. and Mrs. Prevatt have six children, who, with their families attended the celebration. They also have 21 grandchildren, 25 great-grandchildren.

Their children are: G. W. Prevatt, Tampa; J. C. and J. D. Prevatt, Avon Park; Mrs. J. W. Simpson, Wauchula; Mrs. J. B. Lewis, Avon Park; Mrs. J. G. Harrell, Avon Park.

Those present from Avon Park other than relatives: the Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Gilbreath and daughter, and the Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Newell and family.

Out-of-town guests: Mrs. Ida Willis and Miss Helen Willis, Pelham, Georgia; Mrs. Kemp, Mississippi; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harrell, Eufaula, Alabama; and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Harrell, Webster, Fla.

DO YOU KNOW?

By
James D. Judd, Evangelist of church of Christ
South Forest Ave.

Question: "Could Joshua command the sun to stand still? If this really happened why did the universe not go to pieces?"

Judd

Answer: Some regard this recorded incident as proof positive against the divinity of the Bible. They say the universe is subject to a definite law, and cannot be changed. They believe that if it is changed the entire universe will be thrown out of order. This is not true.

The clockmaker makes his clock subject to a definite law. The law of the clock is that the hour hand rotates once over the face of the clock in twelve hours. All the parts of the clock are adjusted to this law. But, the clockmaker if he wishes, may use his finger, and push the hands from twelve o'clock noon to twelve o'clock midnight. Or he may stop the clock at twelve o'clock midnight it is only twelve o'clock noon so far as the action of the clock is concerned. No violence is done to the clock at all. It does not go to pieces because its natural law of action is interrupted. Could not the maker of the universe do the same thing? Has not he who had the power to form the earth and sun, and give them their wonderful adjustment to each other, which we call natural law, also have the power to stop, start, or do whatever he wishes with them? Man just has an inadequate conception of that power, who says it cannot be done.

When man gets big and intelligent enough to make a universe or two then he will be in a better position to make such statements. Until that time it little becomes him to set in judgement upon God.—Adv.

Winter Guest Club News

The Stroller was AWOL last week; which is to say that he gave himself leave of absence and departed hence for a few days without asking Duke or Lester or any other of the Big Shots. A pinch hitter was engaged for the service meanwhile, but the pitch didn't hit, struck out may be or more likely crowded out of the paper by the numerous self-sacrificing individuals each yearning to occupy a public office somewhere, especially one with a stipend attached to it. So there was no Stroller column last week, and no doubt a wave of gloom descended upon the club house and grounds thereunto appertaining. Or did it?

Well, may be not. But no doubt about it, gloom did pervade house and grounds when the news came that a car accident had sent Mrs. Gruber to the hospital with serious injuries. On every side were heard expressions of regret, of sympathy for both Mr. and Mrs. Gruber in such trouble, and hopes of early recovery from the same. It is a high price we have to pay these days for power and speed. Some avoid the price but a good many don't. Which is just too bad.

The shuffleboarders were at it as usual last week though with fewer aspirants for fame, owing of course to the lessening numbers here. On Wednesday last Girten and Weese did the trick of beating all the others, while Creed and Mrs. Radcliff trailed them to win the consolation thereby almost edging into the great Hall of Fame. To be almost there is highly creditable of course in these days of fierce competition. Last Saturday evening the potluck tournament was won by Christensen with the help of Girten, or was it the other way? Anyhow, they did the trick together, while Casler and Smalley gained near fame by winning the consolation.

Our genial secretary, Charles Colmery, turns in this report for the past year: 348 full time members at $3.50 per head, bringing to the treasury $1,218; 76 part time members, at $1.50 per head, $114; 25 honorary members; and 83 members from the business and professional men in the town, bringing in a total of $240.50 from that source. The total membership for the year was 532, and the total sum turned over to the treasurer was $1,622.50. A noble and accurate report, for which said genial secretary merits a vote of thanks.

Speaking of the scretary reminds us that the new Board of Directors, with brand new secretary, take over this week and will have the first meeting on Tuesday evening, the 3rd. That is just too late to get into this issue, but something about it will be in the next. President Christensen has been getting his ducks in a row (no joke intended), which is to say the names of members who will be honored with the job of managing certain of the club doings the coming year: such as the occasional suppers, entertainments, tournaments, news by some other Stroller let us hope, and so on. Those names will appear in the next issue, and hereafter, like the Acts of Congress, the doings of the Board will be reported as they occur.

And now it is time to say by-by for the present. Officially the 1955-'56 season of the Winter Guest Club is now at an end, and till next October this column will appear only occasionally as things happen that deserve record. So, "Happying motoring", one and all; home this spring and back next fall. So says

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Real estate transfers recorded at the Highlands County Court House through Tuesday of this week are listed below, with Avon Park transactions heading the list. Corrective deeds have not been listed, since they apparently are not bona fide sales. (Sale prices are indicated by the amount of documentary stamps attached to deeds.) The book and page of the official records where the deeds are permanently recorded are also given.

The biggest real estate transfer this week was a five-acre square tract at a main highway crossroads below Sebring, sold by Harold R. Bair and wife to Harry L. Hickman Jr. and wife of Pennsylvania for $75,000. The property is described as a 5-acre tract in the NE corner of the NW¼ of the NW¼ of Section 4, Twp 38 South, Range 30 East. The right to purchase other land was also conveyed. Book 5, page 490.

William G. Foster and wife to Mary Bielling Reynolds and Mary E. Taylor, Lots 1, 2, and 3, Block A, Shadow Lawn Subdivision, Section 27, Twp 33 South, Range 28 East, Avon Park, $300. Book 5, page 325.

Harvey D. Drew and wife to Ingrid S. Vilkaitis and Paul Vilkaitis, her husband, Lots 4 and 5, less south 50 feet of said lots, Block 19, Section 22, Twp 33 South, Range 28 East, together with house thereon, Avon Park, $12,500. Book 5, page 343.

E. Ray Wells and wife to Elton M. Lawrence and wife, Lot 6, Verona Heights Subdivision of Lots 3, 4 and 5, Block 1, Section 22, Twp 33 South, Range 28 East, Avon Park, $4,200. Book 5, page 403.

John Paul Garber and wife to Johnie J. Howard Jr. and wife, Lots 66 and 67 of Lakewood Villa Subdivision, Lake Byrd, Section 9, Twp 33 South, Range 28 East, $8,000. Book 5, page 499.

Florence N. Cheape and C. Windsor Cheape, her husband, to Henry C. Carver and wife, Wildwood, Lot 28, in Lakewood Villa Subdivision, Section 9, Twp 33 South, Range 28 East, Avon Park, $900. Book 5, page 375.

Frontier Company, Sebring, to Mike Hughey Corp., Tampa, all of Lot 7 and the southeasterly 20 feet of Lot 8 and the southeasterly 20 feet of Lot 6 of Kenilworth Triangle Subdivision, $6,600. Book 5, page 321.

Fisher A. Sauls and wife and Henry G. Bailey and wife to T. H. Emerson and wife, Lots 11, 12, 13 of Block 180, Woodlawn Terrace subdivision, Sebring, $1,700. Book 5, page 336.

J. C. DeShong and wife to Benjamin Kepnes and wife and Louis Kepnes and wife, Boston, Mass. all of Block 3, Highlands Park subdivision, $6,500. Book 5, page 349.

Highlands Park, Inc., to Robert O. Bengis and wife, Washington, D. C., Lot 27, Block 22, Section C of Highlands Park Estates, $500. Book 5, page 355.

Porter D. Crichfield and wife to Paul D. Crichfield and wife, Lot 6, Block 131, of Lake View subdivision, Plat Book 1, page 58, $7,500. Book 5, page 362.

Mamie D. Graham, Roanoke, Va., to E. H. Norris and wife, Lot 24, Block 88-C, Kenilworth Park subdivision, Sebring, $800. Book 5, page 366.

Mamie D. Graham to E. H. Norris and wife, Lot 27, Block 88-C, Kenilworth Park subdivision. Sebring, $800. Book 5, page 367.

Fred Fritz and wife and Varnum R. Gray and wife to Edmund C. Van Hoose and wife, Lots 5 and 6, Block 133 of Nan-ces-o-wee Shores Subdivision, Sebring, $3,300. Book 5, page 371.

L. D. Smith and wife to Howard R. Bromwell and wife, Fort Lauderdale, Lot 5 of the replat of portion of Lake June-in-Winter subdivision, $1,500. Book 5, page 377.

L. D. Smith and wife to John H. Monahan and wife, Fort Lauderdale, Lot 7 of the replat of portion of Lake June-in-Winter subdivision, $2,000. Book 5, page 381.

W. H. Nollman and wife of Starke to Eleanor R. Marchman, Sebring, Lots 2 and 3, Block 84-A, Oak Park, Sebring, $12,600. Book 5, page 390.

Fisher A. Sauls and wife and Henry G. Bailey and wife to David B. Starrett and wife, Indian Harbor, Conn., Lots 5 and 6, Block C subdivision, plat book 4, page 67, $12,500. Book 5, page 394.

T. L. Smith and wife to P. R. King and wife, Lot 16 of Block A of the 7th Addition to the Town of Sebring, $1,500. Book 5, page 396.

George Brandt and wife, Queens, N. Y., to G. R. Clements, Sebring, northern portion of Government Lots 4 and 5, Section 21, Twp 35 South, Range 30 East, near Lake Istokpoga, $2,000. Book 5, page 447.

Fred Fritz Jr. and wife and V. R. Gray and wife to G. R. Clements, Lots 37, 38 and 39 of Block 130, Lake View Place Addition, and Lot 6 and N½ of Lot 7 and all of Lots 3 and 4, less portion of Lot 4, Block 114 of Lake View Place Subdivision, Plat Book 1, page 41, $2,000. Book 5, page 448.

Henry G. Vogel and wife, New York, to Ronald A. Baker Sr. and wife, southerly half of Lot 2, Block 25, of the Original Town of Sebring (North Ridgewood Drive and Grapefruit St.) together with all improvements on the premises, $6,800. Book 5, page 454.

Dan Cason to Minnie Lee Cason, Parcel No. 131, shown on plat of Highlands Homes Subdivision, Plat Book 4, page 54, $3,300. Book 5, page 456.

Fladelco, Inc., to Donald W. Hamlin and wife, Lots 5 and 6, Block 123, La Paloma Subdivision, $700. Book 5, page 457.

Fladelco, Inc., to Chas. E. Sholly, SW½ of Lot 2 and all of Lot 3, Block 182, Woodlawn Terrace subdivision, $1,200. Book 5, page 459.

Jack H. Powers and wife, Macon, Ill., to Edward J. Minster, Evergreen Park, Ill., Lot 1, Block B, West Sebring Addition, Plat Book 4, page 77, $3,000. Book 5, page 461.

Lake Blue Estates, Inc., to E. R. Bates and wife, Lot 16, Block 6, Lake Blue Estates, $3,500. Book 5, page 467.

Mabel L. Moody and Dorothy O. Culver and husband, Merritt Culver, Riverside, Ill., and John H. LaRoche and wife, Saskatoon, Canada, to Walter I. Shoemaker and wife, Millville, N. J., Lot 26, S½ of Lot 27, Block 114 of Lake View Place Subdivision, Plat Book 1, page 41, $1,400. Book 5, page [illegible].

Thomas R. Lamar and wife, Miles C. Dearden and wife, and Malcolm Carlisle and wife, Broward County, to Camp Sparta, Inc., Broward Co., east 319 feet of the north 1980 feet of the SW½ and the NW¼ of the SE¼ and E½ of the SW¼ of the SE¼ in Section 6, and the NE¼ of the NW¼ and the NW¼ of the NE¼, less the east 70 feet thereof, and the south 66 feet of the east 70 feet of he NW¼ of the NE¼ in Section 7, Twp 35 South, Range 29 East, $30,000. Book 5, page 475.

Harold C. March and wife to E. LaMar Simpson and wife, Lot 11, Block 80 of the Second Addition to the Town of Sebring, $8,500. Book 5, page 477.

TWO FIRE ALARMS LAST FRIDAY EVENING

Avon Park firemen answered two calls on Friday evening, March 30. No damage was estimated at the first, at 7:20 o'clock at the home of Will Freeman, at 307 4th Street in the colored quarters. A kerosene stove caused the blaze.

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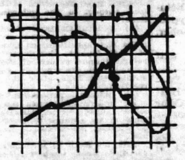

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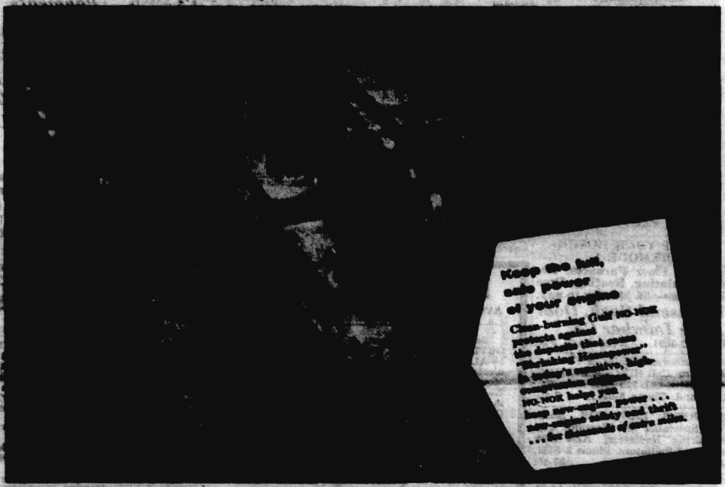
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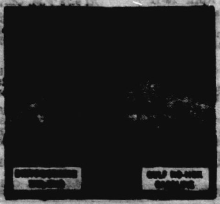

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN DONALDSON, DECEASED.
NOTICE OF FILING PETITION FOR FINAL DISCHARGE OF EXECUTRIX

Notice is hereby given that I have filed my final returns as Executrix of the Estate of John Donaldson, Deceased; that I have filed my Petition for Distribution and for Final Discharge and that on May 7, 1956 I will apply to the Honorable Harry Lee, County Judge, for approval of said final returns and for an order of Distribution and for Final Discharge as Executrix of the Will of John Donaldson, Deceased.

Dated this 4th day of April, A. D. 1956.

MARY B. DONALDSON
Executrix

April 5, 12, 19, 26

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF NELLIE MARIE ELDER, DECEASED.
NOTICE OF FILING PETITION FOR FINAL DISCHARGE OF EXECUTOR

Notice is hereby given that I have filed my final returns as Adm., of the Estate of Nellie Marie Elder, Deceased; that I have filed my Petition for Distribution and for Final Discharge and that on May 7, 1956 I will apply to the Honorable Harry Lee, County Judge for approval of said final returns and for an Order of Distribution and for Final Discharge as Adm. of the Will of Nellie Marie Elder, Deceased.

Dated this 4th day of April, A. D. 1956.

JAMES ELLIS ELDER
Administrator

April 5, 12, 19, 26

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that SEALED BIDS will be received by the Board of Public Instruction of Highlands County, Florida at the Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction of Highlands County, Florida, in the Court House at Sebring, Florida, up to 10:00 A. M. O'clock Tuesday, the First (1st.) day of May, 1956, for the General Contract for
ADDITIONAL BUILDINGS TO THE E. O. DOUGLAS SCHOOL SEBRING, FLORIDA

Plans and specifications may be examined at the office of the Board of Public Instruction of Highlands County, Florida, at Sebring, Florida and at the office of Heim & Heim, Architects, Park Theatre Building, Avon Park, Florida.

Drawings and specifications may be obtained from the office of the Architect, subject to the following conditions:

(a) General Contractors wishing to submit bids may secure one set of plans and specifications upon receipt of $25.00 deposit; this deposit will be refunded upon return of the specifications and drawings in good order within (10) days after the bids are received.

(b) Bidders, sub-contractors and other interested parties may secure either full sets or partial sets by payment of an amount to cover the cost of printing, which cost is not returnable.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check, Cashier's check or bid bond in the amount of five (5) percent of the bid, payable to the Board of Public Instruction of Highlands County, Florida as evidence of good faith and guaranteeing that the successful bidder will execute the contract and that he will not withdraw after the bids are opened, and furnish the Board of Public Instruction of Highlands County, Florida, a bond issued by a surety Company licensed in Florida, for 100% of the Contract Price, within ten (10) days after being awarded the contract, said bond guaranteeing the performance of said contract, the premium of said bond to be paid by the contractor.

The Board of Public Instruction of Highlands County, Florida, reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to waive any informalities.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORID
By: S. F. LONGBOTTOM
Chairman of the Board of Public Instruction of Highlands County, Florida

(SEAL)
ATTEST
FRED WILD
Secretary of the Board of Public Instruction of Highlands County, Florida.

April 5, 12, 19, 26

NOTICE UNDER FICTITIOUS NAME LAW
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, pursuant to the "Fictitious Name Statute," House Bill No. 1775, Chapter No. [illegible], Laws of Florida, 1941, will register with the Clerk of the Circuit Court, in and for Highlands County, Florida, upon receipt of proof of the publication of this notice, the fictitious name, to-wit: Decker's Pure Oil Station, under which I am engaged in business at Main Street and Verona Avenue.

That the party interested in said business enterprise is as follows: G. L. Decker, 102 So. Central Avenue, Avon Park, Fla.

Dated at Avon Park, Highlands County, Florida, April 2, 1956.

April 5, 12, 19, 26 p

ALCOHOLIC REHABILITATION CENTER, AVON PARK, FLORIDA
LANDSCAPING WORK
CALL FOR BIDS

Sealed Bids will be received until 2:00 P.M., E.S.T., Monday, April 23, 1956, by the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions, at the City Council Rooms, City Hall, Avon Park, Florida. At that time the Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

All work shall be done in accordance with the Plans and Specifications prepared by Charles R. Wedding Nurseries, 2901 Lealman Avenue, St. Petersburg, Florida. The plans and specifications may be examined at the Office of the Alcoholic Rehabilitation Center, Avon Park, Florida.

Plans and Specifications will be available after Monday, April 2, 1956.

General Contractors may secure Drawings and Specifications from the Office of the Alcoholic Rehabilitation Center, Avon Park, Florida, for a deposit of $25.00 per set, with a limit of two sets per Contractor. The cost of each set will be returned to the Bidder upon his submission of a Bona Fide Bid and the return of the plans and specifications in good shape to the Architect.

General Contractors may obtain additional sets of drawings and specifications, and Sub-Contractors, material dealers and other interested parties may secure full or partial sets of drawings and specifications by paying the printing and handling costs at the following rate: (Cost not refundable)

Complete Plans and Specifications, $25.00 per set.
Individual Copies of Plan Sheets, $1.00 each.
Complete set of Specifications, $7.50 per set
Individual Divisions of the Specifications, $5.00 per Division

Each Bid must be submitted in strict accordance with proposal form, fully completed, which proposal form will be shown in the Specifications.

Each Bid must be accompanied by a certified check with Florida Documentary Stamp, or a Cashier's Check, or a satisfactory Bid Bond executed by the Bidder and a satisfactory Surety Company, made payable to the Board of Commissioners in the amount of 5% of the base bid as a guarantee, and with an agreement that the Bidder will not revoke or cancel his bid, or withdraw from the competition for a period of thirty (30) days after the opening of bids, and that in event the Contract is awarded to the Bidder, he will, within thirty (30) consecutive calendar days after it is submitted, enter into written contract with the Board of Commissioners in accordance with the accepted Bid, and give to the Board of Commissioners a contract performance and payment surety bond with good and sufficent surety satisfactory to the Board of Commissioners in the amount of 100% of the accepted bid. The Bidder's said agreement is incorporated in the Proposal Form. The cost of the Bond shall be included as a part of the Bidder's Base Bid Proposal.

Bidder's qualifications must be satisfactory to the Board of Commissioners. The Board of Commissioners reserves the right to waive informalities in any Bid, and to reject any or all bids, or to accept any bid and any combination of Alternates that in its judgment will be for the best interes of the State of Florida.

ALCOHOLIC REHABILITATION CENTER, AVON PARK, FLORIDA
By CHARLES R. WEDDING
[illegible] Landscape Architect

April 5, 12, 19

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Sec. [illegible], F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that C. T. DAVIS the holder of the following certificates has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate numbers and years of issuance, the description of the property, and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No. [illegible]. Year of issuance 1954.

Description of Property: NW¼ of NW¼ of NW¼ of Section 17, Township [illegible] South Range [illegible] East, 10 Acres.

Name in which assessed: Harry J. Pore.

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate or certificates shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate or certificates will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door on the first Monday in Month of May, 1956, which is the 7th day of May, 1956, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 2:00 o'clock P.M., the same being the legal sales day and the hours the legal hours of sale.

Dated this 2nd day of April, 1956.

SEAL

H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida.

April 5, 12, 19, 26

Avon Elementary School Menu April 5-9, 1956

Monday
Hamburgers on Buns
Carrots and Cabbage Slaw
White Acre Peas
Fruit Cup
Bread Butter M
Tuesday
Ham Salad
Sliced Tomatoes Rutaba
Red Apples
Cornbread Butter M
Wednesday
Spanish Rice
Tossed Salad Spin
Pumpkin Pudding and Whipp
Cream
Bread Butter M
Thursday
Stew Beef and Gravy
Mashed Potatoes Green Be
Fruited Jello
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Friday
Chicken Pie
Green Peas Carrot St
Chocolate Cake
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Tues., Wed., and Thurs., April 10, 11, 12
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Special Kiddie Show Saturday April 8th at 1:00 P.M. ONLY
Cornel Wilde in "Bandit Of Sherwood Forest"

Sun. and Mon., April 10-11
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Tues. Wed. and Thurs. April 12-13-14
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At 7:00-10:30 P.M.

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Also
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At 8:30 P.M. Only

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Washington SEE SAW

by

WIN PENDLETON

SAY IT ISN'T SO—Rumor had it that Congressman Bob Sikes was getting out of the Stevenson campaign after the defeat in Minnesota. One national radio commentator even predicted it. But, here is what the Florida "he-coon" himself had to say about it, "Florida is now the most important state in the nation as far as the election of a Democrat in November is concerned. Governor Stevenson has had a couple of bad innings, but I never knew a ball game to be over in the second inning. Governor Stevenson realizes that he must come out fighting and that is what he intends to do."

BASEBALL ALIBI—All baseball manager are guilty. And Congressman Syd Herlong, manager of the Democratic ball club, is talking like they all do. First he tells you how his team is bound to win the big charity ball game in washington the middle of June. Then he hints that he has a new red hot pitcher—and gives the impression it might be Congressman Eugene McCarthy of Minnesota. (No kin to Joe). Herlong insists that this year the Democrats will "tromp" the Republicans like they did for so many years. Reminded about last year's game—when the Republicans beat the Democrats, Syd is like any other manager. He has an alibi. "We had won for so many years in a row," he said, "that we were afraid the Republicans might get discouraged and quit playing. We wanted to let them win a game. to make it look good we put in an outfielder as a pitcher. And if he hadn't had a bad cold and a sore arm, we still would have beat them." Big spring training game in Daytona Beach is tonight, April 5th.

DOES THIS MEAN YOU? — There's $41,000,000 in Washington waiting to be claimed by people scattered all over the United States. The Foreign Claims Settlement Commission is trying to find the people who have a right to this money. So, if you have a war claim against Bulgaria, Hungary, or Rumania or Italy, you'd better get your claim in now because the final date for filing is September 30, 1956. This money is being made available by the four countries to take care of old war claims against them. If you think they owe you anything, write to the Foreign Claims Commission, Tarriff Commission Building, 7th and E Sts, Washington.

HANDSHAKING RECESS — The 8th District Congressional campaign is in high gear. And if you saw a neatly dressed man wearing a neck-tie and carrying his coat over his arm shaking hands with people in Bronson, or Cross City, or Trenton or Gainesville, or any other town in the area—it probably was Congressman Billy Matthews. During the recess he has been visiting every cross roads and town. Shaking hands and renewing old friendships. Calculation: "Mr. Billy" will shake hands with more than 10,000 persons on this trip, including children and a few Republicans. Counting them all, the Congressman estimates that before the race is over he will have shaken 50,000 hands.

SPEED UP THAT PAY — Thanks to Congressman Charlie Bennett, members of the Coast Guard reserve will get paid on time. Complaint has long been that reservists on active duty with the Coast Guard sometimes waited a month or two for their pay when their active duty was over and as much as five or six months for their dependents' allowances. Bennett went to work on the problem and now has been assured by the Coast Guard that a change has been made in pay procedures. From now on, according to Bennett, the Coast Guard will pay reservists on the day their active duty has been completed.

FLORIDA FARMERS RECEIVED $1,346,000 DURING 1955 IN LONG-TERM LOANS

Florida farmers are using $9,763,000 in long-term loans made available by The Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States, it was announced today by A. H. Bennett, regional loan supervisor from his headquarters in Raleigh, N. C. At the end of 1955 there were 241 Equitable farm loans outstanding in the state and 45 of this number were new loans made during the year to the farm community. The amount of loan funds advanced during 1955 to Florida farmers totaled approximately $1,346,000.

The pressure in the Stratosphere Chamber on the Naval Air Test Center, Patuxent River, Md., changes from sea levtl to 70,000 feet above in six minutes. Temperature ranges from -55 to 90 degrees Centigrade in 45 minutes. The chamber is used to test aircraft instruments.

Soil Conservation News

By SAM POLSTON

U.S. Soil Conservation Service

The Highlands Soil Conservation District received two requests this week for assistance in developing complete conservation plans. They were John DuPuisof Venus covering about 4,000 acres and Don Duncan of Avon Park covering 160 acres.

George Wilson of Lorida completed the construction of a 40 acre water control system. The system of V ditches and check dams will serve to seepage irrigate clover pasture in the winter and drain off excess water during the rainy season. Frank Tauchen of DeSota City was also assisted by the Soil Conservation Service in the design and layout of a drainage system for 40 acres of organic land.

Mrs. Alfred Gest of DeSota City was assisted by the Soil Conservation Service in developing a complete conservation plan. She is receiving on-cite engineering assistance in the design of a sprinkler irrigation system for a 20 acre citrus grove. She also received engineering assistance from the SCS in the design and layout of an irrigation pond for the grove. Construction of the pond was completed last week.

The irrigation pond idea is becoming quite popular among district cooperators. Recently requests for engineering assistance have been received from John Hollenberg, Charles Sebring, Mrs. Alfred Guest, C. H. Cox, L. L. "Red" Adams, C. F. Howerton, George Wilson, Byron Shockley and R. J. Hargrove. These ponds are being dug to irrigate both citrus and pasture.

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Foreign Aid and the
Vast Give Away
Program.

Worked For:
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legislation.

Fought Against:
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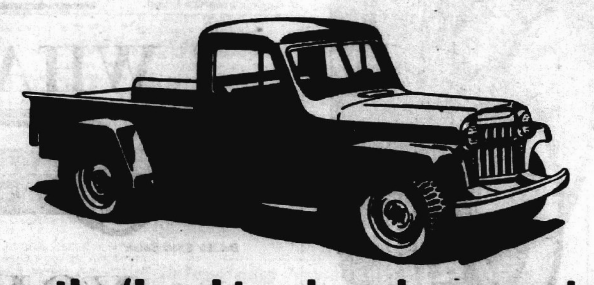

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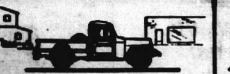

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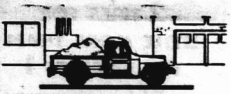

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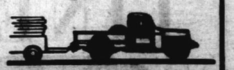

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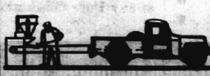

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"Too Late To Classify"

By RUSSELL KAY

The national political spotlight swings to Florida as the next battleground in the fight for ballots between Adlai Stevenson and Estes Kefauver. Both men have active organizations in the state working in their behalf and both are scheduled to make Florida appearances between now and the May primary.

Kefauver's ability as a vote-getter and campaigner in presidential preference primaries in other states has foscused attention on him. He made considerable progress in this state on his last visit and he seems to have the knack of getting down to the people and making a favorable impression wherever he goes.

Stevenson has his work cut out if he hopes to stop Kefauver in Florida and it will be interesting to see how these boys work in their head-on battle for Florida's favor.

With the segregation issue hotter than a firecracker in the gubernatorial campaign, both presidential hopefuls are handicapped in their Florida battle as they find themselves unacceptable to a large segment of Florida voters who are not in accord with their views on the subject.

While the Florida spotlight will remain focused on the Governor's race, national interest will center on Stevenson and Kefauver. Florida's position as a state on the segregation question will be more or less determined by the outcome of the gubernatorial campaign.

Fuller Warren's campaign is moving at high speed and he has a strong following in spite of the efforts of Lowry and others to tear him down. He is a forceful and colorful campaigner and has a pretty strong organization left over from his previous administration that is working tooth and nail in his behalf.

Collins enjoys the advantage of running while in office, a position former gubernatorial candidates have not had. His efforts to advance the welfare of the state through his appreciation tours has resulted in a tremendous amount of favorable publicity for the state in the nation's business and industrial circles. He has handled himself well as governor and has a strong following among leading citizens and business and industrial people.

Lowry, who is pinning all his hopes on the segregation issue, has acquired a certain following that will give him some votes, but his progress will depend on his ability to cut in on Warren rather than Collins or Bryant, for he and Fuller are. battling for the wool hat boys and Fuller has had a lot more experience than the General when it comes to campaigning in this particular field.

Opponents of Collins are not leaving a stone unturned to embarrass him in every possible way; picketing his hotel, for example, trying to get him before a grand jury in Lake County, and questioning his every move and action.

Such tactics are not unfamiliar to the American voter and my guess is that before this mess is over it will backfire in Collins' favor. The fact remains that in the eyes of most folks Collins has been a good Governor and has held his position with dignity and credit to himself and the state. While his actions have not always pleased political groups or cliques he has, nevertheless, retained the goodwill and respect of most fairminded individuals who are sincerely unbiased in their concern for the welfare of the state and whose judgement is not blinded by prejudice and hate.

It is too early to start speculating on the outcome of the race, but it appears that at the moment the two leading contenders are Collins and Warren with Lowry and Bryant trailing and Price and Streets lost in the cloud of dust but barking their heads off even if they can't see the rabbit.

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The Farm Surplus No One Expected

The 1955 crop of popcorn, although considerably below the 10-year average, still produced a surplus which has created a headache for growers, processors and the entire industry. Surpluses accumulated during past year have brought about demands for higher sanitary standards for storage, processing and manufacturing of popcorn by the Pure Food and Drug Administration.

The Popcorn Processors Association is closely cooperating with FDA to insure that only popcorn grown and produced under the highest sanitary conditions is used for human consumption. Processors throughout the nation are spending many hundreds of thousands of dollars rebuilding and replacing popcorn processing and storage facilities with installations that are completely insect and rodent proof.

The new sanitation program of the industry is requiring abandonment of practices observed for centuries. It is no longer permissible for popcorn pocessors to purchase corn that has been stored on the farm unless the popcorn has been stored in facilities completely protected from any possible insect or rodent contamination.

William E. Smith of the Sanitation Committee has alerted prospective growers that any fields planted to popcorn must be located a safe distance away from barns, cribs or storage piles so as to avoid any possible field contamination. To insure a market for the commodity; popcorn growers should be certain that either their storage facilities meet the necessary sanitary requirements of FDA or that they are assured of delivery to that ultimate buyer direct from the field.

The new progam being embarked upon by popcorn processors and growers will assure Americans consumers the finest and purest popcorn ever produced in the history of the nation.

Last year the American Cancer. Society could grant scientists only two of every three dollars needed for research. Help support the effort to control cancer by giving to the ACS Cancer Crusade.

Government To Assist Phosphate Rock Industry

Washington — Congressman James A. Haley announced today that the Federal Government has moved to assist in the search for methods of avoiding air polution from activities of the phosphate rock industry.

The seventh district lawmaker said he had been advised by the United States Public Health Service that it has signed a $24,815 contract with Dr. S. R. Hendrickson of the University of Florida for research in dispersion and effects of airborne wastes from the industry.

Haley said he was "delighted". He said that the Florida phosphate industry has on its own, done much work in the same field and was to be commended for its interest in eliminating air pollution.

But he said the problem is of such nature that "the efforts of the government to help find a solution are both welcome and proper.

Health checkups are becoming more popular. An American Cancer Society poll shows the number taking checkups has more than doubled since 1948. Fight cancer with a checkup and a check.

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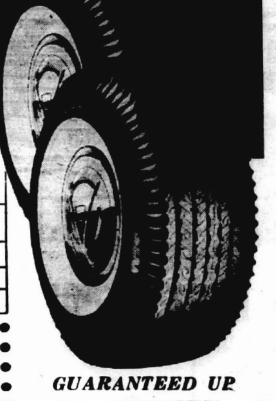

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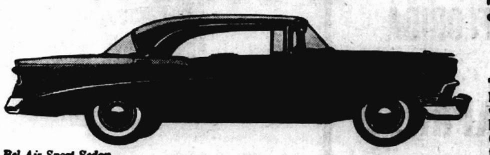

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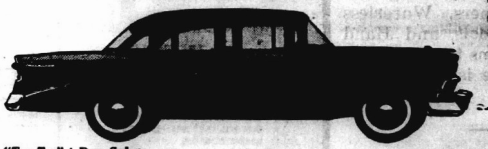

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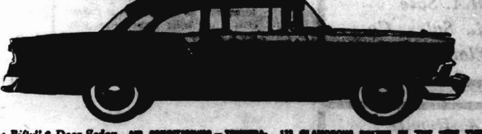

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