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Merry Christmas

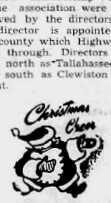
Mrs. Worden And Biggs Attend Highway 27 Meet

Directors and Committee members of the Highway 27 Association met at a dinner meeting Tuesday, December 17, at Citrus Tower in Clermont.

Mrs. Anna Belle Worden a member of the Strip Map Committee, the Advertising Committee and the Membership Committee, and Hubbard Biggs, Director from Highlands County, attended the dinner meeting.

The new Strip map of Highway 27 was approved and it was announced that a half million of these maps advertising Highway 27 will be distributed beginning next month. The new membership decals for the association were also approved by the directors.

A director is appointed for each county which Highway 27 passes through. Directors from as far north as Tallahassee and as far south as Clewiston were present.



Touchton Drug Open Christmas Morning Only

Announcement was made this morning that Touchton Drug Store would be open Christmas morning at 8 o'clock and will remain open till 12 noon.

The store will be closed all afternoon and evening for the employees to enjoy Christmas with their families.



Notice

The office at the Avon Park High School will be closed December 24, 25 and 26, also January 1. The office will be open during the holidays on all other week days.

Schools will re-open for students on Monday, January 6.

Gale Meyer And G. L. Townsend Win Bicycles In Touchton Contest; Presentation Tonight

Gale Meyer and G. L. Townsend, Jr., winners In the Boy and Girl Contest, sponsored by Touchton Drug Store, will each receive a beautiful English Bicycle tonight, December 23, at 7 o'clock, when the presentation of twenty beautiful gifts will be made at Touchton Drug Store.

Prizes will be presented to the ten leading girls and the ten leading boys in the contest which closed Saturday night. The following children have all been notified to be on hand at Touchton's tonight at 7 o'clock to receive their prize.

Girls winning in the contest are: Gale Meyer, Gail Harris, Ann Gay, Rita Rich, Diana Whitlock, Mary Ann Durden, Deborah Gurganus, Judith Cothran, Nancy Wright and Trudie Mitchell.

The ten lucky boys who will receive prizes tonight are: G. L. Townsend, Jr., Jim Ridley, Bobby Rush, Bill Fries, Roy Coats, Jack Hargraves, Jonny Lee, Earl Allison, Steve Prisoc, and James McCullough.

Holidays For The City Hall

The City Hall will be closed for Christmas Holidays from noon Tuesday, December 24, through Christmas Day, December 25.

All offices at the City Hall will reopen at the regular time Thursday morning, December 26.

The City Hall will be closed on Wednesday, January 1, for New Years Day.



Episcopal Church Xmas Services

The schedule of services for the Church of the Redeemer on Christmas Eve and and Christmas day will be as follows:

Christmas Eve: Midnight Mass, 12 Midnight, Choral Eucharist and Sermon.

Christmas Day: Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a. m., Morning Prayer, 9:45 a. m., Holy Eucharist and Sermon 10:00 a. m.

All are welcome to attend these services at the Episcopal Church.



FARP Offers 5 Scholarships

The Florida Alcoholic Rehabilitation Program will offer Florida residents five scholarships to Yale University's Summer School of Alcohol Studies to be held June 29 - July 24, 1958, at New Haven, Connecti-

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Rotary Club To Be Host To College Students

Members of the Avon Park Rotary Club will have college students, who are home for the holidays, as their guests at a special dinner meeting Monday, December 30, at the Jacaranda Hotel. Members of the Club invite the college students to dinner each year at this time.

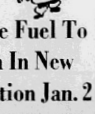
Rotarians are reminded that this special meeting will take the place of the regular meetings scheduled for December 25 and January 1.



Santa Visited Schools Friday

To the delight of the school children Santa Claus visited the Avon Elementary, Ridge Day School, Hopewell Elementary and the colored kindergarten last Friday morning and presented candy to all the little girls and boys.

The candy, which was greatly enjoyed by the children, was furnished Santa by the Avon Park Rotary Club.



Ridge Fuel To Open In New Location Jan. 2

Announcement was made last Friday that the Ridge Fuel Company will be open for

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Jr. Class Annual Magazine Subscription Sale, Feb. 3

Announcement was made that the Junior Class of Avon Park High School will participate again this coming year in their annual magazine subscription sales starting Monday, February 3.

Sponsors of the Junior Class report that this subscription sale is not to collect donations and the business firms will not be called on. Those who purchased subscriptions from the Junior Class last year and desire new subscriptions this year, or anyone else interested in subscribing to nationally known magazines are requested to call the High School office during the day or Earl Varnes at his home after school hours.

Members of the Junior Class will also tour the homes of Avon Park for those desiring to subscribe to magazines. These sales will in no way conflict with any one in Avon Park.

The Junior Class must raise a certain amount of money each year to take care of their activities. The parents of the Junior students feel that the students should participate in the raising of the funds they need and thus accept their responsibilities. The selling of magazine subscriptions aids the purchasers as well as the Junior Class. So be on the look out for them and subscribe to your favorite magazine, and if you work and know you won't be at home when they call, please phone the High School office and make an appointment for them to visit you.



Rebel Quartet To Sing Here

The famous Rebel Quartet of Tampa will be presented to the residents of this area Thursday night, January 2, 1958, by the American Legion.

"The Rebels" singing all your favorits songs will be presented in the Avon Park High School Auditorium at 8 o'clock on the evening of January 2. Tickets may be purchased from any member of the American Legion; reserved seats $1.50; adults $1.00 and students 50 cents.

Sewer Line Installed On East Walnut

The Street Department of Avon Park has installed a sewer line on East Walnut from Verona to Lake Avenue. The new sewer line was connected last week.

Material for the new line was furnished by the First Baptist Church with the City supplying only the manpower to installed the new line. This is in accord with the agreement that the City has made whereby they will furnish the labor to put down sewer lines if the residents which will be served by the new line will furnish the materials.



Jerry Meeker Heavy Weight Boxing Champion

Jerry Meeker won the heavy weight boxing championship of the University of Miami intramural boxing tournament.

To do this Jerry knocked out his first oponent in one minute of the first round, and won unanimous decisions over three other opponents.

One of his opponents was four time intramural champion, and a top contender for years in the Miami Golden Gloves, Chuck "Tigar" Allan. Allan was selected once to represent Miami in the Golden Gloves Tournament in New York City.

Jerry, a graduate of the Avon Park High School, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald W. Meeker. His father was once a famous professional wrestler but has retired from the ring and is owner of Meeker's Hit-

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Council Meeting Postponed

The regular meeting of the Avon Park City Council scheduled for tonight, December 23, has been postponed to next Monday night, December 30, at 7:30 p. m.

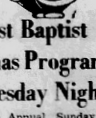


Congregational Christmas Eve Service

The Annual Christmas Eve Communion Service of the Union Congregational Church will be held by candlelight on Thuesday evening, Dec. 24

The Rev. John Pickens will conduct the service. The Rose Nativity Window, one of the two in the United States, designed by Henry Lee Willet of the Willet Studios in Philadelphia, will be lighted for this special service.

This will be an open communion and all citizens of the community are invited to attend the Christmas Eve Service.



First Baptist Xmas Program Tuesday Night

The Annual Sunday School Christmas Program of the First Baptist Church will be held Tuesday evening, Dec. 24, at 7 o'clock in the Church.

Following the program there will be a Christmas tree in the Social Hall. Carols will be sung and treats given out. All children of the church are invited to attend.

WAVP Will Broadcast "The Messiah"

A special treat for Avon Park area listeners was announced this week by WAVP for Christmas day. The station will broadcast a complete 2 hour presentation of Handel's "The Messiah".

This beautiful Christmas concert is by the New York Philharmonic Orchestra with Leonard Burnstein conducting and Adele Addison, Russell Oberlin, David Lloyd, William Warfield and the Westminister Choir as solosists.

The program sponsored by Touchton Drug Company and Eatons Department Store will be heard from 2 till 4 p. m. Christmas day over WAVP, 1390 on your dial.



Local Chamber Complimented

Four representatives from the Zephyrhills Chamber of Commerce visited the local Chamber office last Wednesday. They were highly impressed with the Chamber's bulletins and general information sheets.

The unique and colorful Christmas tree in the Chamber office really drew the visitors attention. This unusual tree is decorated with brochures from different cities of Florida and of course the brochure of Avon Park graces the top.



Fla. Ave. Baptist Church Program

The Florida Avenue Baptist Church will hold their annual Christmas Program in the Church at 7:30 on Monday, Dec. 23.

The children of the church will participate in the program and a film "The Greatest Gift" will be shown. After the program there will be treats and fellowship.

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to the meaning of the day, and the birth of our Saviour
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His gifts to us . . . the spirit of Faith and Hope,
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Engagement Announced



MISS PATRICIA JEAN STRASSBERGER

Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Kempton have announced the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Jean Strassberger, to Arthur William Shephard, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Shephard.

Miss Strasberger was valedictorian of the 1957 graduating class of the Avon Park High School. While in high school she played basketball, worked on the annual staff and was vice-president of the senior class. At present she is a member of the freshman class at Florida State University in Tallahassee.

William Shephard graduated from Avon Park High School in 1957. While in school he played football, basketball, and participated in mny other activities. He is at present employed with Mr. Grant in Zephryhills.

Plans for the wedding will be announced later.

American Legion And Auxiliary Give Xmas Party

Members of the American Legion and the Legion Auxiliary enjoyed a Covered Dish Supper and Christmas Party at the Florida Power Clubhouse on Wednesday evening, Dec. 18.

The tables were decorated with candles of many colors and a nativity scene was used as the centerpiece. After the delicious supper the guests played Bingo and exchanged gifts under a lovely Christmas tree.

During the evening a collection was taken for the American Legion Crippled Children's Hospital in St. Petersburg. The Bingo prizes were donated to this collection also.

About thirty members of the organizations enjoyed the evening together.

Sr. Woman's Club Luncheon Jan. 3

The next meeting of the Avon Park Senior Woman's Club will be their annual Luncheon Meeting at the Jacaranda Hotel on Friday, Jan 3. The time has been changed from 12:30 until 1 o'clock.

The cost of the meal will be $1.70 plus tax and it is important that members make their reservations early. Reservations may be made to Mrs. S. Elkhill, Chairman, or Mrs. Royal Coates, Co-Chairman.

Mrs. Graham Hall will be the main speaker and her topic will be "Persian Hospitality". The devotional message will be given by Mrs. F. W. Thiele.

It is urged that all members please remember to pay their dues on or before this meeting.

Engagement Announced



MISS CAROL GRAETZ

Rev. and Mrs. Herbert D. Graetz of Avon Park, Fla., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Carol to Mr. Richard Louis Fortner, III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Fortner of Mexico Beach, Florida.

The wedding will take place on Sunday evening, January 12, at seven o'clock in the Union Congregational Church of Avon Park with the bride-elect's father as the officiant.

Miss Graetz is a graduate of the Avon Park High School where she participated in the band and other extra-curricula activities. In her Junior year, she was treasurer of the class, president-elect of the Future Homemakers of America, and runner-up in an essay contest which brought her the Junior English Award. She was treasurer of her class, president of the F. H. A., and recipient of the band Arion Award in her Senior year. At graduation she received the Bailey Medal (Most thoughtful of others), and graduated as an honour student. She has completed her first year's work at Florida State University.

Mr. Fortner graduated from the Port St. Joe High School. He is a graduate of the Lively Technical Institute in Tallahassee, Fla., and has passed federal examinations and received an Airframe and Engine license from the Civil Aeronautics Administration which qualifies him for maintenance work on all types of aircraft.

After their mariags, the young couple plan to continue their education.

Barbara Chapman Honored With Going Away Party

Barbara Chapman, who has been visiting in Avon Park for the past several months, was honored with a going away party by a number of her school friends on Wednesday, Dec. 18 at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Lorant Forizs.

The boys and girls enjoyed a delicious ham and potato salad supper served by Mrs. Foriza, Emse Forizs and Mrs. Robert Duggan. After supper they danced and played games.

Barbaras friends presented her with an autograph dog and each signed it in order that she would always remember Avon Park.

There were about twenty-six boys and girls present and Zala Forizs was the host to the group.

Methodist Church News

The Welcome Class of the church held it's regular meeting and Christmas party in Wesley Hall on Tues. evening, Dec. 17.

The group planned the gifts for a needy family whom they will help with Christmas. They also brought gifts for a child to be used during the Christmas Children's Program.

Coffee and cake were served to the sixteen members present by the hostesses, Mrs. Mary Giddens and Mrs. Wiley Cothran.

Congregational Church News

The children of the Union Congregational Church enjoyed a visit from old Santa Claus, himself, on Friday, Dec. 20, in the Parish House.

After singing some Christmas songs and playing several games the boys and girls were startled by a loud knock and who should be at the door but old Santa! He had a small gift and a sack of candy for each of the delighted children.

Mrs. Fred Montsdeoca and Mrs. Kathleen Whitcomb, took charge of the program. Mrs. Doug Perry played the piano for the singing.

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Joint Installation Service Fridav Leigh Chapter And Poincianna Lodge

The public is cordially invited to attend the joint Installation Services of Leigh Chapter 85, Order of the Eastern Star, and the Poincianna Lodge, No. 227, on Friday night, December 27, at 8 o'clock in the Masonic Temple on West Main Street.

Newly elected officers of Leigh Chapter will be installed by Mrs. Ione Keen of Fort Meade. She will be assisted in the Installation Ceremony by Mrs. Florence Heath, Wauchula, who will serve as Installing Marshal; Mrs. Laura Maxcy of Frostproof, Chaplain, and Mrs. Truella Bliss, Wauchula, Installing Secretary.

Officers elected the first of December who will serve Leigh Chapter during 1958 are; Mrs. Betty Tomlinson, Worthy Matron; Grady Tomlinson, Worthy Patron; Mrs. Gladys Hagan, Associate Matron; Kenneth Lewis, Associate Patron; Mrs. Loca Stuckey, Secretary; Mrs. Reba McWilliams, Treasurer; Mrs. Betty Graham, Conductress; Mrs. Ellis, Associate Conductress; Mrs. Helen Harris, Chaplain; Mrs. Marion von Burske, Marshal; Mrs. Cleone Anderson, Warder; Mrs. Grace Blanford, Sentinel; Mrs. Mildred Harris, Ruth; Mrs. Emma Lewis, Martha; Mrs. Elizabeth Lamb, Electa; Mrs. Gladys Simcox, Esther; Mrs. Bertha Meyer, Ada; and Mrs. Dorothy Wolverton, Organist.

Gus Thomas will serve as installing officer during the Installation Service for the Poincianna Lodge, newly elected officers to be installed are, Ralph Graham, Worshipful Master; Carl McWilliams, Senior Warden; Richard Hedrick, Junior Warden; J. N. Tomlinson, Treasurer and Kenneth Lewis, Secretary.

Many Attend Leigh Chapter Christmas Party

Leigh Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star held their regular meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 17, in the Masonic Hall.

A large number of members and visitors from other chapters enjoyed the lovely Christmas tree and party. After an exchange of gifts, Worthy Matron Mrs. Carl McWilliams was honored with a Christmas gift to show appreciation for her work this year.

Leigh Chapter held a special meeting for Initatory Work on Thursday, Dec. 19.

The next regular meeting will be the installation of new officers.

Fla. Ave. Baptist Church News

The Women's Missionary Union of the Church held its December meeting and Christmas party in the Social Hall on Thursday evening, Dec. 19.

After the program during which the Christmas story was read, a business meeting took place. The group made plans for taking a basket of Christmas fruits and foods to a friend who is a shut-in. The closing prayer was given by Mrs. Estelle Reynolds.

After the meeting delicious refreshments of coffee, cold drinks and cookies were served the thirty-two members present.

First Baptist Church News

The Fidelis and Philathea Sunday School Classes had a joint Christmas party in the Social Hall on Tuesday, Dec. 17, for more than twenty members of the two classes.

Mrs. Julia Holcombe was in charge of the entertainment. The group sang Christmas carols, exchanged gifts and played games during the evening.

Punch and cookies were served the class members by Mrs. Royal Coates and her group.

The Mary Evelyn Fredenberg Circle held its December meeting on Tuesday night, Dec. 17, at the home of Mrs. W. A. Meyer.

The Circle appointed members to take care of the refreshments for the Sunbeams.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by Miss Evelyn Johns and Mrs. Willis Robinson closed the meeting with a prayer.

Mrs. Meyer served sandwiches, fruitcake and coffee to Mrs. Earl Varnes, Mrs. Emil Lahr, Miss Evelyn Johns, Mrs. Malcom Crews, Mrs. Kelly McClure, and Mrs. Willis Robinson.

Locals . .

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heim and their three children of Jacksonville will spend Christmas with Mr. William Heim. Bill Heim of Miami will also be at home for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. George Altman, Jr., and their daughter, Carrie Lisa, of Sarasota will spend Christmas with Mrs. Altman's parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Locals.....

Dr. Floyd Norton, Director of Christian Education of the Michigan Baptist Convention and Mrs. Norton of Lansing, Mich., were recent guests at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Walter B. Hilton.

Mrs. Charlotte Smith and son, Steven, of St. Petersburg are spending the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Charles Shepherd. Mrs. Shepherd, the Smiths, and Mrs. Page Shepherd will spend Christmas day in Orlando with Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Shepherd and their family.

Jerry Meeker has arrived home from Miami University to spend the holidays with his parents.

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WEEKEND DOUBLE SPECIAL
1—"THE DEERSLAYER" - James Fenimore Cooper's great Indian adventure story!
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Sunday - Monday December 29, 30
SENSATIONAL DOUBLE BILL!
1—"AMAZING COLOSSAL MAN"—Savage giant on a blood-mad rampage!
2—"The CAT GIRL" — To caress her meant DEATH!
NEW YEARS EVE MIDNIGHT SHOW
Rock-N-Roll and Teenage Terror in a King-Size Double Dose!
1—"CARNIVAL ROCK"—It SIZZLES!
1—"TEENAGE THUNDER" —Hotrod hough-house!
Doors at 11:30—60c admit!

Personal Items

The R. M. Duthies of North Forest Ave. are expecting to have as their holiday guests their son, R. E. Duthie and family, of Elkhart, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Worden, Sr. will spend Christmas Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Knowles, in Deland. Saturday they will attend the wedding and reception of Miss Suzanne Knowles in Leesburg.

Friends will be happy to know that Mattie Wilkenson is home from the hospital and recuperating from her recent illness at her home on Lake Byrd.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nebel have arrived to spend the winter on Lake Byrd.

Mrs. Lamar Stevens of Tampa spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Jane Farrell, and Mrs. John Hood, her sister-in-law. The Hood family gathered for a picnic dinner reunion on Sunday.

W. A. Williams.

Laura Scott of Albany, Ga., is staying with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Tondee, while attending high school here this year.

Mr. Grady Pate of Sebring and Avon Park is in Walker Memorial Hospital after undergoing emergency surgery last week. He is doing well and will be home for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Wells and daughter, Jane, will leave Thursday to spend a week with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Watts and their four children, Cheryl, Chuck, Chanda, and Chipley in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pate spent last weekend in Lakeland with their son and daughter-in-law. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Pate but returned for Christmas at home with their family.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thayer left Sunday to spend Christmas in Jacksonville with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles George.

Jack Thompson, United State Marine Corps, of Thomasville, Ga. is spending a few days with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack DeLaney. The DeLaney family and Jack will leave Christmas eve for Thomasville, to spend Christmas with Mrs. G. C. Thompson, Jack and Mrs. DeLaney's mother.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Gilbreath and their daughter, Paulette, will spend Christmas in Lake Wales with her mother, Mrs. J. O. Dorough, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Gilbreath.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Luttrell and their daughter, Beverly, of Washington, D. C., are spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, The Rev. and Mrs. Wilmer O. Luttrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis and their son, Alan, of Naples, and Mr. and Mrs. Reed Hase and their son, Reed, will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crews. Mrs. Hase is Mrs. Crew's sister and Frank Davis is her brother.

Mrs. H. A. Steinmeyer of Sanford will spend the Christmas holidays with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lee, and their family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Lee of Enterprise, and Mrs. Aldeen Taylor and her daughters, Susan and Beth, of Sanford, spent last weekend with their son and brother and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Johnson of Clearwater spent last weekend as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Ford at their home on Lake Lotela.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Goff and their children, Patty and John, will spend the Christmas holidays in Alachua with Mrs. Goff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Martin, former residents of Avon Park and now of South Bay, will spend Christmas with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carnes of Sebring, and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin DeShong and their children, Jan and Jay, will spend Christmas in Lakeland with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Johnston of Lake Viola, Lakeside Heights, have their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Raab, and grandson, Lane, of Indianapolis, Ind. with them for the holidays.

1st Lt. and Mrs. Gene Cruse and their daughter, Debbie, of Ft. Bragg, N. C. arrived Monday to spend the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Ford. Mrs. Cruse is the former Betty Rose Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Durrah Martin and their daughter, Patsy spent the weekend with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Martin, and their grandson, Bill, in Pompano Beach.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Collins during the Christmas holidays will be their children, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Collins of the University of Florida, Julius Collins, also of Gainesville, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Collins of Deerfield Beach, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wynn of Holy Hill.

The Staff of the Florida Congregational Christmas Conference held their annaul Christmas party with dinner at Griffen's Restaurant on Friday night with dessert and fellowship at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Maldwyn Parry afterwards. Those attending were Superintendent and Mrs. Robbins Ralph, Dr. and Mrs. William Tuttle, The Rev. and Mrs. John Pickens, The Rev. and Mrs. Parry, Mr. and Mrs. Brady Hopson, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hummon.

Miss Delores Martin, who is living with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Smith, and attending Avon Park High School, is spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Martin in South Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlin King and their children, Bub, Arlene, and Kathy, will spend Christmas in Ft. Lauderdale with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee Goodbread.

Weston New of Orlando will spend the Christmas Holidays with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Skipper.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Futch and their children, Jinny, Paul, and Earl, Jr., will leave Tuesday to spend Christmas in Jacksonville visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Futch, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. West.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Collins celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary on Dec. 22 with a supper at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. McClure. A number of their other children were present for this happy occasion.

Miss Pat Lagohi and her brother, Louis Lagoni, will spend Christmas in Orlando with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Lagoni, former residents of Avon Park.

Mrs. Louise Welden and her son, James Welden of Moultrie Ga., will spend Christmas with Mrs. Welden's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Godwin, Jr.

The Rev. and Mrs. Maldwyn Parry held a Christmas Open House at their home on Lake Byrd on Sunday afternoon for their neighbors and nearby friends.

Mrs. John Giddens, Jr., and Miss Faye Watford attended the Christmas Dance at Florida Military School as guests of Mike Giddens on last Wednesday night. Mike returned home with them on Thursday to spend the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. James Montgomery and their sons of Toledo, Ohio, arrived Sunday to spend the holidays with Mrs. Montgomery's mother, Mrs. Charles Baker.

Mrs. Agnes Schwabauer of Chicago, Ill., is spending the winter with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dunn. Herbert Schwabauer, Mrs. Dunn's brother, is also visiting with the Dunns at present.

Miss Delores Stokey arrived home Friday from FSU in Tallahassee to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Stokey.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crittenden and their daughter, Laurie, left Friday to spend their Christmas vacation visiting his parents and her parents in Shellman, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Howard and their son, Roger, of Winston-Salem, N. C., and Mrs. Ocona Foxworth and her daughter of Tampa will be the guests of Mrs. Howard's and Mrs. Foxworth's mother, Mrs. G. D. Godwin, Sr., for Christmas.

Dr. and Mrs. Overley of Ft. Thomas, Ky. have arrived at the Avon Park Campground.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Burris of Coshocton, Ohio who are at the campground received word of the death of a grandchild at Coshocton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lickfelt and son Robert of Lansing, Mich. have arrived at their home on Lake Letta. Bob will return to the University of Michigan at Lansing soon.

Rev. E. E. Shiltz and son Jerome is spending Christmas at Lakeland.

Two more houses have been started on the Avon Park campground, one on Anoka and the other on Palmetto. Four other houses have been started since the last encampment.

Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Taylor of Elberton, Georgia have not been able to return to Avon Park, Mrs. Taylor has been seriously ill.

Guests of Mrs. Edna Jackson for the Christmas holidays are Mr. and Mrs. James H. Stutz and their children, Sarah Jane and Jimmy, of Toledo, Ohio. Mrs. Stutz, who is Mrs. Jackson's niece, and her family arrived Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kangeter of Haines City will spend Christmas with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Giddens. Nancy Giddens is visiting the Kangeters at present but will return home with them for Christmas.

Mrs. L. A. Stewart returned last week from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Velma Moseley, in West Palm Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crider and their sons, Tommie and Jimmie, of Rochester, N. Y. are spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Webb Hazen. Mrs. Crider is Mr. Hazen's d*aughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Mazolli and their daughter, Linda of Orlando will arrive Christmas to spend the day with her mother, Mrs. Webb Hazen.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stodden and their children, Bonnie and Anita, of Orlando will spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McCabe. and his mother, Mrs. H. Stodden.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Kelsey for Christmas will be their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Terrell and their daughter, Kay, of Pensacola.

Births

Born to Warrant Officer and Mrs. Royal G. Lamb a son weighing 8 pounds at Fort Lawton, Seattle, Washington. Mother and baby doing fine. The baby is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lamb of Avon Park.

WALKER MEMORIAL

To Mr. and Mrs. Billie Clark Cason a daughter, Lee Anne, born December 16. Birth weight 7 pounds, 2 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Johnston of Wauchula a son, Charles Alan, born December 16. Birth weight 8 pounds, ounce.

To Mr. and Mrs. James P. Turnbull a son, Raleigh Henry, born December 17. Birth weight 7 pounds, 8 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lewis Brassell a daughter, Teresa Ruth, born December 17. Birth weight 6 pounds, 7 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Percy Lee Manley, Jr. of Zolfo Springs a daughter, Fatti Elaine, born December 17. Birth weight 7 pounds, 7 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. James Leonard Womble of Sebring a daughter, Carol Lynn, born December 18. Birth weight 5 pounds, 8 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Terrance Kenneth Fieck a son, Lawrence Dexter, born December 19. Birth weight 8 pounds.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Massey of Clewiston a son John Wesley, Jr., born December 21. Birth weight 6 pounds.

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Soil Conservation News

By Sam Polston

The Highlands Soil Conservation District assisted several cooperators in developing complete conservation farm plans. Among them were N. B. Jackson of Venus and Gerald Springer of Sebring. Mr. Springer plans to develop 760 acres of organic land in the Upper Fisheating Creek Marsh area to improved Pasture. He will plant a variety of grasses such as pangola, Argentine bahia in mixture with clover. Mr. Jackson will develop about 180 acres of flatwoods land to improved pasture. 100 acres will be planted to pangola grass and clover mixture and 80 acres to Pensacola bahia grass.

Forest Pearce of Okeechobee planted 80 acres of Pensacola bahia and bubam clover mixture this week on flatwoods land on his ranch at Lorida. Mr. Rollie Murray of Sebring planted 10 acres of Pensacola bahia grass on flatwoods land this week and 70 acres of clover-bahia last week.

The Soil Conservation Service assisted Mr. John G. DuPuis, Jr. of Miami in staking out a 4000 acre combination drainage and seepage irrigation system on his ranch at Venus this week. The area will be planted to improve pasture grasses in the near future.

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Deadline Dates For State Fair Entries

Tampa—Importance of deadline dates for entries in the Beef and Cattle Shows at the 1958 Florida State Fair was emphasized today by J. C. Huskisson, general manager.

Entries for Beef cattle close December 15, 1957, and for Dairy cattle, January 13, 1958.

Showing of the two groups again will be divided, as it was this year, during the eleven days of the 1958 Fair which will run from February 4 through 15.

First to be shown will be Dairy cattle, confined to Ayrshire, Guernsey, Holstein and Jersey breeds, from Feb. 4 through Feb. 8. Prize money totaling $10,916 is offered by the Florida State Fair association. Special awards include $250 from the Ayrshire Breeders association. Open to all breeds in the 10-year-old cow class is a $272 award from the Florida Feed Dealers association.

"We expect the 1958 Dairy Cattle Show to be the largest in the Fair's 53-year history," said Mr. Huskisson, "and for judging we have chosen an outstanding authority in this field, C. Hilton Boynton of Durham, New Hampshire."

Showing of Beef cattle will run during the Fair's second week, Feb. 10 through 15. Judges will be Professor Robert A. Long from the University of Georgia, at Athens, and Donald L. Wakeman of the University of Florida, at Gainesville.

Five beef cattle breeds — Aberdeen-Angus, Braham, Hereford, Santa Gertrudis and Shorthorn — will be entered in the 1958 competitions. Two additional breeds, Charolaise and Brangus, are being entered for exhibition purposes only.

Competitive exhibitors in the Beef cattle show will vie for a grand total of $13,663 in cash awards, of which $11,000 is being offered by the Fair and $2,663 by breeders associations.

All preliminary arrangements for the Beef and Dairy cattle shows at the 1958 Fair, including processing of entries, again is being handled by M. E. Tweddell, assistant manager of the Fair, with Elton Hinton again serving as Dairy and Beef superintendent.

Four-Laning Of U. S. 1 66 Per Cent Complete

The four-laning of U. S. 1 from the Georgia line to Florida City, is now 66 per cent complete for a distance of 265 miles, Wilbur E. Jones, chairman of the State Road Department, reported today.

Jones said 53 miles are now under construction and an additional 83 miles are in the current budget.

When fully completed, the four-laning of this heavily travelled highway, will total 401 miles through 12 east coast counties.

Following is the status of four-laning by counties:

Nassau: 12.32 miles completed; 10.10 miles budgeted.

Duval: 34.10 miles completed.

St. Johns: 15.56 miles completed; 2.60 miles budgeted; 14.59 miles expected to be completed about January, 1958.

Flager: 11.48 miles completed; 7.30 miles expected to be completed about June, 1958; 4.91 miles expected to be completed about April, 1958.

Volusia: 25.91 miles completed; 5.62 miles budgeted; 5.08 miles expected to be completed about March, 1958; 6.40 miles expected to be completed about June, 1958.

Brevard: 21.97 miles completed; 24.31 budgeted; and portions of another 24.77 miles budgeted.

Indian River: 5.30 miles completed; 6 miles in budget; 7.91 miles expected to be completed about May, 1958.

St. Luice: 17.57 miles completed.

Martin: 13.81 miles completed; 4.50 miles budgeted; 3.51 miles expected to be completed about January, 1958.

Palm Beach: 42.07 miles completed; 5.39 miles budgeted.

Broward: 24.59 miles completed.

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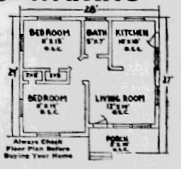

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That the parties interested in said business enterprise are as follows:
Cleo M. Hovey and Minnie Hovey.
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Pub. Dec. 5, 12, 19, 26

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Senator Spessard Holland

ON THE MARCH - Throughout my travels the rapid growth and development of Florida was evident. Home and business building is flourishing. New churches, schools, hospitals, libraries, public utilities and other structures necessary to full community life are being built as rapidly as possible; many miles of fine new highways have been built, are in course of construction, or are in the planning stage.

Most noticeable is the tremendous industrial development that is taking place. Industrial plants, large and small, are springing up rapidly. It was my pleasure to inspect a few of them, including the great Pratt Whitney plant being built near West Palm Beach, the Glenn Martin plant near Orlando which was dedicated December 4; the American Cyanimid Co. plant still a building, Escambia Chemical Corporation and Columbia National Corporation plants, all three near Milton, in Santa Rosa County. The last named is already producing from ore mined in Florida, Zirconium, a metal important in the atomic energy field. These new Santa Rosa County industries, added to the already large industrial concentration in neighboring Escambia County, are completely changing the economy of an area in Florida which heretofore has primarily been agricultural.

MORE IMPORTANT GROWTH - While Florida's material growth is a source of satisfaction to us all, more gratifying is the equally rapid progress our people are making in these things which, basically are more important to good living. Everywhere I found Floridians bending every effort to insure that the cultural, spiritual, health and educational values in their communities keep pace with the great expansion in population and material growth. This is the proper course if we are to maintain our appeal for good people from other parts of the country. Florida's future is truly bright and it is the responsibility of each of us to help keep it that way.

DATES AND PLACES - In a previous report I stated my itinerary through November 2. From that date to December 2 the schedule was completed as follows: Nov. 4--Orlando: Jaycee Luncheon, Orlando Book Fair, Parade of Homes; Nov. 5--Tampa: Rotary, Chamber of Commerce Congressional Action Committee; Nov. 6--Conferences in Bartow office; Nov. 7--Bartow: Annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet & Installation Night; Nov. 8--Mandarin Community Club; Nov. 9--Jacksonville: University of Florida Alumni Breakfast, Florida-Georgia Game; Nov. 10--Jacksonville: Conference with Waterways group, Farm Bureau Federation Convention, JayCee TV Panel program; Nov. 11--Panama City: Veterans Day celebration, Visit to new Panama City Junior College; Nov. 12--Pensacola: Rotary, Chamber of Commerce, Congressional Action Committee, Escambia County Chapter, U of F Alumni Association; Nov. 13--Milton: Kiwanis, Visit to new Santa Rosa County Industrial plants; Nov. 14-15--Atlanta: Meeting Board of Trustees Emory University, inauguration of new President of Emory; Nov. 16--Hunting turkeys with friends near Jacksonville (the Turkeys saw me first); Nov. 18--Daytona Beach: Florida League of Municipalities; Nov. 19--St. Petersburg: State Chamber of Commerce, Panel Program, Gulf Beaches Rotary; Nov. 20--Lake Wales: Reception and Dinner for visiting German Food Purity team; Nov. 20-- Conferences in Bartow office; Nov. 21--Haines City: Chamber of Commerce annual banquet; Nov. 22-Orlando: Kiwanis, inspection of new Glenn Martin plant; Nov. 23--Tampa: Florida Citizenship Clearing House at University of Tampa; Nov. 24--Stuart: Dedication of new Martin County Library; Nov. 25--Bartow: Office conferences; Nov. 26--Lakeland: Florida Southern College Convocation: Evening at Plant City: Kiwanis, Farmers Night banquet; Nov. 27--Tampa: Kiwanis, Tampa Tobacco Table annual banquet; Nov. 28--Thanksgiving at home in Bartow; Nov. 29--Miami: Dedication of new Southern Branch of the Florida Baptist Childrens Home at Kendall; "Cracker Politics" Awards Program, meeting with Chamber of Commerce Congressional Action Committee and with maritime interests; Nov. 30--Miami: U of F Alumni Breakfast & Executive Council meeting, Dade County Young Democrats Barbecue, Florida-Miami Game.

MERRY CHRISTMAS - Mary and I and my staff all wish for you and yours a Merry Christmas and a full measure of health, happiness and prosperity throughout 1958.

Applications For Marriage Licenses

Applications on file at Mervin Rehrer, County Judges office include:
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Arnold Eugene Belcher, Sebring and Alice Petro, Sebring.
Charles L. Roux, Gainesville and Sarah Shaw, Miami.
Perry Cullen Smith, Sebring, and Margaret D. Taylor. Avon Park.
Andrew Walstene Dutton, Jr., Sebring, and Anne Petro, Sebring.
Fred Youngblood, Frostproof and Elizabeth Virginia Morrison, Frostproof.
Colored:
Sabe Moore, Atlanta, Ga., and Oretha Ray, St. Petersbur.
Archie Smith, Lake Placid and Pauline Epps, Lake Placid
Julius Pollard, Sebring, and Onie Fay Pitts, Sebring.

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Tips for Safe Holiday Trips

By Jeanne Smith, Dodge Safety Consultant

PLANNING a holiday trip to visit the family or friends? Don't spoil the reunion with an accident on the highway. Safety experts point out that there are more hazards threaten a safe journey at this season than at any other time of the year.

Inclement weather and more hours of darkness make visibility poor and highways treacherous. And the holiday spirit often causes drivers to be less alert than usual.



Miss Smith

For a safe and pleasant trip, follow these suggestions from the National Safety Council:

1. Plan your trip so that as much of the driving as possible will be accomplished during the daylight hours.
2. Postpone your trip if the weather is bad or if hail, snow or sleet are predicted for the area in which you plan to drive. Consult the weather bureau for a forecast if you're in doubt.
3. Drive slowly and cautiously. Wet, slippery roads increase emergency stopping distances.
4. Assume that there are icy or wet patches on seemingly dry pavement — especially around curves, beyond hillcrests, on bridges and in shaded spots—and drive accordingly.
5. Be certain your car is in top mechanical condition before attempting any sort of trip. Check windshield wipers, defrosters, headlights, tail lights, brakes and tires. Use reinforced tire chains when the road is covered with snow or ice.
6. If you drink, don't drive.

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Last Rites Held Saturday For Jesse J. Price

Jesse J. Price, 59, passed away suddenly Wednesday night, December 18. Mr. Price, a local merchant, was a native of McCrae, Ga., and came to Avon Park from Knoxville, Tenn. 12 years ago.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Nellie Price of Avon Park; four daughters, Mrs. Betty Rivers of England, Mrs. Jo Ann Cogburn of Wauchula, Johnnie Sue Price and Jennie Price Avon Park; one son, Jesse Price, Avon Park; one sister, Mrs. Sallie Howe, Ashburn, Ga., and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon in the Mizelle Funeral Home Chapel with The Rev. Bill F. Robinson officiating, and interment in Bougainvillea Cemetery.

Pallbearers were H. O. Murphy, H. J. Murphy, H. L. McCully, Louie Swiston, Hubert Sadler and R. Elder.

Mizelle Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.



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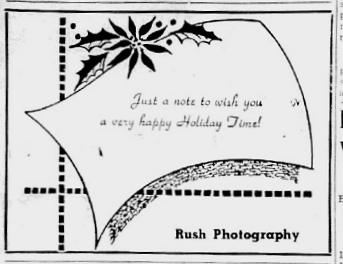

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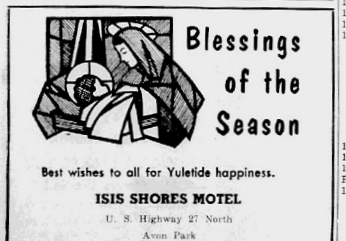

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Professional people and community leaders interested in attending should make requests for scholarship applications before January 6, to the Educational Director, Florida Alcoholic Rehabilitation Program, P. O. Box 1147, Avon Park.

Floyd Theatres Make Personell Changes

Mr. Robert Carr former manager of the Sevon Drive In Theatre has accepted a position with the Southern Life and accident Insurance Company. Mr Carr will move to Avon Park where he will take over the Avon Park and Frostproof debit.

Mr. Stanley Butler formerly projectionist at the Florida Theatre, Sebring has been transferred to the Sevon Drive In as Manager.

Mr. Calvin Perdue from Greenville, Alabama will assume duties at The Florida Theatre as projectionist.

Meikrowave .....

—By Don Meikeljohn

Florida's tax situation is in the same boat as the miler that breaks the world's record, but still loses the race.

Although the sales tax—the bread and butter tax of state government—is soaring to new records, it is still lagging behind the predicted amounts.

This may call for some sharp reductions in state spending.

State officials haven't pushed the panic button as yet, but they are keeping a sharp eye on the sales tax collections. After the December returns are in, some careful study of the sales tax structure is in line.

The problem boils down to this:

To meet the appropriations, the sales tax has to bring in about 52 per cent more than it did before the new sales tax went into effect.

So far, the increase has only been 39 per cent.

In other words, in the first five months, the sales tax is lagging some 13 per cent behind the expected amounts. It will take a big upswing to bring the percentages up.

Some folks tend to pass it off by saying, "Oh well, Christmas sales will bring it up," but they forget that in dealing with percentages, you would have to have a tremendous increase to make up the 13 percent from previous months.

From a money point of view, it means that the state must collect an average of $14,300,000 in each of the seven remaining months from the sales tax to stay on sound ground.

Otherwise, the State Budge Commission must begin cutting services or delaying buildings.

Sales tax collections in November were a record-breaking $11,111,615, but despite the record this was about $900,000 below predicted amounts.

At the same time, the sales tax take in the first five months of the fiscal year was just over $50,000,000—about $4,750,000 shy of predictions.

Comptroller Ray E. Green, who warned against too enthusiastic predictions on the sales tax income during talk on new taxes, says the big factor in the slump so far is in the building trades. This source produces roughly about 28 per cent of the revenuts.

Home construction is definitely off, and this in turn affects taxes in many ways. Construction workers don't have as much money to spend on taxable items, less taxable material is purchased, and allied sales for such things as appliances slack off.

Another significant trend is that the building industry shifts more to public works projects, on which the building materials are tax exempt in many cases.

A vicious cycle.

Green pointed out that the problem is not local. Other states, including New York, are experiencing similar difficulty. They too are also keeping a sharp eye on the sales tax returns—plus keeping the budget cutting ax sharpe.

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Harvey, the capitol cat that writes with his tail, took the day off and tagged along on a tour of the St. Regis Paper Company's seedling nursery and huge paper mill in Jacksonville. He has this to say:

The Cat's Meow
By Harvey

On my trip to Jacksonville, I met a fellow from Fitzgerald, Ga., who says they solved the probem of friction between Georgia Crakers and Yankees.

It seems Fitzgerald was formed back after the Civil War or War Between the States—take your pick - by some Yankees, who formed a colony. They put $10 in a pot and drew parcels of land.

After all these years, the Yankees have been absorbed by the Crackers, and they have a motto for the town that goes, "Fitzgerald, Ga., In Central South Georgia Where the Crackers and the Yankees Built is Wisely."

Some of the offsprings of the original settlers still live in Fitzgerald, and this fellow tells me, "Why, we don't even know the difference anymore."

Basketball Season To Open January 7

The Avon Park High School Devilettes wound up the third week of practice with the selection of fourteen girls for the A-string out of one of the largest groups of girls to turn out for baskeball in some time.

Only one senior, Ann Rowland, returned to the varsity. Ann was high scorer last year, averaging around twenty-five points per game. Six juniors returned to the squad this year. Gueldo Gaster, Frankie Thorp, Charlotte Albritton, Mary Lois Roberts, Pat Tondee and Betty Shepord. These girls all lettered last year and form the nucleus of the 57-58 Devilette Team. They will be bolstered with some new talent-sophomores Margie Reynolds, Mirlam Francisco and Clytee Coleman; and freshsmen Freda Bennett, Cecelia Weinzirl, Hattie Leighton and Tura Ann DeLaney.

The girls have been working very hard in practice and they hope to better their last year's record of eight losses and two wins. They look good in practice and from all reports will be able to wipe last years record out of the way with some fine playing.

Sally Sayers is the girls manager and Salie Harrison is scorekeeper. All girls home games on Tuesday nights will be at 7:00 p. m. and Friday night games will be at 7:30 p. m. Boy's games will follow.

The basketball schedule:

Jan. 7 - Lake Placid, There, A - B Girls.
Jan. 10 - Sebring, Home, A - B Girls.
Jan. 14 - Ft. Meade, There, A - B Girls.
Jan. 17 - Mulberry, Home, A Girls.
Jan. 21 - Frostproof, There, A - B Girls.
Jan. 24 - Lake Placid, Home, A - B Girls.
Jan. 28 - Lake Wales, Home, A - B (boys only)
Jan 31 - Arcadia, Home, A - B (boys only)
Feb. 4 - Frostproof, Home, A - B Girls.
Feb. 7 - Kathleen, There A Girls.
Feb. 11 - Ft. Meade, Home, A - B Girls.
Feb. 14 - Mulberry, There, A Girls.
Feb. 18 - Kissimmee, Home, A Girls.
Feb. 21 - Sebring, There, A - B Girls.
Feb. 28 - Kathleen, Here, A Girls.

Radio Station WAVP Schedule

Monday Through Saturday
5:00 a.m. Breakfast In The Barnyard
6:00 a.m. Orangeland Express
7:30 a.m. News Roundup
8:00 a.m. Orangeland Express
9:00 a.m. Coffee Break
11:00 a.m. Charlies Workshop
12:00 News Roundup
12:15 p.m. Jack Delaney
12:20 p.m. Roadside Chapel
12:30 p.m. Tater Charlie
2:00 p.m. Jims Corner
5:00 p.m. Sundown Serenade
Sunday
7:00 a.m. Easy Listening
8:00 a.m. Baptist Hour
8:30 a.m. Lawrence Welk Orch.
9:00 a.m. Voice Of Prophecy
9:30 a.m. Music For Sunday
11:00 a.m. Church Services
12:00 Sammy Kaye Orch.
12:30 p.m. Sunday News Roundup
12:45 p.m. Novelty Time
1:00 p.m. Sunday Concert
1:30 p.m. Just Beautiful Music
3:00 p.m. Billy Graham
3:30 p.m. Just Beautiful Music
News every hour on the hour: Headlines each half hour.

Ridge—

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business in their new location in the Brickell Building, 1 South Lake Avenue, on Thursday, January 2, 1958. For years Ridge Fuel Company has had its office in the Jacaranda Building.

The Ridge Fuel Company, distributors of Green's Fuel, has been in business in Avon Park since 1935 and is the only distributor of Green's Fuel in Highlands County.

In the new store will be a complete line of gas appliances, including stoves, automatic water heaters, heaters and refrigerators.

o'clock and plan to sing at different places until 8:30.

The Scouts membership cards will be given out at the next meeting on Thursday, Jan. 9. Miss Sally Nute and Miss Connie Booth, of Avon Park High School, are now assisting the Scout leaders, Mrs. Bob Lee and Mrs. N. H. Booth. Mrs. Garland Kelly visited the girls at their meeting on Thursday.

The troop committee had prepared the girls a lovely Christmas party at the Clubhouse with a delicious hamburger supper. The Scouts had a Christmas tree, exchanged gifts, and played games. Mrs. Floyd Wells, Mrs. Arlin King, Mrs. Mannin Kirkland, and Mrs. Robert Barben took charge of the party and all the mothers helped.

Girl Scout News

Thirty-five Girl Scouts enjoyed a Christmas supper and party at the Florida Power Club house on Thursday, Dec. 19, after their regular meeting.

During the meeting the girls wrapped the gifts that they had made for their parents. Sonia Lawrence received her pin and became a member of the Girl Scouts. The Scouts then practiced singing Christmas carols as they plan to go carolling on Christmas eve. They will meet on the corner by the Methodist Church at 7

Bridge Club Has Christmas Dinner Party

Members of the Supper Bridge Club enjoyed a Progressive Dinner and Christmas Party Monday night, December 16, with Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Reeves of Wauchula, former members of the Club, as special guests.

Members met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Betts for the first course and from there went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Keller. Serving as hostesses with Mrs. Keller were Mrs. Doug Perry, Mrs. J. Paul Garber and Mrs. Bee Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Worden were hosts to the Club for dessert and coffee, after which an exchange of gifts was held. All enjoyed the beautiful Christmas tree and decorations. Prize for the evening was won by Dr. Reeves.

Do You Have

Have you filled the candy dishes for Christmas, if not try these quick and easy recipes and you are sure to get wonderful results.

QUICK FONDANT
2/3 cup (½ 15-oz. can) Eagle Brand Sweetened Condensed Milk.
1 teaspoon vanilla extract.
4 cups sifted confectioners' sugar.

Blend together Eagle Brand Sweetened Condensed Milk and vanilla. Gradually add confectioners' sugar while mixing until smooth and creamy. Use this fondant between nut meats or as a stuffing for dates; or form into small balls and roll in chopped nut meats, shredded coconut, grated chocolate, candied fruit. Or flavor and color the fondant as desired and form into round flat candies.

CHOCOLATE PEANUT CLUSTERS
½ lb. sweet chocolate.
2/3 cup (½ 15-oz. can) Eagle Brand Sweetened Condensed Milk.
1 cup whole peanuts.

Melt chocolate in top of double boiler over boiling water. Remove from heat. Add Eagle Brand Sweetened Condensed Milk and peanuts and mix well. Drop by teaspoonfuls onto buttered baking sheet or plate. Chill for several hours before serving.

October Sales Tax Shows Big Increase

November sales tax collections, based on October sales, totalled $11,111,615, an increase of $3,408,120, 44.2 per cent, over the $7,703,494 collected for the same month last year, and an increase of $936,362, 9.2 per cent, over the $10,175,253 collected the previous month this year. This is the highest monthly collection in the history of the sales tax in Florida.

Total sales tax collections for the five months this fiscal year (four months under the expanded tax) amounts to $50,194,592, an increase of $14,047,380, 38.9 per cent, over the $36,147,212 collected last fiscal year at this same time under the "Old" tax.

Although this month's collections fall below expectations (the percentage increase this November over last November of 44.2 per cent is slightly under the increase this October over last October of 46.9 per cent) the overall increase for the five months this year over last year of 38.9 per cent is a gain of 1.5 per cent over the first four months last year.) The big collection months are still to come and it is too early to make any accurate prediction about the adequacy or inadequacy of sales tax returns. The January collections, which will reflect Christmas season sales and the beginning of the winter tourist season, will give us a better picture of our financial position.

Gasoline tax collections dur-

Rotary News

Attorney Ernie Breed of Sebring explained the duties, responsibility and qualifications of a juror to members of the Rotary Club during the luncheon meeting Wednesday, December 18, at the Jacaranda Hotel. He stated that anyone selected for jury duty and serving as a juror should not prejudge the case before all facts are put before them. He explained how the attorneys questioned the jurors while they were being selected and why. He briefly outlined the courtroom procedure one might encounted when called as a juror.

Visiting Rotarians last week were Louis H. Nebel, Sturgeon Bay, Wis.; Harold Runyan, Cattletsburg, Ky.; Dr. John Cox, Chattahoochee; A. M. Rose, Marion, S. C.; Bob Gay, Arcadia; Nat Porter, Fort Myers; E. F. Armstrong, Hicksville, Ohio; Richard Dutton, Sebring; Dick Dressel, Miami and Alec Robinson, Orlando.

Mrs. Anna Belle Worden was the guest of Doug Perry last week and Nimrod Frazier, Montgomery, Ala. was the guest or Lorant Foriz; Ralph Davis of Frostproof was the guest of Donn Duncan.

C. R. Ginn, on behalf of the Club, presented a Christmas gift to Miss Marcia Bilbee in appreciation of her serving as pianist to the Club for the past year.

Hunting Allowed Every Day From Dec. 25—Jan. 2

Tallahassee.—Holiday hunting will be allowed every day December 25 through January 2 in all districts of Florida, according to A. D. Aldrich, director, Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission.

Hunters will have their choice of 13 major game species during the holiday period. Deer, turkey, bear, panther, quail, squirrel, rabbit, duck, geese, snipe, coot, woodcock and dove will all be legal game except in certain areas where special restrictions on deer and turkey prevail. Dove hunting closes December 29.

Deer may be hunted in all counties, except Washington, Holmes, Hardee, Manatee, Sarasota, Pinellas, DeSoto, Alachua, Bradford, Union, Gilchrist and Clay counties, and portions of Escambia, Santa Rosa, Polk, Hillsborough, Baker, Nassau, Columbia and Suwannee counties. Monroe County closed to Key Deer.

Turkey may be hunted in all counties except Hardee, Pinellas, Manatee, Sarasota, DeSoto, Alachua, Bradford, Clay and Union counties, and portions of Hernando, Polk, Hillsborough, Baker, Nassau, Columbia and Suwannee counties.

After January 2, hunting seasons, for all other than deer, panther and bear, revert to pre-holiday schedule, with hunting of resident game animals allowed on Saturdays, Sundays, Wednesdays and Thursdays in the Second and Fifth Districts, and every day in the remaining three Districts. Deer, bear and panther hunting closes statewide one-half hour after sunset January 2.

Hunting of migratory game birds—ducks, geese, snipe,, coot woodcock and dove is allowed every day throughout the state with dove hunting closing a sunset December 29.

Aldrich made a special plea to all hunters to obey the game laws and observe the rules of hunting and field safety.

Glamour Towel Gift



WHAT A DELIGHTFUL way to give towels—they're packed in a brass magazine rack! Handsome enough to grace your living room, this rack encloses two full-size, superlative quality Cannon bath towels, two matching fringed miniature fingertip towels and two wash cloths. Wide bands of luxurious satin ribbon, ornamented with metallic leaves, highlight this set. It's cost—under six dollars and looks much more expensive.

Dinosaurs ranged from house cat size to monsters 90 feet long weighing 40 tons.

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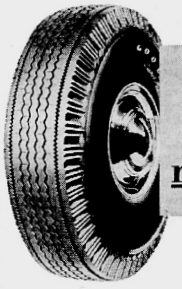

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Merry Christmas



May the coming of Christmas reveal again the true spiritual import of the blessed Nativity.

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Our best wishes to one and all for a very merry Christmas!

BEN HILL GRIFFIN, INC.
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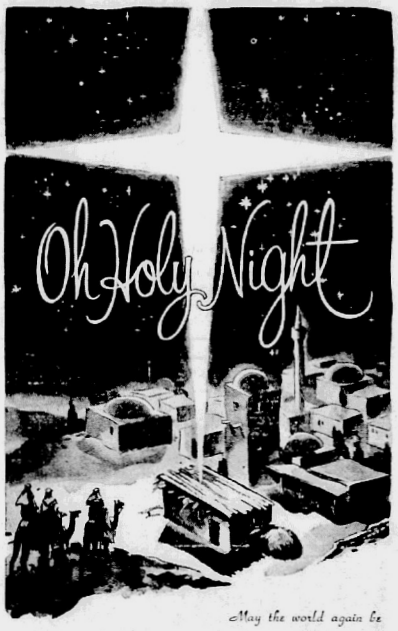

May the world again be blessed by the beautiful message of peace and good will that was born in the little town of Bethlehem so long ago.

Walker Memorial Sanitarium and Hospital

With the coming of the Christmas season, we extend to our friends the sincere wish that their holiday will be enriched with many blessings.



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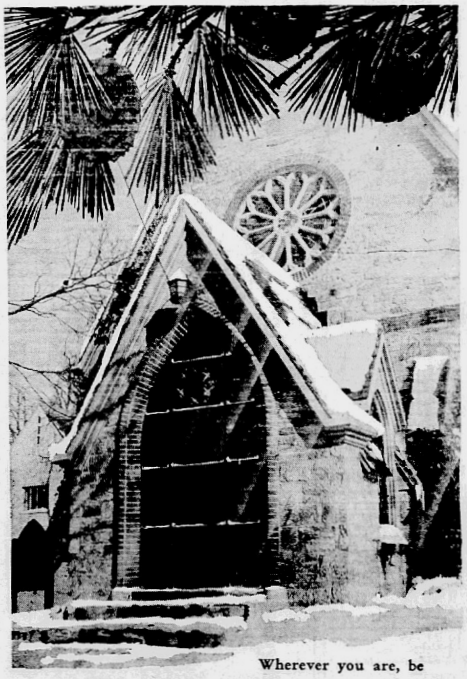

Wherever you are, be it in your home or the church of your choice, may your day be filled with the gladness of the Yuletide spirit.

WELLS MOTOR CO.
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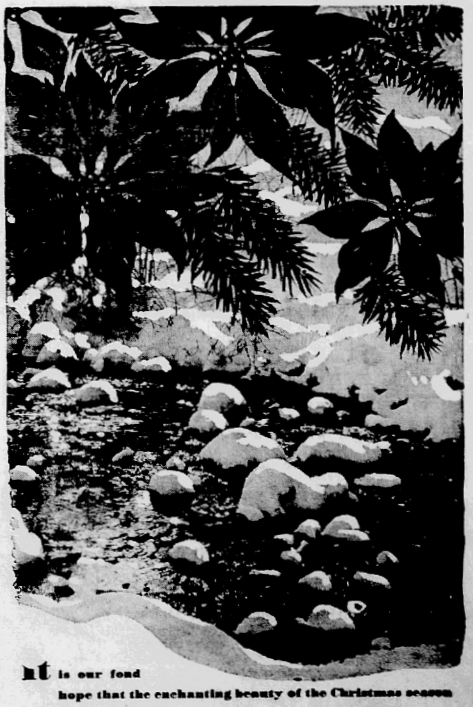

It is our fond hope that the enchanting beauty of the Christmas season will be mirrored in happiness for you and your family.

WAVP RADIO STATION
AVON PARK

SEASON'S GREETINGS TO ALL



Wishing one and all a
gay and festive Christmas!
KIRKLAND'S GROCERY
And MARKET



The jolly snowman brings you our warmest wish for a happy holiday!

Griffin's Restaurant



DeLANEY HARDWARE
Your Friendly Hardware Store



BEST WISHES
to all our friends for a
gay, colorful Christmas season.
Hall Dry Cleaners
Sebring — Serving Avon Park



In the Spirit of the Season...

For us, each Christmas takes on added meaning and extra warmth as we view the holiday scene that is so richly endowed with the happy memories of your friendship! May we take this opportunity to wish you – our many friends – all the many blessings of this holy time . . . rich in the spirit of happiness, good health and the very best of everything!

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
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Christmas
IS A FAMILY AFFAIR



It is as it should be — many of us remember the happiest times in our lives — when our families came from far and wide to share this day of happiness; and so today, it is our hope that you find the wondrous spirit of Christmas in the heart of your family . . . to you and your loved ones—we wish a Very Merry Christmas.

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SEASON'S BEST WISHES TO ALL



May the inspiration
of Christmas open the way to a new era
of peace and understanding among men.

Meadows Model Cleaners



May the true meaning of
Christmas dawn once again
and bring its blessings to the world.

Jacaranda Hotel and Coffee Shop



Aglow with
Christmas Cheer

. . . Our fondest wish to our friends for
all the radiant joy of a happy holiday.

Jordon & Son, Jewelers

19 W. Main St. Avon Park



*May the blessings of peace and
good will be yours at Christmas!*

JAHNA AVON PARK READY - MIX, INC.



We wish to extend
to you, our faithful customers, the
heartiest good wishes and the most sincere of blessings
for the holiday season and the entire coming year.

HIGHLANDS COCA-COLA BOTTLING COMPANY



We wish for you all the happy hustle
and bustle of a traditional Yuletide!

I take this means to express my sincere appreciation to my many friends and customers who have made it possible for my business to prosper.

May the blessings of peace and good will be yours during this Christmas Holiday season.

MARY CARTER PAINT STORE
Charles Kackley, Maneger
Sebring, Florida

MERRY CHRISTMAS



MURPHY'S GARAGE
U. S. Highway 27, South



Poinsettias bright
will help us say . . .
Best wishes for your holiday!

YOUR SHELL GASOLINE STATION
In This Section

Bradford Oil Company
Jobbers for Shell Gasoline and Lubricants
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Wishing you a bright and shining holiday!
ACUFF'S BARBER SHOP



. . to all our friends!
UNIVERSAL OIL COMPANY



A SLEIGHFUL OF WISHES

Each box holds a wish for all the things you hold dear
one is for laughter, another for good fortune, the third
holds good health and cheer. They're speeding your way
on Christmas Day . . . May they linger forever with you!

J. C. DeSHONG



To our many friends --
our deep felt appreciation
for your loyalty and friendship
during the past year . . .
we wish you a Very Happy Holiday!

HART'S GARAGE & WRECKER SERVICE
Day — Night — Phone GL2-5381



Amid the gay greetings
and packages, too,
We send our best wishes
For Christmas to you!

Western Auto Associate Store
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We wish you, with
this little rhyme,
A gay and carefree
Christmas time!

WARE FURNITURE CO.
Your Badcock Furniture Sotres
Avon Park — Sebring — Frostproof — Lake Placid



When you hear the bells on
Christmas day, we hope they
echo the joyful sounds of
your holiday festivities.

METCALFE
Hardware Co. Inc.
Your Westinghouse Dealer
Avon Park

YULETIDE GREETINGS . . . . . .



Wishing you all the happiness of the season.
CAPWELL'S
Cabin — Fruit & Gift Shop — U. S. Highway, 27 North



a fun-filled Christmas to one and all!
Greens Surplus Store



Season's Best
May a wealth of good cheer find its way to your house this Christmas.
Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Currie



Deck the Hall
As the glittering baubles wink their holiday excitement, let them reflect our good wishes to you for a happy Christmas celebration.
COKER GAS & APPLIANCE CO.
Avon Park — Wauchula
Our Appreciation Of Your Patronage In 1957 and Our Desire To Serve You In 1958

SEASON'S GREETINGS
May your holiday shine with the radiance of Yuletide cheer.
PARK RIDGE HOTEL
Mrs. Evelyn Swiston
119 W. Main St. Phone GL 2-4921 Avon Park



Joys of the blessed Christmas season!
Border's Service Station



The observance of the coming holiday brings with it our sincerest wish for your happiness.
WATERS CABS
Phone GL 2-4331



As the Christmas season approaches, may its true spirit be revealed once again unto us all.
L. Estelle Fann



Our jolly old Santa is taking his cue,
By helping us say, "Merry Christmas to you!"
STIMSONS GULF SERVICE
W. Main St. — Phone GL 2-6581
We Give S&H Green Stamps



We hope the jingle bells will sound a happy note for your holiday!
STIVON REALTY CO.



As Christmas draws near, we would like to shout from the housetops, "Happy Holiday to all!"
Sottile Citrus Division



Greetings to One and All!
We'd like to send our good wishes into every home and heart this Christmas to ensure the blessings of the holiday season to all our friends and their families.
Closed All Day Christmas Day — Wednesday, December 25
AVON CITRUS BANK
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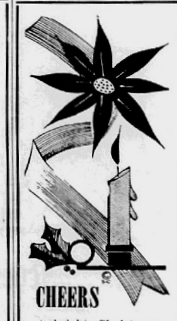
May your celebration be wreathed in the happiness of the Yuletide season.
First Federal Savings & Loan Assn.
Sebring, Florida



A bright Christmas to our many friends!
POINSETTIA HOTEL

Season's Greetings and Happiness to All . . . .



MERRY CHRISTMAS
AND A
HAPPY HOLIDAY
TO ONE AND ALL!

AVON PARK AUTOMATIC LAUNDRY
S. S. Lake Ave.
Phone 2-6861

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a blessed Christmas



May the true spirit of Christ-child be reborn in all of us during the holy season.

Reed's Department Store

Wishing one and all a world of Christmas Joy

THE PURE OIL SERVICE CENTER
Joe Bass, Proprietor
Top Of Mall & U. S. Highway 27



MEEKER'S Hitching Post RESTAURANT



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We wish all our friends at this time of the year . . .

A season that sparkles with holiday cheer!

AVON PARK MOTOR CO.
Your FORD — MERCURY Dealer
Avon Park, Florida



To each of our many friends, we wish a very happy Yuletide season

PALMS RESTAURANT



TO EVERYONE STARLITE RESTAURANT

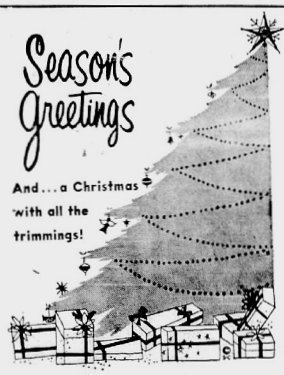
CHRISTMAS JOY



May the light of the stately candles be your symbol of glowing happiness.

RAY'S BAKERY

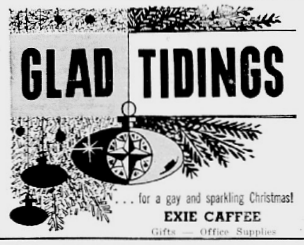
Season's Greetings



And . . . a Christmas with all the trimmings!

DUTTONS APPLIANCE STORES
Avon Park and Sebring

GLAD TIDINGS



. . . for a gay and sparkling Christmas!

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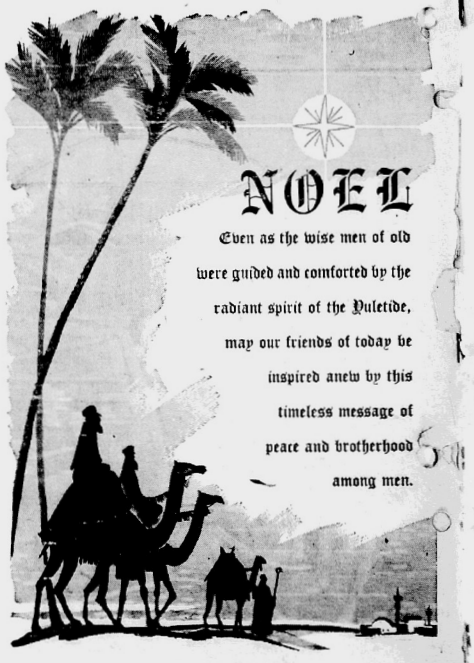
Gifts — Office Supplies



COURTHOUSE OFFICIALS

BROWARD COKER, Sheriff
MRS. HELEN PECK, Tax Collector
ROLAND X. DROIT, Supervisor of Registration
P. G. GEARING, Tax Assesor
MERVIN REHRER, County Judge
H. T. PIETY, Clerk
FRED WILD, Superintendent of Schools



As the happy music of the season fills the air, we hope it will bring you much harmony and cheer.

HARDEN'S TAXI
Phone GL 2-2111



Holiday joy to you and yours!

Meyer's Upholstering & Shoe Shop

Season's Greetings

. . . To all our many wonderful friends!

SUMNER'S RADIATOR SHOP
Wauchula Rd. — Phone GL 2-5431 — Avon Park



HI THERE!

In step with the season, we wish you a Merry Christmas!

B & C Plumbing Co.

Season's Greetings One And All . . . .

Greetings



Joys of the Yuletide season to each and very one.

ORANGE BLOSSOM MOTEL
U. S. Highway 27 North, Avon Park

Joy to the World!



The Yuletide carols convey our sincere greetings!

LAKE BRENTWOOD MOTOR COURT
U. S. Highway 27, North
Avon Park

Merry Christmas



May this Holy Season bring with it many rich blessings for you and your loved ones. May it bring you health, prosperity, peace – and the very merriest Christmas Day ever.

TOUCHTON Rexall DRUG

the Shining Hour

The street is still.

Lights and music, bells and horns and voices have disappeared into the hush of snow that lays its gentle mantle on our hurried footprints.

The windows of the world are lit with joy, and holly wreaths cast long blue shadows on the quiet snow.

Beyond, where the air shimmers to the glow of stars, new bells begin their lovely and triumphant chime.

Now, as on this night for nearly two thousand years, the shining hour casts its hope and blessing on the earth once more, and Christmas comes.

May the joy of this season live in our hearts all the days of the coming year, and its spirit guide us toward peace among all men.

Merry Christmas from

I. H. FORD MOTOR COMPANY
309 W. Main Phone GL 2-2881
Avon Park, Florida



Christmas

Over the housetops the reindeer fly bringing Santa, his gifts - and our Very Best Wishes to you and yours for the Happiest Holiday ever!

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ON PARK
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- Auditor
VALLEE
By



To All Our Friends and Patrons

Christmas Greetings

Our Desire To Serve You In The Coming Year Is Exceeded Only By Our Appreciation For Your Loyal Patronage In The Year Now Coming To A Close.

Eaton's



YULETIDE GREETINGS



The carols of Christmas fill the air with our sincerest wishes for harmony and good cheer during your holiday.

The Standard Oil Company Service Stations in this section extend to all their customers "Seasons Greetings —

It has been our pleasure to serve you during 1957, and our desire to serve you in 1958.

JOE M. STILES, DISTRIBUTOR
STANDARD GASOLINE and LUBRICANTS
SEBRING, FLORIDA

Best Christmas Wishes



To All Our Friends and Patrons

Deckers Pure Oil Station



We're helping Santa wish you holiday joy!

CAPELL'S GULF SERVICE



Along with the many presents under your tree, please accept our best wishes for a Merry Christmas!

CARLSON WATCH SERVICE

22 E. Main St.



EDNA'S BEAUTY SHOP

Merry Christmas



To Everyone

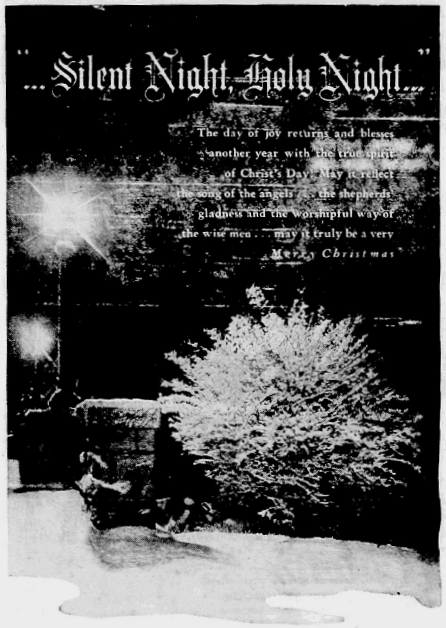
The Season's Greetings

Merry Christmas

Happy New Year

Ward's Department Store

Avon Park's Leading Dept. Store — The Fashion Center



May the world again be blessed by the beautiful message of peace and good will that was born in the little town of Behlehem so long ago.

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TO EVERYONE....

Speaking for all our Texaco Service Stations—we want you to know we appreciate 1957 — and our desire to serve you in 1958 — To one and all A Merry Christmas Year—

MORRIS ADAMS

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THE ALL FLORIDA
WEEKLY MAGAZINE
Florida's Largest
Paid Circulation
...Y WEEK ... in this ... NEWSPAPER

Editorial Line-Up For November 4 Issue Of A.. Florida Magazine

Florida's roller skating champions say . . . "Ice . . . Who needs it?" The feature article in the coming issue of ALL FLORIDA MAGAZINE is concerned with the growing popularity of roller skating and George P. Russell predicts that Florida will take the lead in this field.

Sallydale Wimbrow describes Look Magazine's new development "Between the Rivers and the Deep Blue Sea" down Fort Pierce way. When completed the waterfront community will be populated by 4,000 to 4,500 families.

Shirley MacLaine, franckle faced Broadway and Hollywood actress, stresses "The Importance of Individuality" in an interview with Lydia Lane for the Hollywood Beauty column. She belives that "being yourself" is most important to a woman's popularity.

"Fun Knows No Handicaps" in Sulphur Springs. Ash Wing, City Editor of the Tampa Daily Times, describes the Monday night activities of the community club in that Florida city. On that evening the Tampa Handicap Club takes over for an evening of recreation and sports. The programs are amazing for a group of handicapped persons.

Dr. Andrew H. Yarrow of the University of Miami has traveled the world . . . "For Love of the Word". According to Edgar Hay, This young professor has chosen language -- written and oral - as his high adventure in knowledge.

This week's issue contains Part II of a three-part story on Florida's Historical background written by Mr. John R. Haberman.

REGULARLY FEATURED EACH WEEK IN ALL FLORIDA MAGAZINE: Weekend Carpenter, When You Retire and Travel-Wise.

AVON PARK

"Floridas Fastest Growing Weekly Newspap

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TEEN CLUB OFFICERS: Election and installation of officers for the Avon Park Teen Club for the 1957-58 school year was held recently. The newly elected officers are shown here with Andrew Miracle, Director of the Youth Center and Mrs. Jack Dugan President of the Youth Association. Left to right, Mr. Miracle, Leroy Starling, president; Martha Elder, secretary; Joy McLemore, treasurer; Steve Love, vice president and Mrs. Duggan.

Petition F Local City

Homecoming Gam Kissimmee Friday Post

Deputy Sheriff Shot Twice By Glenn Eiland

Sheriff's Deputy James C. Murdock, 31, of Sebring was shot twice Thursday night, October 31, when he went to investigate a report that a man was abusing his wife in Sebring. One of the .45 caliber bullets shattered the deputy's leg above the knee. The other struck Murdock in the thigh.

Glenn Eiland, 29, of Sebring, alleged assailant, gave himself up early Friday morning to Sheriff Broward Coker after one of the county's most extensive manhunts.

Sheriff Coker charged Eiland with assault with intent to kill, resisting arrest and possession of firearms after a felony conviction.

The shooting occured outside of the Eiland residence in Sebring. Murdock had gone to the Eiland home in answer to a call from Mrs. Eiland who reported she was being abused by her husband.

Sheriff Coker and State Attorney R. B. Huffaker received information from Mrs. Eiland and others which led them to believe that Eiland met Murdock outside and fired a so called warning shot.

The deputy radioed the sher-
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Avon Park's Homecoming game and all planned celebration for Friday has been postponed due to the illness of sixteen of the Kissimmee football players.

Word was received shortly before noon on Wednesday that Kissimmee would be unable to play in the game Friday night.

Avon Park is scheduled to play Winter Park on Friday night, November 15 in Winter Park and Sebring November 27 in Sebring. It is hoped that the team will be albe to make up the postponed games with Fort Meade and Kissimmee. As soon as these dates can be settled they will be announced by Coach Franza.

E. O. Douglas To Celebrate Homecoming

The E. O. Douglas High School Tigers will meet the Oakland Rattlers of Haines City in their Homecoming Game in Avon Park Saturday night November 9 at 8 o'clock.

The Annual Homecoming Parade sponsored by the E. O. Douglas High School will start in Sebring at 12 noon. The parade will arrive in Avon Park between 1:30 and 2 o'clock and will make a circuit of the Mall and then South on Fairfield to the Hopewell School.

The parade will include many gayly decorated floats and members of the Tiger Band will march in the parade dressed in their new uniforms.

the ... torney Boone D... Lake Wales.

Defendants nam... petition are Mayor ... Laney, and Councilm... E. Lee, Paul A. Mor... Roland Dilley, Mannin K... land, Clarence King, Georg... Border and Robert Barben.

The court has been petitio... ed by the plaintiffs to decla... the City Election held on September 10 null and void, and to order another election held.

The petition alleges that not a single one of the 13 candidates in the City Election was qualified to run according to the Charter, Code and Ordinances of the City which the petition alleges calls for filing written statements and or petitions signed by not less than 25 qualified voters. Candidates in the City Election qualified merely by paying a $3 fee and signing a statement.

The petition further alleges that the use of the voting machines was also contrary to the City's Charter, and that voters were not given insructions on the use of the voting machines; that written ballots were not used; that approximately 150 names of deceased persons and other voters not qualified were not purged by the City Council.

The plaintiffs contend that as a result of the alleged actions they and other citizens ... chised to vote in a free, fair and honest election.

The mayor and members of the retired and present council must show cause before Judge Joe D. Kinsey Friday morning, November 15, at 9:30 why the relief sought by the plaintiffs should not be granted.

Christmas Seal Sale To Open Friday Nov. 15

By Mrs. Robert Watson Chairman

Christmas Seal letters are about ready to mail and will be in the mails Friday, November 15, Mrs. Robert J. Watson, Chairman of the Avon Park district announced today.

The Avon Park Women's Business Club have addressed all the envelopes while the Avon Park Junior Woman's Club turned their regular meeting night last Tuesday over to stuffing them for the mails.

Mrs. Watson remarked that she knows everyone has been looking forward to their first sight of the new 51st Anniversary Seals they will use to brighten up the holiday mail.

Emphasizing that the people of this community can rightfully pride themselves on the progress made in tuberculosis control through their con-
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School Trustees Re-Elected Nov. 5

Paul McFarland of Avon Park, Dr. W. S. Coon of Sebring and John Wirick of Lake Placid were re-elected as School Trustees by the Highlands County voters Tuesday November 5. The voters also approved the 10-mill school levy as recommended by the School Board.

In the election Tuesday McFarland received 351 votes; Dr. Coon, 381 and Wirick 338.

George Border of the Avon Park District, who opposed McFarland received 338 votes.

Merchants To Observe Veterans Day Monday

Colored Section To Cooperate In Cleaning Drive

The colored section of Avon Park has agreed to cooperate in Community Pride Month. A committee organization has been established for the colored section with Irene Henderson as General Chairman, Nathaniel Packer, co-chairman; and Irene Jenkins, secretary.

The organization has been divided into nine groups with the following group chairmen, Rosa Lee Williams, group 1; Irene Jenkins 2; Walter Williams 3; James Jones 4; Irene Henderson 5; Nathaniel Packer 6; Dave Warden 7; E. B. Hicks 8 and Nathan Hicks 9.

Mayor E. A. DeLaney met with the general chairman and co-chairman and others that were interested and outlined the plans of Community Pride Month. They met later and formed their organization and laid plans for their campaign which is now underway. They plan a meeting each week through November to allow the group chairmen a chance to report on the progress each group is making in the campaign.

The Chamber of Commerce Merchant Committee announces that the following establishments in Avon Park will be closed for Veteran's Day, Monday, November 11.

B & C Plumbing Co., Reed's Department Store, Turner Furniture Co., Ware Furniture Co., Inc., Metcalfe Hardware, Eaton's Department Store, B & B Grocery, Exie Caffee Gift Shop, Jordon and Son Jewelers, A & P Grocery Store, DeLaney Hardware, Avon Florist, Western Auto, Dutton's Appliance, Acuff Barber Shop, Kiddie Corner, Ridge Fuel, Rush Photography, Florida Power Office, Ed Wilson Plumbing Co., Carlisle Barbara Shop, City Hall, Avon Citrus Bank, Post Office, Avon Park Lakes Office and the Avon Park Sun.

The Chamber of Commerce wishes to express their appreciation to the merchants suppling the Chamber information in regards to closing dates.

Future closing dates will be on file at the Chamber of Commerce Office now that the survey has been completed.

Dr. Macdonald Receives Card Mailed In 1906

Dr. G. Donald MacDonald, retired dentist, received a postcard last week which was mailed April 2, 1906 in Harrowsmith, Ont., Canada. The card was addressed to him at the Volta Bureau, Washington, D. C. and bears a Washington post mark dated March 14, 1949 and another dated August 26, 1949.

The card mailed 51 years ago finally reached Dr. MacDonald at his home here on Prairie Street.

Dr. MacDonald at the time the card was mailed was em-
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Clean-Up Month Is Here Please Act Now

The Chamber of Commerce and the City is again calling your attention to the fact that his month has been designated as Community Pride Month.

Some residents have already taken action in cleaning up their lawns and vacant lots. A few are preparing spots for planting petunias.

At a recent meeting held at the Chamber of Commerce, which was attended by the following, Mayor E. A. DeLaney; Mrs. Ralph Kelley, president of the Senior Woman's Club; Mrs. W. C. Touchton, president of the Founders Circle of the Avon Park Garden Club; Mrs. I. H. Ford, president of the Hibiscus Circus of the Avon Park Garden Club; Miss Millie Pearson, of the Business Woman's Club; Mrs. Mannin Kirkland, president of the Junior Woman's Club; James Heim, president of the Chamber of Commerce; Paul Jordon of the Chamber and
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Veteran Day Program At APHS Monday

A special Veteran's Day program will be presented Monday, November 11, during assembly period at the Avon Park Junior and Senior High School. The program has been planned and will be presented by the Social Studies Teachers.

Col. M. D. Merchant, retired Army Chaplain, who served in both World War I and World
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Glenn Eiland's Bond Set At $35,100 By Judge

A total of $35,100 in bonds must be posted by Glenn Eiland, 29, alleged assailant of Sheriff's Deputy James C. Murdock, to obtain his release from jail pending trial on four charges.

The bonds were set by County Judge Mervin Rehrer Monday when Eiland was arraigned on one of the four charges.

The charges, and amount of bond for each charge is as follows: Assault with intent to kill $15,000; Resisting arrest with violence $10,000; Possession of firearms after a felony conviction $10,000; discharging a firearm within the city limits of Sebring, $100.

Eiland pleaded not guilty to the charge of discharging a firearm within Sebring's city limits. He will be arraigned before Circuit Court Judge Joe D. Kinsey at a later date on the other three charges.

Sebring Man Files Petition To Adopt Wife As Child And Heir-At-Law

Walter N. Redman, 76, of Sebring filed a petition Monday in Highlands County Circuit Court to adopt Mrs. Virginia W. Redman, 44, his recently divorced wife as his child and heir-at-law.

Mrs. Redman joined in the petition and consented to the adoption. The reason assigned for the adoption, according to the petition reads:

"They desire to have mutual reliance and dependence upon each other due to their association over the past 10 years; that they have mutual business interests and deem it for the best interest of each of them that the relationship of parent and child be had."

Mr. and Mrs. Redman were married in February 1947 in Palm Beach and were divorced in Highlands County on October 21, 1957. In the suit filed by Mrs. Redman on October 15 she charged mental cruelty and alleged her husband suggested she get the divorce. He did not contest the suit.

Mrs. Redman is in the real estate business in Sebring and Mr. Redman is a retired secretary of the Borden Company in New York.

495 Students Absent From County Schools

Sickness kept 495 Highlands County white and Negro students from school Tuesday. School officials hope that the siege of influenza is now beginning to decline. Last Friday a total of 616 students and six teachers were absent in the county schools.

The following list of absentees was announced for Tuesday: Avon Park High School, 39; Avon Elementarys, 92; Ridge Day School, 6; and Hopewell School, 33, a total of 170 in Avon Park; Sebring 223; Desoto City 30 and Lake Placid 72.

Touchton To Start Big Contest For Boys And Girls November 11th

Boy and girls, 16 years of age and under, enter the wonderful Boys and Girls Contest starting at Touchton's Drug Store on Monday, November 11, you may be one of the lucky winners.

The boy and girl receiving the most votes in the contest at Touchton's Rexall Drug Store will win a beautiful English lightweight Bicycle, with 3 speed Sturmy Archer gear assembly. The boy's bicycle is a gleaming metallic-red with chrome fenders and the girl's is a beautiful metallic-blue color with chrome fenders.

The bicycles are the grand prizes, but there are many more for both boys and girls. Touchton's Drug Store will also present a 4-tube Personal portable radio, complete with case and battery, to a lucky boy and a lucky girl.

Included in the boys prizes will also be a "Handy Andy" Chemistry Lab, a Hiller Flying platform, a "Saxony Fifth Avenue" wristwatch, a "Daisy" air rifle, a complete "Imperial" camera outfit and a "Big 3" hunting and fishing set.

In the array of lovely prizes for girls will be a "Miss America" doll, a Saxony Fifth Avenue" wristwatch, a Revere Ware set, a "Mademoiselle de Paris" doll, a Sheaffer Catridge pen and pencil set and a lovely teen-age necklace.

To see the many beautiful prizes that Touchton's are giving away visit the drug store for they are now on display in the front window, next to the entrance door.

The contest is open to any child 16 years of age or under, except children of the employees. Get your free nomination blank at Touchton's November 11. Each child must be nominated by an adult to enter the contest and the nomination blank must be signed by the adult, after which the child is officially entered in this wonderful contest.

Each child entered in the contest will be given 1,000 free votes by Touchton's Drug Store, and then for every one cent spent in the store, one vote will be given. Votes will be given on every item purchased in the store. The person making the purchase has the privilage of giving their votes to the child of their choice. A $5.00 purchase will entitle the customer to 500 votes.

The contest closes December 21, and all winners will be notified. To keep a check on how the contest is going the names of the leaders in the contest will be posted in the window at Touchton's Drug Store each week.

Fall Term Of Circuit Court Begins Nov. 13

Dates for trial of Civil Cases for the Fall Term of Circuit Court have been set.

The docket, sounded by Circuit Judge Joe D. Kinsey, is listed as follows:

Nov. 13 - Firestone Tire and Rubber Co. vs Cha. P. Kempton; Frank Fisher, et ux, vs Louis Selph, et al.

Nov. 18 - Celia Bonner, et vir, vs D. L. Pearce.

Nov. 19 - Stella M. Futch vs Walter Collier.

Jan. 27 - Emil Riles vs Lancer Industries, Inc.

Jan. 28 - Loveda Thompson vs Solomon White.

Feb. 3 - Lyons Fertilizer Co. vs Fanny Trimble; R. R. Trimble vs Lyons Fertilizer Co.

Commissioners In Special Called Meeting

A special called meeting of the Board of Highlands County Commissioners was held Thursday morning, October 31, for the purpose of discussing various Secondary Road problems which have arose since the State Road Commissioner at Tallahassee had ruled that no streets could be paved inside municipalities and to adopt certain resolutions in regard to supplemental budget, item to item transfers, transfer of funds and finantial reports.

A resolution establishing cer-
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County-Wide Parent-Teachers Conference Day November 15

The first County-wide Parent Teachers Conference Day will be held Friday, November 15. This will be a holiday for the students but teachers will be in the classrooms during the regular school hours.

Since there will be no classes for the children, the teachers will be free to see the parents during the entire day. All parents are cordially invited and urged to visit the schools, on Friday, November 15.

The parent-teacher conference should help the parent to understand the type of work his child is doing as well as the rate of progress he is making. The parent should be able to aid the teachers in a better understanding of the child and his needs.

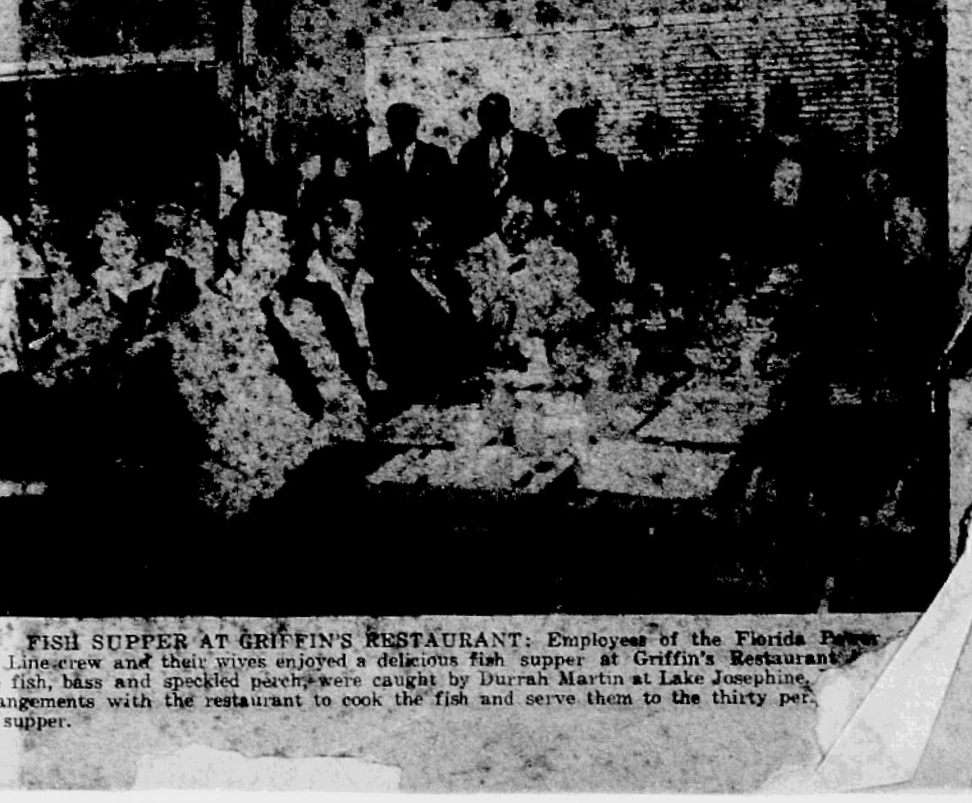
All parents are asked to register in the office before conferring with the teachers. Letters are being sent to all parents listing the schedule for the schools in Avon Park.

The schedule for the Avon Park High School as announced by A. B. Wilhite, principal, is as follows;

All parents whose last name begins with the letter A through M please come to the school between 8:30 A. M. and 12:00 noon.

All parents whose last name begins with the letter N through Z come from 1:30 P.M. until 3:30 P. M.

The schedule for both Elementary Schools as announced by George A. Kelsey, principal, is as follows: Parents whose name begins with X, Y, Z, from 8:30 till 9:30 A. M., A through D 9:30 to 10:30 A. M., E through H 10:30 to 11:30 A. M., I through L 11:30 till 12:15 M through P form 1:15 till 2:15 P. M., Q through T from 2:15 till 3:15 P. M., U, V and W from 3:15 till 4:00 P. M.



FISH SUPPER AT GRIFFIN'S RESTAURANT: Employees of the Florida Power and Line crew and their wives enjoyed a delicious fish supper at Griffin's Restaurant ... The fish, bass and speckled perch, were caught by Durrah Martin at Lake Josephine, ... arrangements with the restaurant to cook the fish and serve them to the thirty per... the supper.

different fields of endeavor we must go into at some time in the future (we hope that it

the fuel for a smudge against these APP "Kamikaze Skeeters"—Take it easy! We'll be seeing you around (we hope).

"The Rankest Kind of Federalism"

Representative Durham of North Carolina, who is chairman of the enormously powerful Congressional Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, recently had something of top importance to say about the production of electric power from nuclear sources.

The government, he pointed out, is deeply concerned with any atomic development, and so certain types of government regulation and control are inevitable. Then he said this: "But the regulatory responsibilities of the government in the field of the development and utilization of nuclear energy must not be exploited to expand and enlarge the government activities in the field of power. Electric power is a needed public service which the citizens of this nation can provide for themselves, under effective regulation. The notion that the federal government should build and operate generating stations just to have public power is the rankest kind of federalism, is wholly repugnant to our concept of free enterprise, won't assure the nation an adequate power supply, and generally weakens our economy by the unsound tax manipulation which results from federal power investment. . . .

"The industry must, over the next decade, prove by accomplishments that the privately-owned electric companies of the nation can and will do the job that has to be done if the nation is to realize the promise of atomic energy within the framework of a free enterprice economy."

There need be no fear that the industry will not or cannot do that. Power companies, both singly and in groups, are deeply engaged in all manner of atomic research and pilot projects—the kind of projects which will assure us abundant electricity from the atom in the shortest possible time and at the lowest cost. The question is whether the industry will be permitted to do the great job of which it is capable. The public power fanatics seek and will continue to seek a tax-subsidized federal monopoly of power from the atom—just as they seek a tax-subsidized federal monopoly of power from conventional sources. That is the problem now confronting this country as we move into the atoms-for-peace era.

You And Your Retailer

Retail sales this year will hit a record figure of more than $200 billion, marking an increase of some $9 billion over 1956. That happy forecast comes from Editor Godfrey M. Lebhar of Chain Store Age. He bases it on sales estimates by the Department of Commerce covering the first seven months of the year, plus an estimate for the remaining five months which takes into consideration the current rate of consumer purchases.

The significance of this, Mr. Lebhar believes, lies not so much in the fact that it will represent a new record but in what is behind it. He observes: "The fact is that despite all the talk one hears about our weakening economy, with a recession always lurking just around the corner, no such pessimism is warranted." The indicated reduction in defense orders by the government will be more than offset by the expected gain in retail sales.

This adds up to good news of the first water, and we'll all hope that the predictions prove true. It is often said, and accurately, that retailing provides the perfect show window for the American free enterprise system with all its abundance. The state of retail trade determines the state of our economic system as a whole. Hence the public interest.



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The Church introduces human beings to God.

The Church develops man's spiritual life through experiences of worship.

The Church emphasizes the beautiful through its architecture, its services, whether ritualistic or informal, its music.

The Church develops leaders through its many activities.

The Church broadens man's outlook through its work of sending the gospel to those in far-away places.

The Church exemplifies the brotherhood of man through the welcome it extends to all who believe.

Last, and most important of all, the Church offers salvation and the assurance of eternal life for every believer.

Big news—the Church! Can you afford to miss it?

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The Church is the greatest factor on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a storehouse of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive. There are four sound reasons why every person should attend services regularly and support the Church. They are: (1) For his own sake. (2) For his children's sake. (3) For the sake of his community and nation. (4) For the sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral and material support. Plan to go to church regularly and read your Bible daily.

	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	Psalms	126	1-6
Monday	Ecclesiastes	1	1-11
Tuesday	Exodus	3	1-15
Wednesday	I Chronicles	15	1-15
Thursday	I Corinthians	13	8-29
Friday	Amos	5	1-24
Saturday	Ephesians	2	14-22
		6	14-21

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"Teen - Town Talk"

The Victory Dance drew a nice crowd Friday night after the game with Frostproof. The grid-iron heroes and football fans all did justice to the hot dogs and cold drinks sold for refreshments. Judge and Mrs. Mervin Rehrer and Mr. and Mrs. John Cittterdon chaperoned the occasion.

Saturday night there were about 65 present for the weekly session at Teen-Town. Again hot dogs and cold drinks were there for refreshment and as usual plenty of good music, and games. Chaperones were Dr. and Mrs. Stuart Ward and Mr. Andy Miracle, Recreational Director. In addition to Avon Park, Frostproof, Sebring and several other towns were represented.

Nancy Ginn, who finished high school here last spring, and is now attending Stetson College in Deland, Florida, was home over the week-end. All of her friends were happy to see her at the Club on Friday and Saturday nights. Nancy looked 'sweet and lovely' as always, in matched skirt and sweater sets, one brown and one green. Come back often, Nancy, Avon Park misses you.

Next Friday will be a special night at the Club as the school is holding its homecoming dance right after the game. Admission will be 25c. Hot dogs 10c, Hamburgers 15c and cold drinks 10c. Parents are urged to attend, if only for a few minutes. Some have never been in the Club and we believe that they would enjoy a little visit.

If any Club member has anything of interest they would like to see written up in "Teen-Town Talk" please call Mrs. Coats at 2-7501. Any one willing to volunteer as chaperone call Mrs. Stuart Ward at 2-7471.

Miss Nistendirk Speaks To Senior Woman's Club

Miss Verna Nistendirk, State Director of Regional Libraries, spoke on "The Value of Regional Libraries" to the members of the Avon Park Senior Woman's Club at their luncheon meeting on Friday, Nov. 1, in the Club house. She also stated that November has been designated as "Know your Library Month". Miss Avis Slaughter, Avon Park Librarian, was a special guest at the luncheon along with Miss Nistendirk.

Dr. Ruth Phillips gave her very interesting report on International Affairs and urged members to offer their services for the Ground Observer Corps.

Mrs. Andy Hart and Mrs. P. F. Waterson were welcomed as new members. Mrs. Ralph Kelly, president, presided over the business session. The club members voted to send Mrs. Kelley, Mrs. Samuel O. Norris and Mrs. Robert Watson as delegates to the District 9 meeting in Bartow on Tuesday, Nov. 5. The club also decided to turn the matter of obtaining an abstract for the land on the east side of the Library over to the Library Committee for further study.

Mrs. Kelly reported briefly on the CDA meeting which she attended, the purpose of which was the "Beautification of Avon Park". It was suggested that all residents be asked to plant petunias during November.

Thanks were extended to Mrs. Charles Kinkelday, Chairman of the Club house Committee, and her committee for the fine work they had done. Mrs. William Reitzner, Chairman of the Luncheon, and her committee were also praised for their fine work.

Mrs. I. H. Ford reported most gratifying results from the pie and cake sales at the Halloween Carnival and received the appreciation of the club for her hard work on this committee.

The next meeting of the Senior Woman's Club in December will be held in the Union Congregational Church with Mrs. Edna Jackson in charge of the program. The time of the meeting will be 3 o'clock.

An invitation to the Open House on November 10 from 2 until 5 of the new Hillcrest Nursing Home was read the members.

Mr. George Mills showed lovely motion pictures and Mrs. Mills made a short delightful talk on their recent trip to Europe. All the members were interested in the beautiful pictures and the hints for European travelers.

Funeral Held For Rev. Melton In Sarasota

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at the Church of the Nazarene in Sarasota for The Rev. Walter S. Melton, 84, who passed away Thursday morning, October, 31 at the Sarsota Memorial Hospital. Rev. Melton, the father of Mrs. Roland X. Droit of Sebring, is a former minister of the Avon Park Nazarene Church.

Rev. Melton retired this year after 50 years as a minister in the Nazarene Church. He was a native of Alabama and in 1926 came to Avon Park from Pavo, Ga., and for the past nine years has been a resident of Sarasota. He served churches in Arcadia, Avon Park, Sebring, Homestead and Miami.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Myrtle B. Melton of Sarasota; two sons, Henry Melton of Washington, D. C. and Eugene Melton of Dawson, Ga.; five daughters, Mrs. Roland X. Droit of Sebring, Mrs. Norwood Alvey of Washington, D. C., Mrs. C. C. Childress of Cuthbert, Ga., Mrs. Charles Cartmill of Bradenton and Mrs. T. W. Lofton of Jacksonville; also 18 grandchildren, 28 great-grandchildren and three great-great- grandchildren.

Services Saturday afternoon were conducted by Dr. John L. Knight, The Rev. Robert E. Davisson and The Rev. William Snyder. Interment was held later in Cuthbert, Ga.

Sam William Dies At Walker Memorial

Sam Williams, 68, father of Mrs. Elvira Shouppe and Mrs. Martha Skinner of Avon Park, and a Lake Placid citrus worker passed away Thursday night, October 31, at the Walker Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Williams, formerly lived in Sebring but has made his home in Lake Placid since 1937.

and A. Haven, Mellie Pollard and Mack of Lake Placid and Mrs. Ora Collier of Moore Haven.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Church of God in Lake Placid with The Rev. Karl Bryant and The Rev. David Grantt officiating. Interment was in the Oakhill Cemetery at Lake Placid under the direction of Coker's Funeral Home of Wauchula.

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We made many new friends and customers during this Good Will sale for which we are truly thankful. We invite you to make our store your shopping headquarters, for wearing apparel for every member of your family, shoes to fit all, a complete furniture department for everything you need for your home as also Electrical appliances.

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...verybody plant ...month and so make ... "City Beautiful". ... Let's hope that ... seeds will be truer than some the Stroller ... recently. The packet read "petunias", but what came up was cauliflower! It has been said that you can't judge a man by his clothes, now it seems you can't judge seeds by what the packet says. But after all a row of cauliflowers in front of the club house wouldn't look bad. Or would it?

The Hallowe'en jamboree on Thursday last, Mrs. Book in charge, was a honey. There were no tricks but plenty of treats in the shape of doughnuts and coffee, thanks to Mrs. Warner. It was a jamboree all right, the house being jam full, nearly 130 elbowing each other round and having a good time. Various games were played, but perhaps the highlight was a square dance engineered by Professor Krenerick, Master of the Dance. It was a novelty dance, men in gowns and women in pants. They whooped it up and had a fine time. You should have seen 'em, you who didn't. But that did not affect the usual Friday dance. That functioned with some 75 dancers present. More doughnuts and coffee afterwards, and, mirabile dictu, no reports of indigestion as yet.

The shuffleboard tournaments are on for the season, ... that was some- ... to hand down to the grandchildren. The game on Saturday last brought out a large crowd of eager and trembling for fame. The weather was just right, pleasing everybody for once. And who won? Why, Mrs. Goodwin assisted by John Glenn, of course. And who came in next? Ah, Mrs. Thomas with the aid of Mrs. Goodwin. It was a Goodwin day all right. All games were interesting, but the most entertaining was played on No. 12 where the final score was: Black 6, Red minus 8!! Well, well, when you can win by a score of 6 out of a possible 75, it is worth recording in the annuals of the Guest Club.

The Tuesday afternoon bridge club got off last week with a flying start: four tables, eight couples, and Mr. Lester Truex walked off the high honors and the usual smile. Good for Lester.

Eight couples and one over sat down at the groaning tables at last Saturday's pot-luck supper. The "wittles", as Sam Weller called them, were as usual better than ever, and what the party lacked in numbers made up by conviviality. Small dinner parties are likely to be that way.

Some 60 members attended the gospel singing in the club house last Sunday under the able direction of Mr. Shiltz. The melodious singing must have pleas-the angel ears up above. Besides the group singing there were two solos by a young lady visitor, the men were invited up front to sing to the ladies and got a good hand for the doing, our beloved Cal read a paper about our human belief of the life hereafter, followed by a very tuneful solo. It was all very pleasing. The meeting ended by singing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again". And that being what most of us feel, with that thought we'll end this little spiel. So says

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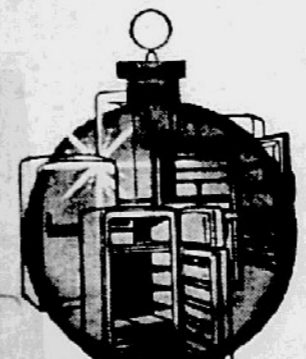


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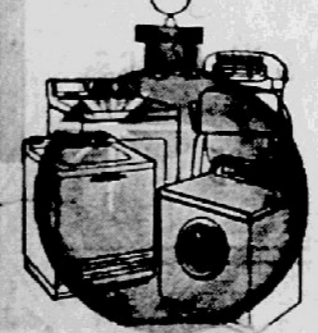


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...oman's Club ...s Many Activities

During November members of the Senior Woman's Club are making plans for raising money to meet the many expenses of the club for the year.

Among the first of their events to take place will be a Coffee Hour and Bridge at the club house on Monday morning Nov. 18th at 9:30 under the auspices of group 4.

Home made cookies will also be on sale. Following the serving of coffee and rolls the guests will enjoy cards until noon. Individual prizes will be given at each table. Tickets will be 50 cents each and may be obtained from any member of the committee.

The public is cordially invited to attend, but reservations should be made in advance as the number of tables is limited. Those to see for reservations are Mesdames Ann Duffy, Ethel Hardin, Katherine Rehrer, Katherine Reitzner and Vera Ogden. Mrs. Robert Wallace is general chairman of group 4.

Elementary PTA To Meet Nov. 14

The Avon Elementary P.T.A. will hold its regular monthly meeting on Thursday, Nov. 14, in the Cafetorium of the Avon Elementary School on West Winthrop Street at 8 o'clock.

Dr. Jim Mosco, Psychiatrist with the Alcoholic Rehabilitation Program, who has had a great deal of experience as a child psychiatrist, will be the speaker in a program designed especially for parents.

There will be a short important business meeting before the program. Refreshments will be served after the meeting by the 2nd grade room-mothers. All parents, teachers, and friends are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

Legion Auxiliary Meets Monday

The American Legion Auxiliary will hold its regular monthly meeting on Monday Nov. 11th at 8:00 o'clock in the legion home.

This will be an important meeting for all members as plans for the Christmas Party for the children of the auxiliary will be made.

Girl Scout News

At the regular scout meeting on Thursday, Oct. 31st the girls decided that each meeting would be opened with the song "Girl Scouts Together" and close with the Girl Scout Promise.

Sherry Wells was elected song leader. The scouts were divided into a fourth patrol with Torista Gaster the new patrol leader. There were thirty three members present and Sandra Biggs was a new member. Refreshments were served by Mrs. J. F. Simpson.

The girl scout picture, which appeared in last week's paper, may be purchased at the Rush Studio.

Susan Lee Entertains With Halloween Party

On Saturday, Nov. 2nd, Susan Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lee, celebrated her third birthday with a Halloween Birthday Party at her home.

The carport was decorated with black and orange streamers and large pumpkin and black cat adorned the table. The small guests wore colorful costumes and played parade and other games. Susan blew out the three candles on her three tiered birthday cake decorated with pink and green. The boys and girls enjoyed eating the birthday cake and chocolate ice cream cones. The favors were orange and black cups with candy.

All the guests enjoyed helping Susan open her many lovely gifts. Boys and girls present were Danny Bennett, Eddie Culp, Jimmie Dilley, Candy and Holly Reddick, Sue and Beth Ferguson, Mandy Maness, Debbie and Joan Young, Sarah, Janice and Patty Turnbull, Kathy Kirkland, Rita and Rickie Rich, Butch and Paula Jean Allen, Gary Griffin, Susie Skipper, Bill and Ann MacDaniels, Winnie Davis, Johnny and Brad Giddens, Robby Watson, Stephanie Samergedes, Billy Phillips, and Walter Kempton.

Assisting Mrs. Lee with the guests were Devorah Reddick, Diane Landress, Carla Phillips, Sharon Lee, Mrs. Davis McDaniels and Mikel Kempton.

Flower Show To Be Held At Youth Center

The Avon Park Federated Garden Clubs are pleased to announce the Annual Flower Show will be held on Thursday February 27th, 1958 from 2:00 o'clock until 9:00 p. m. at the Youth Center.

The theme for the show this year will be "Down to Earth" and there will be helpful suggestions for gardeners and arrangers.

All residens and visitors are cordially invited to exhibit plants, specimens and flower arrangements. Groom your plants and make your plans now.

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2—FOUR GUNS TO THE BORDER with RORY CALHOUN
3—STRANGE ADVENTURE with Joan Evans

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SUNDAY and MONDAY
1—HELLS CROSSROADS with STEVEN McNALLY
2—WAYWARD BUS, JAYNE MANSFIELD

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2 terrific cinemascope hits Joel McCrea, Barbara Hale in "THE OKLAHOMAN" Cinemascope and Color Plus Gene Barry, Angie Dickinson and Nat "King" Cole in "CHINA GATE" Cinemascope

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SUNDAY, MONDAY and TUESDAY NOVEMBER 10-11-12
Jerry at his funniest ever . . . in one of the funniest movies EVER. JERRY LEWIS as "THE DELICATE DELINQUENT" with Martha Hyer and Darren McGavin

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WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY and FRIDAY NOVEMBER 13-14-15th
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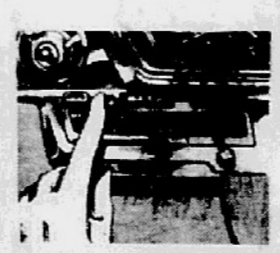
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Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. Arlin King and their children, Kath, Arlene and Larry, spent last week end on a houseboat in Taylor Creek as the guests of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee Goodbread of Ft. Lauderdale. The fishing was good and everyone caught fish.

Mrs. Carl Prisoc attended the annual American Dietic Association convention in Miami Oct. 22nd thru Oct. 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Eichelberger and their three sons, Johnie, Jimmie and Jack, of Lakeland spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lee and their family. Mrs. Lee and Mrs. Eichelberger are sisters.

Miss Mikel Kempton of Orlando spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kempton. On Sunday the Kemptons, Mikel, Walter, and Kerry, attended the Florida Horseman's Association Gymkhana in Umayilla.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Layton and their two daughters, Julia and Margaret of Winter Haven spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Prisoc.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Nelson is his brother, S. B. Nelson, who is now returning to his home in the San Fernando Valley, Cal. after visiting his son who is living in England.

Mrs. L. J. Jerrell and her daughter, Carolyn, of Sarasota, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. H. C. Rutledge. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Mason and Terry Watson of Homstead joined the group for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Rodgers, who have been spending the summer months in Hadley, northern Pennsylvania, have returned to their home on West La Grande Street. On their way south, they spent some time at Williamburg and Jamestown, Virginia visiting the historical exhibits in those towns, including a cruise on the James River to many points of interests.

Rev. and Mrs. Walter B. Hilton have returned from a ten days visit with their daughter, Mrs. Winifred E. Whitehurst and family in Valdosta, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jornatt of Chicago, Ill., brother of Mrs. Ida W. Ott are spending the winter in Avon Park.

Mr. Thomas Hayes Maxwell attended the homecoming at Georgia Tech last weekend and also a visit with his son, Thomas, who is a senior at Tech. They enjoyed the football game and all the festivities very much.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Ragsdale of Tallahassee spend the weekend recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ragsdale. Pete is attending Florida State University this term.

Mrs. S. Y. Moseley returned Friday from Waycross, Ga. where she had been visiting her mother, Mrs. J. H. Clark, who is quite ill. Mrs. Clark was a little improved when Mrs. Moseley left for home.

Miss Nancy Ginn spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ginn. Nancy returned to Stetson U. on Sunday where she is a student this fall.

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To Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Arrol Griffis of Sebring a son, Glenn David, born October 30. Birth weight 7 pounds, 11 ounces.

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To Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Edward Cantrell Sr., a son, Clarence Edward, Jr., born October 30. Birth weight 7 pounds, 11 ounces.

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To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Keith Koon of Sebring a son, David Anthony, born October 30. Birth weight 9 pounds, 8 ounces.

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To Mr. and Mrs. James Ferrel Smith of Sebring a son, James Albert, born November 1. Birth weight 8 pounds, 14 ounces.

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To Mr. and Mrs. Louie C. Smith a daughter, Mary Francis, born November 3. Birth weight 6 pounds, 7 ounces.

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To Mr. and Mrs. Lester Jackson Padgett Sr. of Okeechobee a son, Lester Jackson, Jr., born November 5. Birth weight 7 pounds, 12 ounces.

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Green Beans
Banana Salad
Hot Rolls, Butter
½ Pint Whole Milk

TUESDAY
Baked Sausage
Buttered Dry Limas
Combination Salad
Chocolate Cake
Enriched Bread, Butter
½ Pint Whole Milk

WEDNESDAY
Spaghetti and Meat Balls
Mixed Greens
Cornbread, Butter
Celery Sticks
Peach Slices
½ Pint Whole Milk

THURSDAY
Chicken Pot Pie
Cranberry Sauce
English Peas, Carrots
Hot Raised Rolls, Butter
Cookie
½ Pint Whole Milk

FRIDAY
Tuna Fish Salad
Potato Sticks
Sliced Tomatoes
Mixed Vegetables
Enriched Bread, Butter
Ice Cream
½ Pint Whole Milk

Menus subject to change by manager in keeping with foods available.

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Applications For Marriage Licenses

Applications for marriage licenses on file at the County Judges, Mervin Rehrer, Office during the past week included:

White:

Edwin P. Creasey, Sebring, Fla. and Otis Smith, Sebring, Fla.

L. W. Mercer, Palm Harbor, Fla. and Catherine Crumpton, Eagle Lake, Fla.

Colored:

Charlie Brown, Avon Park and Nancy Butler, Avon Park.

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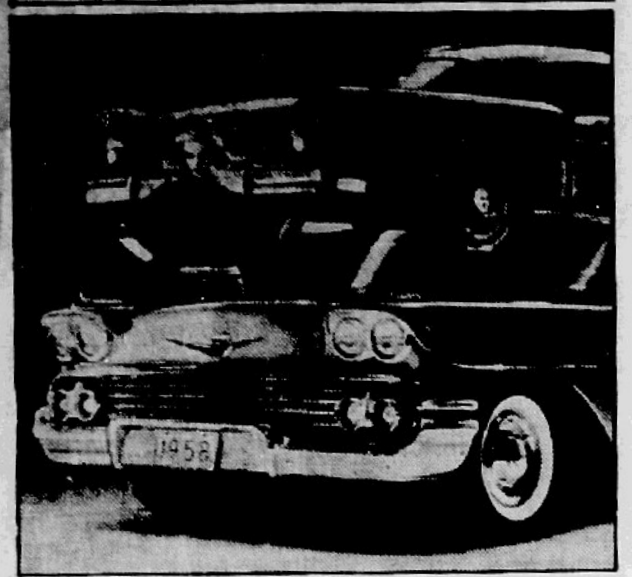

Effectiveness of the 1958 Chevrolet styling is shown by this front-rear view of the Impalas, luxury models in the Bel Air series. The gull-wing sweep at the rear is a perfect complement for the fleet, flowing lines that begin with the fine-grid concave ribs of the grille. In addition to complete body redesign, the latest Chevrolets offer such features as Level Air suspension or all-round coil spring suspension, a more rigid frame and body and an unusual new V8 engine. Impalas top an offering of 17 models.

DAR Meet At Home of Mrs. M. F. McGee In Sebring Nov. 4

Patroits Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution met at the home of Mrs. M. F. McGee in Sebring, Monday afternoon, November 4th. The Regent, Mrs. Walter H. Mather, presiding.

On November 20th the Winter Haven and Lake Wales Chapters, D.A.R. will conduct a joint ceremony marking the grave of Chief Chippico on Lake Hamilton. Patriots members are invited to attend this service and the noon day luncheon.

Mrs. Walter H. Mather, Mrs. H. J. Hahn, Mrs. R. L. Maxson, Mrs. W. H. Kempton and Miss Susan Tiffany will represent Patroits Chapter at the Sixth District meeting which will be held in Lakes Wales at the Plantation Inn on November 8th.

Mrs. D. S. Mandis read George Washington's Thanksgiving Day Proclamation and gave an interesting talk on "Home Life in the Colonial Days". Mrs. Mandis told of customs and experiences from the history of her family in the early New England days and showed family heirlooms of this period.

Mrs. F. N. K. Bailey was guest at the social hour that followed with the hostesses; Mrs. M. F. McGee, Mrs. M. E. Stephens, Jr. Mrs. Wm. Schaeffer, Mrs. B. H. Griffin and Mrs. G. L. Dillman.

The December meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. I. H. Ford, Avon Park.

Mrs. S. Y. Moseley Surprised With Dinner Monday

Mrs. S. Y. Mosely was surprised with an anniversary dinner by her husband, S. Y. Moseley, on the evening of their twelth wedding anniversary, Monday, Nov. 4.

Mr. Moseley had arranged a delicious steak dinner, beautiful cake, and lovely flowers, as a complete surprise to Mrs. Moseley. The Rev. and Mrs. H. Stocker joined the Moseleys in celebrating.

Power Employees Club Auxiliary Entertains

The Florida Power Employees Club Auxiliary entertained the children of the Florida Power employees with a Halloween Party Thursday, Oct. 31st.

Fifty children enjoyed a hot dog supper with all the trimmings. Highlight of the party was a visit to the Horrible Old Witch in her hut outside. The Witch gave each child a candied apple and word of advice.

Mrs. Arlin King and Mrs. Durrah Martin were in charge of the food; Mrs. Bob Young, decorations; Mrs. Charles Warrington, cookies; Flody Wells, drinks and Mrs. Robert Harden was the Witch.

Garden Club News

Founder's Circle

The Founder's Circle of the Avon Park Federated Garden Clubs will hold its regular meeting on Thursday, Nov. 14th at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. H. E. Keller, 198 East Canfield St., with Mrs. W. S. Betts serving as co-hostess.

Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Horticultural Chairman, will present the program. Mrs. E. F. Armstrong will donate the plant for the plant drawing.

All members are invited to attend the fall State Board meeting at Delray Beach on Nov. 12th and 13th.

Hibiscus Circle

Hibiscus Circle of the Avon Park Federated Garden Clubs will hold its regular meeting on Thursday, Nov. 14, at 3:00 in the home of Mrs. George Walters on Oak Street.

Mrs. L. D. McGiboney will be in charge of the program which will be "Ideas for Christmas Decorations". Mrs. W. G. Reitzner will donate the plant for the plant drawing.

Power Employees Club Enjoys Shrimp Supper

The Florida Power Employees Club enjoyed a delicious shrimp supper at the club house on Tuesday evening, Oct. 29th.

New officers were elected during the business meeting. They are Floyd Wells, President; A. C. Wester Jr., Vice President; and Don Brassell, Secretary & Treasurer. The club holds its meeting once a month.

Those in charge of the supper were Randal Douberly, Milton Stokey, Walter Rutherford, Bob Young and Floyd Wells.

4-H Club News

At the 4-H Club meeting October 23 the girls learned the tools for sewing and cooking with each girl being presented a receipe book containing a list of the foods they will cook.

The 4-H Club is called the Four H Wonder Workers and its purpose is to give the Avon Park girls more educational training. The Club is under the leadership of Miss Brabson and is open to girls between the ages of 10 and 18.

During the meetings each member gives a report on the work they have done and a study period is held on sewing and cooking. The meetings are held at the Elementary School on South Lake Avenue the third Thursday of each month.

Junior Woman's Club Meets

At the regular meeting of the Avon Park Junior Woman's Club on November 5th at 8 o'clock there was considerable discussion about a local drive to eliminate obscene literature from the newsstands and obscene films from the theater. Juvenile Protection and Crime Prevention Chairman, Mrs. Virgil Hall, Jr., will head this. It was reported that the General Federation of Woman's Clubs is urging this action and also that a committee consisting of J. Edgar Hoover and other well known people are investigating this subject.

Mrs. Mannin Kirkland, President, presided at a short business meeting after an interesting talk by Mrs. Joseph O. MacBeth of Sebring, Junior State Chairman of Religions of the World, and a film entitled "Major Religions of the World" in which Mrs. MacBeth was assisted by Kenny Wells who ran the projector. Mrs. MacBeth also passed out various pamphlets concerning her subject.

In the business meeting it was suggested that the Club urge that the children celebrate Halloween only one night by going to Trick or Treat, and the Club voted to participate in Friends, Inc., sponsored by the Ocala Junior Club, which consists of visiting or contacting girls in this area when they are released from the Florida School for Girls to help them get a new start in the community.

Members were reminded to take rummage to Mrs. T. O. Martin, who is selling it for the Club, and it was reported that there will be an orientation supper for new members sometime later this month.

Guest for the evening was Mrs. Billy Cason.

Hostesses were Mrs. Bob Barben, Mrs. Harry Culp and Mrs. David McDaniel.

Radio Station WAVP Schedule

Monday Through Saturday
5:00 am. Breakfast In The Barnyard
6:00 a.m. Orangeland Express
7:30 a.m. News Roundup
8:00 a.m. Orangeland Express
9:00 a.m. Coffee Break
11:00 a.m. Charlies Workshop
12:00 News Roundup
12:15 p.m. Jack Delaney
12:20 p.m. Roadside Chapel
12:30 p.m. Tater Charlie
2:00 p.m. Jims Corner
5:00 p.m. Sundown Serenade

Sunday
7:00 a.m. Easy Listening
8:00 a.m. Baptist Hour
8:30 a.m. Lawrence Welk Orch.
9:00 a.m. Voice Of Prophecy
9:30 a.m. Music For Sunday
11:00 a.m. Church Services
12:00 Sammy Kaye Orch.
12:30 p.m. Sunday News Roundup
12:45 p.m. Novelty Time
1:00 p.m. Sunday Concert
1:30 p.m. Just Beautiful Music
3:00 p.m. Billy Graham
3:30 p.m. Just Beautiful Music

News every hour on the hour: Headlines each half hour.

Radio Station WAVP Avon Park

Reports of excellent reception have been confirmed from Lakeland, Auburndale, Haines City in Florida: and Grimslee, Tennessee: Baltimore, Md: Asbury Park, New Jersey: Danville, Virginia: Toledo, Ohio: Savanah, Georgia: and Toronto, Canada. The Canadian reception was measured 1,682 miles north.

Soil Conservation News

By Sam Polston

The Highlands Soil Conservation received an application from John Boyd of Sebring and H. L. Clark of Lake Placid for assistance in developing a complete conservation farm plan.

R. A. Carlton of Lorida planted 10 acres of paraguay Bahia no. 22. This is the first planting of this pasture grass for the Highlands Soil Conservation District. Mr. Carlton is Agricultural Agent for the Seaboard Railroad and said this was just a trail planting. The Soil Conservation Service through their nursery, furnished Mr. Carlton with the first Pensacola bahia grass seed to be planted in the Highlands District. This was done over twelve years ago and now Pensacola bahia is a grass used throughout the South-east.

Mr. Rollie Murray of Sebring planted 80 acres of Pensacola bahia grass and Louisiana White Dutch clover mixture this week on his ranch at Lake Josephine. Marvin Kahn of Sebring is planting about 100 acres of white dutch-hubam clover mixture this week on an old pangola grass sod.

Mr. Carl McIntyre of Sebring said his old stand of white Dutch clover that was recently fertilized is beginning to make a showing now that the weather is favorable. He will have clover to graze in a few days. He has 65 acres that will be under seepage irrigation when his control structures are completed. The Soil Conservation Service engineers assisted him in the designing and layout of the system.

Notice

Night classes for adults in Business Education at the Avon Park High School have been cancelled until the class Tuesday night due to the death of Mrs. Ellis Watson's sister.

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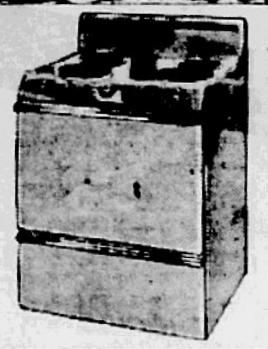

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—By Don Meikeljohn

South Florida folks may be behind a plot to name the new university at Tampa—"University of South Florida."

If South Florida plays its cards right, it will name the proposed new university at Boca Raton--"Pork Chop U." The Tampa school might get some benefits from the magic of the "South Florida" tag . . but what about on appropriations?

Obviously "Pork Chop U" will fare better before the Senate Appropriations committee than a school with "Worth Florida" as a name.

The Department of Education has cut out some snappy cartoons to interest kids in becoming teachers. Looks like their appealing to the wrong kids. They might do better putting pitch inside a school book. At least they would narrow it down to the youngsters that open the books.

About the emptiest place in the Capitol these days is the governor's office. Gov. Collins is spending more and more time working at his new office in the basement of the new Governor's mansion.

It makes it a little hard on newshounds, who like to keep tab on the governor's visitors.

But it's nice for tourists. It gives them a chance to sit in the governor's chair during tours of the capital.

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The Road Department is going to show off its new thinking machine next month. It supposed to be able to work out intricate engineering problems with the greatest of ease.

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It will probably pass the test, if it can answer one question: "When will the new parkway in front of the Capitol be finished?"

Underway by Smith Engineering and Construction Co. for two years, the new parkway still isn't finished.

The snow white capitol buildings are getting tinted with a "red clay tint". Frank Trippett Capitol Correspondent for the St. Pete Times, described the work as "the world's largest professionally constructed mud pie."

Florida State University's homecoming was "non political".

Legislator's that did show up showed more interest in the apportionment of the majorettes's than in the legislative angles of the same question.

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Gov. Collins has spelled out that he expects assessors to make a "good faith" effort at bringing property assessments into line.

If they willfully refused to do so, he said he would consider it neglect of duty, which is grounds for suspension.

This puts it on the line.

The problem is the assessor more afraid of the people who elect him year after year on the basis of low assessments or the governor?

DON MEIKLEJOHN

NOTE TO EDITORS: Weekly press conferences with the governor have been scheduled for Thursday. Alternating between 9:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. If you have a question you'd like an answer to, let me know.

Meiklejohn

Devils Defeat Frostproof 32 - 7

The Avon Park Red Devils got back into high gear last Friday Night at Memorial Field when they downed the Frostproof Bullpups 32 to 7 and overcame another obstacle on the road to the Ridge Conference Championship. This win gives the Red Devils three wins against no losses and one tie. They are currently tied with the Sebring Blue Streaks for first place in the conference standings. Sebring's record is also 3-0-1.

The Bullpups came to Avon Park with a much improved ball club and continued to hit and drive hard right down to the final whistle. The Frostproof backfield looked very good with Tailback Alton Carraway and L. Douglas running the tricky single-wing plays with a considerable amount of success against the tough Devil line. The Bullpup line, although scrappy, couldn't match the determination and agressiveness of the big red line. The Devil forward wall played very good ball despite the fact that Coaches Joe Franza and Guy Garrett had moved some boys to new positions to add strenth. Two big gaps had to be filled when Winkie Williams was moved to halfback and Henry Scott was dropped from the squad for disciplinary reasons. The Devil line led by boys like Farless, Parrish, Elder, Bigbie, L. Starling and Martin have proven themselves tough and hard to be pushed around.

The vaunted Devil backfield after being weakened for the past two games with sickness and injuries was in much better form against the Bullpups. The addition of Winkie Williams in the backfield gives the Devils much more power, power that no team in the conference can match. The passing of Quarterback Jimmy Cooper is greatly improved and now plays a big part in the Devils' offensive game. He completed six out of thirteen against the Bullpups, mostly to End Ben Earnest. A touchdown aerial to End Futch was called back because of a rule infraction. Halfback Billy Rouse ran well against Frostproof and reeled off a beautiful 70 yard touchdown run. This too was called back for a foul. He is expected to be in tip top running condition against the Kissimmee Kowboys this week.

Avon Park took the opening kickoff and drove down to score with Johnny Starling taking it over from the six. This was a drive of 58 yards. Cooper's pass to Earnest was good for the extra point.

The Bullpups after taking the kickoff were unable to gain in two plays and Carraway caught the Devils napping with a nice quickkick. The Devils' Starling picked up 8 yards around end and then Rooster Rouse brought the fans to their feet with his 70 yard sprint that was called back.

In the second quarter Frostproof's offensive picked up a little and they had a drive going only to have Jimmy Cooper intercept a pass. The Big Red mixed power plays with accurate passes and drove down to score with Rouse carring it over. The point was no good. The ball changed hands a couple of times by pass interceptions just before the half ended.

Frostproof received Avon Park's kick and ran two plays before fumbling to the Devils. The Devils picked up one first down then fumbled back to the Bullpups. The Pups tossed a pass and Leroy Farless intercepted and ran it back for a touchdown. The kick for extra point was blocked. Frostproof was again unable to gain and punted to the Devile. The Devils went on to score with Futch taking the pass in the end zone. This too was called back as the third quarter ended.

Avon Park scored early in the last quarter with Rouse taking a pitchout and going around right end. A beautiful block by Winkie Williams aided immeasurably. The Bullpups came back and racked up their first touchdown against Ridge competition with Carraway going over from the four. This was set up by a triple reverse play and by a roughness penalty by Avon Park. The extra point was good.

Halfback Winkie Williams added his name to the list of scorers late in the final quarter when he went over from the three. Cooper added the point on a buck. Avon Park rolled up 14 first downs to 8 for the visitors and were penalized 70 yards to 35 for Frostproof.

Deputy Captures Lake Placid's Mystery Caller

James E. Thomas, 37 year old truck driver from Miami, was captured Monday morning by Sheriff's Deputy Charles M. Rucker as he came out of a pay station booth in Lake Placid.

The capture of Thomas brought to a close the mystery telephone calls to Lake Placid women. Thomas allegedly made lewd and lascivious suggestions to Lake Placid women whose names he picked from the telephone directory. During the past six weeks five married women and a nine-year old girl were the victims of such calls.

Thomas was arraigned before County Judge Mervin Rehrer Monday. He pleaded guilty to five charges and not guilty to six charges. Sentence on each guilty plea totaled $700 in fines and 14 months in jail. Bonds of $500 each was set by Judge Reher on the remaining charges.

Thomas told the judge he merely asked the women for "dates" but admitted he made indecent remarks to the girl whom he said he thought was a boy.

Thomas is married but has no children and has been making daily runs from Miami to Lake Wales and return for the past six months.

CRACKER POLITICS

BY ALLEN MORRIS

TALLAHASSEE—A significant speech by Governor LeRoy Collins which no one here had heard about in detail is being applauded by a Southern religious magazine as having come to grips with today's problems when Billy Graham failed.

What was supposed to have been the usual "mild and somewhat meaningless words" of greeting to a convention turned out, in the opinion of the Presbyterian Outlook of Richmond, to be a "real challenge" to Christians "to meet the attacks of pressure groups in the present racial situation."

Catching unplanned inspirational fire from the "All the Way for Christ" theme displayed at the Southern Presbyterian Men's convention at Miami, Governor Collins likened the attitude of those Floridians who shrugged off two fairly recent state incidents to that of the handwashing of Pontius Pilate.

The Governor reminded the some 8,000 Presbyterians how Pilate had faced up to the cry of the Judea mob for the crucifixion of Jesus by calling publicly for a bowl of water, dipping his hands, and saying "I wash my hands of the whole thing. The blood of this innocent and righteous man will not be on my hands. See to it yourself."

ued Governor Collins, Floridued Governor Collins, Floridians generally said "see to it yourself" when an "anarchistic" interposition resolution whistled through the Legislature and similarly said, in effect, "see to it yourself" when a busy woman public health doctor was fired for having a backroom sandwich with a Negro nurse so they could discuss their mutual responsibilities during lunch.

Of the firing of Dr. Deborah Coggins by the Madison county commission, Governor Collins asked the Presbyterian convention:

"Where in that situation were our Presbyterians? Where were our Methodists? Our Episcopalians? Where were all of our churchmen? Where were all of our people who are dedicated to this proposition of 'All for Christ'?

"Did they go before these county commissioners and say, 'Don't! This is wrong!' No, they called for the bowl, and they washed their hands, and they said, just as Pontius Pilate said, 'The blood of this innocent, righteous person won't be on my hands. See to it yourself.'

"And she was fired, to the everlasting shame of our state."

(Actually, at least two persons did stand up and protest to the county commission—T. C. Merchant, Jr., editor of Madison's weekly newspaper, and Robert Browning, who was transferred out of the Madison health unit as a consequence. Both were Presbyterian deacons at the time.)

The Presbyterian Outlook, reviewing the Miami convention in its current issue, commented that the speakers came closer to some of the "real problems than they have in earlier conventions, but very few actually came to grips with the crucial issues in a way that was irrecapable.

"As one layman put it, 'Billy Graham had the big opportunity, but Governor Collins used it.' Time after time in his address dealing with the citizenship phase Billy Graham came up close to the problem, but he never did come to grips with it. It was Governor Collins, an Episcopalian, on the opening evening who stirred the convention as few, if any others, did."

The Outlook recalled that in its daily convention newspaper "We suggested that in this day of weak compromises and compromisers the (Collins) is raising a banner of Christian courage and of influence that is worthy of best traditions of our heritage.

"For a man in public life to do this, and particularly one for whom larger political possibilities have been pointed out, is something rare today. Governor Collins did it at great personal risk, and his example proved to be a tonic for the convention."

In its seperate news report of the convention, the Outlook said "after this high mark (the Collins speech) it seemed that any speaker would be largely anticlimatic."

Referring to the interposition resolution, expressing the Legislature's assertion of the right of states in fields not specifically reserved to the Federal government, Governor [illegible] told the Presbyterian church men:

"Last spring in our State Legislature a resolution was introduced in the heat of all this racial controversy. It was a resolution that struck at the very concept of law and government. It was anarchistic in its very nature. It defied all those things that we as patriotic citizens have tried to preach and practice over the years.

"I took the position that passage of that sort of legislation would stultify our state. I so hoped that some bar association—some lawyers who knew better—would say, 'Don't do that!' But the mob was howling, so they washed their hands of it and they said, 'See to it yourself.'

So Governor Collins left the church leaders with the problem, "will you be 'all the way for Christ' when the mob is howling at your door and the pressure comes?"

Rotary News

Members of the Avon Park Rotary Club enjoyed a delicious meal Wednesday, October 30, at the State Prison. After lunch L. L. Wainwright, Superintendent, conducted the members on a tour through the prison. The tour included a visit to the wood working shop, print shop, work shop, infirmary and denial clinic.

Members were amazed and delighted with the trip and each is looking forward to visiting the prison again.

The Rotarians had lunch in the spotless messhall, army style, and gravy, mashed potatoes, cranberry sauce, green peas, rolls, banana pudding and a fruit drink.

Visiting Rotarians making the tour with the local members were Weyman Carver, Orlando and J. B. McClenden of Frostproof.

Plant Mart November 13

Remember the Annual Plant Mart on Wednesday, Nov. 13, in the Mall directly across from the Jacranda Hotel from 8:30 until 3:00. Don't forget to attend this plant sale!

There will be annuals, shrubs, potted plants, and vegetables plants for sale at reasonable prices. This is your chance to get new plants for your yard.

The Plant Mart is sponsored by the Federated Garden Clubs of Avon Park and everyone is cordially invited to attend and see the plants.

Suspect Captured

Sheriff Broward Coker announced Tuesday night the capture of Willie C. Alexander, 19 year old Lake Wales Negro, in Orlando.

Alexander was sought in the rape of an Avon Park Negro woman last month and was also wanted in Lake Wales in connection with a rape attempt on a Negro girl.

Fried Chicken Dinner Postponed Until Nov. 21

The Fried Chicken Dinner which Leigh Chapter 85, Order of the Eastern Star, had planned to serve to the public on Thursday night, November 14 has been postponed until Thursday night, November 21 due to the announcement that the Highlands County Tuberculosis and Health Association will hold its Annual Fall Dinner at the Jacaranda Hotel on November 14.

Tickets for the chicken dinner on November 21 can be purchased from any member of the Star, adults $1.25 and children .75 cents. Dinner will be served on that date at the Masonic Temple on West Main between 5 and 7 P. M.

Leonard Perry Russ Plans High Court Appeal

Leonard Perry Russ's attorney plans to appeal to the supreme court in the latest legal battle to save the life of the condemned wife slayer.

State Attorney R. B. Huffaker said Tuesday he had been advised by Attorney Raymond Ford of Fort Pierce that he had written to Gov. LeRoy Collins requesting that the date of Russ' execution not be set until the Supreme Court can rule on the appeal which he is now preparing.



DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD — Rudolph Mattson (left) Fort Pierce, retiring president of the Florida Fruit & Vegetable Association presents the Association's highest honor, the Distinguished Service Award to the Florida Farm Bureau. Edwin H. Finlayson, president, Greenville and Thomas K. McClane, Jr., executive vice-president, Gainesville, accepted on behalf of the Florida Farm Buresu. The citation stated, "Under the leadership of the above named officers, the Florida Farm Bureau, by exemplary cooperation with all segments of Florida Agriculture, has unselfishly furthered the advance of this essential industry so that it has achieved eminent State and National recognition."

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WHEN THE DINNER BELL RINGS

By The Bird Woman

Food is a necessity to every living thing. It gives us the type of fuel to the means of growing it, every thing that must have nourishment.

The human body is not the only gormandizer, but down to the most minute organism or cell, whether it exists in water or land or in the body of man or animal, this desire is present and must be satisfied if life is to continue.

Babies will cry and show the desire for food even before we give them credit for being organized sufficiently to make their wants known.

Have you ever seen a baby bird that did not stretch it's neck and open it's mouth, until it seemed all mouth, when there was a sound or a slight jar of the nest?

Every one who has raised caged birds has experienced this many times, and many people have raised a nest of wild birds when the parents have been killed, by putting the food on a tooth pick and poking it far down into the fledglings throat.

Indians had a knack for rearing unfortunate fledglings which was quite successful, they would mix saliva with the food much as the bird parents would have done.

We know that many birds will consume their own weight of food daily, and while this imposes quite a task for the parents, yet we see what a tremendous number of insects and weed seed that are destroyed daily.

If a growing boy should eat in proportion to a bird he would eat daily as much as two sheep or a calf, so lets be thankful that his appetite isn't any greater than it is, and that our wonderful helpers do have such a capacity for food.

It is such an amazing thing to realize that the most seemingly flippant and care free birds, as well as the most arrogant, such as the Jay, realize that their young must have food, and as soon as the first fledgling is out of the shell, the parents, one or both immediately begin to hunt and prepared in the same manner that every fledgling of its specie has received every since that bird was created and it was instilled in it by the Creator what manner of life it should live and what manner of food it was equipped to consume.

We do not see water birds skimming about through our shrubs hunting small insects, neither do we see the Cardinal or Towhee or any of our garden birds standing in shallow water fish or snails.

As far as we have been able to learn there is no Welfare Agency among the bird families, each individual family assumes it's responsibility and withstands vigerously any attempt of another bird to even approach it's nest.

Usually both parents share in the incubation and feeding of the young, but in some species the male assumes the role of a gay young bachelor and leaves the feeding to the female, in these species it was decreed that there would be fewer eggs per nest so the female would be able to care for them herself.

In some other species when the young become old enough for the mother to start the second nest, the father takes complete care of the young both the feeding and their protection.

We would like to mention the methods used by a few birds to feed their young; The Cedar Waxwing, which migrates our way about the time mulberries are ripe and usually stay as long as the bloom remains on the Silk Oak or the loquats or other early fruit are in season.

The Cedar Waxwing is an expert prestidigitator, when it arrives at it's nest no fruit is in evidence for the brood, nevertheless it is carrying a full market basket, which is sometimes enough for a meal for the entire family, this food is carried in it's distended throat, but it is not partly digested as in some other species.

And presently up will come a cherry (For they nest in the north) and it will slide down the gullet of one of the fledglings, then perhaps more cherries or berries and an occassional insect to vary the diet, until all the hungry mouths have been filled, sometimes the food must be carried for quite a distance from the nest and that has been provided for, using the esophagus as a market basket.

Where these birds are numerous the fruit grower does not begrudge the loss of some fruit, as this bird is such a good insect gatherer.

An entirely different system is used by Cooper's Hawk, it of course feeds chiefly on small rodents and birds. It will decapitate a bird and pick most of the feathers from it before it is offered to the young.

The Pelican partially digests the food it gives to it's young, their food being principally fish, which it garners, and collects in it's pouch under it's bill and the young reaches deep into the pouch to procure it's meal, so deeply does it delve into the pouch that a bystander would think that it was headless.

The interesting Gannets of the Timberline and Tunda of the far north are lavish feeders and by the time the young are twelve to thirteen weeks old they are heavier than their parents, then the parents abandon them altogether and for at least ten days they starve until they are able to find their way to the Sea, and gather their own food, which they do by swimming and diving like their parents, with no previous training.

As the Pelican, the Gannet will dive downward a hundred feet through the air and send up a spray of water ten feet high, to catch a fish, but it is also cushioned with pneumatic cells which breaks the force of the contact with the water. Gannets have been caught in Fisherman's nets fourteen fathoms deep.

The crossbill is an exotic bird and although not a native of Florida, it is quite a well known bird in the east and at first glimpse it looks as if it had a deformed bill, for it's bill is crossed, but as in other birds this is for a purpose, it is to remove the scales from pine cones so it can eat the seed.

Another exotic bird with which we are familiar is the Hummingbird, there are many species but the Ruby throat is the one with we are most familiar in Florida.

Think of a bird with a darning needle bill trying to feed young, we have heard of sword swallowers in the circus, but this one may be seen for free, no nurse is present to give instructions, still our smallest bird has that innate knowledge of the care and feeding of it's young.

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First Methodist Church News

The Women's Society For Christian Service

The Women's Society for Christian Service held its regular monthly general meeting on Monday, November 4, at 8 o'clock in Wesley Hall.

The meeting opened with a song followed by the reading of the Lord's Prayer by the group.

Circle 2 presented the interesting program which followed. Mrs. I. H. Ford spoke on the subject "The Mind That is Christ" and mentioned some quadrennial goals and financial goals. A dialogue, "The Classroom of the Burning Brush" was given by Sarah Leslie Harrison, Mary Sally Sayers, and Claire Maxwell.

After this interesting dialogue Mrs. John Cottenden, Secretary of Student Work, discussed "Institutions of Higher Learning in the Home and Foreign Fields of the Women's Division of Methodism". Her talk stressed four main objectives: (1) to meet educational needs, (2) to develop interracial and international understanding, (3) to supply training for local and community leadership, and (4) to train students for full time Christian service.

The song, "My Lord and I" was sung by a trio, Eve Campbell, Peggy Bussard, and Sarah Leslie Harrison. Claire Maxwell spoke on "The Beginnings of Student Work in the United States" and Mary Sally Sayers discussed "The Methodist Student Movement."

Mrs. Fred Simcox presided over the business meeting which followed. The date of the annual Fall Festival of the First Methodist Church was set for Dec. 3. Remember this date!

Congregational Church News

Ladies Aid

The Ladies Aid of the Congregational Church will hold their regular meeting with a Covered Dish Luncheon at 12 noon on Wednesday, Nov. 13, in the Parish House.

All ladies of the church are invited to bring a covered dish and attend this meeting. There are a few lovely aprons left from the Pie Social that will be on display at the meeting for anyone who might wish to buy one.



SWEEPING STYLING CHANGES ARE APPARENT IN THE 1958 FORD CAR LINE. The Fairlane 500 Town Victoria (right) and Fairlane Club Victoria (left) share with all new Fords such dramatic styling changes as new safety dual headlights, corrosion-proof anodized aluminum grille, power flow hood, slip stream roof, sculptured inverted V trunk lid and twin safety taillights. Engineering and design advances include new engines, new Cruise-O-Matic transmission and optional Ford-Aire suspension. The new Ford car line will be on display at Ford dealerships on November 7.

Fla. Ave. Baptist Church News

Donna McClelland Circle

The Donna McClelland Circle of the Florida Avenue Baptist Church met at the church on Monday, October 28, for a prayer service.

Following the service the members went to Lemon Grove to visit Rest Haven, the rest home there. They spent the afternoon visiting with the patients. The circle, as one of their projects, donated wash clothes for use in Rest Haven. Last time they donated towels for use.

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1 Tin corned beef
2 onions
4 large potatoes
1 tin cream of mushroom soup
1 cup milk
salt and pepper

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Real Estate--Buy From Those

Real Estate Transfers...

Real Estate transfers recorded in the Highlands County Court House through Tuesday of this week are listed below. 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.)

Avon Park Chamber of Commerce Inc., to Robert W. Melvie. Unit 10692 and 10693, Unit 33, Avon Park Lakes. $00.

S. J. Pendleton and wife to Robert E. Vaughan and wife, portion of lot 3, Blk 12, Sec. 21, Twp 33, R 28. $500.

Pine Acres, Inc. to Bettner and Inc. Lots and blocks in Lake Lillian Sub. $40,000.

Highlands Downs, Inc. to Joseph A. Masotto. Lots 7 and 8 Blk 23, Sec R, Highlands Park Estates. $800.

Lake Blue Estates, Inc. to Charles W. Henley and wife. Lot 4, Blk 5, Lake Blue Estates. $12,650.

Town of Lake Placid to Henry J. Starkins. Lots 1, 2, 27 and 28, Blk 2, Hoffman's Grove. $1,000.

Dorothy B. Kimbrel, Keith E. Collyer, Atty-in-Fact, Harry Y and John Britton to W. C. and Leona S. Bagwell. Lots 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, Blk 71, Sec. 22, Twp 33, R28, Avon Park. $28,000.

Jane E. Stevens, Ind. and as Admin.; F. R. Stevens (dec'd) and Robert B. Stevens to Harold A. And Wanda May Brown. Lot 9, Blk 91, Lake Lillian. $150.

Jane E. Stevens, Ind. and as Admin., F. R. Stevens (dec'd) and Robert R. Stevens, to Paul F. and Helen Richardson. Lot 1, Blk 90, Lake Lillian $200.

Jane E. Stevens to Bruce M. and Ruby Biggs. Lot 8, Blk 57, Lake Lillian $350.

Wells Better Homes Company to Charles E. Acjerman and wife, SE¼ of lot 4, Blk "C", Crosby's. $10,300.

Highlands Gardens Inc. to A. 7254 and 7255, Unit 23, Avon Park Lakes, $11,500.

Jack H. and Helen K. Powers to Carl O. and Mildred E. Johnson. Lots 1 & 30, Blk 320, Lake Blvd anx. Add to City of Sebring. $574.

Highlands Park, Inc. to Callie Hennen. Lot 4, Blk 7, Sec. B, Highlands Park Estates. $300.

Roy D. Johns to Joseph F. Dunn. Lot 3, Blk "L", Lake Jackson Blvd. $7,800.

Carl F. and Julia C. Sirey to William P. and Ethel Cooper. Land in Sec. 35, Twp 34, R 28. $3,000.

Henry J. Welfinger and wife to Earl J. Wolfinger and wife. Part of lot 5, Blk 94, Sebring. $17,000.

Frank and Fleta M. Homberg to Herbert William and Margaret E. Slocum. Lots 7253,

Harry Pielet and wife, Arthur Pielet and wife, Philip Pielet and wife and Seymour Pielet and wife to Harry Powell and wife. Lot 13, Blk 522, Sebring Shores. $15,500.

Florida National Bank of Jacksonville, as trustee, Edward S. Futch, Dec'd. to North Shore Bank of Miami Beach as trustee. NW¼ of SE¼, Sec. Twp 36, R30, less portion to be used as R/W Federal Route 19, $62,500.

Avon Park Chamber of Commerce Inc., to Carl A. Holstein Unit 1, Avon Park Lakes $1500.

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Sec. 194.16, F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that J. F. SPOONER 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:

Part of Certificate No. 273. Year of issuance 1945.

Description of Property Lot 12, Block 517, Sixth Addition to Sebring.

Name in which assessed L. W. Martin.

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 the Month of December, 1957, which is the 2nd day of December, 1957, between the hours of 11:00 o'clock A.M. and 2:00 o'clock P.M., the same being a legal sales day and the hours the legal hours of sale.

Dated this 24th day of October, 1957.

(SEAL)
H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
PUB: Oct. 31, Nov. 7, 14 and 21

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 Twelfth day of November, 1957, for the GENERAL CONTRACT for LIBRARY, LAKE PLACID SCHOOL LAKE PLACID, 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 ten (10) days after the bids are received.

(b) Bidders, subcontractors, 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 guarantee, 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, FLORIDA
(SEAL)
By S. F. LONGBOTTOM, Chairman of the Board of Public Instruction of Highlands County, Florida
ATTEST
FRED WILD,
Secretary of the board of Public Instruction of Highlands County, Florida.
Pub. Oct. 17, 24, 31, Nov. 7, 1957

NOTICE TO RECEIVE BIDS

The City Council of the City of Avon Park will open Sealed Bids at 7:30 P.M., Monday, November 11, 1957 on the following:

One (1) Trash Packer Type Body of 14 Cu. Yd. Capacity.

One (1) Trash Packer Type Body of 16 cu. yd. Capacity.

One (1) Trash Packer Type Body of 18 cu. yd. Capacity.

All bids are to state the size chassis and tires to be used with each Packer Type Body.

All bids must be submitted to the office of the City Clerk on or before 5:00 P.M., Monday, November 12, 1957 and marked on the envelope "Sealed Bids".

The City Council reserves the right to accept or reject any or all Bids.

J. P. TURNBULL,
City Clerk
Pub: October 24, November 7, 1957

FOR RENT — 2 Bedroom unfurnished House. Phone 2-2601. 52-1tp

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA
CHANCERY NO.—
DIVORCE
MARGARET D. TAYLOR, Plaintiff
vs.
HAROLD W. TAYLOR, Defendant
SUIT FOR DIVORCE NOTICE
TO: Harold W. Taylor

You are hereby notified that a Complaint for divorce has been filed against you and that you are required to serve a copy of your Answer or Pleading to the Complaint on the Plaintiff's Attorney, Hue E. Nunnallee, 15 South Lake Avenue, Avon Park, Florida, and file the original Answer or Pleading in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, Highlands County, Florida on or before November 15, 1957. If you fail to do so, a Decree Pro Confesso will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

DONE AND ORDERED at the Highlands County Court House at Sebring, Florida, this 16th day of October, 1957.

H. T. PIETY,
Clerk, Circuit Court Highlands County, Florida
SEAL
By EARL RICH, Deputy Clerk
Pub. Oct. 17, 24, 31, Nov. 7, 1957

IN THE COURT OF THE COUNTY JUDGE IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY STATE OF FLORIDA
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MICHAEL J. HEYNEN, DECEASED.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All creditors of the Estate of Michael J. Heynen, Deceased are hereby notified and required to file any claims or demands which they may have against said Estate in the office of the County Judge of Highlands County, Florida, in the Courthouse at Sebring, Florida, within eight (8) calendar months from the date of the first publication of this notice. Each claim or demand must be in writing and must state the place of residence and post office address of the claimant and must be sworn to by the claimant, or his attorney, or it will become void according to law.

Dated this 28th day of October, A.D. 1957.

HERBERT I. SMITH
Executor of the Estate of Michael J. Heynen, Deceased.
MATTIE W. TOMPKINS,
Attorney for Estate,
Avon Park, Florida.
PUB: Oct. 31, Nov. 7, 14, 21

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA
CHANCERY NO. 8403
DIVORCE
PHILIP WEBER, Plaintiff
vs.
MILDRED WEBER, Defendant
SUIT FOR DIVORCE NOTICE
TO: Mrs. Mildred Weber
316 East Mosholu Parkway South
Bronx 67, New York

You are hereby notified that a Complaint for divorce has been filed against you and that you are required to serve a copy of your Answer or Pleading to the Complaint on the Plaintiff's Attorney, Hue E. Nunnallee, 15 South Lake Avenue, Avon Park, Florida, and file the original Answer or Pleading in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, Highlands County, Florida on or before November 15, 1957. If you fail to do so, a Decree Pro Confesso will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

DONE AND ORDERED at the Highlands County Court House at Sebring, Florida, this 15th day of October, 1957.

H. T. PIETY,
Clerk, Circuit Court Highlands County, Florida
SEAL
By VERA BOWEN
Deputy Clerk
Pub. Oct. 17, 24, 31, Nov. 7, 1957

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. 20953, 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: B & C Plumbing & Supply Co. under which I am engaged in business at 1094 W. Main St. Avon Park, Florida.

That the party interested in said business enterprise is as follows: Charles Burrescia, William E. Sykes.

Dated at Avon Park, Highlands County, Florida,
October 10, 17, 24, 31

NOTICE OF SALE
USED SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND SCHOOL BUSSES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Public Instruction of Highlands County will receive bids at the office of County Superintendent, Fred Wild, Courthouse, Sebring, Florida, up until 9 O'clock A. M. on Tuesday, November 12th, from those desiring to purchase any of the following described articles which can be inspected at the School Maintenance Shop, Orange and Lemon Street, Sebring, Florida.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Two (2) School Busses 48 passengers, both 1949 Chevrolet Chassis
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One (1) Ice Refrigerator
Approximately three hundred (300) windows, several sizes displayed in groups.
Approximately twelve (12) doors, several sizes.
Seventy-Five (75) old auditorium seats.
One (1) large stationary Sanding Machine.

FRED WILD,
Superintendent
Secretary—Ex-Officio Board of Public Instruction, Highlands County Courthouse, Sebring, Florida
Pub. Oct. 24, 31, Nov. 7, 1957

IN THE COURT OF THE COUNTY JUDGE IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF LAURA E. FORBES, DECEASED.
NOTICE OF FILING PETITION FOR FINAL DISCHARGE OF EXECUTRICES

Notice is hereby given that we have filed our final return as Executrices of the Estate of Laura E. Forbes, Deceased; that we have filed our petition for distribution and for final discharge, and that on the 18th day of November, A.D. 1957 we will apply to the Honorable Mervin Rehrer, County Judge, for approval of said final returns and for an order of distribution and for final discharge as Executrices of the Will of Laura E. Forbes, Deceased.

Dated this 9th day of October, A.D. 1957.

LUCY A. STREET
LUCY ROBINSON
As Executrices under the Will of Laura E. Forbes, Deceased.
MATTIE W. TOMPKINS,
Attorney for the Estate,
Avon Park, Florida
Pub: Oct. 24, 31, Nov. 7, 14

IN THE COURT OF THE COUNTY JUDGE, HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA, IN PROBATE
IN re: Estate of W. L. HOGAN, BILL HOGAN, alias WILLIE HOGAN, Deceased.
To All Creditors and Persons Having Claims or Demands Against Said Estate:

You and each of you are hereby notified and required to present any claims and demands which you, or either of you, may have against the estate of W. L. HOGAN, alias BILL HOGAN, alias WILLIE HOGAN, deceased, late of said County, to the County Judge of Highlands County, Florida, at his office in the court house of said County at Sebring, Florida, within eight calendar months from the time of the first publication of this notice. Each claim or demand shall be in writing, and shall state the place of residence and post office address of the claimant, and shall be sworn to by the claimant, agent, or attorney, and any such claim or demand not so filed shall be void.

Hazel Garrett Edmonds
As administrator of the Estate of
As executor of the Last Will and Testament of W. L. HOGAN, deceased
Pub: Oct. 24, 31, Nov. 7, 14

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Board of County Commissioners of Highlands County Florida, does hereby advertise their intention of adopting a Supplemental Budget for the Capital Outlay Reserve Fund for the year, October 1, 1956, to September 30, 1957, as hereto attached and duly itemized.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that this Board will meet November 19, 1957, in the Board Room of the County Commissioners, Court House, Sebring, Florida, for the purpose of hearing the requests and complaints from the public regarding the Supplemental Budget and for the purpose of considering and adopting said Supplemental Budget for the Capital Outlay Reserve Fund for the year 1956-1957.

RECEIPTS	
Taxes—2 mills on assessed valuation of $20,195,334.00, actual receipts	$ 39,740.52
Sale of Revenue Certificates	185,000.00
Accrued Interest	2,375.46
Cash Balance brought forward	25,112.23
Total Receipts & Balances	$252,228.21
EXPENSES	
Jail Building & Equipment	$239,183.23
Interest on Bonds	5,868.50
Attorney's Fees	6,701.50
Transfer to Jail Bond Interest & Sinking Fund	474.98
Total Budget	$252,228.21

Board of County Commissioners
A. J. TUBBS,
Chairman
PUB: November 7, 1957

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY
Chancery 8107
D. G. BENNETT and S. Y. MOSELEY, Plaintiffs
vs.
BILL LEE and ANNIE P. LEE, His Wife, Defendants
NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of a Final Decree of the Circuit Court of the Tenth Judicial Circuit of Florida in and for Highlands County, Florida, in that certain case therein pending wherein D. G. Bennett and S. Y. Moseley are plaintiffs and Bill Lee and Annie P. Lee, his wife, are defendants, Docket No. 8107, I, H. T. PIETY, Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida, will sell at public auction at the front door of the Court House in Sebring, Florida, between the hours of 11 o'clock a.m. and 2 o'clock p.m. on the 18th day of November, A.D. 1957 the following described property located in Highlands County, Florida, to-wit:

The West Half (W½) of the North Half (N½) of Lot Ten (10) Block Four (4) of a subdivision of the East Half (E½) of Section 21, Township 33 South, Range 28 East.

TERMS CASH.

Dated this 6th day of November, A.D. 1957.

H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida.
MATTIE W. TOMPKINS,
Attorney for Plaintiffs,
Avon Park, Florida.
PUB: November 7th

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY
In Chancery
VIOLA JONES, Plaintiff
vs.
ELLIS JONES, Defendant
DIVORCE ACTION
NOTICE TO DEFEND
TO THE DEFENDANT, ELLIS JONES:

You are hereby notified that a suit has been brought against you in the above entitled Court by Viola Jones for the purpose of procuring a divorce from you. You are required to file with the Clerk of said Court a written answer or other defense on or before the 9th day of December, 1957 and to serve by mail or otherwise a copy of such Answer or other defense on plaintiff's attorney or decree will be entered against you and the case will thereafter proceed ex parte.

It is ordered that this notice be published once a week for four (4) consecutive weeks in the Avon Park Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in Highlands County, Florida.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court at Sebring, Florida, this the 6th day of November, A.D. 1957.

H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of Circuit Court
By: EARL Rich,
Deputy Clerk
MATTIE W. TOMPKINS,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Avon Park, Florida
PUB: November 7, 14, 21, 28, 1957

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY
IN CHANCERY, No. 8414
JACQUELINE LEE HAMILL, Plaintiff
vs.
ROBERT S. HAMILL, Defendant
SUIT FOR DIVORCE
NOTICE TO DEFEND
TO: ROBERT S. HAMILL care of Mrs. Helen Hamill
9110½ South Manhattan Place
Los Angeles, California

You are hereby notified that a Bill of Complaint for Divorce has been filed against you, and you are required to serve a copy of your Answer or Pleading to the Bill of Complaint on the Plaintiff's Attorney, JAMES W. MOORE, 5630 Sunset Drive, Miami, Florida and file the original Answer or Pleading in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court on or before the 7th day of December, A.D., 1957. If you fail to do so, judgment by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Bill of Complaint.

This notice shall be published once each week for four consecutive weeks in The Avon Park Sun.

DONE AND ORDERED at Sebring, Florida, this 30th day of October, A. D. 1957.

H. T. PIETY
Clerk, Circuit Court
Highlands County, Florida
(Circuit Court Seal)
By: EARL RICH
Deputy Clerk
JAMES W. MOORE
5630 Sunset Drive, Miami, Florida
Attorney for Plaintiff.
PUB: November 7, 14, 21, 28

LEGAL AD

The Board of County Commissioners of Highlands County will receive SEALED BIDS until 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, November 19, 1957, on the following: One City Lot in or near Block H of Price & Gorham Subdivision in Avon Park. Lot to measure approximately 100 x 100 feet. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

A. J. TUBBS,
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PUB: November 7th and 14th

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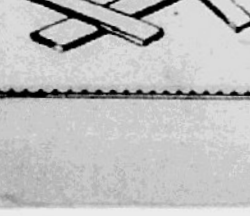

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Editor's Mail Bag

November 5, 1957
Mr. Bill Myers, Editor
Avon Park Sun
Avon Park, Florida
Dear Mr. Myers:

We are writing in reply to your article of November 31, entitled "Trick Or Treat Is For Small Children, Not Teenage Rowdyism."

Your article left the impression that all teenagers went out on Halloween hunting trouble. This is not so. There may be a few who go out with the intention of distreying private property but they are in the minority. The main idea is to have a good time without being destructive. Teenagers are at that in-between stage but nevertheless, they still know the difference in right and wrong.

It is our opinion that all our holidays, including Halloween, are observed and enjoyed by people of all ages, not just small children.

The teenagers wish to point out that it is generally the youths of the junior age group who tend to get into mischief. (By Junior age, we mean 10 to 14.)

We recall a quotation of wisdom which we heard once. It applies to our situation. It stated, "The older you get, the less you do, and the more you get blamed."

Many of the teenagers had dates on the night the damage was done. This is the trend in our group. They attended a movie which lasted into the wee small hours. We are sure no one felt like playing pranks after that. This seems to clear the young people of the false accusations.

To the adults who issued complaints, we would like to make a request. Think, Parents! Where were your children Halloween night? Were they at another's house doing what you are complaining about?

In writing this letter, we did not mean to hurt any feelings but we did want to let the public know that the teenagers have been offended by these false accusations. We love our community and for the most part we try to protect it. We do our best as young Americans and the best is all anyone can do.

Respectfully yours,
Teenagers of Avon Park

November 5, 1957
The Avon ark Sun
Avon Park, Fla.
Dear Sir:

I would like for Mrs. Louise Armstrong to answer a few questions. I believe the Public is entitled to know about.

1. You say you are a good loser. Would you raise all this commotion if you had won.

2. Why do you think you are so important to the city. Avon Park has managed to get along without you being on the council up to now. And it seems the majority of the people believe we can still get along without you.

3. I am sure, being a very intelligent woman, you realize your actions are going to cost the city money the city needs so badly for improvements. Wouldn't it be better for the money to go for this purpose than for another election the voters have proven they don't won't by their refusing to sign your referendum.

4. The Chamber of Commerce is doing its best to encourage tourists to settle here. Are you helping in this cause!

5. Why don't you go on the other side of the tracks and keep your big mouth shut!

Sincerely yours,
Warren George
Tax Payer



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Brownie Scout Troop News

The troop for third grade Brownie Scouts hold their regular meeting each Tuesday from 2:30 to 4:00 in the Woodruff Heights Administration building. Twenty girls are now registered for this troop. Mrs. Roy Felknor and Mrs. Jeff Barrow need mothers for their troop committee and would appreciate volunteers.

The troop for second grade Brownie Scouts met on Saturday morning for their regular meeting with their leader Mrs. Fred Davis. The girls sang some Brownie songs and practiced the Brownie Promise. Mrs. Floyd Wells served refreshments and Mrs. Jim Runkle assisted Mrs. Davis.

The Brownie troop for fourth grade girls holds its regular meetings on Thursday afternoon at 3:15 until 4:45 each week in the Woodruff Heights Administration Building. Last Thursday the Brownies studied the flag and made plans for their year's work. Ginger Grant, Nancy Wright, and Betty Hutchinson were the color guard at the meeting. This troop is going to work with bamboo to make containers, etc., and would appreciate hints from anyone who has done this sa... Please contact Mrs. R... wig about your bamboo

The Leaders of the Br... and their troop committee... meet on Tuesday, Nov. 7... the Woodruff Heights Scout... Building at 7:30.

At this time the Brownie leaders will be invested and an interesting program presented.

First Baptist Church News

Ruth Sunday School Class

The Ruth Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met Monday, Oct. 28th at the home of Mrs. Elsie Coen with eight members present.

Mrs. Tom Brown led the devotionals. A business session followed. Refreshments of salad, crackers and coffee were served those present.

Fidelis Class

The monthly meeting of the Fidelis Class of the First Baptist Church was held Tuesday night, October 29th, at the home of Mrs. Elmer Fentress.

After the reading of the Scripture Mrs. Ellen Haynsworth led the class in prayer. During the short business session which followed the name Fidelis was chosen for the class with a motto "Be Thou Faithful Unto Death".

Weather Report
BY J. WILEY COTHRAN
Weather Observer

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... a practically solid ... area that will con[illegible] ... two-thirds of the state's population. This future dense population area would streatch from north of Tampa on the Gulf Coast south to Naples ... the Coast will continue its amazing growth from the Keys to Jacksonville. Large central areas such as Orlando and Gainesville will serve as hubs for the Jacksonville, Tampa, Miami triangle with homes and industries packed in between.

Flying over this area today most of the territory appears deserted or under water, yet travel by car proves otherwise and when we consider other areas of the nation, that was formerly farms and fields which has become practically one big sprawling metropolis in the last 50 years. Corey's prediction seems to make sense.

Much the same thing happened in the New England - New York - New Jersey area. Here a densely populated strip stretches from Boston along the coast, virtually one city as far south as Virginia Beach forming a 600 Interurbia.

Corey pointed out that changes in the last few years with industry seeking larger space for expansion and new plants, people seeking larger and better homes in more spacious, comfortable surroundings; following in the wake of industrial development, ease of transportation through super highways and countless thousands seeking a desirable location for retirement all give Florida a tremendous advantage and insure its continued magical growth.

Evidence of what is happening is found in the Hillsborough-Pinellas area where numerous new large industries are spending millions of dollars and new homes are being built by the hundreds and sold as fast as they are completed.

Another section that is experiencing similar development is the Piedmont Range in Georgia, North and South Carolinas. This will become another Southern Interurbia just as will South Florida.

Such growth will, of course, call for more super highways and turnpikes. Corey pointed out that transportation problems and the necessity for networks of easily accessible highways is causing the destruction of 90,000 homes a year and the number will increase. With the nation's fast increase in population and larger average families it means we must continue to build more and bigger homes which, of course, call for more public buildings, super-markets and business blocks.

North of Tampa the Temple Terrace area at one time a vast orange grove is destined to become an important manufacturing center surrounded by thousands of modern homes. Now building are two huge brewery plants of the Joseph Schlitz Brewing Company and the Anhauser-Busch Budweiser plants and here also is the site along the winding Hillsborough River selected for the building of Florida's third State University as well as many smaller business and industrial institutions.

Pinellas County continues to attract big industry around the bay area with such firms as Minneapolis-Honeywell, General Electric, Sperry-Rand, Air Associates, and others. It was recently announced that the Houston Texas Gas and Oil Corporation, the firm that is bringing natural gas by pipeline to Florida is establishing offices in St. Petersburg. All this clearly indicated the trend that Mr. Corey sees as making all of South Florida one big unbroken metropolitan area in the future.

Deputy—

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iff's department for more deputies and the Sebring City police. Patrolman E. G. Long, a former sheriff, found Murdock lying on the sidewalk when he arrived on the scene. An ambulance rushed Murdock to Walker Memorial Hospital and he was later taken to the Florida Sanitorium at Orlando where he underwent surgery Friday. According to last report he is recovering nicely.

After being shot Murdock fired several times at Eiland, but none of the shots hit him and Eiland escaped on foot.

Sheriff Odell Carlton of Hardee County and several deputies from Polk County, State Troopers and Sebring police joined Sheriff Coker and his deputies in the hunt for Eiland.

Dr.—

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ployed by Alexander Graham Bell in his laboratory in Washington, D. C. and he is now the only living member of the group empolyed there at that time.

The card mailed from a friend says "Meet me in Boston." Where the card has been will always remain a mystery as it bears no other post marks or explanation.

Clean-Up—

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Mrs. Anna Belle Worden, it was decided to make a concentrated and uniform drive to clean up and beautify Avon Park.

This committee selected the flower petunia as keynoting beauty for this season, as this annual is easily cultivated and highly colorful. Petunia plants will be available at the Annual Plant Mart which will be held in the Mall across from the Jacaranda Hotel on Wednesday, November 13.

This clean-up campaign is to be City wide with the hope that every individual is going to cooperate to the fullest extent in making Avon Park a lovely place to see and to be.

Christmas—

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tinued support of their Tuberculosis Association and Health Department programs she pointed out that TB is a long way from being licked.

"In our letter to the public we are laying facts on the line. We want everyone to realize what this disease is costing the county and how tragically it effects many families. We want them to know just what their TB Associations doing about these problems and the service they are paying for when they buy Christmas Seals."

In conclusion Mrs. Watson said, "Won't you please answer your Christmas Seal letter early and as generously as you can".

Veterans—

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War II will address the students. The theme of his talk will be in keeping with Veteran's Day. Col. Merchant makes his home here now and came here from Blanford, Mass.

The Avon Park High School Band and Glee Club will present several selections during the program.

Commissioners—

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tain priorities in the Secondary Road System was approved by the Commissioners. The Board had met with Hecton Johnson, T. O. Perry, and Ross Stanton of the State Road Department and reviewed certain maps, plans and priorities.

The following projects in Avon Park will be submitted on the official priority list to the State Road Department.

Atlantic Coast Line Signals, south city limits, Avon Park, Signals estimated cost $9,000.

State Road 25 to State Road 17A on Palmetto Street and Central Avenue in Avon Park, mated cost.

length 1.2 miles, $40,000 esti-

Streets in Avon Park: From Church Street north to State Road 17A on Lake Avenue. 1.5 miles, estimated cost $135,000.

From State Road 25 east to Highlands Avenue on Castle Street and Tulane Drive, 1.5 miles, estimated cost $48,000.

Christmas Seal Kick-Off Dinner Thur. Nov. 14

The Highlands County Tuberculosis and Health Association will hold its Annual Fall Dinner Meeting at the Jacaranda Hotel on Thursday evening, November 14.

This is to be a "Kick Off" dinner on the eve of the 51st Christmas Seal Sale of the National Association.

Dinner will be served in buffet style by Royal Coats and should prove to include about everything to delight the tast of the Epicurean. The expense will be $2.25 per person.

The principal speaker will be The Rev. E. Myrle Weyant, resident of the Sebring Ministerial Association who will relate some of his experiences gained while working among the Navajo Indians where the mortality due to TB is high.

A program of music by an excellent male quartet has been arranged. This dinner meeting is open to the general public but reservations must be made in advance and not later than November 12. They can be secured by contacting E. A. Houck, Executive Director, P. O. Box 84, Sebring or phone Evergreen 6-5393.

Washington SEE SAW

by WIN PENDLETON

BOB SIKES AGAIN—Congressman Bob Sikes and Inez were in town last week. While serious business called the Congressman back to town, he and Inez did take the opportunity to attend the reception at the British Embassy for Queen Elizabeth and Prince Philip.

The serious business had to do with Sikes' work on the Defense Subcommittee of the House Appropriations Committee. Among other things he was boiling mad at Vice-President Nixon for his statement on the inadvisability of tax cuts in view of the lagging missile program.

Sikes said the two were not related. He said Nixon's statement completely ignored the deep cuts in the current military budget that were made arbitarily by Secretary Charles E. Wilson. Sikes said that Nixon, "is just trying to divert attention from the real facts in the defense picture.

"In the field of guided missiles and the satellite program," Sikes said, "Congress has approved every dollar the Administration permitted the services to say they could properly use. It is common knowledge in Washington that a number of our leading experts in this field have been disturbed about Russia's rapid progress and our own failure to push ahead with our full capability."

He said that the Administration's present about-face attitude looks like panic. "Proposals by Vice-President Nixon for greater spending next year indicates a return to the costly and wasteful peaks-and valleys system of defense spending.

"Cuts inflicted by the Administration have weakened Western defenses at a very critical time and the loss of the Middle East is a real possibility," he said. "With full knowledge of her advantage in the missiles race, Russia is pushing ahead there despite Mr. Dulles' talk of war." Sikes said he thought that the Russians had gained an unexpected propaganda advantage and is using it where it will do the most good.

"I feel there is still official unawareness of our serious status in the field of missiles worldwide and I hope the Administration will listen to people who know the score and have the knowledge to do something to improve our position rapidly."

Sikes indicated that he was greatly alarmed over the Russian's successful launching of the satellite He said it was only a hint of Russian technilogical and scientific ability.

He has urged that all of the defense committees of the Congress be convened at once in Washington to study firsthand the lagging American satellite and missile programs. The Florida "he-coon" said he was sure that we can out produce the Russians, but that we can't do it by following the "stupid" policy of sitting on our hands while the Russians are at work 24 hours a day. He said the Administration should take every step to find the men and means to recapture the initative and hold it in all of these important scientific fields.

THE NEW MONEY—Have you seen the new Charlie Bennett dollars? You can get them now. As a result of a bill introduced by the Jacksonville Congressman, all of our new paper money will carry the inscription, "In God We Trust." For years this motto has been on all U. S. coins but never before on our paper. The wording appears on the back of the money and will be added to all new issues as they are printed.

Incidentally, the first bills that carry the slogan also are the first to be signed by the new Secretary of the Treasury, Robert Anderson.

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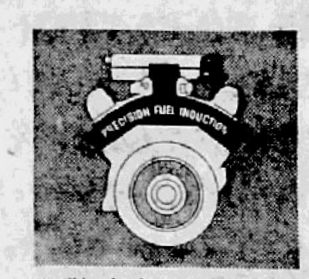

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Weather Report
BY J. WILEY COTHRAN
Weather Observer

	Max.	Min.	Rain
November 6	84	55	—
November 7	85	65	—
November 8	86	63	—
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School Board Approves Addition Of Several Classrooms At Elementary School

Editorial Line-Up For November 21 Issue Of All Florida Magazine

Robert A. Dane, Chief of Information and Education of the Game and Fresh Waters Commission, describes "What's New F . Florida Hunters" in the coming issue off ALL FLORIDA MAGAZINE. Mr. Dane tells why this year has been predicted to be one of the best seasons in Florida's hunting history.

In his story "Admiral Farragut goes To Sea", Bob Hanscom describes the training received by students at Admiral Farragut Academy in St. Petersburg. Here young men learn early the ideals of world peace, and their duty as U. S. citizens, in event of a threat to these ideals.

Al McClane is a man who gets paid to take a lifetime vacation. As fishing editor of Field & Stream Magazine, McClane spends his time hunting and fishing and then writes about his experiences. In his article, "Fast and Tricky Targets", McClane passes on a few hints to dove hunters.

John and Jean Bosworth ask us to meet a man who cheated death by . . . "Fishing for His Life". Several years ago Capt. Harry Jones of Fort Walton Beach was given a short time to live. So far he has outlived two of the doctors who told him this and fully intends to outlive the other three. Capt. Jones and his wife have found happiness and health in the life of the sea.

A. R. Mead describes some of the activities of retired teachers in . . . "Recess for our Teachers." The Florida State Retired Teachers' Association is working to improve the retirement system in Florida.

This week's issue contains Part III of John R. Haberman's story of Andrew Jackson's governorship of Florida.

Eva Marie Saint, Hollywood Oscar winner, reveals to Lydia Lane some "Tips On Natural Beauty Care" in this week's Hollywood Beauty Column.

Regularly featured in ALL FLORIDA MAGAZINE: Weekend Carpenter, When You Retire, and All Florida Patterns.

City Engages Rep. Livingston Hearing Monday

City Attorney Hue E. Nunnallee announces that State Representative Howard Livingston of Sebring, has been engaged to assist him in defending the City in the petition filed November 4 in Circuit Court to unseat Avon Park's City Officials.

The plaintiffs, Mrs. Louise B. Armstrong, John Seaborn and O. E. Wolff, have petitioned the court to declare the City Election held on September 10 null and void and to order another election held.

Defendants named in the petition must show cause before Judge Joe D. Kinsey Monday afternoon, November 18, at 1:30 p.m. why the relief sought by the plaintiffs should not be granted.

Applications For Marriage Licenses

Applications on file at the County Judge, Mervin Rehrer's office between November 5 and 11th included:

Lantie B. Powell, Avon Park and Lucille Powell, Avon Park.

Paul Richard Brumbaugh, Sebring and Carole Jeaneane Godwin, Sebring.

Chamber To Request Plot Plans Of Builders In Avon Park Lakes

A special meeting of the Avon Park Lakes General Committee, Publicity Review and Building Review committees of the Chamber of Commerce met Thursday night prior to the regular Board of Directors meeting at which time it was decided that builders in the Avon Park Lakes must submit some sort of plot plans to the Chamber committee for approval.

The plans must show the floor plan and size of the home to be built and the location of the building on the lot.

The committees voted that a list of contractors in the vicinity will be mailed to those requesting such a list, and that it will be specified which contractors are members of the Chamber.

Reports from various committees were given during the regular Board of Directors meeting. The Membership committee reported that they had ordered new decals for members to display this coming year. The Merchant committee told of work that had been done on the holiday closing in Avon Park, and of the wonderful cooperation they had received from the merchants during the survey.

A brief report on contacts which have been made pertaining to City street improvements was given by the Roads and Highway committee. The Recreation committee told of the plans which had been made to create interest in the beautiful lakes and fishing in this area.

The Beautification committee reported on Christmas decorating for Avon Park. The Board granted the committee the authority to spend up to $75 on decorating the Entrance to the Mall on Highway 27. The Board also accepted the plan for an all white Christmas tree in the Band shell park way on the Mall for the coming Christmas.

Fried Chicken Dinner Nov. 21

A fried chicken dinner will be served by Leigh Chapter 85, Order of the Eastern Star on Thursday night, November 21, at the Masonic Temple on West Main Street.

Serving will be held between the hours of 5 and 7 p.m. and dinners will be packed for those desiring them to carry home. Adult tickets $1.25 and children tickets .75 cents. Tickets may be purchased from any member of Leigh Chapter.

51st Annual Christmas Seal Sale Opens

The Avon Park Jaycees have placed the publicity in the central city store windows. The Avon Park Junior Women stuffed the 2,000 envelopes which the Avon Park Business Women had addressed and now practively every home in Avon Park has or will receive a letter of appeal and several sheets of Christmas Seals.

Christmas Seals are as traditional as Christmas as fire crackers on Independence Day or Turkey as Thanksgiving. Your Christmas cards and packages would look undressed without Christmas Seals.

For over 50 years the sale of these seals have accomplished wonders in cutting down the mortality of Tuberculosis.

In size they are small, but in value they are great. Buy and use Christmas Seals for their value in life saving dollars. 94% of your contribution remains in Florida helping friends in your own community.

In July alone 3,886 free chest X-Rays were taken in Highlands County.

Your purchase of seals helped to give thousands the good news that their lungs were sound. There were some whose lungs were not.

This is but one phase of

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Royal Arch Mason's Meet

Members of hte Royal Arch Masons met Tuesday night, November 12, with a dinner held at the Masonic Temple on West Main to honor "Past High Priests and twenty-five years or older Highlands Chapter Members."

Following the dinner a regular convocation was held, attending were seven Past High Priests, who all gave very interesting talks and helpful suggestions.

Entertainment for the evening was furnished by A. C. Peterson and members of Leigh Chapter 85, Order of the Eastern Star, served the dinner.

Announcement was made of the important meeting at Lakeland on November 23, and 30th.

Hillcrest Nursing Home Hold Open House

More than two hundred interested citizens attended the Open House on Sunday afternoon at the newly opened Hillcrest Nursing Home at 602 W. Church Street. They were taken on a complete tour of the facilities and enjoyed refreshments in the main hall.

The Home was colorful with lovely flowers sent by the following business firms and friends: Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Currie, Stephenson Funeral Home, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Caffee, DeLaney Hardware, Avon Motel, and Metcalfe Hardware.

Nine guests are living in the home at present. When all wings are opened in the very near future Hillcrest will accomadate forty-two permanent guests. Anyone who is interested in finding out more about the Hillcrest Home may contact Mr. or Mrs. R. B. Bigbee, the managers, at 602 W. Church Street.

City To Receive $2,329.84 Of Cigarette Tax

The City of Avon Park will receive $2,329.84 as its share of the Cigarette Taxes collected during the month of September.

State Beverage Director H. G. Cochran, Jr. reports that the cigarette tax in September brought in $1,823,483.50 for division between the state and municipalities.

Of the total amount collected $361,791.75 will go to General Revenue Fund and the remainder of $1,461,691.75 will be distributed among incorporated municipalities.

Wm. J. Heims, Jr. Manager Of Coral Reef Yacht Club

William J. Heim, Jr., son of Mr. William Heim of Avon Park, who has been Assistant Manager of the LaGorce Country Club in Miami for the past two years has been made the new manager of the Coral Reef Yatch Club of Miami. Mr. Heim started his new position on Oct. 1, 1957.

William Heim, a native of Avon Park, is a graduate of the University of Denver with a degree in Business Administration. Having majored in hotel and restaurant management, he was assistant-manager of a Port Arthur, Texas, hotel. Later he moved to Kansas City, where he was with the

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Coffee Hour And Bride Party To Be Held Nov 18

Remember to make reservations now for the Coffee Hour and Bridge at the Woman's Club Building on Monday morning, Nov. 18, at 9:30. This party will be sponsored by Group 4 of the Avon Park Senior Woman's Club.

After coffee and delicious rolls are served, the guests may enjoy cards until noon. Individual prizes will be given at each table. Homemade cookies will also be on sale for those who wish to take them home.

Tickets will be 50 cents each and the public is cordially invited to attend. Reservations should be made in advance as the number of tables is limited. For reservations see Mrs. Ann Duffy, Mrs. Ethel Hardin, Mrs. Katherine Rehrer, Mrs. Katherene Reitzner, or Mrs. Vera Ogden. Mrs. Robert Wallace is general chairman of Group 4.

Don't forget the date, Monday morning, Nov. 18.

Mary, Mary Quite-Contrary How Do Your Petunias Grow?

The residents of Avon Park should be petunia conscious by now and if this hearty annual isn't growing in your yard by now, wont you please plant some at once.

The Chamber of Commerce and the City of Avon Park are making an all out drive during this month which has been set aside as Community Pride Month to encourage citizens to beautify their yards and vacant lots.

In keeping with the request Mrs. W. C. Touchton, president of the Founders Circle of the Avon Park Federation of Garden Clubs, presented $15 worth of petunia plants as a gift from the club to the City. The City had these lovely plants set out Tuesday in the Mall so that all may enjoy their beautiful blossoms.

Grouping Of Students Theme For PTA Meeting November 21

"Grouping of Students" will be the theme of the discussion presented by Mrs. John Crittenden and Mrs. Andrew Miracle at the Parent Teachers Association meeting Thursday night, November 21, at 7:30 o'clock in the High School cafeteria.

During the discussion they will present some of the different methods of grouping students and will explain the advantages and disadvantages of ability grouping. A talk will also be given on the current trends in grouping and what is being done along this line in different schools throughout the State.

Following the discussion a question and answer period will be held at which time all parents are urged to ask questions pertaining to this subject which they would like to have answered.

The program will be one of vast interest to all parents, fathers as well as mothers, and it is hoped that a large number of parents will participate by attending the meeting. Each of the programs have been planned to be both informative and interesting to all parents.

Hostesses for the evening will be the Home Room Mothers of the 11th grade, with Mrs. John C. Wright as chairman.

Executive Board

All offiicers and Standing Committee Chairmen are requested to please attend a brief but very important Executive Board meeting Thursday afternoon, November 21, at 3:15 in the new Teacher's Room on the first floor of the high school building.

Judge Dismisses Petition To Adopt Ex-Wife

Circuit Judge Joe D. Kinsey dismissed the petition of Walter H. Rebman to adopt his ex-wife, Mrs. Virginia W. Rebman, as his daughter and heir-at-law.

Judge Kinsey held a special hearing with the Rebman's and Attorney Livingston and declared that there had been no collusion or deception in the divorce case.

The dismissal of the petition for adoption provided that the divorce would stand.

Sun To Publish Weekly Leaders

Weekly leaders in the Boy and Girl contest being held by the local Touchton Drug Company will be published in the Avon Park Sun each week starting November 21.

The contest is open to all children 16 years of age or younger who have been nominated by an adult. With each purchase made at Touchton's one vote will be given for each cent spent. For example, a dollars worth of merchandise in any department will entitle the customer to cast 100 votes for the boy or girl of their choice.

See the many wonderful prizes which will be given away on display in the front window of Touchton's Drug Store, then join in this exciting contest.

Eatons Department Store Displaying New Fall And Winter Wearing Apparel For Men, Women, Children

With the fall and winter season now on, stores throughout this country are showing the latest styles as produced by the leading manufacturers, as fashioned by the designers who keep up to date with what is to be worn this fall and winter.

Eatons Department Store in Avon Park keeps abreast of the seasons by buying whats new for men, women and children, and the store now abounds with all new merchandise. The styles as shown by the leading stores in New York and other metropolitan cities, are now on display at Eatons. Nationally known lines, and residents of this city and surrounding towns and cities no longer have to go to the larger cities to get what they need, because right here at home one can find these same styles, at a price range within everyones pocket book.

A cordial welcome is extended by the management of Eatons to visit their store, where courteous sales people are ready to serve you. Eatons is also displaying useful gifts for Christmas shoppers. Something to wear is very much appreciated, so look in on Eatons for complete lines of fall and winter wearables for every member of the family.

Eaton's buyers have just returned from the latest fashion showes. Finer and more fashionable goods arriving daily.

30 Visitors Registered At Local Chamber

During the past ten days 30 visitors from eleven different states have registered at the local Chamber of Commerce office. Visitors to Avon Park are urged to visit the Chamber office and register in the guest book, they are requested to list their home town and local address. New visitors include:

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Botkin, Bloomington, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Botkin, Edinburg, Ind.; Mrs. Duke Manuel; George M. Palmer, Grand Rapid, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Beck, Hilliard, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wheaton, Paw Paw, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Flechsig, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gurgee; Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Lenart, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Duane W. Beach, Bristol, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. S. Sporague, Pinellas Park, Fla.; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Smith, Pinellas Park; Norman P. Vest, Bartlett, Ill.; Mrs. Bertha Ireland, Urbana, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. James C. Thomason, Blue Ridge, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. George D. Jorndt, Minong, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Shautis, Stahlstown, Pa.

Thermometers To Be Tested

Thermometers will be tested for the growers of this district by the Federal-State Frost Warning Service. All thermometers to be tested must be left at Touchton's Drug Company no later than noon on Saturday, November 16.

This is a free service and all growers are urged to take advantage of it. Grove thermometers should be tested annually due to the tendency for their accuracy to vary. This will be the only testing date this season.

Each thermometer should be tagged at the end opposite the bulb end, with the owner's name and address written in pencil. The thermometers should be transported in an upright position with the bulb end down to prevent separation in the alcohol column.

All possible precautions will be taken during testing, but the service will assume no responsibilty for breakage or loss of thermometers.

Judge Recalls Eiland's Bonds

Glenn Eiland, 29, alleged assailant of Sheriff's Deputy James C. Murdock, is now being held in the County jail without bond due to the serious condition of the deputy.

Bonds were set last week by Judge Mervin Rehrer at $35,100 on four charges in connection with the shooting of Murdock. But on Tuesday, November 12, Judge Rehrer had the bonds recalled and recommitted Eiland without bond.

Hertz Rent-A-Car System Buys 30 New Cars

Hertz Ren-A-Car System of Sebring is participating in the largest single new car purchase in history, which was announced today, by Cecil Belcher, Local Hertz Manager.

Belcher said his firm has ordered 30 new 1958 automobiles. The local purchase is part of a nation wide Hertz order for 19,737 new 1958 models at a cost of $60,170,250.

The National order, the largest single order ever placed, was announced recently in New York by Walter L. Jacobs, President of the Hertz System.

Delivery of the new cars will begin immediately. About 75% of the new cars will be sedans, Belcher said, with most of these

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Firemen Attend Special School

Four members of the Avon Park Fire Department attended the General Fire Fighting School held in Sebring last week. Classes were conducted by an instructor from the State Fire College in Ocala, and included twenty hours of instruction.

Those attending the school from Avon Park were Mack Flowers, Ralph Burkett, Glenn Simpson and Rance Ruis.

Ground Observer Corps Special Event Tuesday

The Ground Observation Corps will have an entertainment at Walker Memorial Hospital on Tuesday, November 19.

A cafeteria lunch will be served by the hospital at the regular price at 6:30 p.m. At 7:00 o'clock the group will move over into the Chapel where the military will show moving pictures and give a talk on Ground Observation. A discussion will follow in which all questions will be answered and discussed.

The meeting is being held for ground observers, past ground observers and anyone interested in the program. Those desiring to dine at home are requested to be present at seven o'clock for the meeting.

Devils To Play Winter Park Friday Night

After a week's layoff the Avon Park Red Devils will resume action this Friday night when they travel to Winter Park to battle the Winter Park Wildcats. This is a non-conference game and was booked to fill in the gap left when the Bartow game was played October 4th in place of Fort Mead.

Very little is known about the Wildcats but it is thought that they play in a league a little tougher than the Ridge loop. By way of comparison we find that Winter Park was beaten this past week by Lakeview 9 to 7. This same Lakeview team beat a weak Kissimmee team 12 to 7. Kissimmee was beaten by Kathleen 12 to 0 and by Mulberry 33 to 0. Avon Park trounced Kathleen 32 to 0 and beat Mulberry 20 to 6. If these scores mean anything then Avon Park should go into the game playing the role of the favorite.

The Red Devils are back at top strenth with the exception of Quarterback Jimmy Cooper who hurt his ankle in practice early last week. However he is expected to be ready to go by game time Friday. The Devil's line was bolstered this week

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Mrs. Worden To Attend 41st Chamber Meet In St. Petersburg

Mrs. Anna Belle Worden, Executive Secretary of the Avon Park Chamber of Commerce said today that she expected to participate in the proceedings of the 41st annual 3-day membership meeting of the Florida State Chamber of Commerce beginning with a reception Sunday evening, Nov. 17 at the Soreno Hotel at St. Petersburg.

Local chamber executives will breakfast together Monday morning.

Featuring the statewide business congress will be a Monday afternoon session devoted to "the promotion of Florida through Chamber of Commerce leadership." Speaking will be William S. Johnson, executive vice president and general manager of the Jacksonville area chamber. "Strengthening Florida's Business Climate" will be the subject of an address by A. F. Pearsons, Pinellas plant manager for the General Electric Company. On display will be the promotional literature of the state's several local chambers.

Monday's luncheon will honor two organizations, Florida Chamber of Commerce Executives and Florida Junior Chamber of Commerce. The president of the former, F. E. Breckenridge of DeLand, will preside. The president of the State Jaycees, Robert M. Silver of Coral Gables, will introduce the luncheon speaker, Governor LeRoy Collins, who is expected to point out the influence local Chambers have in the shaping of Florida's economy. The Governor will also pay tribute to the state's industrial investors, new and old, for their faith in Florida.

Keynoting the 3-day conclave

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Building Permits Total $80,050 For October

The City of Avon Park issued fifteen building permits during the month of October 1957 totaling $80,050.

Six permits issued totaling $30,200 were for new homes; seven permits, $4,850, were for additions and alterations; one $6,000 permit for commerical and a $40,000 permit for the new motel.

Although only a little better than twice the number of permits were issued last month as compared to the month of October 1956 the total value this year was nearly twenty times as great. For during October 1956 there were only seven permits totaling $4,275 issued by the City.

The Highlands County School Board approved the addition of seven classrooms at the Avon Elementary School and that the Architect, Heim and Heim, proceed with these Plans and specifications immediately.

The Board received a state wide report on school transporation and maintenance which states that Highlands County ranks Seventh in the state and received a percentage rating of 99.69% which is excellent.

A resolution was passed by the Board requesting the aid of Sheriff Broward Coker in seeing that students are in regular attendance at school Sheriff Coker advised the Board that he would be glad to cooperate in anyway possible.

The Board approved the policy that the Valedictorian and Salutatorian from the high schools of the county must complete all of their senior high school work (grades 10-12) in the school from which they earn the honor.

Dedication and Open House for the E. O. Douglas School has been set for Friday night, November 15, at 8 o'clock. All colored and white citizens are invited to attend.

Rev. Harry Parham of Lake Placid requested that the county schools not accept monies for Band and other school related groups that is raised by lotteries.

The Board gave Mrs. Smith of Sebring permission to teach piano classes during the school hours to students of the Woodlawn school. Classes will be conducted in a home adjoining the school property.

Mrs. Hazel Howell of the Avon Elementary appeared before the Board requesting that school lunch rooms be considered in a more thorough manner thus recognizing their true value to our school program, and salaries paid reflecting their value in comparison to other salaries.

Bids were open from those desiring the construction of the Library building at Lake Placid. The bid was awarded to the lowest bidder, Rives Construction Co. of Lake Placid at the base bid of $49,479.23. Bids were also submitted by Bennett and Moseley of Avon Park, $51,800; Ridge Builders of former, $56,820 and

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The American Economic Foundation has issued a booklet entitled "The A-B-C's of Your Financial Security In Our Changing World." It deals with the various forms of savings that are available to everyone and with their respective characteristics.

One section of the booklet is devoted to common stocks. And here it says: "One of the greatest economic inventions of all time is the stock exchange with its many broker members. By no other method could the United States have developed its enormous stock of productive tools which are the secret of our power, prosperity, and national security.

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The Foundation's booklet makes another important observation. Crooks and sharpers are always trying to "take" the unwary investor, usually with mail and telephone pitches. But there is no need for anyone to be victimized by these vultures. You can protect yourself by dealing only with an established broker who is a member of one or more of the nation's stock exchanges.

Private Enterprise Scores Again

Handling the baggage of transferred military personnel has always been something of a problem. When a service man is ordered to some far distant station, long delays in sending on his "hold-baggage" have been commonplace.

Now, however, a new system promises marked improvement. The European edition of The Stars And Stripes, the service newspaper, tells the story.

It concerns the transfer of an officer from Fort Bliss, Texas, to Giessen, Germany. Under the old system, The Stars And Stripes says, deliveries of baggage over similar distances averaged six weeks. Personnel traveling by air turned in their hold-baggage to the transportation officer, who in turn gave it to a military transportation service, which handled trans-ocean shipment. Then at the port of debarkation it was turned over to the port transportation officer, who arranged for forwarding to the final destination.

The new system does the job in 20 days instead of six weeks—and in addition, according to officials, it is actually cheaper. And an interesting fact here is that the job is done, not by a government agency, but by a private enterprise. The military baggage is turned over to the Railway Express Agency at point of origin, and the Army doesn't see it again until it reaches the final destination.

Railway Express, incidentally, has lately been developing a fast, simple and economical international shipping service. The example described in The Stars And Stripes indicates how effective that service is.

Mercury To Show 20 New Models

With a big new "super Mercury" series called the Park Lane, and major styling and engineering changes in its full line of cars, Mercury for 1958 will blanket the whole medium price market with a total of 20 models.

The new Park Lane, with three models, is the biggest and most luxurious Mercury ever built. It has a wheelbase of 125 inches and it is 220.2 inches long — nine inches longer than the 1957 Mercury.

"By extending our car line into the upper-medium price bracket, Mercury for 1958 offers a big car with matching power and performance throughout the entire range of the medium price field," said James J. Nance, general manager of Lincoln and Mercury Division and vice president of Ford Motor Company.

Matchless performance throughout the entire driving range is provided in a series of four new Mercury Marauder overhead valve V-8 engines with horsepower ranging from 312 to 400. These new engines feature such unique engineering concepts as water-jacketed intake manifold and combustion chambers in the engine block rather than in the cylinder head.

Full air cushion suspension, which improves the ride considerably by greatly reducing pitch and other road and driving disturbances, is optional. This suspension uses air as a springing medium instead of steel, and it maintains the height of the car at a constant level regardless of number of passengers.

In a major styling change, all front end sheet metal in the 1958 Mercury is new and features a longer, lower hood which carries a graceful step up to the cowl. New sculptured fender lines blend with a heavies bumper-grille and incorporate quadri-beam headlights as standard equipment.

Long, deep-channeled side projectiles with unique tubular chrome outrigger tail lights and a restyled thin roof line with narrower quarter posts and greater rear roof overhang accentuate Mercury's crisp appearance and give it a low, fast silhouette.

Living room luxury is provided in the magnificent interiors, all color co-ordinated to complement the attractive array of exterior body colors.

Four transmissions are offered, including a new Merc-O-Matic Multi-Drive automatic transmission which gives unmatched flexibility in meeting individual driving requirements or habits. Multi-Drive has three forward ranges, cruising range which meets normal driving needs, a "high performance" range for fast acceleration and hill control or low range for maximum engine braking on extremely steep grades or for extra pulling power. A hill-holder operates in cruising range, preventing the car from slipping back when stopping on steep grades. Multi-Drive is standard on the Park Lane models and optional on all others.

An improved Merc-O-Matic automatic has been designed for adaptation to the increased torque capacity of the Mercury Marauder engines. It includes a stronger, welded steel converted which replaces the bolted converter used previously. Merc-O-Matic is standard on Montclair models and on Voyager and Colony Park station wagons. Keyboard control for automatic transmissions is simplified in design.

Conventional synchromesh transmission is standard on Monterey models and on Commuter station wagons and overdrive is optional.

Mercury's top engine, the Super Marauder, has 430 cubic inches displacement and three two barrel carburetors. The other Marauder engines have four barrel carburetors. The Marauder 360 has 360 horsepower and 430 cubic inch displacement. The other Marauder engines with 383 cubic inch displacement have 312 and 330 horsepower. Compression ratio on all engines is 10.5 to 1.

Performance and economy promised by these new engines and transmissions are supported by rear axle ratio of 2.69 to 1 with the 383 cubic inch engines, and 2.91 to 1 with the two 430 cubic inch engines.

Engineering improvements in the chassis give a luxurious limousine ride which softens jolts and smothers bumps over all kinds of roads. Mercury's balanced weight distribution, its lower center of gravity, its full-cushioned shock absorbers and its swept-back ball-joint front suspension all contribute to riding comfort and ease of handling.

An important chassis improvement is a new threaded bushing in the front suspension upper arm which is lubricated for life with a lithium-base lubricant. It replaces a rubber bushing.

Mercury developed self-adjusting brakes, with lining area increased to 233.38 square inches, for all its 1958 cars. These self-adjusting brakes give even braking with straight-line stopping and maintain the foot pedal at a constant distance from the floor, thereby assuring maximum pedal reserve for emergency stops. They eliminate the need for manual adjustment and permit lowering the brake pedal ¾ of an inch.

An optional speed limit safety monitor rings a reminder bell when the driver exceeds the speed he has selected on its dash-mounted dial.

A vacuum operated finger-tip control for all heating, defrosting, ventilating and air conditioning requirements is provided by Mercury's Climate-Dial -- a single dial mounted on the instrument panel. On the Park Lane it comes with the heater, and it is standard with air conditioning.

An extensive list of options to improve motoring pleasure is available, including power seat that remembers, power steering, power brakes, power lubrication, power windows and air conditioning. Transistor radios are available.

The new Park Lane series has three models: the Montclair series has six, including two Turnpike Cruisers; the Monterey series has five models and there are six station wagons, all with hardtop styling and back window that retracts into the tailgate.

Figures just released by the U. S. Forest Service sets pulpwood production by 12 southern states at 20,344,900 cords in 1956, a new record.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my heartfelt appreciations to the many friends and relatives for their beautiful floral offerings, cards, and words of sympathy we received during the passing of my beloved sister, Mrs. Norma Gilley.

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Personal Items

Harold Worden, Sr., who has spent the past ten days in Jacksonville supervising the loading of fruit for export to foreign countries, joined Mrs. Worden in DeLand for the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Knowles. The Wordens both returned home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Morrow spent a few days last week with Mrs. Morrows' sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Culp. The Morrows were touring Florida and visited the west coasts and other places before returned to their home in Greenville, S. C. The Culps took the Morrows to the lovely Cypress Gardens while they were in Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Rail of Detroit, Michigan, arrived the first of the week to spend the winter in Avon Park at the Crim Apartments on Park Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Krenerick enjoyed a week's trip to Miami, Miami Beach, and Key West last week. They had not been to the lower east coast before and throughly enjoyed their trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald McKinnon and their son, Lanny, and a cousin, Rudolph McKinnon, of Pleasant Hill, Ill., spent several days with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Runkle, on a business and pleasure trip to Avon Park and Florida. Both families took a trip to Cypress Gardens and enjoyed the lovely scenic spot.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Childs and daughter, Janie, spent the weekend in Sarasota with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gocio and family.

Mrs. Hubbard Biggs graduated on Wednesday, Oct. 30, from a seven weeks training school for Insurance Agents and Field Men given by the American Fire and Casualty Insurance Company in Orlando.

Cary P. Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Basel, is at home after receiving his discharge from the U. S. Navy in San Diego recently.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Heath and her sister, Miss Kathleen Ashley, have sold their home on the Sebring road and are moving to St. Petersburg. Their many friends in Avon Park are sorry to see them go.

Recent weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Wells were Major and Mrs. W. J. Fpranza and their daughter, Marilyn, of Palm Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wester, Jr., and their children, Linda, Judy, Bud, and Tom, spent the Armistice Day Weekend in St. Augustine with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Davis.

Miss Delores Stokey and Miss Patsy Strasberger spent the weekend with their families, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Stokel, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kempton. The girls are freshmen at FSU.

Mrs. Anna Dee Church and Mrs. Bobby Campbell spent the weekend recently at Sunset Beach in St. Petersburg.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Crews last weekend were Mrs. Crews' brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Davis and their son, Alan, Mrs. Davis' brother, Raymond Sedderson of Jacksonville also visited the Crews. On Saturday night their was a reunion supper of twenty-seven members of the families. The reason for the reunion is the expected departure of Howe Crews, Elton's brother, for Germany in the very near future. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Smith, Elton's sister and brother-in-law, was able to attend the supper from Orlando and the other relatives came from various places closer by.

Dick Reddick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Devon Reddick, was home last weekend from the University of Florida where he is a student.

The Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Rice have just returned from a month's trip to Texas. They report running into snowstorms and rain, but missing the cyclones. While in Texas the Rices visited his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Rice in Plainview, Texas, and various other relatives in Ft. Worth and Dallas. The family held a reunion in Dallas in honor of the Florida guests at the home of Mrs. Eva Wolverton, a niece. The Rices had a very enjoyable visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Montsdeoca and their daughter, Ann spent last weekend in Jacksonville as the guests of his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Harris. They all attended the Florida-Georgia Football game on Saturday. The Montsdecas returned home last Sundy.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Todd and Mr. and Mrs. David F. Lanier attended the Fla.-Ga. Football game by train last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kelsey and their daughter, Sandra, went to Orlando on last Friday to attend the wedding of his niece, Miss Edwina Kelsey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kelsey, to Walter Driggers. On Saturday the Kelsey family held a reunion picnic day at the lake cottage of the Edward Kelseys on Lake Harney. Mr. and Mrs. George Kelsey returned home last Saturday night.

Mrs. Mildred Logan, Mrs. Gladys Smith, and Mrs. H. L. Caffee spent Monday in Orlando.

Mrs. Eva Matylas had as her guests until Tuesday her sister-in-law, Mrs. William C. Matylas, and Mrs. Mary McScobie of Nokomis.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Pifer have returned from Pennsylvania to spend the winter in their home on the Mall.

Mrs. Cliff Ireland of Urbana, Ill., is back in Avon Park to spend this winter season.

Mrs. Charles Shepherd and Mrs. Page Shepherd spent Thursday in Lakeland.

Mrs. W. F. Ward has returned from spending a few days at the Ward's Beach cottage on Anna Maria Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Surowic are the guests of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Birt, this week. They will return to his new station in Ft. Belvior, Virginia, when they leave Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Palmer of Rockford, Michigan, returned last week to spend the winter in Avon Park. Their niece and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Hegerman of Dayton, Ohio, drove them and spent last week visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thayer have returned to their home on Lake Angelo after spending the summer at their inn in New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Reiss and Mr. and Mrs. Tray of Milwaukee, Wis., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hendrick last week at their home in Highlands Lakes.

Mrs. Roy Dyal has returned home after a stay in the St. Joseph in Tampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus H. Garratt and Mrs. Steven Samergedes and her two daughters, Stephanie and Joanne, have returned from a week's visit with friends in Winston- Salem, N. C. Harry Carratt of Ft. Lauderdale joined the Carratts for their visit.

Mrs. C. E. Johnson, William Rutherford, and friends from Maine, all of Tampa, spent Sunday as the guests of Mrs. Johnson's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Booth, and their children at their home on Highlands Lakes.

Miss Nancy Ginn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ginn, who is a freshman at Stetson U. this year, has pledged Alpha Chi Omega National Sorority.

Mrs. Calvin Fletcher has been in Walker Memorial Hospital for the past week and is doing well. She is able to have visitors and plans to return home soon.

Dr. Chris Carratt of Florida Southern of Lakeland spent the weekend as the guest of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Gus H. Carratt.

Fla. Ave. Baptist Church News

The Adult Training Union of the Florida Avenue Baptist Church enjoyed a Pilgrim Potluck Supper on Saturday evening, Nov. 9, in the Social Hall of the Church.

As the guests arrived half were given Pilgrim collars and half were given Indian headdresses. This divided the group for the Thanksgiving games that were played later in the evening. Needless to say the battles between Pilgrims and Indians were exciting and amusing.

Supper was served buffet style and the dining tables were beautifully decorated carrying out the Thanksgiving motif. The eye catching center piece on the main table was a large colorful horn-of-plenty and small haystacks were placed at vantage places down the table. The haystacks were surrounded with pumpkin and corn candy and candles in apple holders were also placed along the tables.

Thirty membess of the Training Union enjoyed the delicious supper and pleasant evening. Mrs. George Lewis and Mrs. J. M. Gilbreath were in charge of the arrangements.

Tim DeLaney Has Birthday

Tim DeLaney, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. DeLaney, celebrated his eighth birthday with a party on Saturday, Nov. 9, at his home.

Tim took his guests to the movie and then they returned home to play ball. The boys and girls ate coconut birthday cake, ice cream, and cold drinks.

Helping Tim celebrate were Jeffrey Stokey, Bobby Barben, Wayne Douberley, Karen and Alan DeLaney, and Sharon Jones.

For Christmas Seals



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You'll be ahead with Ford's new Interceptor V-8 and Precision Fuel Induction. Gives you up to 300 hp. Smoother power . . . more power . . . from less gas! The secret is Precision Fuel Induction, a new carburetion, fuel feeding, and combustion system.

You'll get up to 15% more gas savings with new Cruise-O-Matic Drive teamed with the new Interceptor V-8. New D1 position, used for normal driving, lets you move smoothly—with a touch of your toe—from solid-feeling take-offs right up to highway cruising speeds.

You'll ride on a cloud instead of a spring with Ford-Aire Suspension. This is the way you've dreamed of driving—floating on air! Four air pillows literally soak up any sign of a bump. Car relevels every time someone gets in or luggage is loaded.

You'll steer with a feather touch with Ford's new Magic-Circle Steering. Nothing rolls like a ball, and that's the secret of Ford's handling ease. Free-moving steel balls in the steering gear are virtually friction-free—give you the closest thing yet to power steering!

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WHEN THE DINNER BELL RINGS

By The Bird Woman

Last week we wrote about the different methods birds use in feeding their young, we find this such an interesting study that we would like to continue it this week.

The Pidgeon has it's own method for feeding, the Creator has placed a gland in it's throat which secrets a very nourishing fluid, known as Pigeon Milk, and the young receive this by regurgitation, and gradually the parents add finely crushed grain, adding more grain until the young is able to take grain alone, and finally it is able to select it's own food.

The Paraqeet with every one is familiar these days, has a very streneous task when their young begin to hatch, the young hatching every other day, when first hatched the young must have the pigeon milk alone for a stated time, then small amounts of crushed grain is added as with the pigeon, and the formula becomes gradually richer until the time when it is strong enough to crack the seed for itself.

But here is what is so unexplainable, the Parakeet unlike most birds feeds their young at night also, and with a nest full of young differing in ages, who is going to tell the parents which needs the pigeon milk and which needs the differing degrees of seed mixtures?

The parents cannot turn on an electric light or a flashlight and say, "Don't stick out your neck Buddy, the pigeon milk is not for you, just wait your turn and I will grind up a few seeds for you, or to another here is your formula rich in seeds for you are much older than some of the others".

As far as we can discern the cry if each of the young is the same, but the beneficent Creator who planned the intricate life of each specie also gave them the ability to go according to the plan. And we are assured that not even a Swallow falls without his notice.

The Crested Flycatcher is a familiar bird to most of us, and enjoys nesting in hollow trees or nesting boxes preferring to be near a dwelling. The family is one of the most helpful we have for catching insects, when they are feeding their young they will arrive at the nest with such large insects that we wonder how the young can handle them, but it is no problem for the parents, they simply push the insect far down into the throat of the young and in doing so touch a nerve that causes the young to swallow, and down goes the insect, still kicking.

Even Dragonflies and certain types of moth and butterflies do not escape these marvelous foragers, we have timed their coming to the nest with food and it averaged every two and a half minutes.

Is'nt that wonderful to have such good insect killers roaming your garden and for free. It might smack a little of selfishness, but if there were nesting boxes put up in safe places where cats and squirrels could not molest, you might be blessed with a pair of these beautiful helpful birds adopting you, and spending most of the year in your garden.

Last year a Crested flycatcher came and several times challenged the Redbellied Woodpecker that was already nesting in a hole it had carved deep in a silk oak, but at length being satisfied that the apartment was already occupied, found another tree with a hollow limb and proceeded to set up housekeeping.

As among the human family, there are also species of birds that refuse to provide for themselves and become pirates, there is the Jaeger family that is known for robbing bird's nests, and robbing Tern and any other bird they can, of the fish they have caught causing them to disgorge their food in mid air and then retrieving it.

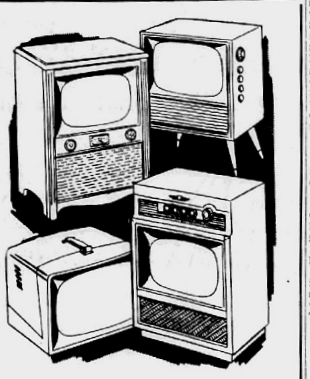
The Eagle is not above doing this trick, it will often wait for the Osprey, who is an excellent fisher, to catch his fish and start to take it to his nest, then it will attack the Osprey and cause it to drop it's fish and will grab it in mid-air and carry it home for it's own young, the Eagle is a good provider and whether by fair means or foul, will keep it's huge nest well stocked with food, so the young may avail themselves of nourishment when ever they wish, and as the young do not leave the nest for several months, there is usually more than one brood being cared for at a time.

Then there is the Cow bird who has a little different slant on rearing a family than any of the other birds, as they shift the responsibility on their neighbor, here again may we say is a characteristic employed by some of the human family.

She simply lays her egg in the nest of another bird and goes merrily along her way and lets the unsuspecting bird do all the work, often the egg is placed in the nest of a smaller bird, and the young being larger and stronger will stretch it's neck higher and deprive the legimate birds of their food so that only the Cow bird will survive. But some birds are wise to the trick of this bird and will throw the egg out of the nest, others will build a second nest on top of eggs and all.

A great many game birds rest on the ground as the Quail, Killdeer, Prairie-chicken and wild Turkey, and as soon as the young are all hatched they leave the nest with their downy brood and catch insects and scratch in the debris on the ground for food, the young immediately take the hint and are soon self supporting, but they will stay in coveys until they are old enough to start families of their own.

But there is something more important to game birds especially, than food, its self protection, and even as they are learning to find their own food they are also being taught to be alert to signs of danger. There is that innate ability to understand the danger signal from a parent and they will freeze in their tracks and melt into the surroundings at the first signal of danger.



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Congregational Church News

Men's Fellowship Group

The Men's Fellowship Group of the Union Congregational Church held its regular monthly meeting on Monday, Nov. 11, in the Parish House. The meeting was preceded by a delicious supper prepared by Judge Mervin Rehrer's committee.

After a short business meeting during which the men made plans for making furniture for the new Sunday School Building, Judge Rehrer introduced L. L. Wainwright, Superintendent of the Avon Park Prison. Mr. Wainwright gave an interesting talk on the origins and the aims of the new type prison. After his talk there followed an informal question and answer discussion.

The next meeting will be held during the first two weeks of December with Bill Hood acting as chairman of the supper committee.

Covenant Circle

The Covenant Circle of the Congregational Church will hold its regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, Nov. 20, at 1:30 in the home of Mrs. H. C. Krenerick on N. Lake Avenue.

All women of the church are invited and members are reminded that this is the meeting when their Thanksgiving Dime Thank Offerings are due.

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Heads Volunteers



Mrs. Lou Gehrig, national campaign chairman of Muscular Dystrophy Associations of America, Inc., heads hundreds of thousands of volunteers who will call on their neighbors in the nationwide March for Muscular Dystrophy. Funds are being sought to increase research into the crippling, fatal disease which numbers more than 200,000 victims, the majority of them children, in this country alone.

Three Members Of Avon Park Senior Woman's Club Attend District Nine Tour In Bartow

Federated Woman's Clubs in Bartow on Tuesday, Nov. 5, was attended by three members of the Avon Park Senior Woman's Club. They were Mrs. Ralph Kelley, president of the Senior Club, Mrs. Samuel Norris, and Mrs. Robert Watson.

The meeting was opened with a welcome by the District 9 Junior Director, Mrs. Sydney Carter, of Bartow, to the large number of clubwomen present. During the morning there were reports from the various clubs in District 9. Mrs. Ralphy Kelly gave the Senior Club's report and Mrs. Samuel O. Norris read the Avon Park Junior's report as Mrs. Mannin Kirkland was unable to attend the meeting due to sickness.

Mrs. Judd Chapman, State Junior Chairman, gave a very interesting talk on "Federation is the Fashion Where It Was the Flair", stressing the values of the strong federation. Mrs. Eugene Borda, Frostproof, gave the Invocation.

Mrs. C. M. Washburn, State President, spoke at the meeting and urged all clubs and members to take action on the obscene literature that is on the newstands. This is one of the federations main goals this year. Many other state and district officers were present at the meeting.

A lovely luncheon was served the delegates at the First Methodist Church in Bartow.

The new district officers were elected at this meeting but they will not take office until the State Convention next April in St. Petersburg. The new officers are: Mrs. Clarence W. Mims of Lake Wales, Senior Director of District 9; Mrs. Joe McBeth of Sebring, Junior Director of District 9; Mrs. Walter W. Woolfolk, Secretary-treasurer of District 9, who is also of Lake Wales. The District Tour will be held in 1958 in Winter Haven.

After the luncheon there were more interesting speeches and a delightful program of music featuring Mrs. R. C. Gienau, solist, accompanied by Mrs. Allen Hain, Jr. The delegates left the meeting feeling that all had a great deal to take back to their clubs.

Golden Wedding Celebration To Be Held Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Childs will celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, November 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Childs were married in Noma, Florida on November 17, 1907. For a time they lived in Hartford, Ala. after which they moved to Ocoee, Florida. They have made their home in Avon Park since 1932.

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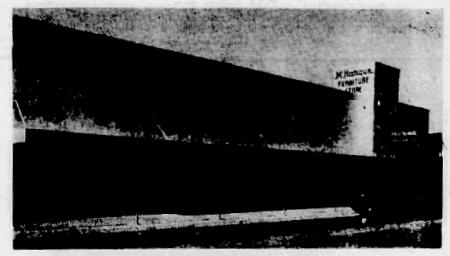

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Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lawrence have announced the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Ann, to James F. Sellers, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Sellers of Bowling Green.

Miss Lawrence was born in Wauchula but moved to Avon Park for her high school and junior high school years. She is a member of the Senior Class of Avon Park High School, a member of the band, a member of the annual's staff, and active in other student activities.

The bridegroom-elect graduated from Hardee County High School, served four years in the Coast Guard, and is at present associated with his father in the grocery business in Bowling Green.

The wedding will take place on December 8, 1957 at 4 o'clock in First Methodist Church of Avon Park. The Rev. Wilmer O. Luttrell will read the marriage service. There will be a reception immediately following the service in Wesley Hall of the Methodist Church.

All relatives and friends of the young couple are invited to attend the wedding and the reception.

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Sixth District DAR Meet In Lake Wales

The Sixth District Meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution was held on Friday, Nov. 8, in Lake Wales at the Plantation Inn with members of the Lake Wales Chapter of the D.A.R. acting as hostesses.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. E. E. Adams, State Regent of the D.A.R., and reports were given from committees of the different chapters in the district.

At 1 o'clock a very lovely luncheon was served in the Dining Room of the Plantation Inn, after which, Mrs. Beggs, State National Defense Chairman, gave a very interesting and timely talk.

The following officers were elected for District 6 for the coming year. They are Mrs. Walter Mather, District Chairman; Mrs. George Davis, Vice Chairman; and Mrs. Ronald B. McKinnis, Secretary. The next District Meeting will be held in Winter Haven in November 1958, the exact date to be decided upon later.

Members from Patriot's Chapter attending the meeting were Mrs. Walter Mather, Regent, Mrs. R. L. Maxson, Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Miss Susan Tiffany, and Mrs. H. J. Hahn.

District 9 Garden Clubs Met In Sebring Oct. 30

The District 9 Garden Clubs met in Sebring on Wednesday, Oct. 30, with a large gathering of the state and district officers, and members of the District 9 club at the City Pier.

Mrs. M. C. Kayton of Wauchula, District 9 President, presided over the meeting. Mrs. Vernon L. Conner, State Garden Club President, was the principal speaker and made a very interesting talk.

The Sebring Garden Club was the host club and had decorated the meeting room with beautiful arrangements of fall wild flowers. A lovely buffet luncheon was served in the Sebring Hotel at noon.

During the afternoon, reports were made from the various clubs in this district. As president of the Avon Park Federation of Garden Clubs, Mrs. George A. Kelsey, reported for the Avon Park groups.

Avon Park was well represented with thirteen members of the two Garden Circles presents at the District meeting. They were Mesdames E. A. Shepherd, Genieve Hurd, John Dawson, C. R. Pixler, D. N. Ellis, Paul Rumpsa, Earl Hartt, R. R. Porterfield, A. C. Wester, P. C. Bonry, George A. Kelsey, L. D. McGiboney and Alice Sherman.

Girl Scout News

The Girl Scout Troop held its regular meeting on Thursday afternoon, Nov. 7, at 3:15 in the Ridge Area Day School with thirty members present.

The girls are working on their Scout work so that they can pass their Tenderfoot tests as soon as possible. On Thursday they worked on Knotcraft and practiced making the knots in their handbooks many of which are very difficult. Two First Class Boy Scouts helped the girls with their knots. They were Patrol Leader Randy McDonald and Assistant Scoutmaster Glenn Peters of Troop 137.

Leaflets were given the girls on the requirements of the Highlands County Fair exhibits for the troop and for individual scouts. These were discussed and it was suggested that each girl begin making plans as soon as possible for her exhibit.

Brownie Troops Scout News

Troop 2

Mrs. Fred Davis, Leader of the Brownie Troop for Second Grade Girls, took her Brownies on a tour of the new radio station, WAVP, and the Jacaranda Hotel on Saturday morning, Nov. 9.

The Brownies meet at King's Court and then were taken to the Jacaranda Hotel. At the hotel Charlie Cummings, Program Director for WAVP, met the group and showed them through the broadcasting studio. The excited Brownies even got to say "hello" over a live mike and see the actual broadcasting booth in action.

When the group had finished at the station, Royal Coates, owner and manager of the Jacaranda Hotel, took the Brownies on a tour of the hotel. He showed them some of all types of rooms, explained the sprinkler systems, fire escapes, and the placing of Gideon Bibles in all the rooms. The girls throughly enjoyed the walk over the large hotel and learned a great deal about the operation of a hotel.

After the tour the Brownies had ice cream in the former dining room which was furnished by the Coffee Shop and Mrs. Jim Anderson. Mrs. Davis and the Brownies would like to thank everyone at WAVP and the Jacaranda Hotel for being so very nice to them.

Girls in the Brownies troop are Lark Adams, Sybil Anderson, Gail Chestnutt, Patricia Holden, Jackie Hutchingon, Linda Johnson, Martha Land, Pam Manness, Gail Meyer, Nancy Mitchell, Delores Reynolds, Cheryl Runkle, Linda Simmons, Jan Teeter, Marcie Ward, Kim Wells, Sheran Bennett, Johnnie Childers and Barbara Thomas. Mothers who accompanied the girls were Mrs. Jim Runkie, assistant leader, Mrs. Franklyn Ward, Mrs. Floyd Well, and Mrs. Jim Anderson.

Troop 3

The Brownies of the Troop for 3rd Grade Girls gathered at the Elementary School on Tuesday, Nov. 5 at 2:30 and marched to their meeing place in the Woodruff Heights. Mrs. Roy Felknor and Mrs. Jeff Barrow are the leaders of this troop.

Last Tuesday the Brownies practiced some Brownie songs and their promise. The girls elected two troop leaders, Hawley Griffith and Alice Felknor, to help them.

Mrs. Betty Graham served the Brownies delicious refreshments at the close of the meeting.

The Brownie Troop for 4th Grade Girls in Avon Park a part of the Brownie Scouts of America held their regular meeting on Thursday afternoon, Nov. 11, at the Woodruff Heights Building.

Mrs. Jack Hutchinson, Troop Leader, told the group one of the Brownie stories. Brownie Dorothy Grove served refreshments to the other Brownies.

Nancy Wright,
Brownie Reporter

Fresh Florida grapefruit has been an "every morning" breakfast item for many because of the specially designed spoon being promoted by Florida Citrus Mutual. The spoon helps in extracting the grapefruit segments.



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Research Seeks Muscular Dystrophy Cure



Showing scientist seeking a cause and cure for muscular dystrophy, this dramatic poster is being displayed nationwide in the March for Muscular Dysirophy, annual campaign to increase research into crippling and fatal disease which afflicts more than 200,000, most of them children.

Miss Faye Gordon Entertains Florida Power Employees Club Auxiliary

Miss Faye Gordon, Florida Power Home Demonstration Agent, entertained the members of the Florida Power Employees Club Auxiliary with a through demonstration of the many uses of some of the new electrical equipment in the Florida Power Customer's Lounge on Thursday evening, Nov. 7, at the club's regular monthly meeting.

Several new methods of preparing food were shown and some delicious new receipes were tasted. Miss Gordon showed the members some of the attractive sewing that she had done on the new electric machines and some clever Christmas decorating ideas. Each member took home many ideas to improve their homemaking. After the demonstration the food was given to the lucky winners of a drawing. Mrs. Ray Rutherford won a turkey, already cooked and ready to be eaten.

During the business meeting plans were made for the three Florida Power Christmas parties. The adult party will be on December 21 at 8 o'clock, the children's party will be on Dec. 23 at 3:30, and this year there will be a teenager's party on Dec. 23 at 8 o'clock. The group spent a good deal of time working on committees for these parties during the evening.

Miss Faye Gordon and Mrs. Durrah Martin served the members delicious refreshments. Hostesses for the next meeting on Thursday, Dec. 5, at the Florida Power Clubhouse will be Mrs. L. Y. DuBose and Mrs. Robert Harden. Mrs. Ray Rutherford won the door prize.

Members present at the meeting were the Mesdames W. J. Sherertz, Arlin King, W. E. Albritton, Clyde Rigsby, L. Y. DuBose, F. E. Sharpe, C. S. Warrington, A. L. Kelly, R. F. Harden, Richard Birt, W. M. Green, C. I. Wells, R. R. Rutherford, H. R. Douberley, W. M. Smith, A. C. Wester, Durrah Martin, H. H. Shepherd, Mrs. Harden of Lake Placid, and Miss Faye Gordon.

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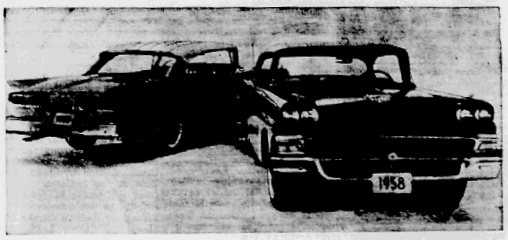

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School—

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A discussion concerning the expansion of Hopewell School site was held after which the Board instructed Fred Wild to try and get facts and figures pertaining to purchase price and terms of the site.

County lunchroom reports for the month ending October 31 were presented and are shown as follows. These balances or deficits are figured by subtracting all bills owed from the total cash on hand, plus accounts receivable and adding the value of their food inventory. Avon Elementary balance of $417.33; Avon Park Jr. and Sr. High deficit of $452.62; DeSoto City a balance of $466.79; Lake Placid deficit of $182.46; Sebring Jr. and Sr. High deficit of $202.90; Woodlawn Elementary balance of $1,499.08; E. O. Douglas deficit of $359.12 and Hopewell for a balance of $9.37.

Floyd H. Clark, Science Coordinator for Highlands County, presented a complete report to the Board on the Region IX Science Fair to be held in Sebring March 27, 28 and 29, 1958, including a list of the judges, rules and regulations, also presented were memorandums containing science courses offered in the various schools in Highlands County; general information of TV programs dealing with science which are considered very valuable.

Mrs.—

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ence will be John T. Bills, vice president of the Peoples Gas System. "Spotlighting the New Florida" will be Bills' subject. He was formerly the business editor of The Miami Herald.

The conference program has been arranged by a committee headed by W. J. Clapp who is president of the Florida Power Corporation. It will be presided over by the organization's president, Claude J. Yates who is president and general manager of the Southern Bell System in Florida.

A panel moderated by former Gov. Doyle E. Carlton, to be held Tuesday morning, Nov. 19, will be concerned with federal-state fiscal relationships. A rep-presentative of President Eisenhower's joint action committee, John H. Stambaugh; William B. Barton, general counsel of the U. S. Chamber; State Comptroller Ray E. Green and U. S. Senator Spessard L. Holland will be the panelists.

Karl Lehmann, executive secretary of the Lake County Chamber and chairman of the State Chamber's education committee, will address the conference on "aid for private colleges," on Tuesday morning.

Editor A. M. Sullivan of Dun's Review and Modern Industry, New York, will be the convention banquet speaker on Tuesday evening.

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Devils—

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when big Henry Scott returned to the squad. He is the biggest man on the squad and has played good ball especially on defense.

The Devil backfield, the most balanced anywhere in this area, will go against a team that also boasts a strong backfield. The Wildcats are led by Johnny Jane at Lefthalf, Plant at Righthalf and Hopkins at Quarterback. The Red Devils will have Jimmy Cooper at Quarterback, Winkie Williams and Billy Rouse at Halfbacks and Johnny Starling at Fullback. Rouse is a speedster with power, Starling and Williams both run with tremendous amount of power and Cooper is a good ball-handler and an improved passer. This group can give any team plenty of trouble.

After this game with Winter Park the Red Divels will get back into action in Conference play. Remaining games on the schedule are the games that were postponed with Fort Meade and Kissimmee and the annual Thanksgiving Eve game with the Sebring Blue Streaks. The game with Kissimmee has been set for Friday November 22 and the Fort Meade tilt is scheduled for Friday December 6. The Sebring game is set for Wednesday night, November 27.

Hertz—

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in the Chevrolet class.

All models will be deluxe, with power steering, power brakes, radio and heaters. Belcher cited the rapidly increasing acceptance of car rental for both business and pleasure as responsible for the increase in number of cars purchased.

A remarkable awareness and knowledge of the benefits of car rental has developed in the past few years he said. The car rental business in Sebring has been increasing steadily, and I fully expect it to continue.

Belcher said that more and more businessmen and people traveling for pleasure are taking a train or plane between cities, then renting a car at the airport, railroad station, or hotel.

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On Monday evening will be held the annual dinner of the State Chamber's retail merchants division, and on Tuesday afternoon its officers reports will be heard.

The Chamber's board of directors will hold its annual executive session late Tuesday afternoon, when officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

Funeral Services Held Today For James W. Bennett

Funeral services for James Warren Bennett, 74, who passed away early Wednesday morning at his home southwest of Frostproof, where he had lived for the past 40 years, will be held this afternoon, November 14, at 2:30 p.m. at the Corinth Church with Elder R. T. Pepper officiating. Interment will be held in Corinth Cemetery under the direction of Coker's Funeral Home of Wauchula.

Mr. Bennett was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church and survivors include his widow, Mrs. Jennett Lightsey Bennett; five daughters, Mrs. Pauline Andrews, Mulberry; Mrs. Ordie Sanders, Fort Meade; Mrs. Ellen Dawes, Titusville; Mrs. Mary Wise, Frostproof; Mrs. Elizabeth Hayden, Dallas, Texas; three sons, Alexander S. Bennett with the Air Force and now in Tacoma, Washington; Daniel G. Bennett, Avon Park and Elder Warren G. Bennett, Fort Meade; three brothers, I. Lester Bennett, Orlando; D. Gordy Bennett, Fort Meade and Henderson Bennett, Avon Park; and a sister, Mrs. Lela Pelham, Avon Park.

Patrick Casey Drowns In St. Petersburg

Patrick Casey, 5-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. William (Bubba) Cason, formerly of Sebring but now of St. Petersburg and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. William Burnsaid of Avon Park, downed last Thursday, November 7, when he fell from a pier into the bay near his home.

Other survivors include a brother, Michael, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cason of Sebring.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Stephenson Mortuary Chapel in Sebring with The Rev. J. M. Gilbreath of the Florida Avenue Baptist Church of Avon Park officiating. Interment followed in the Bougainvillea Cemetery of Avon Park.

Stephenson Funeral Home of Sebring was in charge of the arrangements.

Wm. J.—

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Bell River Hotel. While in Kansas City, he also worked on his Master's Degree at the University of Kansas City.

Since July of 1955 Mr. Heim has been supervising the purchasing and management of the food and beverage operation at the LaGorce Country Club, and acting as general assistant to the manager, Tom Flaherty, who is a former manager of Pinecrest Lakes Club in Avon Park.

Rotary News

Howard Todd of Lake Wales presented a very interesting program to members of the Avon Park Rotary Club at their weekly luncheon meeting on Wednesday, November 6, at the Jacaranda Hotel.

Mrs. Todd, who accompanied the Boy Scouts from this District to the National Jamboree in Valley Forge, Pa., told of the trip up and related many interesting things that happened at the meeting. He showed movies which he had made of the trip and Jamboree.

Visiting Rotarians last week included W. W. Owens of Frostproof; Jack Hancock, Jack Stephenson and J. M. Bunch, all of Sebring and E. F. Armstrong of Hicksville, Ohio.

Robert Baldwin was the guest of Josh Pendleton at the meeting.

Walker Memorial Hospital News

Pastor Mitchell R. Garrett of Orlando will speak nightly at the Seventh-day Adventist church during a week of spiritual emphasis beginning Sunday evening, November 17. He will also speak at the eleven o'clock morning worship hour Saturday, November 16 and 23.

Mr. Garrett is well known throughout the south as thousands have heard his presentation of Bible truths. As his basic topic for the week, he has chosen "How to Get to Heaven."

At the morning worship service November 23, the Walker Memorial Sanitarium church will join with other Adventist churches around the world in a special sacrificial offering.

The ever-expanding needs of the unfortunate of the world will be met in part by the generosity of those more fortunate. It may be a hospital deep in the jungle of Africa or a medical launch on the mighty Amazon to which these funds will go. According to the latest census on per capita giving among religious bodies, Adventists were again at the head of the list this year.

Evening services will begin at 7:30 and everyone is invited to attend. The local church is located on Lake Lillian across from Walker Memorial Hospital.

Births

WALKER MEMORIAL

To Mr. and Mrs. Harley Jefferson Murphy a daughter, Mary Kathryn, born November 5. Birth weight 8 pounds, 7 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Denver Marvin Farless a son, Terry Michael, born November 6. Birth weight 6 pounds, 13 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Roy Juan Peoples, Sr. of Lake Placid a son, Roy Juan, Jr., born November 5. Birth weight 6 pounds, 5 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dorsey Kackley of Sebring, a daughter, Sharon Lynn, born November 7. Birth weight 7 pounds, 13 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Franklin Young of Sebring a son, Neil Gene, born November 8. Birth weight 8 pounds, 6 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Doyle Hair of Sebring, a daughghter, Melanie Beth, born November 8. Birth weight 7 pounds, 11 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Edison Snipes of Sebring, a daughter, Rosemary, born November 8. Birth weight 9 pounds, 5 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Edward Caldwell of Sebring a son, Paul Edward, born November 10. Birth weight 8 pounds, 8 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Horace Alfred King a daughter, Dianne Elizabeth, born November 10. Birth weight 6 pounds, ½ ounce.

To Mr. and Mrs. Julian Warren Guess a son, Julian Farrell, born November 12. Birth weight 8 pounds.

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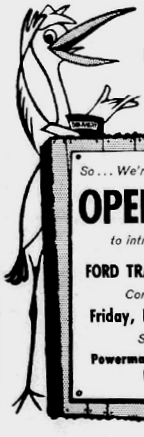

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Group Three Of Senior Woman's Club Holds Garden Party Monday

Mrs. Samuel O. Norris's lovely garden on Church Street was the scene of a delightful party on Monday afternoon, Nov. 11, from 2 until 4 o'clock given by Group 3 of the Avon Park Senior Woman's Club.

Eighty six guests were present and seated at the individual tables which were centered with lovely plants colorfully sprayed with silver and crystals of varied hues creating a festive atmosphere. Each guest received a striking favor skillfully made from shells.

The highlight of the afternoon's entertainment was a "Silent Auction" during which fifty articles were placed on a table for the guests to cast silent bids on. This was the occasion for much merriment as the gifts were delivered to the highest bidders.

Refreshments consisting of pie, coffee, candy, and nuts were served by fifteen "waitresses" from Group 3. Music for the afternoon was provided by a one hundred year old music box and by a record player. All the guests enjoyed throughly the afternoon of companionship in this lovely setting.

The party was given to augment the funds of the Senior Woman's Club. Mrs. Ralph Kelley, president of the Senior Club, expressed her deep appreciation to Mrs. Samuel Norris and all the others who helped make the party such a huge success.

Southland Trailer Park News

New permanent residents of the Southland Park are Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Coate of West Milton, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hanson of Chippiwa Bay, N. Y.; Mr. Robert Smith and Mrs. Sarah Smith of Avon Park, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Howze, Everglades City; and Mr. and Mrs. Harris of North Hollywood, California.

Residents returning to Southland for the winter include Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bell of Milford, Ohio; Mrs. Helen McGonnell of Dover, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. John Breyer of Haddon Field, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dow of Bristol, N. H.; Mrs. Simon Kolk of Goshen, N. Y.; and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dowell of Bowling Green, Ohio.

Shufflers of Southland who are members of the Winter Guest Club have again excelled themselves by winning two tournaments there recently. In the October tournament the winners were Mr. Harold Arms and Mr. John Slater. The November 9 tournamtnt was won by Mr. John Slater and Mr. Stonemetz.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Overholt have acquired a very nice collection of orchids and due to their interest in flowers have done much to beautify the gardens of the park residents who have been away during the summer. They really have green thumbs and are wizards at getting flowers to grow. Everyone at Southland really appreciates their eforts.

Local Homemakers Attend District 6 Meeting Nov. 9

Members of the Avon Park Future Homemakers of America attended the District 6 meeting at the Plant City High School on Saturday, November 9. The local group joined members from Lake Placid and Sebring and made the trip by bus.

During the meeting candidates were selected for State Officers, voting delegates from the local club were Frankie Thorp and Joan Davis. Pictures taken during the meeting were shown on TV Saturday night and included several of the local girls.

One of the State Future Homemaker's project is a Scholarship Fund and as Chapter roll was called the Avon Park Club contributed their share to the fund.

The highlight of the meeting was a Fashion Show presented by the Vogue Pattern Company.

Making the trip from Avon Park were the Chapter Sweethearts, Buddy Ott and Bobby Allwood; Mrs. Violet Moseley, Mrs. J. C. Davis, Barbara Anderson, Martha Nolin, Frankie Thorp, Margie Reynolds, Eulora Kelly, Linda Kinyan, Vivian McKenzie, Judy Shields, Pat Batson, Joan Davis, Mirian Francisco, Gwen Nolin, Ann Cooper, Pat Anderson, Jimmie Alice Bond and Cindy Hallam.

Boy Scout News

Troop 156

Troop 156 of the Avon Park Boy Scouts sponsored by the American Legion had a film on the forest service at their last meeting on Monday night, Nov. 4, in the Woodruff Heights Scout Building. The scouts also heard a talk on conservation and the importance of saving our country's national resources. Highlands County's role in the forestry outlook was discussed.

A number of parents were present at the Scout meeting also. The Explorer's Post held its first meeting on Monday, Nov. 11.

Troop 157

Eight parents enjoyed supper cooked by their sons on Monday, Nov. 4, at the regular meeting of Troop 157 of the Avon Park Scouts sponsored by the Rotary Club.

The Scouts fixed the entire supper for their parents and everyone enjoyed the evening. Mrs. B. M. Davis spoke to the Troop at their regular meeting on Monday, Nov. 11, on the subject of Florida birds.

Troop 157 is planning a camping trip for some time in the near future. They plan to camp out on an Island in Weekewachie River.

"Teen-Town Talk"

The fun and frolic at Teen-Town Saturday night drew out about 55 club members. Quite a few of the 'younger teensters' were among the number, and were having just as much fun as their more 'aged' brothers and sisters. The Whistle Dances were enjoyed by all as always.

Patsy Strasberger, graduate of Avon Park High School, now a freshman at Florida State in Tallahassee, was a welcome addition to the group and all were happy to see her.

Chaperones were Mrs. Martha Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hanford, who have been in Avon Park about a year. Mr. Hanford is with Ted Ward Real Estate Co. Mr. Andy Miracle was present, of course, and kept things going smoothly.

Thursday night, November 7th, the Youth Recreation Association Board Members met at the Club. A general discussion was held about things they hoped to accomplish. One of them being the adult membership drive. Proceeds to go for sponsoring club improvement projects. Parents, and Business People of Avon Park, if you are asked to join the Club as an 'inactive member' please don't turn the request down. If we keep our boys and girls happy in a good environment they are bound to turn out to be good and happy citizens. Good AND happy! Sounds wonderful, doesn't it? Can be done! Let's help by all joining up with the Youth Recreation Center.

Jacaranda Hotel Scene Of Luncheon

The Jacaranda Hotel was the setting Tuesday for a lovely luncheon given by Mrs. Roy Darling and Mrs. Raymond Canto of Sebring. Over sixty ladies were included in the party from Sebring and Avon Park.

Guests were received in the spacious Palm Room, which was decorated with greenery and white carnations, adjourning shortly to the main dining room, where a tasteful luncheon was served. Dining room decorations were in a fall motif of bronze, and red crysanthemums. Beneath the large mirror of the mantle was depicted a plenteous harvest scene. The harvest note was further carried out in the attractive place cards with a cornucopia design. A musical program was provided during the hour by Mrs. Julia Holcombe, pianist.

Business Woman's Club To Meet

The Business and Professional Women's Club will hold its regular monthly meeting on Monday, Nov. 18, at 8 o'clock in the Customer's Room of the Florida Power Corporation.

Hostesses for the evening will be Miss Millie Pearson, Miss Verna Heim and Miss Sara Sellars. All members are urged to keep this meeting in mind and attend.

First Baptist Church News

The Baptist Hour can be heard over radio station WAVP (1390) each Sunday morning from 8 until 8:30. The morning devotional period is at 7:45 each morning, Monday through Friday.

W. M. S. Mission Study

"Continent in Commotion" will be taught in the Social Hall Thursday evening, Nov. 14, beginning at 7 o'clock. All members of circles, all counselors, and any others interested in missions are urged to attend. Light refreshments will be served.

Junior Training Union Study Course

On Saturday, Nov. 16, a Junior Training Union Study will be taught in the Church Social Hall. This will be from 9:30 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

State Convention

The State Convention meets with the First Baptist Church of Pensacola, during November 12, 13, and 14th.

In the recent associational Royal Ambassadors Conclave the following boys from our church were elected to associational offices: Jimmy Mills; Ambassador-in-Chief; Lawton Tootle, Recorder; Jerome Antley, Herald; and Sherman Drawdy, Choristers.

Junior Woman's Clubs Elect New District Officers

Bartow.—Successors to Mrs. Frank Heckes, District Director of Polk and Highlands Counties in The Florida Federation of Women's Clubs, Mrs. Eric Gloss, also of Lakeland, secretary, and Mrs. Sidney Carter, Bartow, District Director of Junior Clubs, were chosen Tuesday at the biennial meeting here. Elected were Mrs. Clarence W. Mims and Mrs. Walter Woolfoik, Lake Wales, and Mrs. J. O. MacBeth, Sebring, who will take office in April.

Endorsed for the presidency and first vice-presidency of the Federation were Mrs. C. L. Menser, Vero Beach, and Mrs. Art S. Witmer, Lakeland, now vice-presidents.

Speakers for the day-long meet were Mrs. C. M. Washburn, Tampa, president; Mrs. Menser; Mrs. Witmer; Mrs. Judd Chapman, Tallahassee, state director of juniors; state and district chairman living in this district, and presidents of the 30 local clubs or their substitutes.

A welcome from the city commission was given by Leonard F. Blankner and by Mrs. H. M. Stanfill, Woman's Club president; Mrs. Arthur Losh, Junior Woman's Club president, and Mrs. Carter.

Mrs. Frank Woodard, general chairman of the meeting, reported an attendance of 135 representing 26 of the 30 clubs in the district.

Avon Elementary Lunch Menu Nov. 18 - 22

MONDAY
Bolied Ham
Whipped Sweet Potatoes
Fresh Collard Greens
Cornbread, Butter
Apple Pie Cheese
½ Pint Whole Milk

TUESDAY
Deep Dish Meat Pie
Lettuce Wedge Dressing
Hot Biscuit, Butter
Preserves
½ Pint Whole Milk

WEDNESDAY
Chicken, Yellow Rice
Garden Peas
Sliced Tomatoes
Cup Cakes
Hot Rolls, Butter
½ Pint Whole Milk

THURSDAY
Hamburgers on Buns
Potato Salad
Green Beans
Fruit
½ Pint Whole Milk

FRIDAY
Repeat Menu

Menus subject to change by manager in keeping with foods available.

Hazel Howell, Manager

Locals.....

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Moore have just returned to their home in Glenn Ellen, Illinois, after a two weeks visit with her mother, Mr. May Walden.

Mrs. Bill Sachsenmeir and her granddaughter, Tonie, returned home on Tuesday from a visit with Tonie's mother and Mrs. Sachsenmeir's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cason, in Vallejo, California. They made the trip by plane.

Mr. Orrin Lippett of Baraboo, Wis. arrived at his home on S. Florida Avenue for the winter season. His son, Harvey Lippett, of Portage, Wis. brought him down and returned to his home in the north this week.

American Legion Auxiliary Meet At Legion Home

The American Legion Auxiliry held its regular monthly meeting on Monday, November 11, at 8 o'clock in the Legion Home.

Two new members joined the Auxiliary at their meeting. They were Mrs. Miller Southerland and little Miss Paula Jean Allen, a junior member.

During the meeting new coin containers were distributed to the members for the coming year. Each member is to put a dime in the holders for each holiday of the year and at the end of the year the money will be used for various Auxiliary Charity projects.

The date for the annual Auxiliary Christmas party was set for Wednesday, December 18. Each member will bring a fifty cent gift for exchanging at the party. Mrs. Dorothy Sasser is in charge of arrangements for the party.

The members of the Auxiliary voted to send $2 to the Leonard Wood Memorial Fund for the Leprosy Colony in Carville, La.

Mrs. Margaret Stewart and Mrs. Grace Boney are in charge of the collection of toys for the Crippled Children's Hospital in St. Petersburg for the Christmas gifts.

Mrs. Alice Sherman, hostess for the evening, served delicious refreshments of homemade cookies and coffee to the members present.

Mrs. Irene Bigham, daughter of Mr. Clarence Tallman, left by bus from Avon Park last Wednesday, for her home in North Tonawanda, New York. Mrs. Bigham and her cousin, Mrs. Fanny Scott of Perry, N. Y. accompanied Mr. Tallman to Avon Park, and have been guests at the Poinsettia Hotel for the past two weeks. During this short stay they have been priviledge to visit many of the surrounding places of interest; such as, Highland Hammock, Bok Tower, Clewiston Sugar Mills, Cypress Gardens, Vero Beach, Indian Reservation, Skyline Bridge, St. Petersburg, and the Million Dollar Pier; all thanks to Mr. Tallman and Mr. and Mrs. John Wolhelm of Avon Park. Mrs. Scott plans to spend the winter here and is staying with Mrs. Cora Wray.

Last week the Rev. E. E. Shiltz and his son, Jerome, the Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Roe and their daughter, Winifred, motored to Orlando and St. Cloud.

Mrs. Helen Sunderland and Mrs. Myrtle Patton arrived last Thursday from New York State to again spend the winter at the Avon Park Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Loy Wyont of Bessemer City, N. C. arrived at their cottage at the Avon Park Campground last week and then continued on to visit their son in Hialeah.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Garganus of Whiteville, N. C., left last week after having visited their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Garganus on the Avon Park Campground.

Mr. Jerome Shiltz will be giving a travel lecture at the Sebring Tourist Club at 7:00 o'clock on Thursday, Nov. 14. He will show slides of his recent trip to the northwest and Canada as well as other slides.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Duckett of Arlington, Va. are the guests of her mother, Mrs. E. C. Wever, while they are visiting relatives and friends in Avon Park.

Billy Heim of Miami spent Monday night and Tuesday at the home of his father, Mr. William Heim, and sister, Miss Verna Heim.

Jerry 'Butch' Meeker son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Meeker spent the weekend with his family. Jerry is now attending the U. of Miami.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Osen of DePere, Wisconsin, have returned to their home after a tour of Florida. They visited their old friends, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hoppe of Avon Park, for several days last week.

The Rev. F. J. Mills of Bellaire, Michigan, arrived Monday at the Avon Park Campground to spend the winter months.

Mr. Logan Burris of Cashocton, Ohio, arrived Tuesday to build several homes at the Avon Park Camp Ground.

Horace Smith of Jonesboro, Tenn. spent the weekend with Col. and Mrs. D. M. Ellis on his way to Miami. He will return this weekend to spend the Winter at the Poinsettia Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thayer returned to their home on Lake Angelo recently after operating their Inn at Mont Vernon, N. H., for the past summer. Mr. Thayer had to return north to attend the funeral of his aunt in Westfield, Mass., but has now returned to Avon Park.

Miss Judy Pounds of Winter Haven spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hutchinson, at their home on Lake Lotela.

Miss Helen Tuten and Mrs. Alice Tuten spent from Friday until Monday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tuten and their family in Tallahassee. They report that it was a good deal colder there than here.



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Description	Land Assessment	Imp. Ass.	Total Ass.	Owner
Lots A-B-C-D-E, blk 28 Fla. Villa Sub.	100	——	100	J. N. Tomlinson
Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 Blk 28	500	——	500	J. N. Tomlinson
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Blk 29 McGibney Sub.	810	4620	5430	Robert L. Padgett
Lots 6 & 7, Blk 29 McGibney Sub.	200	2410	2610	W. M. Renfro
Lots 8 & 9, Blk 29 McGibney	200	1440	1640	J. S. Osborne
N½ of 3, Blk 29	200	1000	1200	Clifford Singletary
S½ of 3, Blk 29	200	4200	4400	Mrs. May Walden
N½ of 4, Blk 29	200	5100	5300	Horace L. Bryant
S½ of 4, Blk 29	200	3440	3640	George M. Riffle
N¼ of 5, Blk 29	200	2650	2850	James M. Casey
S¼ of 5, Blk 29	200	1580	1780	Irvin A. Westberry
Lots 6-7, W½ of S. Blk 29	1000	3400	4400	Vicie Lamb
S¼ of 8, Blk 29	180	——	180	Vicie Lamb
Lot 9, Blk 29	300	——	300	Roy Ladwig
S80' of N100 of 10, Blk 29	180	4040	4220	Harry W. Williams
W60' of N100 of 10, Blk 29	180	4000	4180	Thomas E. Capell
S170' of 10, Blk 29	360	3500	386[illegible]	William E. McCullough
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, Blk 30, Re-Sub 1 to 5	200	6000	6200	L. A. Sizemore
Lot 5, Blk 30, Re-Sub 1 to 5	50	4000	4050	Virgil Sizemore
Lot 6 & 9, Blk 30, Re-Sub 1 to 5	100	1550	1650	Maude Proveau
Lot 7 & 8, Blk 30, Re-Sub 1 to 5	100	2750	2850	John Wilhelm
Lots 10 to 15, Blk 30 Re-Sub 1 to 5	Exempt	——	——	Fla. Ave. Baptist
Lot 16, Blk 30 Re-Sub 1 to 5	Exempt	——	——	Fla. Ave. Baptist
Lots 17, 18 & W25' of 19' Blk 30, Re-Sub 1 to 5	125	——	125	Wm. C. Dwan
Lots 16, E25' of 19, 20, Blk 30, Re-Sub 1 to 5	75	4850	4925	G. F. Lewis
Lots 21, 22, 23, 24, Blk 30, Re-Sub 1 to 5	200	1810	2010	S. J. Pendleton
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, Blk 30, McCorkle	210	3560	3770	J. L. Townsend
Lot 5, Blk 30, McCorkle Sub.	175	——	175	Cora P. Bowen
Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, Blk 30, McCorkle	200	1720	1920	C. W. Campbell
Lots 13, 14, 15, 16, Blk 30, McCorkle Sub.	200	——	200	Billy Frank Cooper
Lots 6, 7, 8 & 18, Blk 30, McCorkle	180	3080	3260	Ellis Elder
Lot 19 & 20, Blk 30, McCorkles Sub.	100	2000	2100	Annie E. Evers
Lot 17, Blk 30, McCorkle	100	——	100	Frank Kopta
Lot 21, Blk 30, McCorkle	100	——	100	J. J. Heagerty
Lot 22, 23, 24, Blk 30, McCorkle Sub.	140	3340	3480	Elton Thompson
Lot 1, 2, 3, 4, Blk 31	400	——	400	Walter Crews
Lots A, B, C, D, E, Blk 31 Fla. Villa	150	——	150	Wendell Roberts
Lot F, G, H, Blk 31 Fla. Villa	100	980	1080	C. M. Reynolds
Lot I & J, Blk 31, Fla. Villa	80	——	80	Walter L. Crews
Lot 7, 8, 9, 10, Blk 31	400	——	400	Wendell Roberts
N 112.5 of 1, Blk 32	320	7100	7420	Sam Howell
S 158.5 of 1, Blk 32	370	4000	4370	C. R. Barnett
Lot 1 & 2, Blk 32, Crescent Hgts.	120	1540	1660	Henry L. McCully
Lot 3, Blk 32 Crescent Hgts.	60	——	60	Earl L. Varnes
Lot 4 & 5, Blk 32 Crescent Hgts.	120	2000	2120	A. R. Asher
Lot 9, Blk 32, Crescent Hgts.	60	——	60	John R. Dickson
Lot 10, Blk 32 Crescent Hgts.	60	——	60	John R. Dickson
Lot 11 & 12, Blk 32 Crescent Hgts.	120	——	120	Vicie Lamb
Lots 6, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, Blk 32, Crescent Hgts.	180	5000	5180	Roy Ladwig
Lot 7 & 8 less W50 of 8 Blk 32, Crescent Hgts.	70	2880	2950	Mrs. Mary Bost
Lot 8—W. 50', Blk 32 Crescent Hgts.	50	2000	2050	Fred C. Coy
Lot 1, Blk 32 Re-Sub. of 6	90	——	90	Ann C. McKana
Lot 2, Blk 32 Re-Sub. lot 6	60	——	60	Roy F. Ladwig
Lot 3, 4 less W60' of N40 of 3, Blk 32, Re-Sub of 6	180	2000	2180	Mae Feary
W60' of N40 of 3, Blk 32 Re-Sub of lot 6	90	——	90	Roy Ladwig
Lot 5, Blk 32, Re-Sub. of 6	110	——	110	Jessie R. Wilcox
Lot A, less W20', Blk 32 Fairbanks Sub.	200	4000	4200	Scott Landress
Lot W. 20' of A, Blk 32 Fairbanks Lot, W60' of B, Blk 32	40	——	40	Mae Feary
Fairbanks Sub. Lot E156.7' of B, Blk 32, Fairbanks Sub.	100	2490	2590	Minter Hall
Lot C & D & S45.5 of E less N80 of lot D, Blk 32, Fairbanks	380	1770	2150	Mrs. Irma Crosby
Lot D, N80', Blk 32, Fairbanks Sub.	Exempt	——	——	Church of Christ
Lot N135.5' of E & E½ of F, Blk 32, Fairbanks	160	——	160	Milford Dilley
Lot, W½ of F, Blk 32, Fairbanks Sub.	180	3580	3760	Milford Dilley
Lot 1 less R/W, Blk 33	60	——	60	Roland Odom
Lot 2-Frac. E. of ACL, Blk 33	360	——	360	Spicola Appliance
Lot 2-3-4, Blk 33, N.Y. Smith Sub.	70	——	70	Frank M. Weakley
Lot 2-3-4-5 W of SAL RR Blk 33, N. Y. Smith Sub.	920	2220	3140	Demos Mandis
Lot 6 W½ of 7, Blk 33	980	4290	5270	Pure Oil Co.
E½ of 7, less 20' N of Tulane Circle, Blk 33	530	2130	2660	W. D. Fletcher
S½ of 8 less Osteen Tract 9 less RR R/W, Blk 33	180	1370	1550	A. O. Knowles
SW¼ of 8, Blk 33	150	3340	3490	Mrs. Mildred Logan
Lot 8—N½ W of SAL Blk 33	110	970	1080	W. P. Osteen
Frac. 10 bet. R.R., Blk 33	110	810	920	William Crunkelton
Lot 10 Frac. E of ACL, Blk 33	50	——	——	Touchton, Inc.
N½ of 1, Blk 34	130	2910	3040	J. F. Weaver
S½ of 1 & E72' of S½ of 2 Blk 34	380	3720	4100	Earl Green
W48' of S½ of 2, Blk 34	580	1600	2180	Virgil M. Still
N½ of 2, Blk 34	140	——	140	Mrs. G. D. Godwin
Lot 3 & 4, Blk 34	180	——	180	Earl H. Green
Lot 5, Blk 34	1000	4370	5370	Mrs. G. D. Godwin
Lot 6-7-8-10 & E 60' of Lot 9, Blk 34	600	——	600	Edwin D. Howard
Lot W60' of 9, Blk 34	1000	——	1000	E. Ray Wells
Lot 1 & E½ of 2, Blk 35	50	3520	3570	Mrs. Anna Lipsiteu
W½ of 2 & E½ of 3, Blk 35	580	3800	4380	Edward C. Everett
W48' of S½ of 2, Blk 34	400	——	400	Helen A. Dissenger
W½ of 3 & E½ of 4, Blk 35	380	6700	7080	Mrs. I. C. M. Ellenberger
W½ of 4, all 5, E½ of 6, Blk 35	590	2950	3540	Mrs. Ella C. Williams
W½ of 6, 7, 8, 9, Blk 35	1000	3850	4850	J. J. Parsons
Lot 10, Blk 35	440	——	440	Esther L. Longear
Lots 11, 12, 13, Blk 35	1130	3680	4810	J. P.Jockinson
Lot 14 & 15, Blk 35	970	2660	3630	Wm. E. Beyer
Lots 16 & 17, Blk 35	950	2550	3500	Dorothy Baldwin
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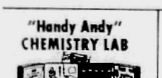

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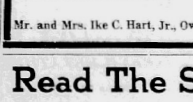

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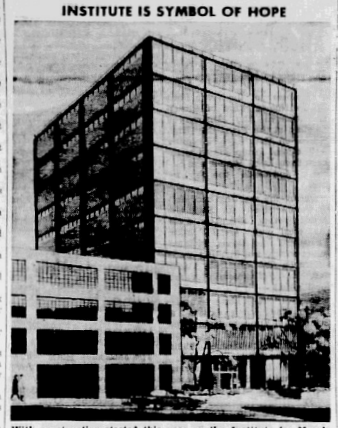

With construction started this year on the Institute for Muscle Disease, Muscular Dystrophy Associations of America, Inc., is adding a mighty arsenal for the medical fight against this progressively crippling disease. Architect's drawing shows completed structure which is being made possible through contributions to the November March for Muscular Dystrophy.

Winter Guest Club News

On Wednesday, Nov. 6, Duke Christensen and Herb Shauger won the tournament, edging out Grace Warner and Ota Gibson, to take honors for the day.

Saturday, in an exciting dramatic finish, S. Stonemetz and J. Slater came from a zero score to win over H. Sauger and H. Arms who had piled up a total of 70 points against the winners.

In a short time, the 5-tournament series will begin with Sebring, possession of the trophy being at stake. We'll need all you good players, so come out and practice for your club. Watch the board for the dates.

In case you're wondering at the changes in the yard we hasten to enlighten you. The old cue house has been removed from the premises and the flag pole moved to its present location in order to make room for two additional courts. Work on these will get under way soon; making it possible for us to schedule more tournaments with out-of-town clubs, as well as provide a place for everyone at the peak of our sesson.

Friday night saw an enthusiastic, peppy crowd assembled for the evening's dance; some to participate actively, some to enjoy the music and fun. Remember to save Tuesday morning for learning new steps and squares. Our instructor has agreed, again this year, to give instruction in ballroom dancing on Tuesday morning immediately following the regular practice. Here's the chance of a lifetime; you can't learn any younger (or cheaper).

All those who came to the covered-dish supper Saturday night had a most enjoyable evening; fifty-one hungry mortals passed to the right, to the left, and across the table. Over fifty persons enjoyed various cardgames, while some twenty real hardy souls braved the chill winds to "work off that last bite" by playing a few games at shuffleboard. If you weren't there, you missed a very pleasant evening; you'd better resolve right now to be among those present next Saturday; five-thirty is the hour.

Mr. Jerome Shiltz, in charge of the Sunday sings, has an interesting and varied program planned for you on Sunday, November 17. These "sings" are, as in years past, not restricted to members only; all are welcome.

Here is a weekly schedule of event; you had better clip it and have it for reference.

Tues. 9 a.m. - dance practice, 1:30 p.m. - bridge games; Wed. 1:30 p.m. - shuffleboard tournament; Thurs. 7:30 p.m. - program, movies, or cards - watch for further announcement; Fri. 8:00 p.m. - dance followed by coffee and doughnuts.

As the season progresses there will, no doubt, be other activities added, but for now, these are scheduled affairs.

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CRACKER POLITICS

BY ALLEN MORRIS

Tallahassee - Floridians often are puzzled about the magic key which enables Governor LeRoy Collins to open doors outside the state.

This key has made it possible for Governor Collins to (1) impress audiences of top financiers and industrialists on Florida's behalf and (2) gain far more stature in national affairs than home staters realize.

(For instance, State Treasurer J. Edwin Larson, just back from a Chicago conference, reported he heard some presidents of national insurance companies discussing Florida's investment advantages as a result of a New York speech by Governor Collins which one or more of them had heard.)

Actually, the Governor's personal acquaintanceship among persons of national substance startles those who think of him as basically a lawyer in a relatively small Southern community and a man whose formal education beyond high school was quite limited.

Yet he speaks the language of business, industrial and government leaders without shyness or hesitancy.

Some of the Governor's assurance can logically be attributed to his successful practice of the law over some 20 years, much of which involved State Capital representation of corporate clients. But a little known part of the Collins background supplies the answer to today's welcome in high places.

To the pinelands of extreme North Florida and South Georgia have come for many generations some of the nation's most affluent citizens for the sport of quail, dove, duck and turkey shooting. The largest part of the acreage of the northern half of the Governor's home county of Leon and that of neighboring counties is still owned by these winter residents.

For example, George Humphrey, whom President Eisenhower appointed Secretary of the Treasury, finds his winter shooting sport in this area, and long before his political prominence on the national level was a friend and law client of Governor Collins.

Many others of like background and position come and entertain their guests throughout the winter. It is natural that these guests are also persons of outstanding prominence in business and politics. They come and go with little or no publicity. And over the years Governor and Mrs. Collins have been invited to hunt, picnic and dine with them.

Some of his colleagues in the Senate may recall that during his argument for the full-length turnpike in the last session he served there, Collins read from a letter in which Robert R. Young, the executive, extolled the advantages of Florida and the prospects for continued future growth.

It was on the plantations of North Florida that the then State Senator Collins had developed personal relations with the New York Central's Bob Young.

The friend from this milieu of Bakers, Talbots, Ingalises, Cushings, Griscoms, Teagles and McElroys who doubtless contributed most to Collins in his maturing years was the late U. S. Senator Walter E. Edge, twice Governor of New Jersey, Ambassador to France and for 30 years a national Republican leader.

Edge and Collins became fast friends more than 20 years ago, about the time Collins first became a member of the Florida House of Representatives. He often counselled Collins about his political future. He strongly recommended that Collins run for Governor in 1940 when the Leon countian stepped aside for his friend Dan McCarty, who failed that year, and more vigorously four years later when McCarty again ran and this time won.

After McCarty died in office and the time approached for the election to choose a successor, Senator Edge hammered away at Collins with the older man's guiding principle: "don't procrastinate, don't hesitate, don't vacillate."

On the occasion of the first Collins inaugural, Senator Edge and his wife, little noticed by most in attendance, occupied front row seats on the platform. There was a smile on his face when in the course of Collins' inaugural address, referring to the greatness of Florida's future, the new chief executive said "we must not procrastinate, we must not hesitate, we must not vacillate."

The Governor does not like to talk about these friends. Not that he isn't extremely proud of them, but because he knows their own desire to avoid publicity and he respects this. The truth is, however, that many doors have been open to Florida with the help of these same friends.

And no doubt one of the reasons Governor Collins can talk with such assurance at the gatherings of people who can help Florida, as he did recently in New York, is the basic fact that he is not as much among strangers as a great many people in his home state would assume.

On the political side of the coin, the Governor of Florida has the opportunity to win more attention than the chief executive of most states because Florida is the second home for a vast number of people. The natural climate attracts them but they become aware of the prevailing political climate and of the names of some Florida leaders.

Thus, if national opportunity presents itself in the future, there would be men and women everywhere in the country who feel some measure of identification with Collins. Again, he would not be among strangers.

Jack Horner Tarts



Jack Horner loved plum pie and he likes these tarts equally as well! For tender flaky crust use a package of your favorite pie crust mix and fill each tart with fresh Italian plums. These tarts are wonderful "just-for-me" desserts.

Plum Tarts
Makes 4 large tarts

Crust:
One 10-oz. pkg. pie crust mix
4 to 5 tablespoons cold water

Filling:
4 cups sliced Italian plums
1/4 teaspoon almond flavoring (optional)
1/4 teaspoon vanilla
1 cup sugar
1/4 cup flour
1/8 teaspoon salt

Heat oven to hot (400°F.). For tarts, empty pie crust mix into bowl. Sprinkle cold water by tablespoons over mix; mix lightly with fork until just dampened. Form dough into 8 balls. Roll out four balls on lightly floured board or canvas until each forms a circle slightly larger than inverted tart pan. Fit loosely into tart pans; trim edges with scissors until even with edge of pan.

For the filling, add flavorings to sliced plums. Mix sugar, flour and salt. Add plums to sugar-flour mixture, tossing with fork to completely coat the plums.

Place plum mixture in pastry-lined tart pans. Roll other four balls as above to form circles. Cut a circle in each or slash in 2 or 3 places to form steam vents. Fold edge of top crust under edge of bottom crust. Seal by pressing edge with tines of fork. Bake in preheated oven (400°F.) 35 to 40 minutes or until top crust is evenly browned.

Mrs. Dirkman's Mother Passed Away Saturday

Mrs. Augusta Harding, 60, of Mount Dora, mother of Mrs. Richard Dirkman of Avon Park, passed away in a Eustis hospital Saturday morning, November 9.

Mrs. Harding, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Bean, a pioneer family of Orange County, was born in Zellwood, Florida and had been a resident of Mount Dora for the past 37 years. She was a member of the First Methodist Church in Mount Dora.

Survivors include her husband, E. Frank Harding of Mount Dora; five daughters, Mrs. W. K. Galbreath of Fruitland Park; Miss Winifred Harding of Greensboro, N. C.; Mrs. Sam Holloway of Orlando; Mrs. Richard Dirkman of Avon Park; Mrs. E. M. Crossland of Arnold, Md.; two sons, Edward B. Harding of Boothbay, Me.; and William P. Harding of Mount Dora; one brother, J. E. Bean of Orlando; one sister, Miss Annie Bean of Jacksonville, and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon from the First Methodist Church in Mount Dora with The Rev. Jimmy Jones of Mount Dora and The Rev. Kenneth Rogers of Gainesville officiating. Interment was held in the Zellwood Cemetery.

American Airlines has announced plans to buy 40 more jet airliners at a cost of more than $200 million. This would raise their fleet to 70 planes by 1961.

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DO YOU KNOW?

By DALE I. ROYAL, Evangelist
Avon Park Church of Christ

Do you know how important the church is? Many will probably wonder how anyone would even consider the church important at all. The truth is that the church has been run down and belittled until most so-called Christians firmly believe that the church is something you can take or leave as you choose. Such is not the case.

In Matt. 16:18 Christ promised to build his church. In Eph. 1:22-23 Christ is declared to be the head of the church. In Acts 20:28 we read that the church was bought or purchased with the Lord's blood. In the light of all this, how could anybody ever think, let alone say, that the church is unimportant foolish? To think that the G of Heaven would permit only begotten son to pour his blood for some thing that is unnecessary is the height of absurdity. How apt Paul's statement (1 Cor. 1:25), "the foolishness of God is wiser than men!"

In loving memory of Larry Patrick Cason (nicknamed Tiffy) aged 5 who was drowned November 7, 1957 in St. Petersburg.

Dearest Giffy
We do not cry for you my dear
Cause you're in Heaven, we are here.
We cry because we miss you so
Just why God took you we do not know.
In our hearts you are not gone
Your loving memory lingers on,
Your walk and talk, and loving smile
All helped to make our lives worthwhile.
But like your little brother said
To us you are not really dead,
Someday in Heaven we'll meet again
And so my Darling, goodby till then.

Written by His Aunt
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Sec. 194.16, F.S.

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Part of Certificate No. 273. Year of issuance 1945.

Description of Property Lot 12, Block 517, Sixth Addition to Sebring.

Name in which assessed L. W. Martin.

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 December, 1957, which is the 2nd day of December, 1957, between the hours of 11:00 o'clock A.M. and 2:00 o'clock P.M., the same being a legal sales day and the hours the legal hours of sale.

Dated this 24th day of October, 1957.

(SEAL)

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

PUB: Oct. 31, Nov. 7, 14 and 21

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. 20953, 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: WARDS DEPARTMENT STORE under which I am engaged in business at 6 East Main, Avon Park, Florida.

That the party interested in said business enterprise is as follows:
Elizabeth M. Ladrie
James A. White

Dated at November 6, 1957 Highlands County, Florida.
Nov. 14, 21, 28 Dec. 5th, 1957

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 Twelfth day of November, 1957, for the GENERAL CONTRACT for
LIBRARY, LAKE PLACID SCHOOL
LAKE PLACID, 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 Helm & Helm, 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 ten (10) days after the bids are received.

(b) Bidders, subcontractors, 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.

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THE BOARD OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA

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By S. F. LONGBOTTOM,
Chairman of the Board of Public Instruction of Highlands County, Florida

ATTEST
FRED WILD,
Secretary of the board of Public Instruction of Highlands County, Florida.
Pub. Oct. 17, 24, 31, Nov. 7, 1957

IN THE COURT OF THE COUNTY JUDGE IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF LAURA E. FORBES, DECEASED
NOTICE OF FILING PETITION FOR FINAL DISCHARGE OF EXECUTRICES

Notice is hereby given that we have filed our final return as Executrices of the Estate of Laura E. Forbes, Deceased; that we have filed our petition for distribution and for final discharge, and that on the 18th day of November, A.D. 1957 we will apply to the Honorable Mervin Rehrer, County Judge, for approval of said final returns and for an order of distribution and for final discharge as Executrices of the Will of Laura E. Forbes, Deceased.

Dated this 9th day of October, A.D. 1957.

LUCY A. STREET
LUCY ROBINSON
As Executrices under the Will of Laura E. Forbes, Deceased.

MATTIE W. TOMPKINS,
Attorney for the Estate,
Avon Park, Florida
Pub: Oct. 24, 31, Nov. 7, 14

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY
In Chancery
VIOLA JONES, Plaintiff
vs.
ELLIS JONES, Defendant
DIVORCE ACTION
NOTICE TO DEFEND

TO THE DEFENDANT, ELLIS JONES:

You are hereby notified that a suit has been brought against you in the above entitled Court by Viola Jones for the purpose of procuring a divorce from you. You are required to file with the Clerk of said Court a written answer or other defense on or before the 9th day of December, 1957 and to serve by mail or otherwise a copy of such Answer or other defense on plaintiff's attorney or decree will be entered against you and the case will thereafter proceed ex parte.

It is ordered that this notice be published once a week for four (4) consecutive weeks in the Avon Park Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in Highlands County, Florida.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court at Sebring, Florida, this the 6th day of November, A.D. 1957.

H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of Circuit Court
By: EARL Rich,
Deputy Clerk

MATTIE W. TOMPKINS,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Avon Park, Florida
PUB: November 7, 14, 21, 28, 1957

IN THE COURT OF THE COUNTY JUDGE, HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA, IN PROBATE
IN re Estate of W. L. HOGAN, BILL HOGAN, alias WILLIE HOGAN, Deceased.
To All Creditors and Persons Having Claims or Demands Against Said Estate:

You and each of you are hereby notified and required to present any claims and demands which you, or either of you, may have against the estate of W. L. HOGAN, alias BILL HOGAN, alias WILLIE HOGAN, deceased, late of said County, to the County Judge of Highlands County, Florida, at his office in the court house of said County at Sebring, Florida, within eight calendar months from the time of the first publication of this notice. Each claim or demand shall be in writing, and shall state the place of residence and post office address of the claimant, and shall be sworn to by the claimant, agent, or attorney, and any such claim or demand not so filed shall be void.

Hazel Garrett Edmonds
As administrator of the Estate of
As executor of the Last Will and Testament of
W. L. HOGAN, deceased

Pub: Oct. 24.31, Nov. 7, 14

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. 20953, 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: HARRISONS STANDARD STATION under which I am engaged in business at West Main and Highway 27, Avon Park, Florida.

That the party interested in said business enterprise is as follows:
John T. Harrison.

Dated at 8-26-57 Highlands County, Florida.
Aug. 29, Sept. 5, 12, 19

IN THE COURT OF THE COUNTY JUDGE IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY STATE OF FLORIDA
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MICHAEL J. HEYNEN, DECEASED.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All creditors of the Estate of Michael J. Heynen, Deceased are hereby notified and required to file any claims or demands which they may have against said Estate in the office of the County Judge of Highlands County, Florida, in the Courthouse at Sebring, Florida, within eight (8) calendar months from the date of the first publication of this notice. Each claim or demand must be in writing and must state the place of residence and post office address of the claimant and must be sworn to by the claimant, or his attorney, or it will become void according to law.

Dated this 28th day of October, A.D. 1957.

HERBERT I. SMITH
Executor of the Estate of Michael J. Heynen, Deceased.

MATTIE W. TOMPKINS,
Attorney for Estate,
Avon Park, Florida.
PUB: Oct. 31, Nov. 7, 14, 21

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY
IN CHANCERY, No. 8414
JACQUELINE LEE HAMILL, Plaintiff
vs.
ROBERT S. HAMILL, Defendant
SUIT FOR DIVORCE
NOTICE TO DEFEND

TO: ROBERT S. HAMILL care of Mrs. Helen Hamill
9110½ South Manhattan Place
Los Angeles, California

You are hereby notified that a Bill of Complaint for Divorce has been filed against you, and you are required to serve a copy of your Answer or Pleading to the Bill of Complaint on the Plaintiff's Attorney, JAMES W. MOORE, 5630 Sunset Drive, Miami, Florida and file the original Answer or Pleading in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court on or before the 7th day of December, A.D., 1957. If you fail to do so, judgment by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Bill of Complaint.

This notice shall be published once each week for four consecutive weeks in The Avon Park Sun.

DONE AND ORDERED at Sebring, Florida, this 30th day of October, A. D. 1957.

H. T. PIETY
Clerk, Circuit Court
Highlands County, Florida
(Circuit Court Seal)
By: EARL RICH
Deputy Clerk

JAMES W. MOORE
5630 Sunset Drive, Miami, Florida
Attorney for Plaintiff
PUB: November 7, 14, 21, 28

LEGAL AD

The Board of County Commissioners of Highlands County will receive SEALED BIDS until 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, November 19, 1957, on the following: One City Lot in or near Block H of Price & Gorham Subdivision in Avon Park. Lot to measure approximately 100 x 100 feet. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

A. J. TUBBS,
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PUB: November 7th and 14th

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Rev. Aden D. Childress, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Nursery for small children during the morning service
Training Union, 6:15 p.m.
Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service, 7:45 p.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
(South Central Ave.)
Rev. Harvey Stocker, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m. (with classes for all ages)
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
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Evangelistic Service, 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service, 7:30 p.m.



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Morning Worship, 10:55 a.m.
Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.
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Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Glad Night Service, 7:30 p.m.

THE FIRST PILGRIM CHURCH
(No. Rest Ave. cor. of Thomas)
Rev. John P. Abshure, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
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Youth Service, 7:00 p.m.
Evangelistic Service, 7:45 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:45 p.m.

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Rev. D. V. Staten, Pastor
Sunday School, 10 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday Prayer Service, 7:30 p.m.
Thursday Young People's Service, 7:30 p.m.

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CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
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Rev. Bill T. Robinson
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
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Mr. Watson's Sister Taken By Death

Early Wednesday morning, November 6, word was received here by Ellis Watson and his family that his younger sister, Mrs. Norma Gilley, 27, of Williston, had passed away at the Gainesville General Hospital after an illness of only a few hours.

Mrs. Gilley was born in Williston an had lived in that area most of her life. In 1948, she married Carl Gilley, thus uniting two of the well known families of that section of the state. A member of the First Methodist Church of Williston, Mrs. Gilley was active in the work of the WSCS Circle No. 3 of that church. She was a member of the Junior Woman's Club of Williston and a member of the Pithyan Sisters. Mrs. Gilley was also active in the work of the Williston PTA.

Survivors include her husband, Carl Gilley, an eight year old daughter, Evelyn Grace; a six year old son, Roy Eugene, her mother, Mrs. Elsie Watson, Williston; two sisters, Mrs. Otis Phillips, Williston; Mrs. M. C. Butler, Jacksonville; four brothers, J. T., Jr. and Calvin Watson, Williston; Ellis Watson, Avon Park; and A. B. Rodgers, Jacksonville.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Methodist Church in Williston with Rev. Coefield, pastor, officiating, assisted by the pastor of the First Baptist Church of Williston. Internment followed in the Orange Hill Cementery with Knauff Funeral Home of Williston in charge.

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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. Corrective deeds have not been listed, since they apparently are not bona fide sales. (Sale prices are indicated by the amount of documentaty stamps attached to deeds.)

N. H. Edgemon and wife, Cecil Minnie and Frank Yusko; Jesse James Edgemon and wife; Richard Newton Tuck and wife; Frances Adelia and Ira Sebert Hall; George William Edgemon; Leota Pauline and Harold Henry Shackelford and Ora Emma and Howard Terry to John M. Templeton, George T. Delacorte, Jr. and Templeton Florida Groves. NE¼ of NW¼ of NE¼, Sec. 9 Twp 38, R30. $2500.

George A. Stump, Jr. and wife to William P. Kellegg. Lot 19, Midway, Sec. 6, Twp 34, R29. $900.

Avon Park Chamber of Commerce to Patricia A. Peck. Lots 840 to 842, Unit 3, Avon Park Lakes. $900.

Avon Park Chamber of Commerce Inc. to Louis R. Medvey and wife. Lots 7213 and 7214, Unit 23, Avon Park Lakes. $600.

Avon Park Chamber of Commerce Inc. to Robert W. Murdick and wife. Lots 5864 to 5866, Inc., Unit 18, Avon Park Lakes. $900.

Harold E. Anderson and wife to Dewitt Rose and wife. ½ Lot 9, Blk 58, Orig. Town of Sebring. $4,000.

Highlands Park, Inc. to Catherine M. Bower. Lot 5, Blk 4, Sec. B, Highlands Park Estates. $300.

Annie Lou Sims to Cornell Moore and wife. Lot 21, Blk 31, Third Add. to Highlands Park. $200.

Elta W. & Edna M. Lamson to O. C. Amison and wife. Part of lot 6, Blk 21, Sec. 21, Twp 33, R28. $1300.

Caroline A. & Emil Vollweiler to J. M. Bunch and wife. Portion of lot 8, Blk 66, Palmhurst Sub. $1,000.

Highlands Park Inc. to Finn O. Trogstad. Lot 3 and 4, Blk 13, Sec. C, Highlands Park Estates. $1,000.

Highlands Park Inc. to Finn O. Trogstad. Lots 22 and 23, Blk 22, Sec. B, Highlands Park Estates. $600.

Highlands Hill Inc. to Charles D. Sachrison and wife. Lot 15, Blk 9, Sec. G, Highlands Park Estates $600.

Highland Hills Inc. to Gerald J. Johnson and wife. Lot 11, Blk 5, Sec. G, Highlands Park Estates $600.

Highlands Hills, Inc. to R. D. Lancaster and wife. Lots 1 and 2, Blk 5, Sec. G. Highlands Park Estates. $1400.

Ray Middleton and wife to Laurens A. and Louise Heard. Lands in Sec. 23, Twp 37, R 29 $5,000.

Highlands Gardens Inc. to Walter R. Taylor and wife. Lot 14, Blk 5, Sec. F, Highlands Park Estates. $1100.

Lake Blue Estates, Inc. to Vernon J. Franke. Lot 20, Blk 6, Lake Blue Estates. $17,450.

Sebring Shores Development, Inc. to Lewis S. Sims and wife. Lot 6, Blk 289, Lake Sebring. $3600.

Lucille Hartsfield to Wayne W. Goggans. Lots 7 and 8, Blk 21, Second Resub Hoffman Grove. $1800.

E. H. Green and wife to Frank J. DeMuth and wife. Lots 18 and 19, Blk 10, Sylvan Shores Estates. $2400.

Junius Alphons Cooks and wife to Marshall S. P. Pollard. Lot 16,Blk 27, Third Addition to Highway Park. $300.

James M. Coarsey Jr. and wife to Heino Saarlaid. Lots 5 and 6, Pine Ridge Park. $1300.

D. G. & Thelma L. Bennett and S. Y. & Jurelle C. Moseley to Hampton R. Grant and Clair L. Allsion. W 45 ft of S 110 ft Lot 2, Blk 16, Sec. 21, Twp 33, R 28. $1300.

Spring Garden Road Development, Inc. to William E. Sayer. Lots 10, 11, 12, 24, 25 and 26, Blk 294, Lake Sebring $900.

Spring Garden Road Development Inc. to William E. Sayer and E. W. Sherwood. Lots 1, 5, 13 and 14, Blk 294, Lake Sebring. $1200.

Mar-Glow Groves, Inc. to Roy D. Taylor and wife. Lot 4, Blk 25, Sec. 21, Twp 33, R 28. $1,000.

Hesta G. Calhoun and Theor Sebring McDonald to Grover C. Baker and wife. Lot 5, Blk 2, Lake Josephine. $3500.

Lake Sebring Estates Inc. to Milbern, Inc. Lot 51, Lake Sebring Estates. $900.

Mamie J. Berriman to Donald Pillinger and wife. Part of lot 3, Blk 102, Org. Town of Sebring. $2,000.

George G. Dundas and wife to Leonard E. Bollen and wife. N 25 ft of lot 16 and S17½ ft. lot 17, Blk 154, Sebring Highlands. $300.

George G. Dundas and wife to Edward Dollinger and wife. N 12½ ft lot 18, Blk 154, Sebring Highlands $150.

Highlands Downs Inc. to Elsie Zunker. Lot 19, Blk 5, Sec. R, Highlands Park Estates. $500.

Annie Lou Sims to Eneas Darling. Lot 6, Blk 10, Second Addition Highway Park. $200.

Clarence E. Cole to R. B. Franklin and wife. Lot 4 and 5, Blk 18, Hoffmans Grove. $400.

Joe Bowers, Ind. and as Guard. of Beulah Rees Bowers, to Ellis and Wynell E. Taylor, Lot 8, Blk 3, Lake Sirena Addition. $700.

Highlands Park Inc. to Jacob H. Jurgovan and wife. Lot 5, Blk 18, Sec. C. Highlands Park Estates. $300.

Avon Park Chamber of Commerce to Margaret R. Maxwell. Lots 6355 to 6359 Inc., Unit 20, Avon Park Lakes. $1500.

Avon Park Chamber of Commerce Inc. to Imogene S. Gatewood. Lots 8587 to 8589 Inc., Unit 26, Avon Park Lakes $900.

Avon Park Chamber of Commerce to Alton S. Levensaler and wife. Lots 4660 to 4663 inc., Unit 15, Avon Park Lakes $1200.

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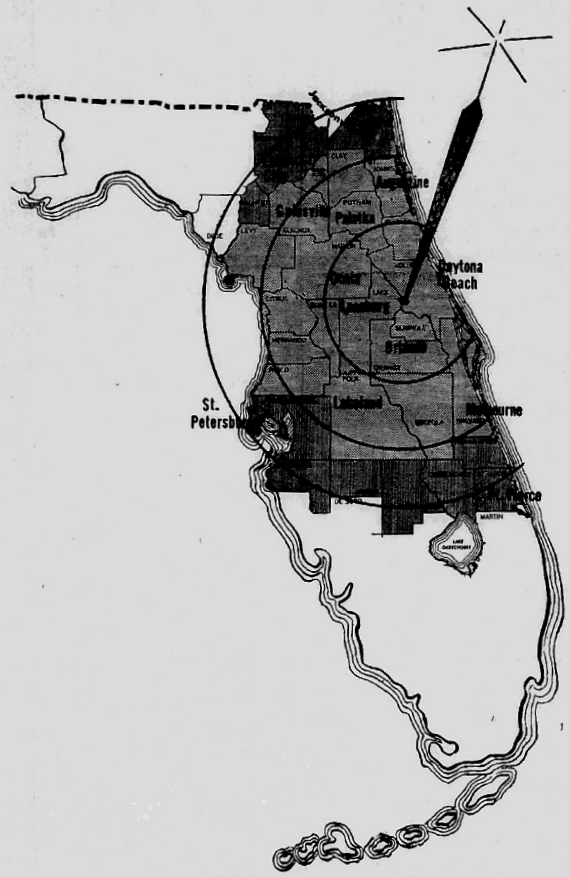

A new channel was added to the TV sets of some 150,000 Central Florida homes last week. The long-awaited high power and tall tower of WESH-TV, Channel 2, Daytona Beach went into operation. And with the new power, a new network service.

The station, owned by the John H. Perry newspaper interests, has been on the air since June, 1956 operating at low power of 5,000 watts and using a 350 foot tower at Daytona Beach to transmit its non-network programs.

The new transmitting plant, located at Orange City, 5½ miles south of DeLand and approximately half way between Daytona Beach and Orlando will operate at 100,000 watts, the maximum permitted for Channel 2 stations. The new tower stands 1,036 feet above sea level or 995 feet above ground.

NBC will be the basic network service on WESH-TV, although the station will carry some programs from the ABC network. Included in the starting lineup are such TV favorites as Collegiate football on Saturday afternoons, the Friday night fights, Perry Como, Loretta Young, Groucho, Pat Boone, Steve Allen, Tennessee Ernie Ford, Lawrence Welk, Gisselle MacKenzie, the popular NBC "Tonight" show and the famous NBC "Spectaculars" which have won such high acclaim. Many of the NBC shows will be carried by WESH-TV in full color.

Engineers estimate that the new station's primary Grade A and B coverage area will extend from Lakeland to St. Augustine and its Grade C will reach from near the Georgia line to Fort Pierce, thus covering more than half of the state.

While the station will currently operate from 12:00 Noon until 1:00 AM Mondays through Fridays, Noon until midnight Saturdays and 1:00 PM until midnight Sundays, morning TV service will probably be added within the next few months, according to T. S. Gilchrist, Jr., Vice President and General Manager of the station.

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Weather Report
BY J. WILEY COTHRAN
Weather Observer

	Max.	Min.	Rain
November 13	81	61	—
November 14	81	62	—
November 15	79	61	0.07
November 16	90	72	—
November 17	87	66	—
November 18	88	66	—
November 19	88	68	—

Editorial Line-Up For Nov. 28, 1957 Issue Of All Florida Magazine

The feature story in the coming issue of ALL FLORIDA MAGAZINE, "young Men at Work" by Jack Benham tells of the many projects undertaken by Junior Chambers of Commerce all over the state. The record of these future leaders is certainly one of young men in action. A great deal of the Florida's progress can be partially attributed either directly or indirectly to the activities of the Jaycees.

Dr. W. H. Sears article, "We Salvaged a Bit of Florida's History of the excavation of an Indian mound on Bird Island, in lower Lake Weir. The MacKenzie Brothers, realtors of Ocala, discovered the mound, which has since been named after them, and contacted the University of Florida to suggest that trained personnel excavate it.

The coming issue's color food pages feature "Up-to-date Turkey Trimming." With the hints on side dishes there's no chance of getting that heavy "already full" feeling before the main dish even gets carved.

Read Mary Helm Clarke's thumbnail sketch of "The Waiter with Green Thumb" on page 2. Ernest Ballmond of Miami raises herbs as a hobby. But, it's a profitable hobby, as Ballmoos sells his fresh herbs to gourmets and dining rooms. Many of his plants come from his native Switzerland and other faraway countries.

For those of you who like a sentimental ending to a story, Stewart Robertson's "Ending Deferred" will fill the bill.

Lydia Lane interviews Ann Blyth in her Hollywood Beauty column entitled a "Relaxing Visit With Ann Blyth". The Hollywood star recommends a period of relaxation during the day for calming the nerves.

Regularly featured each week in ALL FLORIDA MAGAZINE. Weekend Carpenter, When You Retire and Travel-Wise.

Christmas Party To Be Held Tues. Dec. 3rd

Santa will come early this year for members of the Avon Park Junior Woman's Club at their annual Christmas party on Tuesday, December 3.

Plans are being made for the gala affair by Mrs. Donald Ford is committee chairman with Mrs. B. C. Ostling, Mrs. Walter Mandis, Mrs. Bill Hood, Mrs. Virgil Hall, Mrs. John Crittenden, and Mrs. J. M. Anderson serving with her.

The Christmas party will be held on the regular meeting night at the home of Mrs. B. C. Ostling on Lake Lotela. Each member is asked to bring a gift of not more than fifty cents for exchange in the club. This is also the time for all club members to bring presents for the children at the Sunland Training School in Gainesville as this is an annual club project.

There will be an interesting and entertaining program and some good old-fashioned singing of the favorite Christmas songs. Mr. Mose Pollard, Treasurer, reminds all members that all dues for this club year will be due at this party and she will be there to take them.

Don't forget the Christmas party!

County Farm Bureau Members Attend Meet

Highlands and fifty-eight other counties were represented at the 16th Annual State convention of the Florida Farm Bureau Federation held in Jacksonville last week.

Among those from this area who attended the three-day meeting included; T. Hayes Maxwell and Charles R. Collins of Avon Park; Cole Danley, Jr. and Pearl B. Danley, both of Lake Placid and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Payne of Sebring.

Bombing Range To Be Closed Sat. Morning

The Avon Park Bombing Range will be closed to hunters until Saturday noon, November 23, due to Air Force Bombing activities on the base Saturday morning.

Red Devils Meet Kissimmee In Homecoming Game

The Avon Park Red Devils will play host to the Kissimmee Kowboys in the final home game of the season Friday night at Memorial Field. This game has also been designed as homecoming for Avon Park Alumni.

The visiting Kowboys gave the Devils their biggest scare in conference play last year but appear to be somewhat weaker this season. They have yet to win a game this season loosing to Winter Garden and Haines City in non-conference play and to Mulberry, Kathleen and Sebring in Ridge games.

The Red Devils will be favored in this game as they are expected to be at top strenth for the first time in three weeks. Billy Rouse's ankle should be mended and allow him to continue his quest for top honors in the scoring department. He is currently nine points off the pace. In the backfield with Rouse will be Jimmy Cooper at Quarterback, Winky Williams at Right halfback and Johnny Starling at fullback.

The Devil forward wall consist of Ben Earnest and Leroy Parless at ends, Parrish and Martin at Tackle, Elder and Bigbie at Guard and Leroy Starling at the pivot post.

The homecoming activities are to be numerous and colorful. A Pep Rally has been planned following the chapel program.

A parade will start at the school at 3:00 and will have floats from the various classes. The Lake Placid High School Band, Police, Mayor and City Officials, Homecoming Queen candidates, Football team and Cheerleaders. The parade will end at the playground behind the lunchroom. Also in the parade will be elementary pupils in the 4th, 5th and 6th grades. the parade will be elementary pupils in the 4th, 5th and 6th grades as well as the honored alumni.

At the football game there will be a pre-game ceremony centered around the sponsors that have been elected by the football team.

The halftime show with the student council in charge will include the crowning of the Homecoming Queen as well as a performance by the Red Devil Band.

Following the football game there will be a dance at Teen Town.

All alumni are cordially invited and urged to meet at the lunchroom at noon Friday, and attend the chapel program, pep rally and parade.

We have a winning football team and a bunch of boys that play hard. They deserve the support of the Avon Park fans and since this is the final home game of the season there is no reason that the stands shouldn't overflow with team backers. TEAR 'EM UP DEVILS!!!

Parent-Teachers Meets Tonight

The monthly meeting of the arent Teachers Association will be held tonight, November 21, at 7:30 p.m. in the high school cafeteria, and all parents are urged to attend.

Mrs. John Crittenden and Mrs. Andrew Miracle will be in charge of the program and will present an interesting discussion on the "Grouping of Students".

Hostesses for the evening will be the Home Room Mothers of the 11th grade with Mrs. John C. Wright serving as chairman.

Organizational Meeting To Be Held Tuesday

An organizational meeting of the Christian Church in Avon Park will be held at 7:30 on Tuesday evening, Nov. 26, 1957, at the former Pilgrim Holiness Church on Highway 27 North.

This meeting is for all members of the Christian Church and interested persons.

John Scott, who will be the minister of this church, and M. Ralph Fisher, minister of the Christian Church in Lake Wales will be present to form this New Testament Church.

Schools To Close For Thanksgiving Holidays Thursday And Friday

Schools will be closed for Thanksgiving Holidays on Thursday and Friday, November 28 and 29. Classes will be dismissed at the regular time Wednesday and will re-open at the regular hour Monday morning, December 2.

Photographers from the Delmar Studio were at the Junior and Senior High School on Tuesday to take individual pictures of those who were absent when the first group of pictures were taken. Pictures of class officers and groups were also taken Tuesday to be used in the school's yearbook, the "Pitchfork."

The County Health Doctor and Nurse were at the school Tuesday afternoon, and girls desiring to play on the girls basketball team received medical examinations. A complete examination is required [illegible] girls can be.

Weekly Leaders In Touchton's Big Contest

Touchton's Drug Company annouces the weekly leaders in their Boy and Girl Contest now being conducted in the local store. The ten top girls and ten top boys as of Wednesday noon are listed below, for the leading top forty girls and boys check the window at Touchton's Drug Company.

The ten girls leading the list are: Gale Meyer, Rita Bich, Mary Ann Durden, Sharon Halcombe, Gail Bennett, Ann Gay, Sharon Lee, Trudie Mitchell, Claire Maxwell and Joyce Ashley.

The ten boys leading in the contest are, G. L. Townsend, Jim Ridley, Bobby Rush, Roy Coats, Bill Wild, James McCullough, Johnny Lee, Stephen Parlock, Kent Filippula and Roscoe Bass Jr.

The contest, which started November 11, runs until December 21, so request your votes for the child of your choice and help them to win of the lovely prizes that Touchton's is giving away.

Christmas Basket Committee Meets

A meeting of the Children's Christmas Basket Committee met Wednesday afternoon November 13th at the office of the Chamber of Commerce. The next meeting will be at the same hour and place on December 3rd.

Mr. Herbert Graetz was elected again to the chairmanship of this committee, Mrs. Charles Shepherd as Co-Chairman, and Miss Mattie Tompkins as Secretary-Treasurer.

The committee earnestly requests that the civic and other organizations of the city as well as individuals assist the committee financially in their usual generous manner. The drain on the funds of the committee was more than usual last year, so there are no funds on hand to finance the purchase of groceries this Christmas.

The following letter received by the Committee last year will give an indication as to how much these baskets mean to those who are less fortunate than we are:

"Avon Park Christmas Basket Committee,

"To each an everyone who helped fill our Christmas Basket this year I am deeply grateful and wish I could thank each one personally. We all enjoyed the presents and thankful that someone remembered us at that time. I sincerely wish all a healthy and happy year in 1957."

Sun To Close For Thanksgiving

The Avon Park Sun will be published next Wednesday instead of Thursday due to Thanksgiving.

Your cooperation in reporting all news items to either Mrs. Betty Anderson or Mrs. Mary Durden as soon as possible will be greatly appreciated.

Differential Aptitude Tests will be given to all tenth grade students next Monday and Tuesday under the direction of Mrs. Patti Hill. The results of these tests are used in the counseling of the students in regards to furthering their education.

Three Car Collision On Highway 27

A three car collision Sunday afternoon on Highway 27 resulted in considerable damage to the vehicles but all passengers escaped without injury.

Frank Anlauf of Illinois was traveling south on Highway 27 when he claims he was blinded by the sun and crossed the center line of the highway. The left front of his Pontiac was damaged approximately $300 worth when he collided first with the car being driven by Ules Jackson of Avon Park and then with W. A. Scheline of Pittsburg, Pa.

Jackson and Scheline were both traveling north and had pulled nearly off the highway when Anlauf collided with them. Damages to the left rear fender of Jackson's Chevrolet was estimated at $15 but the complete left hand side of Scheline's Chevrolet was caved in and the vehicle had to be hauled away by Murphy's wrecker. Damage was estimated at $400.00.

The drivers each reported that they were traveling at approximately 45 miles per hour at the time of the accident and Anlauf traveled nearly a hundred yards from the scene of the accident before stopping.

Assistant Chief E. O. Blanford was the investigating officer.

Mayor DeLaney Meets With Commissioners

Mayor E. A. DeLaney and Sebring City officials appeared before the Board of County Commissioners Tuesday morning in connection with the paving of certain streets within the city limits of Avon Park, Sebring and Lake Placid. The Board is writing Albert L. Rogero and respectfully requesting that he meet with them in Sebring as soon as it is convenient. The Board will notify all interested parties as soon as Mr. Rogero sends word that he can come for this meeting.

A delegation from DeSoto City area with Mrs. Barrow as spokesman appeared before the Board and presented a petition in regards to the rebuilding of old S R 17 between Kenilworth Hotel and S R 70 at DeSoto City. A motion was approved by the Board to file a petition for reconstruction of S 17-A for consideration in 1958.

The Commissioners approved the bond for Mrs. Helen Peck, Highlands County's new Tax Collector.

The Board accepted a petition for the closing of a portion of the street west of Lake Sebring and to advertise notice of the hearing.

The Commissioners also approved Pinecrest Cemetery Sub. and Sylvan Shores Estates Sub subject to the approval of the County Clerk and Attorney.

A petition was accepted by the Board for the closing of a portion of Dinner Lake Drive and they authorized advertising for hearing on December 3.

CDA To Meet Tuesday Night

Directors of the Community Development Association will meet Tuesday night, November 26, at 8 o'clock in the Florida Power Room.

All directors are urged to attend this very important meeting.

DeShong Resigns As Highlands Tax Collector

J. Colin DeShong, Highlands County Tax Collector for the past 9 years, has resigned, effective date to be Monday, November 25. Governor Collins notified Mrs. Helen Peck, deputy collector, last week that he was appointing her to succeed DeShong for his unexpired term.

DeShong had submitted his resignation to the Governor so that he could be free to devote his entire time to his Real Estate business. He has recently moved his real estate office from West Main to Highway 27 North.

Mrs. Peck, a former deputy circuit court clerk, has been deputy collector since 1948. She has lived in Sebring since 1938, is widowed and has a daughter, Miss Betty Brown Peck, a student at the University of Florida.

Mrs. Peck will be the second woman to serve as tax collector in Highlands County, the first was the late Mrs. Ruth Bass Hilton of Avon Park.

C. M. Hovey Buys Carvers Gift Shop From Biggs

Hubbard Biggs announced Tuesday afternoon the sale of Carvers Gift Shop to Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hovey of Avon Park.

The gift shop, located in the same building with Mr. Biggs' Real Estate and Insurance office, will continue to operate under the name of Carver's Gift Shop, and Mr. Biggs has leased the new owners the same part of the building which has been used for the gift shop all along.

Mr. and Mrs. Hovey assumed ownership Monday morning. They are formerly from New Mexico but purchased a home here, 601 West Main, several years ago.

New Sporting Goods Store Opens Friday

Of interest to sportsmen and others who wish to buy sporting good supplies is the announcement today that Leons Sporting Goods store will open for business tomorrow, Friday November 22nd. Located at 3 South Lake Avenue, this store is owned and operated by Leon Delaney, a well known man of Avon Park, who invites everyone to visit his store where everything for the sportsmen will be handled. The Nationally known McGregor lines of sports supplies will be handled with complete stocks of fishermans supplies, hunters supplies and equipment for all kind of sporting events, such as football, baseball, tennis, badminton, basketball, etc.

A complete line of fishermans supplies including live and artificial bait will be carried in stock, and licenses for hunters, fishermen will be handled. This store has been completely remodeled and the fixtures show all merchandise to the best advantage. Pay Leons store a visit and see the complete lines of sporting goods on display. A welcome awaits one and all.

Pep Rally To Be Staged Tuesday

The second pep rally of the season and probably the most important will be staged Tuesday evening at 7:00 p.m. by the Red Devil Cheerleaders.

The center of the Mall on Lake Avenue and Main will be the scene of this giant Pep Meeting. The theme will be "Beat Sebring", and the Band, majorettes, the football team and the Pep Squad will be cheering their hearts out for the up-coming grid battle of the year. Join these pepsters for a few minutes and let them know that you are behind them and the team one hundred per cent.

Hazel O'Connor, head cheerleader is in charge of the rally, assisted by Jewellene Newsome, Mary Lois Roberts, Charlotte Albritton, Guelda Gaster, Frankie Thorpe and Joy McLemore.

The football co-captains, Billy Rouse and Winky Williams will also be on hand to say a few

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Judge Dismisses Petition Against City Officials

Circuit Judge Joe D. Kinsey entered an order late Tuesday afternoon dismissing the petition of Mrs. Louise B. Armstrong, John Seaborn and O. E. Wolff in which they had petitioned the court to declare the City Election on September null and void and requested the court to order another election held.

In the hearing held in Circuit Court Monday afternoon, State Representative Howard Livingston, who assisted Hue Nunnalee, City Attorney for Avon Park, moved for dismissal contending the plaintiffs had not alleged or shown fraud in connection with the city election. Livingston also argued that the allegations presented by the plaintiffs that all candidates were disqualified was not proven, and that now they were barred by law for failing to register protests before the election was held.

A state law permitting the experimental use of voting machines by municipalities was cited by attorneys for the defendants in countering the plaintiffs contention that voting machines were used instead of written ballots as required by the City Charter.

In his order for dismissal Judge Kinsey noted the petitioners did not file their complaint until 55 days after the election and 34 days after the elected Mayor and five councilmen took office.

The order read that no reason for the delay in seeking relief from the purported wrongs was given. The order also quoted from section 99.192, Florida Statues, which provides that election contests shall be filed within 10 days after the votes have been canvassed.

Judge Kinsey wrote that "Such statue may be used as a yardstick by this court in determining whether the petitioners are barred by laches or the lack of diligence."

The court is aware of the contention of the petitioners that this proceeding comes under the extra-ordinary equity jurisdiction of this court, but they seem to disregard the equable principle, or maxim, that equity aids the vigilant. Courts of equity view with disfavor suits brought long after the transations involved have occured."

Judge Kinsey also wrote, "Elections are conducted by our citizens and the courts should leave unhampered our avenues of popular expression and do nothing to prevent the free expression of the popula; will."

"It is the duty of the courts to grant relief against fraud, or conspiracy to violate the election laws, or other unlawful interference with elections, but such relief must be sought in good faith and in accordance with established rules of procedure and law. Under any circumstances application must be reasonably made, otherwise long after an election chaos and wholesale confusion in government would be the result."

Costs were assessed against the petitioners by the court.

Youth Association Membership Drive Starts; Help Is Needed

The Membership Drive of the Avon Park Youth Association began today with the Membership committee mailing a copy of the following letter to the citizens of the community. The drive is being made by mail this year to save your valuable time.

The Association has had a very successful year in their sponsorship of the "Teen-Club". The Club is open to the teenagers nearly every weekend under the direction of Mr. Andrew Miracle. Games and evenings of good wholesome fun are planned for better than 120 teenagers nearly every week.

The "Teen-Club" is very important to our community for the youths of our community today are the adults of tomorrow, and supervised entertainment for them is the desire of the Association.

So won't you please send in your contribution as soon as you receive your letter and if for some reason you do not receive a letter just mail your membership to Mrs. Robert R. King, Jr. P. O. Box 455, Avon Park, Fla.

P. O. Box 455
Avon Park, Fla.

Dear Friend:

Your Youth Association has had a most successful year in its sponsorship of the "Teen Club" at the Youth Center. In order to save your valuable time, we are having our Membership Drive by mail.

This year, we are asking only $2.00 for family contributions, and $5.00 for business contributions. We would appreciate your cooperation.

Yours very truly,
Membership Committee
Mrs. Robert R. King, Jr.
Chairman

Progress Being Made In Clean-Up Drive

The City has gone all out on the Community Pride Month clean-up drive, have you.

Many vacant lots in the city have been mowed by the city crew, and right of ways have been cleaned. Although there is still much to be done a vast improvement can be noticed if one will only take a short drive around the community.

For instance, what use to be just a jungle on Souh Lake Avenue, just across from the ball field, has been cleared and an attractive vacant lot now meets the visitors eye. Lots on West Pleasant, West Main and the highway have also been cleared.

The clean-up committee for the colored section has made great progress in the quarters. The rest of the town will have to go some to make as much of an improvement as they have made to date. In fact they are cleaning away rubbish and clearing lots faster than the City can haul the rubbish away. Much credit is due them and the Chamber expresses their appreciation to the committee and groups that are working so hard.

The Chamber has worked diligently with the City this month in an effect to make everyone Communly Pride conscious, and it is hoped that everyone will continue to do their utmost in this drive.

"Goof Balls" Found On Truck After Accident

William Floyd Martin, 45, an Orlando truck driver was arrested Wednesday afternoon by Assistant Chief E. O. Blanford when he investigated an accident in which Martin backed into a vehicle driven by George W. McNealy of Sebring.

Martin posted a $100 bond in Mayor's Court and was then turned over to the Sheriff's department. He has been charged with possession of barbiturates. A suitcase containing a large quantity of alleged "goff balls" and other nerve stimulants was found in the truck he was driving.

Communion At Congregational

The Annual Thanksgiving Communion Service of the Union Congregational Church will be held at 7 o'clock on Wednesday, Nov. 27, in the Church.

This communion service is an open one and everyone is cordially invited to attend. Mrs. Samuel O. Norris will be soloist at the service.

Business Women's Club To Support TB Drive

The Business Women's Club met Monday evening, November 18, in the Florida Power Customer's Lounge. The Club voted to support the TB Drive and the Christmas Basket fund with monetary donations.

The following committees were appointed to serve for the 1957-58 year;

Social committee; Mattie Tompkins, chairman; Betty Sullivan, Violet Hollingsworth, Maxine Martin, Kathleen Lee and Ethel Williamson.

Welfare Committee; Ethel McKelvaine, chairman; Margaret Stewart and Elizabeth Nellis.

Finance committee; Anita Renfro, chairman; Helen Harris and Ruby Johns.

Membership committee; Verna Heim, chairman, and Marcella Vickery.

Publicity; Elizabeth Mizelle, chairman, and Chloe M. Lookhoff.

The Business Women's Club discussed tentative plans for its annual Christmas party to be held at the Jacaranda Hotel on December 16.

Hostesses for the evening were Verna Heim, Patti Hill and Chloe M. Lookhoff. Twenty-one members were present at the meeting and guest of the evening was Mrs. Jean Ricketts.

Thanksgiving Service At First Baptist Church

The annual Union Thanksgiving service will be held at the First Baptist Church on Thursday, November 28, at 10 o'clock. This is a community service sponsored by the local Ministerial Association and the citizens and visitors of Avon Park are cordially invited to attend these services.

The Rev. Aden Childress of the First Baptist Church will conduct the service. The Prayer of Thanksgiving will be given by the Rev. Wilmer O. Suttrell of the First Methodist Church. The Rev. Harvey Stocker of the First Assembly of God Church will read the Scripture Lesson. The sermon will be delivered by the Rev. Herbert Graetz of the Union Congregational Church. The special music will be furnished by the Choir of the First Baptist Church and the entire service will be broadcast over Station WAVP.

All are cordially invited to worship together this Thanksgiving Day.

Christmas Seal Sale In Progress

Mrs. Robert J. Watson, local chairman for the Christmas Seal Sale, reported contributions totaling $205 up to noon on Monday. Sebring had collected $275 at this same time while Lake Placid reported $55, making a total of $565 for the county wide drive which started on Friday, November 15.

A box has been placed in the Avon Citrus Bank for the convenience of contributors to this worthy cause.

Avon Park's quota this year has been placed at $1700. Buy and use Christmas Seals for the sake of your community's good health.

Parent-Teacher Conference Day Very Successful

The Parent-Teacher Conference Day was considered very successful and worth while at Avon Park High School on Friday, November 15.

The first parent visitors began to arrive early in the morning and throughout the day a total of 80 parents held 411 conferences with the teachers of the Junior and Senior High School.

The school lunch room was open on Parent Teacher Conference Day for the first time and several parents visited the manager, Mrs. Wever, who served them coffee and cookies while they observed the service facilities used in feeding 500 hungry students and teachers daily.

One parent remarked that she had lived near the school for five years and had never visited the school plant before and was very pleased with the school environment she observed.

Former students and new parents commented that many worthwhile improvements had been brought about since they had attended the Avon Park High School.

The next Parent-Teacher Conference Day will be held on Friday, March 21, 1958.

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Pulse Of The Country

The great American cities are booming in population. But millions of people still prefer the smaller towns, the grass-roots feel and atmosphere, the way of life that goes with the countryside.

Recently an employment agency ran a three-line ad in the New York Times offering jobs on country weekly newspapers. From that single, tiny notice more than 60 replies were received. This caused the American Press to say that " . . . there may be many newspapermen who have gone to the cities to seek their fortunes and, after a few frustrating months or years, long to return to the country . . . . "

Those who work on the smaller papers are about as close to the pulse of the country as anyone can be.

An Industry In Transition

It is simply a truism to say that the soft coal industry is absolutely essential to the economic life of this country — and that it grows more essential as our demands for energy inexorably increase. It is equally true to say that coal has been going through a difficult period of transition. Historical markets have been lost or greatly diminished, and new markets have been explored and developed.

Coal still faces serious problems. And the most important of these problems is found in its profit picture.

For many years coal's profits have been extremely low. In some years they have been non-existent. Many companies have operated at an out-of-pocket loss for long periods of time. While the final statistics are not yet available, at least one top industry authority thinks that coal's profits for both last year and this will not total half as much as the money operators paid into the miners' welfare fund. And, whatever the case, it is a certainty that these profits are not nearly substantial enough to justify extremely costly mechanization and improvement programs that coal wants to undertake—and that should be undertaken in the national interest.

There is no pat answer to this question. But a solution must be found, and at the earliest possible time.

Combat Useless Government Spending Now

In the view of VicePresident Nixon, military preparedness "must always take priority over the understandable desire to reduce our taxes."

Practically everyone in the country will agree with that—especially in the light of Soviet rocket achievements.

However, this certainly does not mean that there is no longer any point in talking about government economy. It should, instead, mean that every possible frill and non-essential in government is now to be cropped down to the root. And an excellent place to start would be in government activities in the field of commercial business. Most of these run at big losses. If they were returned to private enterprise, where they belong, all the financing would come out of private capital and private savings—and, to frost the cake, government would get big new tax revenues that could prevent tax increases or be the basis of tax reductions.

Where There Are No Parking Problems

Adjacent to American automobile factories there are always big parking lots. And these lots are loaded with cars belonging to the workers.

But, as William Henry Chamberlin points out in a Wall Street Journal article, there are no parking problems around the auto factories of communist countries. The reason is found in the wage-price relationship. As an example, he cites the principal car produced in Communist Poland, the Warszawa. At its state-fixed price, it would take the average worker five years to earn enough to buy one, if he put aside every cent of his earnings for that purpose. And the fixed price is way below the going black market price.

This is what total government does to the masses of workers—the people it is supposed to serve and revere. It forces them down to a subsistence basis of living—and keeps them there.

A Lesson From West Germany

Konrad Adenauer's victory in the latest West Germany elections was a triumph for NATO and the Western world. It came when good news on the international level had been something of a rarity. The doughty old Chancellor, now in his 80's has, like Winston Churchill in an earlier era, stood between his country and disaster. He is an implacable foe of Communism—a fact that was dramatically demonstrated when he broke off diplomatic relations with Yugoslavia because the latter country had recognized East Germany. The principle opposing party in Germany, the Socialist, is not pro-Communist. But there can be no doubt that it would adopt a much more conciliatory policy toward Communism should it come to power—and history tells us that is the road to ultimate defeat and enslavement.

On top of this, there has been another unforgettable Adenauer achievement. At the end of the war Germany lay in ruins. Her once magnificent industrial complex had been razed. The soup kitchen, so to speak, had become a way of life for the German people.

Yet today, under the Adenauer leadership, Germany is booming. She has again become a great trading nation. She enjoys full employment and steadily rising living standards. Few of the wounds of war remain visible.

How was this accomplished? The answer is that it was accomplished under a philosophy of aggressive private enterprise. This philosophy has no more eloquent spokesman than the Chancellor and his top aides—and they act on their words. To put it another way, intelligent capitalism brought Germany back from ruin and despair in a handful of years. Under a total state, she lost the war. With economic and political freedom, she has won the peace.

Grass roots Opinion

Ozona, Texas, Stockman: ". . . in 1956, a year in which the labor leaders and politicians were talking loudly of our unprecedented employment and prosperity, manufacturing profits (after taxes) sank to the level of recession years. From 4.9 percent in 1948 these net profits fluttered steadily downward to 3.1 in 1956."

Texahoma, Oklahoma, Times: "It is generally agreed that the average driver reacts in three quarters of a second. At sixty miles per hour, a car will travel 66 feet in that time At forty miles per hour it will travel 44 feet, at 20 mph it will travel 22 feet."

Carlsbad, N. M., Current-Argus: "International finance in an intricate, and intriguing, thing. The World Bank has agreed to lend Thailand $66 million for a huge new hydro-electric project. Some are wondering where Thailand will get the money to repay the World Bank loan."

Anaheim, Cal., Bulletin: "Possibly the most terrifying news to come off the press wires in a decade is the advent of 'subliminal' commercials for television and movies. This diabolical idea involves the use of a visual advertising message flashed on the screen with such split-second swiftness that the eye and mind do not record it, but the subconscious does. Thus, Mother, while weeping over the forlorn fate of the soap opera heroine may all the time be building up an inner but inexorable urge to slink out and buy a flagon of 'Purple Passion' perfume."

Pointe-A-La-Hache, La., Plaquemines Gazette: "We are dealing in 48 cent dollars today. That means that for every dollar we paid for life insurance during the past few years, every dollar we paid on a mortgage and every dollar we put in the bank is really worth less today than half of what we paid out."

Soil Conservation News

By Sam Polston

Mr. Howard Nelson, Soil Conservation Service Engineer, met with the Highlands Soil Conservation District board of supervisors Wed. night. He discussed the progress on the final survey of the Fisheating Creek Small Watershed and the status of the final design on the Lake Placid East Chain of Lakes Watershed. They are hopeful that the plans will be ready to advertise for bids in December for the Lake Placid East Chain of Lakes and the Fisheating Creek Watershed in January. These are the first two projects in Florida to be planned by the Soil Conservation Service under the Small Watershed Act (P.L. 566, 83rd Congress).

Pasture work in the Highlands Soil Conservation District is centering around clover these days. Planting clover this week were Coward Ranch, Ellingson Ranch, Forest Pearce and Marvin Kahn, totaling about 400 acres. The Louisiana White Dutch is primarily used. Also R. W. Neel Ranch planted 100 acres pangola grass and Everett Boney planted 30 acres Pensacola Bahia grass, both on flatwoods soil with good moisture conditions.

The Soil Conservation Service assisted several District cooperators in water control work this week. Among them were Carl McIntyre of Sebring in the installation of ten check dams that will be used to regulate the water level in ditches for seepage irrigation on 65 acres of clover pasture. They will also serve to prevent erosion when being used for drainage. Clarence Wilson of Sebring was assisted in laying out two miles of dragline ditches now under construction.

A six-inch cobia, the smallest on record at Marine Studios, was recently brought in by collectors. It doesn't look like a cobia at all, but rather like the remora, or sucker fish. This is further proof of the close relationship always thought to exist between the two species.

The first power press used in this country was invented by Daniel Treadwell of Boston in 1822. Printing 500 copies per hour. Treadwell's press was widely used by newspapers in the United States from 1815 to 1840.

Water in the tropical oceanarium tank at Marineland, Fla., must be heated during the cooler winter months for the benefit of fish from normally warmer waters. The 450,000 gallons of sea water must never go below 68 degrees.

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—By Don Meikeljohn

Among the changes in the proposed Constitution is one that will make it easier to convict airplane murderers.

Whether you think it is a good change or not probably depends on your plans in the criminal field, but anyway, it's an intriguing little change.



Briefly, the problem seems to be that prosecuting attorneys have a hard time in some cases trying to prove that a crime took place in a certain county.

This is where the airplane business comes in.

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Everytime the proposed change is discussed, the example of an airplane murder is used. Obviously, it might be hard to prove the "situs of the crime", as the lawyers say.

During legislative debates, they must have killed more people on airplanes than Wyatt Earp bumps off in 30 minutes.

Just out of curiosity, I asked a couple of lawyers how many people had been murdered lately in Florida's airways. They said none that they knew of--but added some "provided howevers" pointing out how it might happen.

Of course the provision doesn't apply to just murders or airplanes, and undoubtedly will be mighty helpful in many other types of cases--Say, like fining the guy who kisses the stewardess against her will.

Under the new constitution, a prosecuting attorney will be able to list all the possible counties where the crime might have taken place, and the defendant (the guy that's on trial) will get to choose where he wants to be tried.

The need for the new provision was graphically pointed up the other day. A realiable source reported that the Russian "pupnik" gasped its last breath somewhere between Sopchoppy and Jacksonville. The trouble is nobody can prove what county it happened over. Naturally, the Russian that put the pooch in the satellite can't be prosecuted.

CAPSULE NEWS ITEMS:

"State school boss Tom Bailey reports there will be 900,000 kids in Florida's schools by the end of the year, and points out the need for keeping pace with school facilities."

This seems to indicate the need for some imaginative thinking in the school field. A 10-year-old friend down the street says he has the answer . . . a "pupil bank" program similar to the farmer's soil bank.

He says the way it will work is that the kids will be paid to stay away from school, just like the farmers get paid for taking land out of production.

"Comptroller Ray Green says the state expenses are climbing toward the billion dollar mark."

No wonder he has put in some of those electronic thinking machines. All the old adding machines don't have enough zeroes.

"Pensacola wants to make a university out of a navy training base."

There most likely be some fussing about whether it should be built ahead of the proposed state university at Boca Raton. Maybe the answer is to get an old battleship and convert it into a university. That way, it could be anchored off Boca Raton six months a year and off Pensacola the other six months.

It also would solve another problem. Gov. Collins has expressed an interest in having a state university on a water-front site. This would have water all around it. The problem seems to be in naming it. The logical name would be Florida Seagoing University--but that has the same initials as Tallahassee's FSU.

"Cabinet members are pondering whether it is worth $25,000 in advertising to send the Cocoa High band to the Rose Bowl."

Maybe they could save the money by shooting them out in one of those Cape Canaveral missiles . . . it also would get plenty of publicity.

Orlando is promoting a deal that may solve reapportionment. It has asked the state road department to give Orlando title to the land under a road that connects some property outside the city that it wants to annex. As it stands, the property isn't contiguous and can't be annexed.

The city, in turn would give the state the right to maintain a road. The land under the road, being owned by the city, would make the property outside contiguous, and it could be annexed.

By working the same sort of deal for the road between Two Egg and Miami, Two Egg could annex Miami and give North Florida a population boost.

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Harvey, the Capitoleat, who writes with his tail, left some fan letters on my desk about his first column. Samples:

"It's nice to read something intelligent in that column for a change. A. J."

"Dear Harvey. I wish you would run against my senator. You couldn't do any worse. W. L."

"Dog lovers are indignant about the cruel comments concerning "Curly" the Russian "pupnik." Too bad they didn't fire you into space. A. L."

Dear A. L. You may get your wish. Here's Harvey's latest report:

THE CAT'S MEOW
By Harvey

Some missile experts have invited me down to Cape Canaveral. They want to shoot me off into space in the U.S. satellite.

I think it's a plot to keep me out of the senate race, but, if they can get me down again, I may go.

They are going to fire the satellite up in a Jupiter-C. The "C" stands for cat, I'm told.

Anyway, the trip might be people's thoughts back into perspective. All anyone talks about these days are dogs. Maybe us cats can get a few headlines if I take the trip.

Don Meiklejohn

Porpoises at Marineland are supplied back scratchers. Large brushes are attached to the floor of their oceanarium home so that they will not rub against the sharp rocks and damage their sensitive skins.

Walker Memorial Hospital News

Lawrence W. Payne, credit manager and insurance clerk of Walker Memorial Sanitarium and Hospital, will represent the institution at the Annual Meeting of Active Members of Blue Cross of Florida, Inc. convening November 20 in the Fort Harriston Hotel, Clearwater, Florida. He will also attend the Florida Hospital Association meeting in the same city on Thursday, November 21.

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Hospital administrators and accountants from the Seventh-day Adventist medical institutions located in the southern states will meet at the Florida Sanitarium and Hospital in Orlando Monday and Tuesday, November 25 and 26. H. M. Baldwin and Forrest Boyd will attend from Walker Memorial. Also in attendance will be the presidents of the local Adventist conferences representing the states of Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Georgia, North and South Carolina and Florida.

Wednesday, November 27 the board of trustees of Walker Memorial will meet in Orlando. At this meeting a successor to H. M. Baldwin, manager of the hospital, will be discussed and possibly a choice made.

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Construction on the facilities for colored patients is moving along. Installation of the elevator has been made and it is hoped no serious delays in completing the construction will prevent open house to inspect the new facilities about January 1st.

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A complete revision of the electrical wiring of the hospital has been made. The new lines will insure adequate voltage to all departments without overloading the lines. It also makes possible removal of the transformers located on the highway to the east of the building.

Incorporated in this project has been the new street lighting south of the building. Thus adequate light is assured for this part of the grounds when it becomes the main parking area in the future.

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CRACKER POLITICS

BY ALLEN MORRIS

Tallahassee.—There are definite signs that old Navyman LeRoy Collins is running a tauter ship of state these days.

After nearly three years in which the agencies under the chief executive pretty much ran themselves, the Governor finally has the time to enforce the standard of performance he always wanted.

That he was not entirely satisfied was indicated in a little-noticed "to whom it may concern" Statement Collins put out last December as the two-year McCarty-caretaker administration neared its end.

In carrying over the Little Cabinet into the new, four-year term he had earned at the polls, Collins said then he was driving for better performance and would be unhappy if he failed to obtain this.

There are a number of reasons why closer administrative supervision is now possible.

From the hour he first took the oath of office in January, 1955, until the lawmakers went home last October 8, the Collins administration was continuously engaged with the problems of policy and preservation - of getting its program to the Legislature and of obtaining public approval at the intervening primary and general elections.

In other words, the Governor was engrossed with matters he regarded as being of greater long-run importance which also demanded immediate attention. Now, he has the first real opportunity to tighten up the rigging of his ship of state.

These circumstances figure in the making possible of that tightening up:

1. Unless some emergency arises, the Legislature will not be back in session until April, 1959.

2. Next year's regular primaries have been deferred from May until September.

3. At present, no office is at stake in those postponed elections in which the Collins administration is particularly concerned.

4. In more than a semantic sense, the old Governor's office has been replaced by an Office of the Governor. It is an administrative agency performing tasks independent of any department. At the same time, executive assistants have been assigned liaison responsibilities providing a two-way channel between the Governor and agencies under his supervision.

5. The Governor has agreed to regularly-scheduled press conferences. These permit the general airing of problems which come to the attention of individual newsmen.

6. It may be surmised that the aides of Governor Collins have become increasingly determined that no departmental short coming shall blemish the Governor's chances of obtaining national recognition. It is certain that political friendships are being shelved when these seem to constitute a threat to that record of performance.

7. There is no one remaining on the Governor's immediate staff who had any connection with the statewide patronage side of his two campaigns for the office.

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There's a new happy sound in town, the gift of Secretary of State R. A. Gray in memory of his wife, Grace, who died two years ago.

The Secretary of State gave a 32-note carillon to Tallahassee's First Baptist Church, itself in a stately new home. The Gray bells may be played either manually or mechanically. Through the years ahead, they should be a continuing source of inspiration to the community which Mrs. Gray had enriched by words and deeds during her lifetime.

Mrs. Gray was the daughter of the Rev. S. G. Mullins, who served as pastor of the First Baptist Church in Bartow, St. Petersburg and Leesburg. "Captain Bob", her husband for 52 years, was the son of the Rev. W. J. Gray, a Methodist minister in the Tallahassee area for 40 years.

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Orphaned at the age of one, Dade Sheriff Thomas J. Kelly's achievements in the field of help to youngsters are receiving further statewide recognition on his 58th birthday, November 25.

On that evening, during a testimonial dinner at Miami Beach, Sheriff Kelly will be presented the first annual Florida Sheriffs Boys Ranch Award "for meritorious service to the youth" of the state.

The presentation will be Hillsborough Sheriff Ed Blackburn, Jr., newly-appointed executive director of the Boys Ranch to be established on the Suwannee River near Live Oak as a permanent home for worthy and needy boys.

Sheriff Blackburn said the Miami sheriff was being honored not only for his leading role in the founding of Boys Ranch but for numerous other youth activities. These include organization of Junior Deputies as a vehicle for promoting respect for law enforcement, establishment of a summer camp for Dade youngsters, direction of the Miami Boys Drum and Bugle Corps, and as a board member of the National Children's Cardiac Home.

Sheriff Kelly is well known throughout Florida for other reasons. He retired in 1953, as a brigadier general, after 29 years in the National Guard. He served in both world wars and was gassed in the first.

Which Is The Secretary?



Is it brunette Janet Scott, of New York City, blonde Martha Tiller, of Orlando, Florida? Or, is it the one in the middle, "Ella," of Waukesha, Wisconsin? Believe it or not, all three are secretaries, with "Ella, the Electronic Secretary," taking her place with our two beauties. Developed by the General Telephone System, the country's largest independent telephone company, "Ella," when connected to your home or office telephone, takes all calls, asks the callers to leave their names and messages, and repeats them to her "Boss" when he returns to the office, or gives them to him over the telephone, if he desires — all automatically. "Ella is a wonderful secretary," according to Donald C. Power, president of General Telephone. "She'll never replace our two beauties, but is a vital accessory to any office or business."

Jr. Woman's Club New Members Feted At Supper

The Officers and the Standing Committee Chairman of the Avon Park junior Woman's Club entertained the new members of the club with a supper and orientation program on Wednesday evening, Nov. 13, in the Women's Club Building.

The buffet supper was served from a beautiful table graced by a lovely arrangement of delicate camellias and sparkling silver. The members and their guests enjoyed the tasty chicken, cranberry salad, scalloped beans, at individual tables of two new members and two old members. Delicious pumpkin pies and coffee finished the meal.

After supper Mrs. Andrew Miracle, first vice president, presided over the short orientation meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. Mannin Kirkland. Mrs. Miracle introduced Miss Pat Lagoni who gave a brief history of the Junior Club in Avon Park. Together Mrs. Miracle and Miss Lagoni discussed the projects and budget of the Avon Park Club with each officer and committee chairman making a short statement about the duties of their respective office. The federation of clubs was discussed and their help to the local clubs stressed.

The new members enjoyed the supper and the program and felt that they had become better acquainted with the purpose of the club. The wish was expressed by old and new members that the supper become an annual event for new members.

It was suggested that the new members of the Club take the annual fashion show in the spring as their project to work upon under the supervision of an older member and with the help of all the club. This was received enthusiastically by the new members.

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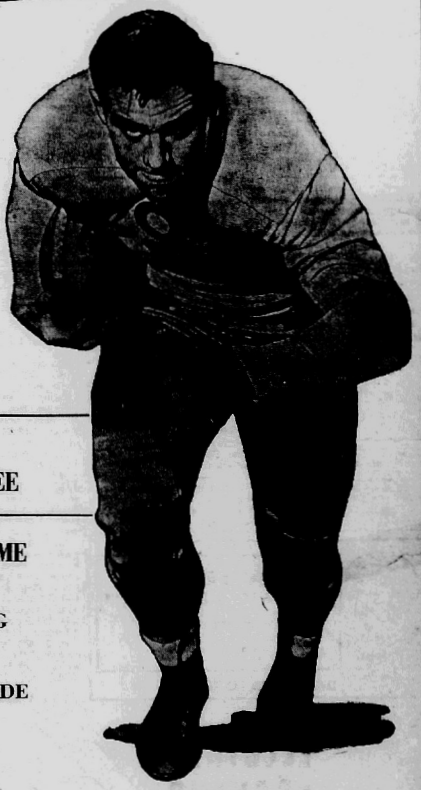

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Dr. and Mrs. Stuart Ward and Mrs. G. H. Hodges were chaperones at the Recreation Center last Saturday night. There were refreshments, games and dancing. Several visitors from Lake Placid and Frostproof were welcome guests.

Friday, November 22nd, the Teen Club is sponsoring the Homecoming Dance at the recreation center immediately following the game with Kissimmee. Admission will be 25c—there will be hamburgers and cold drinks.

Mr. Andy Miracle announces that the recreation center will be closed Saturday night November 23. Why? It's Sadi Hawkins Day! So the bachelors decided they might have more chance of escaping in the school cafetorium (since its larger) and as this week there'll be a 'catch us if you can' session in the Avon Park High lunch room.

All the VIP's will be there—Li'l Abner, Daisy Mae, Mammy and Pappy Yokum, Moonbeam McSwine, Fruitful and Frightful, the two lovely (??) young sisters—and oh yes—boys its' only fair to tell you that Marryin' Sam will probably be there. Think I'll go as Old Man Moose—cause I got a powerful strong feelin' I could make some pretty good pre-dickshuns about who's gonna ketch whom. Or is it hoo? Anyhoo, don't fail to be at the school cafetorium Saturday night 8:00 p.m. sharp, and Boys, you'd better be sharp, 'cause here's a tip to the weaker sex . . . "No holds barred."

Concert To Open Second Orchestral Season

The Community Orchestra of Eastern Kentucky opens its second season with a pair of concerts at Richmond Brock Auditorium on November 21st at 7:30 p. m., and at Berea Gray Auditorium on Sunday, November 24th at 3:00 p. m.

The Orchestra, with Joseph Firszt of Berea and Robert Oppelt of Richmond as co-conductors, has almost doubled its size since it was started last year. For many years Eastern Kentucky has needed a source of live orchestral music. A dearth of competent string players has created this situation. It is impossible to have an orchestra without large numbers of strings—violin, 'cello, bass—just as it is impossible to have a bread without brass. Gradually, more strings have come into this area and channeling their energies and efforts was made possible last year and to a much greater extent this year.

The rehearsals are held alternately in Richmond and Berea—Berea College sponsored the orchestra the first year, and now Eastern College has joined in the expense of running such an organization. Berea and Richmond have worked together for twenty-six years in presenting the "Messiah," so the next logical step was to have the instrumental divisions come together for greater possibilities and rewards.

Musicians from the world over who live now in our part of Kentucky have come together in this group. We have players from the U.S., China, England, and Turkey.

The orchestra enjoyed a successful first season and gave a variety of concerts, from Bach to Leroy Anderson. Their performances utilized full orchestra, chamber ensemble, string quartet, a special children's orchestra, a dance group, and soloists.

The program for the first concert is. Overture for the Suite "Dardanus" by J. P. Rameau; Symphony No. 15 also No. 85) in Bb Major (A Reine) by Joseph Haydn; Valse Triste by Jan Sibelius; Andalucian Suite by Ernesto Lecuona. Also included will be a premier performance of "Seven Joys of Mary" from the Appalacian String Serenade by John Jacob Niles; and Acadian Songs from "The Louisiana Story" by Virgil Thomson.

If anyone is interested in having the orchestra perform in your community please contact Joy Dedman, 806, Berea College, Berea, Kentucky.

Robert Tomlinson, from Avon Park, plays tuba in the orchestra.

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First Methodist Church News

Circle 1

Circle 1 of the First Methodist Church met Tuesday, Nov. 12, for a delicious luncheon in Wesley Hall preceding their monthly business meeting. The lovely luncheon was prepared by Mrs. W. D. Perkins, Mrs. Estelle Fisher, Mrs. O. B. Cantrell and Mrs. Charles Wesley. Eight guests and fourteen members were present.

The meeting was opened with devotions by Mrs. Wilmer Luttrell. The program was taken from "Rosita" the story of a young missionary's first year among the Bolivian Indian girls.

Circle 1 will be in charge of the Food Table at the annual Fall Festival on Dec. 3. A reception for new members on Dec. 9 was discussed by the circle. The meeting was closed with a prayer by Mrs. Luttrell.

Circle 2

Circle 2 of the First Methodist Church held its regular monthly meeting at three o'clock in Wesley Hall on Tuesday, Nov. 12, with nineteen members present.

Mrs. Zeno Warner, Circle Chairman, opened the meeting and Mrs. Charles Harris led the group in the devotional message. Mrs. Hubert Bussard was in charge of the program which was cleverly done in the manner of a teacher and her classroom. The subject was "The 17th Annual Report of Women's Division of Christian Service of the Board of Missions of the First Methodist Church". Questions and answers were given on the work of the missions at home and aboard. Some astonishing facts and figures were brought out.

Circle 2 will be in charge of the White Elephants and the Plants at the Annual Fall Festival on Dec. 3.

Coffee and banana bread were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Zeno Warner, Mrs. F. E. Book and Mrs. Alta Robinson.

Circle 3

Sixteen members of Circle 3 of the First Methodist Church were present at its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday morning, Nov. 12, at the home of Mrs. Lester Truex. Mrs. Truex and Mrs. J. W. Richmond served the members delicious refreshments before the meeting.

Mrs. W. Allen Kindel, Chairman, presided over the business meeting. Mrs. Helen Harris was in charge of the devotional message and the program on Prayer.

Circle 3 is selling vacuum-packed candy to make money to meet their budget and finance their charity projects this year. The candy is very tasty and the members would appreciate everyone's help by trying this delicious candy.

During the Fall Festival on Dec. 3 Circle 3 will be in charge of the Handwork Booth which will be the apron, cut work, etc.,

Circle 4

Circle 4 of the First Methodist Church held its regular monthly meeting on Monday evening, Nov. 11, at the home of Mrs. Earl Rich with twenty-one members present.

Mrs. John Crittenden gave the devotional thought for the evening.

During the business meeting plans were made for the booth of Children's Clothing, Toys, etc. which Circle 4 will be responsible for during the Fall Festival on Dec. 3 in Wesley Hall.

Mrs. Rich and Mrs. Max Flowers served refreshments to the members after the meeting.

Sunday Evening

A large crowd was in attendance Sunday evening at the First Methodist Church to hear the beloved Dr. Garfield Evans, District Superintendent of Holguin, Oriente, Cuba, lecture and show his beautiful pictures. Dr. Evans's mission work and mission work in Cuba in general were the topics of the lecture and the pictures.

Celebrates Golden Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Childs celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary at their home on East Second Street on Sunday, November 17. They have been residents of Avon Park since 1902.

A delicious anniversary dinner was served and Mr. and Mrs. Childs received many lovely gifts. Relatives present to help them celebrate included; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Childs, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Childs, Mrs. Sallie V. Childs, all of Osprey, Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Childs of Nokomis; Mr. and Mrs. William Gocio and children, Barbara, and Billy of Sarasota; Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Wilks and children, Stevie and Pamela of Arcka; Mr. and Mrs. James Childs and children, Rody, Lenda and Judy, of Orlando; Mr. and Mrs. Mickey McCoy and son, Russ, of Ocoil; Mr. and Mrs. Loyd McCoy of Ocoil, Florida; Mrs. T. L. Simpson and son, Mikie, of Lake Placid; Mrs. Myrtice Ellis of Lake Placid; Mr. and Mrs. William Renfro, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Stokes and children, Bobby and Cindy, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Childs and daughter, Jane all of Avon Park.

Little Joan Seims Has Birthday

Joan Seims, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Seims, celebrated her fourth birthday with a party for a few of her little friends at her home on Lake Lotela, Thursday, November 14.

Joan and her guests played "Farmer in the Dell" and other games in the yard before being served birthday cake, ice cream and lemonade by Mrs. Seims. The guests enjoyed wearing, eating, and blowing the clever party favors of hats, horns, and candy.

Births

WALKER MEMORIAL

To Mr. and Mrs. Allen Williford Pollard of Sebring, a daughter, Rebecca Margaret, born November 10. Birth weight 9 pounds, 6 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ivey William Glisson, Sr., of Sebring a son, Ivey William, Jr., born November 11. Birth weight 6 pounds, 8 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Sion Harben Stalls of Sebring a daughter Kathy Jean, born November 14. Birth weight 7 pounds, 13 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Eugene Lanier of Sebring a son, Wesley Shelton, born November 15. Birth weight 8 pounds, 2 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Thomas Whitaker of Lake Placid a daughter, Vonda Faye, born November 16. Birth weight 7 pounds, 12 ounces.

Coffee Hour And Bridge Enjoyed

More than fifty guests enjoyed the Coffee Hour and Bridge on Monday morning, November 18, given by Group IV of the Senior Woman's Club in the Clubhouse. During the morning there were nine tables of bridge and two tables of canasta in play.

Coffee and delightful rolls were served the guests and individual prizes given for the high score at each table. A door prize was also given. Homemade cookies were sold to the many guests.

Mrs. Robert Watson is general chairman for group IV. Ladies in charge of the lovely morning bridge were Mrs. Ann Duffey, Mrs. Ethel Hardin, Mrs. Katherine Rehrer, Mrs Katherine Reitzner, and Mrs. Vera Ogden.

Group IV of the Senior Woman's Club will sponsor another Coffee-Bridge on Dec. 16 in the Clubhouse so don't forget to keep this date in mind.

Cub Scout News

At the recent Cub Scout Pack meeting on Thursday, Oct. 31, a large number of the Cubs received pins for achievement. Den 1 won the attendance banner with the most parents and friends present.

Cubs in Den 1 who received awards were Chuck Warrington, Gold Arrow and Silver Arrow; Steve Seims, Silver Arrow; and Jay DeShong, Wolf Badge.

Cubs in Den 2 receiving awards were Stephen Weber, Bobcat pin; Tommy Walton, Bobcat pin; and Dale DeLaney, Golden Arrow.

Cubs in Den 3 receiving awards were Jim Ward, Bobcat pin, Wolf Badge, and Golden Arrow; Kenny Cook, Wolf Badge; Charles Arnold, Bobcat pin; Tommie Sharpe, Bobcat pin; Rainey Prevatt, Bobcat pin, Wolf Badge and Golden Arrow; and Lanse Padgett, Silver Arrow, Gold Arrow, and Lion pin.

Den 4 Cubs who received award were John Rogers, Golden Arrow and Silver Arrow; Jim Rogers, Bobcat pin; Be' by Rush, Bobcat pin and f Badge; Johnny Townt Bobcat pin; Donald B bcat pin; Steve Booth, Bobcat pin; and Butch Sasser, Bobcat pin.

Former Resident Dies In Conn.

Word has just been received by the Sun of the recent death of William J. Higgins, 55, a former resident of Avon Park. He passed away suddenly from a heart attack in the Danbury Hospital, Danbury, Connecticut on Sunday, Ocober 13th. Services were held on October 16. Cremation followed and his ashes were interred at the Fernecliff Mausoleum in Hartsdale, New York.

Mr. Higgins was employed for 21 years with the Department of Justice, Bureau of Prisons, and during his career worked in various institutions throughout the country, including Milan, Michigan; Petersburg, Virginia; Danbury, Conn.; Avon Park, Fla.; Atlanta, Ga.; and Federal Detention Headquarters in New York City.

He was sent to Avon Park in December 1951 to open up the new prison camp. In January of 1953 he married Mrs. Claire McCreary of Avon Park. In October when the camp was closed, Mr. Higgins was transferred to the U. S. Penitentiary in Atlanta, Ga. for nine months. From there he went as Captain to Federal Detention Headquarters in New York City for six months and from there to Federal Correctional Institution in Danbury, Conn.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Claire Higgins; his stepson, William Christian McCreary and step-daughter, Linda Claire McCreary.

Mr. Higgins was a native of Westport, Ireland and came to this country in 1927.

Rotary News

Members of the Avon Park Rotary Club enjoyed a film that Dr. Curtis Sears presented last Wednesday, November 13, in regards to his Classification. The film shown at the regular weekly luncheon meeting held at the Jacaranda Hotel told of the schooling and training a Chiropractor must have before he can receive a license.

The Club was host to four Rotary Anns whose wedding anniversaries were in either September or Octnber. Rotary Anns present included Mrs. Hubbard Biggs, Mrs. Whit Whitcomb, Mrs. Walter Betts and Mrs. Fred Montadeoca.

Dick Thayer was the guest of Bill Young at the November 13th meeting and Giles Van Duyne of Winter Haven was the guest of Ed Todd.

Stan Livingston a visiting Rotarian from Hartford, Conn. received a copy of "Florida, The Land of Romance", which the Club will present to each out of state visiting Rotarian or guest. Other visiting Rotarians included J. B. McClendon of Frostproof and Elgin Bayless, Jr. and Jack Stephenson, both of Sebring.

A. B. Wilhite To Attend Meeting In Tallahassee

A. B. Wilhite, president of Area 9 of the Florida Education Association, will attend a one day conference of Area presidents of the Florida Education Association in Tallahassee on Monday, November 25.

The meeting was called by Ed Henderson, secretary of the association, to explain FEA's general program and policies of operation. Also to explain the duties and responsibilities of the area presidents and the planning of the 1958 area meetings.

Area 9 includes four counties, Highlands, Hardee, Polk and Osceola.

Sharks can be put to sleep with a water pistol, the curator at Marineland reports. A narcotic known as M.S. 222 is sprayed over the gill openings. Even a 400-pound shark can be put to sleep in one minute or less.



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50 Attend TB Dinner Thursday

The Highlands County Tuberculosis and Health Association held it's Annual Fall Dinner meeting at the Jacaranda Hotel, Avon Park, last Thursday evening with approximately fifty in attendance.

Following an enjoyable buffet dinner the Blue Notes of the Sebring High School under the direction of James Thompson delightfully entertained with a group of songs.

The meeting was presided over by The Rev. John D. Whidden. Mrs. Alexander Blair, Representative Director on the State Board of Directors, reported on the last meeting held in Orlando in October.

E. A. Houck, Executive Director of the County Association, was called upon to tell of the Christmas Seal Sale and how it benefits the community.

The Rev. E. Myrl Wegant was the principal speaker and his informative talk on his experiences while working with and for the Navajo Indians was greatly appreciated.

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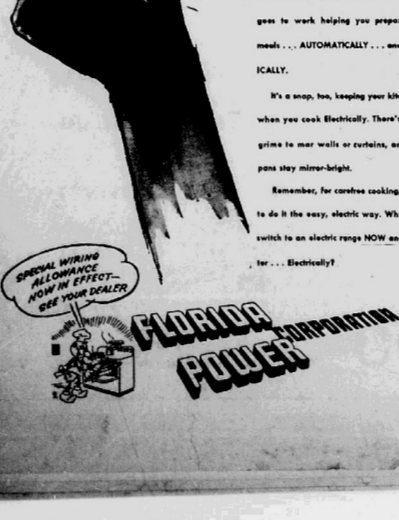

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Winter Guest Club News

Sunday, November 24, all Avon Park "Sunday Singers" are invited to attend the sinfest at the Sebring Tourist Club; the time, 2:30 p. m. Last Sunday, in spite of summer temperature (or so it seemed), over 75 enthusiastic folk gathered for the bi-weekly song service. Special numbers included a trio, Mrs. C. Ireland, Mrs. G. Marsh and H. Gibson accompanied by Mrs. H. Gibson, which sang two numbers. This was their first appearance as a group—let's do it again. Miss W. Roe and Mr. J. Shiltz sang a duet and Mrs. Beck was in usual good form with her whistling novelties. The high light of the afternoon, though, was the novel experience of singing to the accompaniment of an hundred-year-old roller organ. We thank Mr. Wm. Bervinkle for his generosity in sharing this treasure with us.

Saturday's covered-dish supper was well attended by a hungry, enthusiastic group. For the newcomers this is an excellent way to meet the other members and get acquainted, for the not-so-newly come it is a most pleasant final to the week's activities.

Saturday's tournament saw the ladies victorious and great was the rejoicing therefore; we hear our president had some special favors to bestow. Sadie Wyman and Sylvia Book were the victorious team, nudging out C. Brush and H. Arms to take their places on the Roll of Fame. On Wednesday J. Slater and H. Arms were the victorious team.

The winter season is getting into high gear now, especially on Friday nights. The floor was filled for every dance last week and, had there been room, most of the time there would have been two more sets; guess we'll have to do repeats on the most popular numbers. Especially noteworthy was the set of "learners" who, after only two practice sessions, were taking part in the squares. Another class for beginners will form immediately after Thanksgiving; if you want to dance and don't know how, or if you are rusty from long disuse, here is your opportunity.

Tuesday's bridge on the twelfth was well attended, with seven tables in play. Mr. John Nuber had the highest score with Mrs. H. Kidder a close second.

On Saturday, November 30, there will be no covered-dish supper; the reason being that so many of our members get together for similar affairs on Thanksgiving.

THE TATTLER

Devils Go To Sebring Next Wednesday

The annual turkey tilt and big inter-county gridiron battle of the year looms as the two Highlands County rivals, both unbeaten in Conference play, prep for the Thanksgiving Eve battle next Wednesday night in Sebring.

The Devils and the Streaks annually try to best each other even before the kickoff. In the past buildings have been smeared with red and blue paint, the traditional bonfires have been set off on the eve of the battle and there was general tomfoolry in both communities prior to the game.

The Red Devils will be the favorites by virtue of their 4-0-1 Conference record and also by the fact that for the past four years they whipped the Streaks by impressive scores. In 1954 the Devils won 33-19, in 1955—28-14, in 1956—46 to 7 and last year by a decisive 32 to 0 score over the county rivals. These scores mean little when you start comparing two teams with a rivalry as keen as these two schools have. Sebring has not won a grid Conference title since 1937 and they would like nothing better than to upset the Devils and wrest the championship title away from them.

Avon Park has won four Ridge games and tied Arcadia. Kissimmee and Fort Meade are still on the slate. The Blue Streaks have won four Ridge tilts and tied two—Mulberry and Kathleen. They still have Fort Meade on the slate. Neither team has lost a conference game. Both teams play conference toes this week. Sebring will entertain Ft. Meade on Thursday night and Avon Park will entertain the Kissimmee Kowboys on Friday night.

The two teams seem to have well-rounded squads. The Red Devils boast the most powerful balanced backfield in the Conference with John Starling, fullback, and Wendell Williams, Billy Rouse and Jim Cooper. These boys average 6 yards per carry and they really hustle with the ball. The Devil line, led by 175 pound tackle Terry Elder is tough and aggressive and they have given up only two touchdowns and one extra point in conference play.

Sebring also has a good backfield led by fullback Jerry Sheffield and quarterback Don Seaborn with Wayne Harris, Gene Tomlinson and Gary Lanier doing some of the running. The line is led by 205 pound tackle John Tew.

The teams run from the T-formation or its variations. They both have good running games and pretty good passing attacks, although Sebring might be a little better in the air than Avon Park. This year's battle is expected to be plenty rough no matter how you look at it.

Co-captains for the Sebring Streaks are John Tew and Jerry Sheffield, and for the Devils, Winky Williams and Billy Rouse.

A pre-game parade will climax a week of excitement and preparation for the ensuing battle. The parade and pep rally will be held in Sebring.

Kick-off will be at 8:30 after a Pre-game ceremony led by Supervising Principal George Douglas. The halftime show will feature the Bands of Sebring, Avon Park and Lake Placid along with the introduction of the Sponsors. Sponsors for Sebring are Miss Mary Alice Hunt and Miss Johnnie Ruth Heath, majorettes. The Avon Park Sponsors are Miss Kay Mizelle and Miss Betty Claire Foster.

The probable starting line-ups will be: Avon Park—Farless and Earnest, Ends; Elder and Parrish, Tackles; Bigbie and Martin, Guards; Starling, Center; Cooper, quarterback; Starling, fullback; Williams and Rouse, halfbacks. For Sebring: Harris and Sauls, Ends; Tew and Johnson, tackles; Waters and Belcher, guards; Lanier, Center; Williams quarterback; Tomlinson and Seaborn, halfbacks; Sheffield, fullback.

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words.

Since the game is in Sebring this Friday—the big football dance of the season will be held this Friday night at Teen Town after the game with Kissimmee. So all you waltzers and rock 'n rollers be sure to be on hand for that event.

Let's all gather in the Mall Tuesday night for the pep rally and in the true spirit of good sportsmanship — cheer the team to victory in this all important game of the year.

Three young tarpon, each about a foot long, have been added to the exhibit at Marineland. Tarpon this size are not frequently caught.

New Fellowships Offered High School Science And Mathematics Teachers

Shell Companies Foundation, Inc., announced today that fellowships will be provided for special study next summer to 100 high school teachers of physics, chemistry, and mathematics.

This is a 67 per cent increase in the size of the Foundation's Merit Fellowship program since the first 69 fellowships were awarded in 1956. There were 90 fellowships last year.

The Foundation said the program is designed to help check the nation's shortage of scientists by strengthening the teaching of high school chemistry, physics, and mathematics and thus encouraging more young people to plan scientific careers.

Half the fellowship teachers attend full summer sessions at Stanford University, and half go to Cornell.

Applications for both Stanford and Cornell fellowships close February 1, the Foundation said.

Fellowship teachers receive allowances for travel, tuition, living expenses, and $500 in cash to offset the loss of other summer earnings. Teachers attend lectures and laboratory sessions, hold group discussions with scientists, and visit nearby research installations.

Requests for fellowship applications should be sent directly to the two universities. Teachers living west of the Mississippi should write the School of Education, Standard University, Stanford, California. Teachers east of the Mississippi should write the School of Education, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York.

Mathematics, physics, and chemistry teachers in the U.S. and Canada with five years' experience and known leadership ability are eligible.

Thanksgiving Service At Christian Science

A special Thanksgiving service is announced by the Christian Science Society for 11:00 a.m. on Thanksgiving Day. The service will be held in the Church building at Pine and Fairfield.

Open to the public, the service will include voluntary testimonies of gratitude by Christian Scientists for God's goodness as shown in spiritual growth, physical healings, and other blessings.

A Lesson-Sermon for the day entitled "Thanksgiving" will be read in all Christian Science churches. Consisting of selections from the Bible and from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, the Lesson-Sermon will emphasize the importance of expressing gratitude to God in deeds as well as in speech.

The service is open to the general public and local church members have invited everyone to attend.

Fall Festival At Methodist Church Dec. 3

Come to the annual Fall Festival of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church on Tuesday, Dec. 3, in Wesley Hall next to the church.

All day from 9:00 in the morning on there will be many attractive and valuable articles for sale at this gala festival. Food snacks of ham and chicken salad sandwiches, homemade vegetable soup, potato salad, doughnuts, coffee, pies and cake will be served throughout the day.

Among the many things for sale will be needlework of all kinds, plants, children's clothing and toys, novelties of all kinds, Christmas cards and many other articles.

Remember this date, Tuesday, Dec. 3, at Wesley Hall of the First Methodist Church. Don't forget to come and look around and stay for a delicious snack!

Mrs. Raymond Gerrard is general chairman of the Fall Festival.

Winter Park Defeat Devils

Avon Park went down to their second defeat of the season Friday night when they lost to Winter Park of the Orange Belt Conference by a score of 7 to 6.

The always tough defense of the Red Devils fought the Wildcats and held them scoreless up until two minutes before halftime at which point halfback Johnny Jane ripped off right tackle and raced 40 yards to pay dirt. Winter Park's kick for the extra point was good and gave the Wildcats the point which finally proved to be the margin of victory.

The Red Devils took the second half kick-off and combined power running and accurate passing to drive down to the Winter Park one.

The stubborn Wildcat line dug in and would not yield to the Devils. Winter Park took over at this point and brought the ball out only seven yards when they were forced to punt. Avon Park took the punt and again drove down in the shadow of the goal post, this time being stopped two yards short of the touchdown so sorely needed.

The Wildcats assumed possession and with their deceptive running plays mustered three first down before being forced to punt. Winky Williams received the ball on the 10 yard line and looked as if he were going all the way when he reeled off a beautiful 50 yard return to end the third quarter.

Mrs. Tomlinson's Mother Dies In New York

Mrs. Grady Tomlinson's mother, Mrs. Viola Doney McFarland, passed away at the age of 80 on Thursday, November 7, in Schenectady, N. Y.

Mrs. McFarland was born in Middleburg, N. Y. and had lived in Schenectady, for over 60 years. She was a member of the St. Elizabeth Auxiliary of Knights of St. John and Court St. Catherine 128 of the Catholic Daughters of America.

She is survived by her husband, Patrick McFarland of Schenectady, N. Y.; two sons, Edward McFarland of Schenectady and William McFarland of Menands, N. Y.; two daughters, Mrs. Grady Tomlinson of Avon Park and Mrs. John McLaughlin of Schenectady; eight grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday morning, November 11, followed by a requiem high mass celebrated in St. Joseph's Church in Schenectady, N. Y. Interment was held in the Parish Cementery.

DO YOU KNOW?

By DALE I. ROYAL, Evangelist
Avon Park Church of Christ

Do you know that church attendance is a necessary part of being a Christian? Concerning church attendance the Hebrew Writer said, (Heb. 10:25) "Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is." Thus we see that even in the New Testament some Christians failed to attend church as they should.

But someone says, "I don't like to attend church. Its so dull and uninteresting." When I was a boy (not too long ago) my teachers and parents used to say, "You cannot get sometime out unless you put something in." This is as true of church as slot machines. Too many professing Christians never put themselves into the work or worship of the church yet they expect much out but in vain.

Actually it is not a case of what "I" want or do not want. Christians are bought with a price (1 Cor. 6:19-20) therefore they are not to be interested in serving their own desires but rather in serving the desires of Christ Jesus their Lord. Je said, (Jno. 14:15) "If ye l me, keep my commandment Thus to the extent we do attend church regularly that extent we do not love H who died that we might h life!

Pass Tractor Co. Shows 1958 Ford Tractors

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Predicting that the Christmas mail this year will set an all time record, Postmaster D. ... Perry, announced his 1957 "Mail Early For Christmas" campaign today.

With Christmas only a little more than a month away, the Postmaster reminds us, "It's later than you think!". Most folks have a tendency to wait until December rolls around before they give their Christmas mailing plans a thought!

The Postmaster further suggested that right now is the time to take the following steps: Check your Christmas card lists very carefully - make sure that each address includes the full name, street and number, city, zone and state.

He said, also, that it is a good idea to stock up on heavy wrapping paper, sturdy corrugated cartons, strong cord, and paper adhesive tape for use in securely packing and wrapping your Christmas gifts. If you'd like to include your Christmas card or letter inside your gift package, just add the appropriate First Class mail postage to the postage for the package itself; thus, insuring simultaneous arrival of your gift and greeting.

To help you plan your early Christmas mailing, the Postmaster suggested that you secure from the Post Office Pamphlet No. 2, which tells all about Packaging and Wrapping Parcels for Mailing, and Pamphlet No. 3, giving full details on Domestic Postage Rates and Fees. Be sure to stock up on plenty of stamps at the same time.

Also, ask for free labels reading, "All For Local Delivery" and "All For Out of Town Delivery", so that you can speed arrival of your Christmas cards by sorting and tying them in two separate bundles with the addresses all facing one way.

Keep in mind that only Christmas cards carrying First Class three cent, or six cent Air Mail postage, may include a personal message. Nothing more than a signature is authorized on cards mailed at the two cent Third Class rate; and be sure your return address is on every Christmas card envelope - this is sociall correct, and helps both you and your friends to keep your mailing lists up-to-date.

The Postmaster says he is completing advance preparations to handle the Christmas rush with extra mail clerks, carriers, and expanded facilities all around. So, now, it is really up to you!

It's important to plan your Christmas mailings so that those Christmas cards and gifts for most distant points are mailed first. Try to get all of your out-of-town cards and gifts into the Post Office before December 10th, and those for nearby points should be mailed by December 15th.

Hints For Christmas Mailing

Hundreds of thousands of Christmas cards and packages will be lost this year because of illegibly written addresses. Servicemen overseas, relatives, friends, business associates—all will be part of a disappointed army whose mail goes astray, because, as a national magazine recently stated, we have become a "nation of scrawlers."

Yet a few simple rules and just a little attention to it will improve anybody's handwriting immediately, says the Handwriting Foundation in a special appeal aimed at cutting down losses.

WATCH OUT FOR TRICKY LETTERS

Never close these loops: e l f

Never loop non-looped strokes: t i d

Always close letters like: a g d

WATCH OUT FOR "LOOK-ALIKE" NUMBERS

1-7 3-5-8

NP

All addresses, says the Foundation, should be written in at least three well-spaced lines, with zone numbers included. This goes for the return address as well. Take special care with the "tricky" letters and numbers shown on the chart.

Your signature, on greeting and gift cards, should be legible. Include the last name when identification might otherwise be in doubt. If it's a family card, make the children part of the greeting, and let them sign the card, too.

For far away friends and relatives, add a short note—a few words of greeting and maybe a promise of a longer letter soon. A New Year's card is appropriate for friends you've forgotten at Christmas. And never give money gifts to the postman, milkman and others without at least the personal touch of your signature.

You don't have to be an artist to decorate a card or gift package. A pen and colored inks (try red and green for Christmas) is all you need. A tree in outline, some stars, a few heavy dots . . . and you've drawn your own Christmas spirit. Another personal touch is a note in an envelope attached to the outside of a gift package.

As for next year's greeting card and gift list, compile it now. Write each name on a separate index card, and alphabetize them in a file box to simplify additions and changes. Or keep a booklet, with blank pages between names for newcomers. Such a list prevents embarrassing duplication or omission at card-sending time.

And always remember, concludes the Handwriting Foundation, that the written message is part of the Christmas spirit. Be sure to make the message legible.



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Brownie Scout Troop News

Troop 2

The Brownie Scouts of the Troop for second grade girls held their regular meeting on Saturday morning, Nov. 16, in the Woodruff Heights Brownie Building. The troop studied the history of the American flag bearers at the meeting.

The Brownies made clowns out of colored paper with pipe cleaners for hair during the meeting. Mrs. Franklyn Ward served refreshments to the group. The meeting closed with Taps and a Friendship Circle.

At the regular meeting on Saturday, Nov. 23, the group will be divided into Patrols and Patrol leaders elected. All Brownies are urged to be sure and be present for this meeting

Troop 3

At the regular meeting of the Brownie Troop for third grade girls on Tuesday, Nov. 12, at 2:30 in the Woodruff Heights Building the girls studied the flag and practiced the flag salute. Janie Clark, Mary Lou Stewart, and Becky Todd were elected to act as the color guard. Refreshments were served the girls and their leaders by Mrs. Brady Smith.

Brownies in Troop 3 are Terry Barrow, Sharon Sue Childress, Janie Clark, Rita Dellelo, Alice Felknor, Ruth Fentress, Susan Gentry, Ann Graham, Hawley Griffith, Brenda Johns, Melba Mitchell, Rebecca Palmer, Beverly Simpson, Mary Lou Stewart, Katherine Still, Becky Todd, and Beverly Turner. Mrs. Roy Felknor and Mrs. Jeff Barrow are troop leaders. The patrol leaders are Alice Felknor and Hawley Griffith.

Troop 4

Troop 4 of the Brownie Scouts held its regular meeting on Thursday, Nov. 14, at 3:15 in the Woodruff Heights Building. The meeting was opened with a flag ceremony with Linda Homburg, Charlene Ladwig, and Wanda Singletary serving as color guard.

The troop made plans for a play to be given later. The Brownies then wrote with lemon juice on paper for sending secret messages. They brought the message out by burning a flame and holding the paper over it. Linda Wester and Gayle Bennett served refreshments to the other Brownies.

Leaders of Troop 4 are Mrs. John Hutchinson, Mrs. Roy Ladwig, and Mrs. E. A. Poff, Jr.

Girl Scout News

The Girl Scout Troop had twenty-eight members and wo visitors present at their regular meeting on Thursday, Nov. 14, in the Ridge Area Day School Building. Kim Wells, Song Leader, lead the group in a few Scout songs.

During the meeting Judy Elliott and Mary Skinner were invested and received their Scout pins. The troop discussed the years work for badges and pins to be achieved by the individaul scouts. The Scouts played Kick Ball as one requirement for their Profiency in Games Badge after the business meeting. Mrs. Robert Barben served refreshments to the Scouts.

The new time of the weekly meeting of the Girl Scouts willl be from 3:30 until 5 o'clock so that all Scouts can reach the Ridge Area Day School Building promptly each Thursday. There will be no Scouts on Thursday, Nov. 28, as this will be Thanksgiving Day.

Boy Scout News

Troop 156

Troop 156 of the Avon Park Boys Scouts sponsored by the American Legion held at Board of Review at their regular meeting on Monday, Nov. 18, in the Woodruff Heights Scout Building. Several of the boys went before the board for advancement.

On Wednesday, Nov. 6, Scoutmaster Elton Lawrence and Explorer Scout Tommy Renfro of Troop 156 and Scoutmaster Fred Davis and Explorer Scout Glenn Peters of Troop 157 were guests of Frankly Ward and the Rotary Club at the Rotary Luncheon.

Troop 157

The Boy Scouts of Troop 157 sponsored by the Rotary Club greatly enjoyed a speech on Florida Birds by Mrs. B. M. Davis at their regular meeting on Monday, Nov. 11. The boys asked Mrs. Davis many, many, questions about birds and learned a great deal.

The Scouts are now enjoying a contest to see who can take the best picure of a bird for prizes of 3, 2, and 1. These prizes will be donated by Franklyn Ward in the interests of helping further the Scouts knowledge of and interest in Florida birds.

Scout Troop 157 held a Board of Review at their meeting on Monday, Nov. 18. The Board consisted of Hue Nunnallee, Morris Adams, Herbert Todd, and David Lanier.

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HOMES

By The Bird Woman

We all enjoy traveling around and inspecting new homes as they are being erected in our locality, and we have come to the conclusion that a home exemplifies the personality of the owner.

We do not mean that all tall people have tall houses, nor that all short people live in one story flat houses, but the general aspect of color and landscaping, whether it be an elaborate planning or a single shrub or tree, tells the passer-by what type of people live in that particular home.

If you are familiar with bird families you will find the same thing to be true, and if you are seeking the home of a specified bird you do not have to have the street and number, for you will know that the bird you are seeking builds at a certain height and in a certain environment, you will be able to verify the owners name by the structure of it's nest.

We have carpenters, Weavers and Masons, as well as birds that tunnel in the ground for a nesting place and also some that attach their nests to floating reeds.

Some prefer dark caves as homes, some build on the side of a chimney or wall and glue them fast with a secretion from their mouthes.

Some enjoy nesting boxes and enjoy building close to a habitation, while others seek a hollow limb, and shape the interior to their own needs and size.

One thing is essential before a nest is built in a box, that the opening is just large enough to admit an enemy.

We have the Wood Duck, one of our most beautiful ducks, and unlike most of the duck family, which prefer a secluded nest near the edge of a bobby of water, prefers to build it's home in a tree and will take readily to a nesting box if one is provided, these ducks are very fond of acorns and swallow them whole, and they are so constructed that they can digest them.

Some birds are very careless about the construction of their nests and just place a few twigs and leaves togather, and make an indentation in the center to keep the eggs from rolling out, and to look at it, we would think that the first passing breeze would send it flying, but the birds have the know how, and even these nests will survive the rearing of two or three broods.

There seems to be no end to the varities of nests constructed by the various species, but we find each specie adheres specificially to the pattern given to the original pair, so whether it builds in the north or south the specie can be determined by the structure of it's home.

Imagine the human family trying to duplicate a bird's nest using only their mouth and feet, to support a nest of fledglings and their parents without using a hairpin or scotch tape.

The male if the specie usually arrives first, when nesting time arrives, and chooses an area for a home, then mounts on the highest twig or spire and shouts the news in it's most musical voice, for all to hear, both calling some female to come and share the area with him, and also to proclaim to other birds that this area is taken and that he is willing and able to protect it.

So when the female arrives and accepts the attention of the male, and decides to cooperate in rearing a family, she must accept the area that he has chosen, but the definite site is chosen by the little woman, who has most of the responsibility of building the nest.

It is quite interesting to watch the male in his endeavor to be helpful, usually bringing the wrong material at the right time, and being more in the way than doing good.

We find that bird's homes range from what seems to be a small knot on a limb covered with li chen, as made by our smallest bird, the Humming bird, to a huge collection of branches and limbs weighing a ton, and placed in the crotch of a tall tree, as built by the Eagle.

Some birds use their nests only one season, but the Eagle will add to it's nest each year and never build a new one, and if one of the mates die or is killed, the other will select a new mate and continue to use the same old homestead.

The Robin is the Mason of the bird world, and it must have the proper material with which to build, water and dust, if a good supply of mud is at hand it will use it, if not it will carry the dust and drop it into the water or soak itself in water and shake the water on the dust and make mud for itself.

If a convenient limb is near it will utilize it, if not it will not scorn a shelf properly placed.

When the mud has been deposited at the nesting site the Robin will sit on the mud and work itself by twisting and turning, until it moulds the inside of the nest to the shape of it's body, leaving room of course for a soft lining and for the young when they are hatched.

We know the robin here only as a migratory bird, as it spends the winter with us and goes north in the spring to nest.

There is another bird with an unusual habit, although it does not live in our area, it is the Prairie Horned Lark, it builds it's nest on the ground and often builds a platform of pebbles in front of it's door.

The Creasted Flycatcher must have a snake skin in it's nest, whether it builds in a nesting box or in a hollow tree, it has not yet been determine whether the bird is superstitious or whether it considers the snake-skin a charm to keep away intruders.

(Continued next week)

Protection From TB



For safety's sake these young men are lining up for chest X-rays to be sure they don't have TB. If the X-ray eye finds TB in its early stages before symptoms develop, it can be most easily and quickly cured. Christmas Seal funds support the TB case-finding programs of the voluntary tuberculosis associations.

Safety Stressed Thursday At Avon Elementary PTA

The parents and teachers of the Avon Elementary P.T.A. discussed the possibilities of more safety precautions being taken at the railroad crossing on Pleasant Street at their regular montly meeting on Thursday evening, Nov. 14, in the Elementary Cafeterium.

Mrs. James Anderson, president, appointed Mrs. M. V. Parry, to set up a committee to decide upon and order T-Shirts with appropriate emblems for sale to the children of the elementary schools. This was approved by the group.

There were about seventy-five parents present at the meeting. Mrs. Everett's second grade won the attendance banner with the most parents present.

Mrs. Sam King introduced the speaker who was Dr. James Mosco, Psychiatrist with the Alcoholic Rehabilitation Program. Dr. Mosco spoke on "The Development of the Child until The Age of 12", a subject with which he was familiar because of previous work in child psychiatrics. He stressed the child's need for love, approval, and a sense of direction. Dr. Mosco said that by the time a child was 12 years of age his lifetime personality was formed and he emphasized the great importance of the early years. After his talk parents asked questions and a lively discussion followed. The talk and discussion was enjoyed by the parents present.

Refreshments were served after the meeting by the roommothers of the second grade with Mrs. Floyd Wells and Mrs. Harmon Atkins acting as chairmen.

Many foreign countries classify newspaper selling among the occupations for which a higher age minimum is required than for other industries.

On August 24, 1912 a postal law was passed which required publishers to file and publish sworn statements of circulation twice a year.

Do You Have

With Thanksgiving only a week away here is a couple of recipes for Stuffing that goes very nicely with roast turkey.

OYSTERS STUFFING

3 dozen oysters
1 loaf of day old bread
liver, heart and gizzard of fowl
3 tablespoons butter
1 tablespoon chopped parsley
½ cup chopped celery
1 tablespoon dry thyme
½ teaspoons salt
3 large onions
pepper

Drain liquor off oysters and pour on bread to moisten. Later squeeze out excess moisture. Chop onions, celery, liver, heart and gizzard and cook slowly in fat. When they are tender add seasonings, parsley oysters. Cook another 5 to 10 minutes and add bread. Mix well and stuff the fowl.

CHESTNUT STUFFING

3 lb. peeled chestnuts
1 qt. soft bread crumbs
½ cup margarine or butter
1 lemon (juice and rind)
1 tablespoon chopped parsley
salt and peeper
nutmeg

Boil nuts in salted water until tender. Chop. Brown crumbs in hot fat. Add nuts. Add seasoning and moisten with stock from cooking nuts. Stuff the fowl.

Fla. Ave. Baptist Church News

The ladies of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Florida Avenue Baptist Church enjoyed a study on Africa entitled "Something New" on Thursday evening, Nov. 14, in the Social Hall of the Church.

The interesting and informative course was taught by Mrs. W. D. Fletcher. Fourteen members of the W.M.S. were present for the course.

Refreshments of coffee and cookies were served after the course.

Shopping centers will play an increasingly important role in maintaining a prosperous national economy by helping distribution keep abreast of mass production, says Louis Stein, president of Food Fair Stores, Inc.

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FOR SALE AT AUCTION—Saturday, November 23rd at 7:30 p.m. Furniture, Appliances, Refrigerators, Washing Machines, Tables, Couches, Chairs, skill Saws, Blankets, Pillows, Drills, Dishes and many other items to numerous to mention. Come, tell your friends, Join in this cavalcade of bargains. Buy on the AUCTION BLOCK the things you need now or will need later. STEWARTS SALES AND AUCTION HOUSE AT LAKEMONT HALF WAY BETWEEN AVON PARK AND SEBRING. STATE ROAD 17 3-1tc

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FOR RENT — 2 Bedroom unfurnished House. Phone 2-2601. 3-tfc

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FOR RENT—3 Bedroom Home, 1018 West Pleasant St. 3-2tc

Miscellaneous

For Bulldozer Work, road building, red clay, fill dirt and top soil call D. M. Earnest GL 2-2694 or James Chestnut GL 2-6281. 50-tfc

WANTED—Distributor for Independent Premium Oil & Grease Company, to cover Ridge Area. Small amount of capital needed. Contact M. B. Chesser, 355 Linda Lane, West Palm Beach. 2-2tp

THEATRE CASHIER— Attractive, intelligent lady with good references. Apply in person to Hilans Theatre manager. Do not phone, please. 3-1tc

HELP WANTED—Male: Picking Foreman, Lykes Bros., Inc., Lake Placid. Contact W. O. Collins or call Lake Placid Homestead 5-2673; at night Homestead 5-2671. If you are willing to work in the grove when picking season is completed this will be year round work for a good sober man. 3-1tc

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Sec. 194.16, F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that J. F. SPOONER 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:

Part of Certificate No. 273. Year of issuance 1945.

Description of Property Lot 12, Block 517, Sixth Addition to Sebring.

Name in which assessed L. W. Martin.

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 December, 1957, which is the 2nd day of December, 1957, between the hours of 11:00 o'clock A.M. and 2:00 o'clock P.M., the same being a legal sales day and the hours the legal hours of sale.

Dated this 24th day of October, 1957.

(SEAL)

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

PUB: Oct. 31, Nov. 7, 14 and 21

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY
In Chancery
VIOLA JONES, Plaintiff
vs.
ELLIS JONES, Defendant
DIVORCE ACTION
NOTICE TO DEFEND

TO THE DEFENDANT, ELLIS JONES:

You are hereby notified that a suit has been brought against you in the above entitled Court by Viola Jones for the purpose of procuring a divorce from you. You are required to file with the Clerk of said Court a written answer or other defense on or before the 9th day of December, 1957 and to serve by mail or otherwise a copy of such Answer or other defense on plaintiff's attorney or decree will be entered against you and the case will thereafter proceed ex parte.

It is ordered that this notice be published once a week for four (4) consecutive weeks in the Avon Park Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in Highlands County, Florida.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court at Sebring, Florida, this the 6th day of November, A.D. 1957.

H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of Circuit Court
By: EARL Rich,
Deputy Clerk

MATTIE W. TOMPKINS,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Avon Park, Florida
PUB: November 7, 14, 21, 28, 1957

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY
IN CHANCERY No. 8425
W. W. FINLAYSON and MARY B. FINLAYSON, His Wife, Plaintiffs
vs.
MRS. C. S. CROSBY, ET AL, Defendants
SUIT TO QUIET TITLE
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to: Mrs. C. S. Crosby and spouse if married, Frank E. Sperring and Annie L. Sperring his wife, Edward R. Fay and Mae K. Fay his wife, John N. Fay and Martha Fay his wife, Josephine F. Lee and Frank H. Lee her husband, Mary Brady Pigott and James P. Pigott her husband, Anna Fay Wadhams and Darwin A. Wadhams her husband, if living, and if dead to their unknown heirs-at-law, legatees, devisees, grantees and creditors; and to all persons, parties, firms or corporations, known or unknown, having or claiming to have any right, title or interest in the land hereinafter described, either in their own right or by, through, under or against any unknown or unknown person, party, firm or corporation.

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that a suit has been brought against you in the above entitled Court by W. W. Finlayson and Mary B. Finlayson, his wife, for the purpose of quieting title to land in Highlands County, Florida, to-wit:

Lot 18, Block "D" in Section 22, Township 33 South, Range 28 East according to plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 1 page 58 public records of DeSoto (now Highlands) County, Florida;

and you, and each of you, and all parties in interest, are hereby required to file with the Clerk of said Court your written answer or other defense, personally or by an attorney, on or before the 23rd day of December, A.D. 1957 to the Bill of Complaint filed herein, or decree will be entered against you, and each of you, by default and the cause will thereafter proceed ex-parte.

It is ordered that this notice be published once a week for four (4) consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in Highlands County, Florida.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the said Court at Sebring, Highlands County, Florida, this 18th day of November, A.D. 1957.

H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of said Court
(SEAL)
By: EARL RICH
Deputy Clerk

MATTIE W. TOMPKINS,
Attorney for Plaintiffs,
Avon Park, Florida.
Pub. Nov. 21, 28 Dec. 5, 12, 1957

NOTICE TO RECEIVE BIDS

The City Council of the City of Avon Park will open Sealed Bids at 7:30 p.m., Monday, November 25, 1957 on the following:

One (1) Trash Packer Type Body of 14 Cu. Yd. Capacity

One (1) Trash Packer Type Body of 16 Cu. Yd. Capacity

One (1) Trash Packer Type Body of 18 Cu. Yd. Capacity

All Bids are to state the Size Chassis and Tires to be used with each Packer Type Body.

All Bids to quote prices with and without Trade-In of 1947 Leach Packmaster.

All Bids must be submitted to the Office of the City Clerk on or before 5:00 p.m., Monday, November 25, 1957 and marked on the envelope "Sealed Bids".

The City Council reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids:

J. P. TURNBULL,
City Clerk

ORDINANCE No. 393

AN ORDINANCE LEVYING AND IMPOSING UPON ALL INSURERS, NOW OR HEREAFTER ENGAGING IN OR CARRYING ON THE BUSINESS OF INSURING WITH RESPECT TO CASUALTY RISKS AN EXCISE OR LICENSE TAX IN ADDITION TO ANY TAX NOW LEVIED, OR 1% OF THE GROSS AMOUNT OF RECEIPTS OF ALL PREMIUMS FROM CASUALTY INSURANCE POLICIES INSURING PROPERTY WITHIN THE MUNICIPAL LIMITS OF THE CITY OF AVON PARK; AND PROVIDING WHEN SAID TAX SHALL BE DUE AND PAYABLE.

WHEREAS, the Legislature of the State of Florida, by Chapter 28230, Laws of Florida, 1953, as amended, created a Special fund known as the "Police Officers' Retirement Fund" and thereby authorized municipalities falling within the purview of said act, to levy an additional tax upon such insurance carriers designated in said act, the said proceeds from said tax to be used in partial support of said fund, and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the City of Avon Park to put into full force and effect the provisions of said Chapter 28230, as amended, in said municipality BE IT ORDAINED BY THE City Council OF AVON Park, Florida:

Section 1. That there is hereby assessed, imposed and levied on every insurance company, corporation or other insurer now engaging in or carrying on, or which shall hereafter engage in or carry on the business of insuring with respect to casualty risks, as shown by the records of the Insurance Commissioners of the State of Florida, an excise or license tax in addition to any license tax or excise tax now levied by the City of Avon Park, which said tax shall be in the amount of 1% of the gross amount of receipts of premiums from policy holders on all premiums collected on casualty insurance policies, covering property within the corporate limits of the City of Avon Park.

Section 2. That the license or excise tax herein levied shall be due and payable annually on the first day of March of each year hereafter.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and publication as provided by law.

PASSED AND ADOPTED after being read in full at the regular meeting of the City Council on the 4th day of November, 1957, and by unanimous consent then being again read by title only and then permitted to lie over until the regular meeting on the 12th day of November, 1957, and then again read in full and approved.

ATTEST:
JAMES P. TURNBULL,
City Clerk

ROBERT E. LEE,
President City Council

APPROVED:
November 12, 1957
E. A. DeLANEY, SR.
Mayor

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Citizens of Avon Park have rendered over the years meritorious service as the Ground Observer's Corp; and

WHEREAS, they have rendered this service willingly and without compensation; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Mayor and City Council of this City of Avon Park to show their appreciation for such service so rendered;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and City Council on behalf of the City and its citizens do hereby express to the said Ground Observer Corp. their deep and lasting appreciation for such service so rendered.

ROBERT E. LEE,
President City Council

ATTEST:
J. P. TURNBULL,
City Clerk

PASSED APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 12th day of November 1957, A. D.

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. 20953, 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: WARDS DEPARTMENT STORE under which I am engaged in business at 6 East Main, Avon Park, Florida.

That the party interested in said business enterprise is as follows:
Elizabeth M. Ladrie
James A. White

Dated at November 6, 1957 Highlands County, Florida.
Nov. 14, 21, 28 Dec. 5th, 1957

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY
IN CHANCERY, No. 8414
JACQUELINE LEE HAMILL, Plaintiff
vs.
ROBERT S. HAMILL, Defendant
SUIT FOR DIVORCE
NOTICE TO DEFEND

TO: ROBERT S. HAMILL care of Mrs. Helen Hamill
9110½ South Manhattan Place
Los Angeles, California

You are hereby notified that a Bill of Complaint for Divorce has been filed against you, and you are required to serve a copy of your Answer or Pleading to the Bill of Complaint on the Plaintiff's Attorney, JAMES W. MOORE, 5630 Sunset Drive, Miami, Florida and file the original Answer or Pleading in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court on or before the 7th day of December, A.D., 1957. If you fail to do so, judgment by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Bill of Complaint.

This notice shall be published once each week for four consecutive weeks in The Avon Park Sun.

DONE AND ORDERED at Sebring, Florida, this 30th day of October, A. D. 1957.

H. T. PIETY
Clerk, Circuit Court
Highlands County, Florida
(Circuit Court Seal)
By: EARL RICH
Deputy Clerk

JAMES W. MOORE
5630 Sunset Drive, Miami, Florida
Attorney for Plaintiff.
PUB: November 7, 14, 21, 28

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IN THE COURT OF THE COUNTY JUDGE IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY STATE OF FLORIDA
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MICHAEL J. HEYNEN, DECEASED.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All creditors of the Estate of Michael J. Heynen, Deceased are hereby notified and required to file any claims or demands which they may have against said Estate in the office of the County Judge of Highlands County, Florida, in the Courthouse at Sebring, Florida, within eight (8) calendar months from the date of the first publication of this notice. Each claim or demand must be in writing and must state the place of residence and post office address of the claimant and must be sworn to by the claimant, or his attorney, or it will become void according to law.

Dated this 28th day of October, A.D. 1957.

HERBERT I. SMITH
Executor of the Estate of Michael J. Heynen, Deceased.

MATTIE W. TOMPKINS,
Attorney for Estate,
Avon Park, Florida.
PUB: Oct. 31, Nov. 7, 14, 21

IN THE COURT OF THE COUNTY JUDGE IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF LAURA E. FORBES, DECEASED.
NOTICE OF FILING PETITION FOR FINAL DISCHARGE OF EXECUTRICES

Notice is hereby given that we have filed our final return as Executrices of the Estate of Laura E. Forbes, Deceased; that we have filed our petition for distribution and for final discharge, and that on the 25th day of November, A.D. 1957 we will apply to the Honorable Mervin Rehrer, County Judge, for approval of said final returns and for an order of distribution and for final discharge as Executrices of the Will of Laura E. Forbes, Deceased.

Dated this 9th day of October, A.D. 1957.

LUCY A. STREET
LUCY ROBINSON
As Executrices under the Will of Laura E. Forbes, Deceased.

MATTIE W. TOMPKINS,
Attorney for the Estate,
Avon Park, Florida
Pub: Oct. 24, 31, Nov. 7, 14, 21

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205 W. Main St. Avon Park, Florida

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

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That the party interested in said business enterprise is as follows:
M. A. Jones.

Dated at November 18, 1957 Highlands County, Florida.
Nov. 21, 28, Dec. 5, 12, 1957

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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
(South Lake Ave.)
Rev. Wilmer O. Luttrell, Pastor
Church School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 10:55 a.m.
Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.
Nursery for children
Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Glad Night Service, 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
(South Forest Avenue)
Dale I. Royal, Evangelist
Sunday Bible Study, 10 a.m.
Preaching 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
(North Lake Avenue)
Rev. Aden D. Childress, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Nursery for small children during the morning service
Training Union, 6:15 p.m.
Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service, 7:45 p.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
(South Central Ave.)
Rev. Harvey Stocker, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m. (with classes for all ages)
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Christ Ambassador Service, 6:15 p.m.
Evangelistic Service, 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service, 7:30 p.m.

THE FIRST PILGRIM CHURCH
(No. Rest Ave. cor. of Thomas)
Rev. John P. Abshure, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Worship, 10:45 a.m.
Youth Service, 7:00 p.m.
Evangelistic Service, 7:45 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:45 p.m.

CHURCH OF GOD
(No. Florida Ave.)
Rev. D. V. Staten, Pastor
Sunday School, 10 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday Prayer Service, 7:30 p.m.
Thursday Young People's Service, 7:30 p.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
(Cor. E. Pine and Fairfield)
Services 11:00 a.m. each Sunday.
Wednesday Evening Service 8 p.m. (1st and 3rd Wednesdays)
Reading Room is open each Friday from 2 to 4 p.m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
(W. Main St. & DeSoto Ave.)
Rev. Bill T. Robinson
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
Young and Junior Society, 7:00 p.m.
Evangelistic Service, 7:45 p.m.
Wednesday prayer service, 7:45 p.m.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
(Church St. & No. Forest Ave.)
Rev. Herbert Graetz, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.

CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER EPISCOPAL
(E. Pleasant and Verona)
Rev. Father Peter F. Watterson, Vicar
Sundays:
7:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist
9:30 a.m. Church School
11:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist, 1st and 3rd Sundays.
Morning Prayer 2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays.
Nursery in session during the 11 o'clock services.
Wednesday and Holy Days: Holy Eucharist at 9:00 a.m.

FLORIDA AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. J. M. Gilbreath, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
Training Union 6:45 p.m.
Wednesday prayer service, 8 p.m.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
(Chapel at Walker Memorial)
Elder William Arnold, Pastor
Sabbath School, 9:30 a.m. (Saturday)
Morning Worship 11 a.m. (Saturday)
Prayer Meeting, 7:45 p.m. (Wednesday)

OUR LADY OF GRACE CATHOLIC CHURCH
(Bombing Range Road)
Rev. Father Emil A. Heiring
Sunday Mass, 9:00 a.m.

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FOR SALE — Beautiful 2 bedroom home on Lake Lillian, hardwood floors, ceiling heat, large electric range and refrigerator, underground irrigation. Owner going overseas.

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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. 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.)

James M. Coarsey, Jr. and wife to R. D. Griner and wife. Lots 27 and 28 Pine Ridge Park. $900.

Aubrey C. Ratliff and wife to Robert L. Catron and wife Lot 18, Blk 88-C, Kenilworth Park. $8500.

Maxcy Securities Inc. to B. L. Berg Company. Lands in Sec. 2, Twp 34, R28, and lots in Warren and Monday's Sub. $53,800.

Highlands Properties, Inc, to Highlands Park, Inc. Entire Blk 17, Sec. B, Highlands Park Estates. $1700.

Highlands Park, Inc. to Highlands Properties, Inc. Entire Blk 2, Sec. B., Highlands Park Estates $1900.

Kuhlman Company to Paul R. Johnson. Lot 5, Blk 1 and Lot 31, Blk 3, Lake Josephine. $4,250.

Highlands Homesites, Inc. to Jessie M. Hill. Lots 15 and 16, Blk 18, Sec. D, Highlands Park Estates. $800.

Highlands Downs, Inc. to Elrene H. Owens and Ede Mae Perring. Lots 15 and 16, Blk 26, Sec. R, Highlands Park Estates. $800.

Highlands Downs Inc. to William Hevert and wife. Lot 12, Blk 13, Sec. R. Highlands Park Estates. $400.

Highlands Downs Inc. to R. M. Maitland. Lot, 7, Blk 17, Sec. R, Highlands Park Estates. $400.

Highlands Downs Inc. to Arthue B. Eaton and wife. Lot 26, Blk Sec R. Highlands Park Estates. $400.

Avon Park Chamber of Commerce to Donald E. and Ronald R. Wood. Lots 1151 to 1153, Unit 4, Avon Park Lakes. $900.

Annie Lou Sims to Vera Collier. Lots 6 and 7, Blk 3, Hanson's Add. $2250.

City of Avon Park to Touchton Inc. Lands and Lots and blocks in T 33S, R 28E. $1250.

Avon Park Chamber of Commerce to Dominick and Mary Palczuski. Lots 969 to 973 inc., Unit 3, Avon Park Lakes. $1500.

Mrs. Laura Couch to Leona Estridge. Lot 24, Blk 62, Sebring. $11,000.

H. O. Murphy and wife to Frederic W. Jahna and wife. Lots 13, 14, 15, & N½ lot 16, less RR RW, Blk 71, Sec. 22, TWP 33, R 28, $2300.

Carrie S. McGiboney to Frederic W. Jahna and wife. Lot 9, Blk 1, RedTop on Lake Isis Shores, $4400.

Sam P. Cooper and wife, B. F. William and wife to Sam J. and Carmen Burch Cooper. Lands in Sec. 5, Twp 35, R29. $2,000.

W. T. and Gertrude Connell to William R. and Janet B. Hood. Lands in Sec. 27, Twp 33, R28. $200.

William H. Hilty to Fred D. and Thelma L. Russ. West 150 ft. lot 103. Dinner Lake Suburbs. $7500.

Lake Blue Estates Inc. to Mervin L. and Clara B. Curtis. Lot 6, Blk 8, Lake Blue Estates. $1500.

Lake Blue Estates Inc. to A. F. L. and Alma E. Anderson. Lot 8, Blk 9, Lake Blue Estates. $1750.

John W. and Frances S McIntyre to Freddie O. and Ethel Allene Merritt Heyder. Lot 7, Blk 2, Harris Lake Placid Camp Sites. $7000.

Lake Blue Estates, Inc. to Philip E. and Sophie March. N½ lot 15, all lot 16, Blk 129, Lakeview Place Addition. $11,500.

Marshall F. Alice D. Richards to Irving A. and Mary A. Grannick. Lot 17, Blk "H", Lake Jackson Blvd., Sec. 25, Twp 34, R 28. $4600.

Avon Park Chamber of Commerce to Ernest J. Luthiger. Lots 4275 to 4279, Unit 14, Avon Park Lakes $1500.

Highlands Hills, Inc. to Dorothy Rapine and Elaine H. Fazio. Lots 27 & 28, Blk 7, Sec. G, Highlands Park Estates. $900.

Highlands Hills, Inc. to Amanda G. Beeler. Lots 20 and 21, Blk 7, Sec. G. Highlands Park Estates. $800.

Highlands Homesites, Inc. to Raymond J. Reierson. Lot 37, Blk 9, Sec. D, Highlands Park Estates, $400.

Highlands Homesites, Inc. to Rudolph T. Reierson. Lot 38, Blk 9, Sec. D, Highlands Park Estates. $400.

Casner Motors, Inc. to Jack B. Pittman. S 200' of N 800 of Fract., SE¼ of NE¼, Sec. 8, Twp 37, R 30. $8,000.

William P. and Ethel D. Cooper to Earl H. and Cornelia White. Lands in Sec. 35, Twp 34, R28. $2800.

Harry L. and Eleanor Mae Hickman to 27-98 Holding Corp. Farm Lot 7, Town of DeSota City, Sec. 15, Twp 35, R29. $22,500.

John L. and Beulah Duncan, to Theodore and Mabel Feichert. Parcel No. 71, Highlands Homes Sub. $2900.

Highlands Downs, Inc. to Olga Pavlyshyn. Lot 9 and 10, Blk 27, Sec. R, Highlands Park Estates. $900.

Highlands Gardens Inc. to Ivy L. Bonell. Lot 4, Blk 10, Sec. F, Highlands Park Estates. $600.

Miles C. and Violet Dearden to Frank J. and Cecelia Rose Klecka. Lot 21 and Part lot 22, Blk 118, Lake View Place Addition, $17,500.

San Felipe Corporation to Edward R. Vose. Lots 8 and 9, Blk 5, Lake Blue Estates. $4300.

Carroll R. Phenicie to Ethel Sullens McKelvaine. S½ lot 12, and all lot 13, Blk 47, Sec. 22, Twp 33, R 28. $10,500.

James M. Coarsey Jr. and wife to Jennie A. Reninger. Lots 11 and 12 Pine Ridge Park. $1250.

Johna Avon Park Ready-Mix Inc. to Consolidated Naval Stores Company. Land in Sec. 6, Twp 37, R 30. $2700.

Carroll and Olga Albritton to Fleta M. Homberg. Lots 5131, 5132, 5133, Unit 16, Avon Park Lakes. $900.

Danny and Ruth Stein to Benjamin Weinstock. An undivided 1/3 interest in and to lots 9, 10, 11, & 12, Blk A, Lake Jackson Blvd. Sub. $8500.

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Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Johnston have returned from Prairietown, Indiana, to spend the winter at their home on Lake Viola.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hutchinson and their daughters, Sue and Carol, spent Monday in Tampa shopping. Robert Hall returned to Avon Park with them.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Blalock of Orlando spent last weekend in Avon Park as guests of Mrs. Blalock's mother, Mrs. Helen Harris.

Dr. and Mrs. Richard Hedrick and their daughter, Kristi, spent last weekend in Winter Haven with his mother, Mrs. R. B. Hedrick.

Mrs. L. A. Renfro returned last week from a two week visit with Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Murphy at their beautiful home in Flat Rock, N. C. Mrs. Renfro reports that the weather was cool and lovely and the mountains beautiful with all the trees wearing their fall colors.

Mrs. W. D. Dorminey is staying at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. David Lanier, after undergoing surgery at the Walker Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Dorminey's many friends will be happy to know that she is getting along well.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Griffith and their children, Hawley and Reed, have moved to Orlando. Their friends in Avon Park are sorry to see them go but wish them well in Orlando.

L. S. Hedrick of West Palm Beach spent several days with his brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Richard Hedrick, in Avon Park last week.

Recent weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Futch at their home in Lakeside Heights were her sister and brother-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. M. E. Peacock, of Miami, and Mrs. Futch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. West, of Jacksonville.

Mrs. Annie Robbins and Mrs. Llewelyn Dobson of Miami were the weekend guests of the Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Rice. Mrs. Robbins and Mrs. Dodson are sisters of the Rev. Rice and had not seen their brother since his recent long trip to Texas.

Mrs. C. B. Anderson attended the wedding of Miss Jean Hailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hailey, of St. Augustine, to Robert T. Bowers, Jr., in St. Augustine this weekend. Mrs. Anderson is a very dear friend of the bride's mother and also the bridegroom's mother. They both attended college with her.

Mrs. R. Alvis Cox spent last Monday in Tampa on a pleasure trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jahns of Babson Park and Avon Park have moved to Avon Park with their two children. They are at present living in the Abel House on Highlands Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rutherford and their three daughters, Gayle, Jan, and vickie, of Plant City visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rutherford and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Landress, on Sunday. Mrs. Ray Rutherford returned with them to Plant City for a three weeks visit there and in Orlando.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshal Barmard of Tokama Park near Washington, D. C. spent last week with her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. F. R. Bayley. They returned to their home on Saturday.

Miss Mikel Kempton of Orlando spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Msr. Reed Griffith

Mr. and Mrs. John Gambrell and their small son, Randy, have returned home after a visit of a week with his parents in Glade, Miss. The Gambrells flew from Tampa to Mississippi.

If you have had company or been on a trip please call Mrs. Betty Anderson, GL 24331, for the local column in the Avon Park Sun. Thanks.

Harriet Crews entertained a few of her friends at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Elton on Saturday night with a supper at Hilltop and slumber party. The girls who spent the night with Harriet were Ginger Maness, Vickie Harrison, and Janice Faye Mills.

Dr. Earl Furgeson of the Westminister Theological Seminary in Westminister, Maryland, spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Shepherd at their home on Lake Lotela. Dr. Furgeson has been lecturing at Florida Southern College and has now returned to his home. The Shepherds and Dr. Furgeson have been friends for many years.

John Kluberg of Jackson, Michigan, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Kluberg, at their home on Lake Angelo. Mr. Kluberg had been on a business trip to Georgia and flew down for visit with his family. His brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Kluberg and their children, Nancy, Kathy, and John, of Miami joined the family for a visit also. The Nelson Klubergs also visited Mrs. Kluberg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Betts.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Thompson were called to Jessup, Georgia, last Friday due to the illness and death of her stepfather, Mr. E. B. Tudor. The funeral was held in Screven, Ga., on Monday afternoon in the First Baptist Church. Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Thompson also attended the funeral of his grandfather. Sgt. Larry E. Thompson of Ft. Polk, La. joined his family in Georgia for the funeral also.

Jeanette Zera, recent graduate of Avon Park High School, will leave January 6 for Kansas City, Missouri, where she will enter the Central Training Institute to train for the duties of an airline hostess. Jeanette is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Poling.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Alexander of Ft. Lauderdale recently spent five days with his mother, Mrs. Ruby Alexander. While here Allen finished painting his mother's home which he had begun as a surprise to her earlier in the summer.

One of the several hunting parties that hunted on the Avon Park Bombing Range this weekend consisted of Gene Baker, Harold Baker, Bill Hood, Alton LaFlam, Elton Crews and his son, Clifton, Charlie Locke and Ray Marsh.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Fortner of Winter Haven spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Dyer. Mrs. Fortner and Mrs. Dyer are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Rogers and Mrs. Ruby Alexander spent a weekend recently in Clewiston visiting Mrs. Albert Rogers, their daughter-in-law and sister-in-law. Mrs. Rogers stepped on a needle which broke off in her foot and has given her quite a bit of trouble. At present she is better and able to be up and around on crutches.

Sgt. Larry E. Thompson of Fort Polk, La., is home on leave and will be visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Thompson, until Nov. 22.

If you are expecting company for Thanksgiving or going away for the day please call Mrs. Betty Anderson, GL 24331 before the weekend of Nov. 23 as the Sun will go to press early on Thanksgiving week.

John Elwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. McKee Elwell, has completed his work in Jay, Florida, near Ft. Walton Beach and spent last weekend with his parents in Avon Park. John is employed with the Federal Fruit Inspection Service and will be in DeLand now.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Locke and their daughters, Patty and Lissa, of Homestead spent last weekend with her mother, Mrs. J. L. Wells. Ray Marsh of Homestead who lived in Avon Park at one time accompanied the Lockes. The men hunted over the weekend and Mr. Locke was fortunate in shooting a turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Tomlinson returned last week from Schenectady, N. Y., where they were called by the illness and death of her mother, Mrs. Viola Doney McFarland.

Rev. E. E. Shiltz and son, Jerome, attended a business meeting of the Avon Park Camp Tuesday in Winter Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chioffe of Union, N. J. were the guests of Misses Kate and Mattie Tompkins over the weekend of November 9th. Mr. and Mrs. Chioffe attended the Ford Motor Company Convention in Miami the following week. Mr. Chioffe was a Major at the Avon Park Bombing Range during the War and was also connected with the Lodwick Training School in Avon Park during that period. He and his family spent several months in Avon Park while he was stationed here.

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First Baptist Church News

Brotherhood Supper

More than eighty fathers and sons attended the Brotherhood Supper on Thursday evening, Nov. 14, in the Social Hall of the First Baptist Church.

Each member brought his son or if he had no son some young boy with him. An interesting program was held and everyone enjoyed the delicious supper.

Young Adult Department

All members of the Young Adult Department of the First Baptist Church are asked to keep in mind and attend the Thanksgiving Turkey Dinner to be held on Monday evening, Nov. 25, at seven o'clock in the Social Hall of the Church. The nursery will be open for those desiring to leave their children there.

Week of Prayer

The Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions and the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering will be held at the First Baptist Church on Dec. 2 through Dec. 6, 1957.

The schedule of the daily programs will be announced in next week's Avon Park Sun.

Community Thanksgiving Service

The annual Union Thanksgiving service for Avon Park will be held at the Church on Thursday, Nov. 28, at 10 o'clock. The choir will furnish the music for this service.

Revival

The annual revival of the First Baptist Church will be held on January 21, through February 7, 1958. The evangelist will be Dr. Chester Swor of Jackson, Mississippi. Dr. Swor

Episcopal Church News

St. Margaret's Auxiliary of the Church of the Redeemer met on Wednesday, Nov. 13, at 1:30 in the Parrish House for dessert and coffee and their regular monthly meeting.

Mrs. Walter S. Betts, President, presided over the business meeting.

The Rev. Eric N. Robinson from the St. Ann's Church in Wauchula was the guest speaker. His topic was "Our Responsibility for Bringing Others to Church" and his talk very interesting and informative. Mrs. Sherman Francisco was in charge of the worship service.

Hostesses were Mrs. Sherman Francisco, Mrs. George Border, Mrs. Samuel Stewart and Mrs. A. S. Paine.

Young Episcopal Churchmen

The Young Episcopal Churchmen held a hamburger fry at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hutchinson on Lake Lotela on Sunday evening, Nov. 17.

Sue Pounds and Steve Love were in charge of the fry and has been an outstanding evangelist and youth leader among Southern Baptists for many years.

Garden Club News

Founder's Circle

Founder's Circle of the Avon Park Federated Garden Clubs held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. H. E. Keller on Thursday afternoon, Nov. 14, with Mrs. W. S. Betts serving as co-hostess.

Plans were made for the annual Christmas Tea which is a Federated Garden Club Project. The tea will be held on Dec. 12 at the home of Mrs. W. C. Touchton with Mrs. H. E. Keller, Mrs. Charles Kempton, Mrs. Paul Garber, Mrs. John Hood, and Mrs. Arlin King as co-hostesses.

All members of the Avon Park Garden Clubs are cordially invited to attend the State Flower Show in Eustis on Dec. 6, 7, and 8th. This will be an outstanding display of lovely arrangements, etc.

In the absence of Mrs. H. C. Wright, Hospital Chairman, Mrs. E. A. Shepherd made this announcement. All Christmas pieces for the Hillcrest Nursing Home and Walker Memorial Hospital should be taken to the home of Mrs. Mervin Rehrer on East Camphor Street by 3 o'clock on Dec. 23. Mrs. Rehrer and her committee will place these at the various places. All members are asked to please remember this date and plan to contribute as many pieces as possible for this worthwhile project in garden therapy.

Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Horticultural Chairman, showed the members a calendar that is to be given away at the Flower Show. The calendar takes plants that are easy to grow in Florida and tells when to plant, type of soil needs, type of fertilizer needs, and much other helpful information about Florida planting. This was a very interesting and informative talk.

Mrs. E. F. Armstrong supplied the plant for the drawing and Mrs. Paul Rumpsa won it Delicious sandwiches and cake were served by the hostesses.

Hibiscus Circle

Hibiscus Circle of the Avon Park Federated Garden Clubs held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. George Walters on Thursday afternoon, about eight members were present. Nov. 14.

The members of Hibiscus Circle welcomed these new members to their circle at the meeting; Mrs. Clarence Scudder, Mrs. H. E. Barker, Mrs. Clinton Tish, Mrs. R. C. Fries, Mrs. J. Clinton Hardin, Mrs. R. M. Coats, and Mrs. Guy Decker.

Mrs. W. G. Reitzner, acting chairman of the recent Plant Mart, reported the Plant Mart was a large success. Mrs. P. C. Boney, Horticultural Chairman, gave an interesting report on Gerbers and how to raise them.

Mrs. L. D. McGiboney presented the program with demonstrations and illustrations of various Christmas decorations. Mrs. McGiboney showed many simple and beautiful designs and decorations that the members could use in their homes during the holidays.

The members of the circle voted to make a donation to the Ridge Area Day School. Plans for the annual Christmas tea at the home of Mrs. W. C. Touchton were discussed.

Congregational Church News

The Evening Circle of the Union Congregational Church will hold its regular monthly meeting on Monday night, Nov. 25, at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Fred Montsdeoca on Lake Lotela with Mrs. Dick Poling serving as co-hostess.

All women of the church are cordially invited to attend the circle meeting. Dr. Richard Hedrick will be the guest speaker. Members may bring rummage to the meeting.

The first Marine Helicopter Squadron was commissioned at Quantico, Va., in December

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BY J. WILEY COTHRAN
Weather Observer

	Max.	Min.	Rain
November 20	88	64	—
November 21	80	64	—
November 22	87	65	—
November 23	89	66	—
November 24	87	66	—
November 25	80	67	.19

Ridge League of Municipalities To Meet In Avon Park Dec. 12

The City of Avon Park will be host to the Ridge League of Municipalities at a dinner meeting at the Jacaranda Hotel Thursday night, December 12, at 7 o'clock.

Speakers at these meetings are considered authorities in their field, and are members of the staff at either the University of Florida or the Florida State University. The subject for the Avon Park meeting will be "Better Police and Fire Service".

The Ridge League of Municipalitues had its beginnings in the summer of 1948, when a small group of officials from various cities in Central Florida met to exchange administrative information and policies concerning various municipal problems.

The first recorded minutes were taken in an informal session at Lake Alfred on July 14, 1948, with eight cities represented. It was the group's second meeting. Copies of ordinances were exchanged, and members voted to include cooperation with the Florida League of Municipalities as one of its many objectives. A suitable name was discussed and adopted by the organization on October 11, 1948. Mayor C. Allen of Auburndale was elected first president; City Commissioner George Tolson of Lakeland was elected president the following year. Eleven cities were represented in the organization by the end of the year.

Today - after 10 years of growth - the Ridge League of Municipalities represents 25 cities, and its monthly meet-

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Editorial Line-Up For December 1957 Issue Of All Florida Magazine

After reading "Donna in Fairyland" you'll wish you were a child again. This feature story in the coming issue of ALL FLORIDA MAGAZINE describes a little girl's visit to an honest-to-goodness fairyland in Tampa. Recently opened in Lowry Park, Fairyland will certainly provide an unforgettable experience for all who visit it.

"He Takes His Audience into the Jungle", by Jan Dahlem, describes the adventures of Joseph Sheckler, explorer, photographer and lecturer. Now a resident of St. Petersburg, Sheckler travels cost-to-cost talking people into the wilds of the jungle through film and lectures.

Aleene Kidd describes the "Salvation of a Gangster" in her thumbnail sketch of Capt. Vernon Hall of Ocala. Now the leader of the Salvation Army in Ocala, Capt. Hall spent his early years as a member of a smallfry gang in Chicago.

"Floridarama in Action" is the story of Florida, expressed by the people who live here, in the poetic language of the lover of flowers, according to Marie Bolles. Floridarama is a state flower show which will be held in Lake County in early December.

Lydia Lane interviews Patricia Morison in this week's Hollywood Beauty column. Miss Morison describes her "Exercises for a Trim Figure."

This Christmas, why don't you "Give your Gift Wrappings that Florida Touch" as Sandra Brosseau suggests? Pictured in full color on page 13 are some delightfully different gift wrappings with a Florida

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GOLD BADGE PRESENTATIONS: Fire Commissioner, Bob Lee, was presented a gold badge by Mack Flowers on behalf of the Fire Department for his outstanding service to the fire department for the past two years and for the numerous services he has performed above his regular duties. W. W. Giddens, Fire Chief, was presented a gold badge by Cliff Landis on behalf of the volunteer firemen in recognition of his leadership and guidance for the past few years. The Badges were presented at the Firemen's Association dinner held November 19 at the Fire Station. Shown in the picture above just after the presentation are Mack Flowers, Bob Lee, W. W. Giddens and Cliff Landis.

Several Rooms At Walker Memorial To Be Modernized

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Johnson of Avon Park took the first step last week in a plan they have in mind to completely modernize several rooms at Walker Memorial Sanitarium and Hospital.

A brief ceremony of acceptance on the part of the management was held November 10 in the first room to be completed. A bronze plaque will be placed on the door of room 211 commemorating this generous deed.

This room contains the first all electric Hi-low bed to be installed in this area. Fingertip control of bed height as well as head and foot angle is available to the patient. Wall to wall carpet, new lighting fixtures, drapes, blankets, pillows, the best in mattress combinations and all essential utensils for patient use are included in the room furnishings.

Rogero Meets With Officials On Paving Of City Streets; 4-Laning Of Hwy. 27 To Begin 1st Of Year

A special called meeting of the Board of County Commissioners was held Monday afternoon, November 25, with representatives from Avon Park, Sebring and Lake Placid to discuss street paving in the various towns of the County from the Secondary Road Money. Al Rogero, State Road Board member, and H. M. Johnson, District Engineer, met with the group.

The Board submitted their Secondary Road priority to the State Road Department on March 15, 1957 which included paving of certain streets in these cities. But the Attorney for the State Department claims that the Secondary Road money could not be used in the paving of all streets listed in the priority. According to his interpretation of the only streets within the cities that could be paved are ones that connect two state roads, either primary or secondary.

After much discussion of the problem concerning construction of within city limits of the various cities, Mr. Rogero asked the cities to submit a list of streets within their cities, again and a letter explaining why each street was needed.

Mayor E. A. DeLaney acted as spokesman for the group. Also present from Avon Park

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Harry Lee Released On Habeas Corpus

Harry Lee, former Highlands County Judge, cited for contempt of court last week by County Judge Mervin Rehrer obtained his release on a Writ of Habeas Corpus late Monday afternoon.

Sheriff Broward Coker had been ordered by Judge Rehrer to collect a fine of $20 from Lee or confine him in the County Jail for 24 hours on a charge of violating the vehicle laws. Lee was involved in a minor accident recently and charged by the Florida Highway Patrol with following to closely.

The order signed by Circuit Judge Joe D. Kinsey reads:

The recitations contained in the capias issued by the County Judge are considered insufficient as a basis for contempt proceedings in that it only appears there from that he advised the contemner to appear in his court on November 20, no direct order of the Court appears to be involved; the contemner was not accorded due process of law in that notice was not served upon him as to why the order should not be en-

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Lt. Col. Jerome P. Ellis Assigned To Randolph Air Force Base

Lieutenant Colonel Jerome P. Ellis, son of Col. and Mrs. D. M. Ellis of Avon Park, has been assigned to the Air Training Command, United States Air Force, at Randolph Air Force Base, near San Antonio, Texas. He is the commander of the 3300th Support Squadron, an organization of more than 1,200 officers and enlisted personnel.

Headquarters of the Air Training Command is located at Randolph. ATC, which operates more than 30 air bases throughout the nation, recruits and trains all officers and enlisted personnel in the United States Air Force.

A graduate of the United States Military Academy at West Point with a Bachelor of

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Mrs. Worden Appointed To U S 27 Committee

Mrs. Anna Belle Worden, executive secretary of the Avon Park Chamber of Commerce, attended a joint Membership and Strip Map committee meeting of the U. S. Highway 27 Association of Florida held at Silver Springs last week.

Mrs. Worden, who is on the Membership committee, was also appointed to serve on the Strip Map committee. Also serving on this committee are, C. D. Davenport, advertising agent for Silver Springs; R. P. Cockran, Citrus Tower, Clermont, and John Dillin, Manager of the Lake Wales Chamber.

The main duty of the committee is to design and prepare a U. S. Highway 27 strip map, and these maps are to be distributed throughout the state. The advertising of U. S. 27 is important as it is the heartline to this community.

The aims and objectives of the U. S. Highway 27 Association of Florida are and will continue to be as follows:

(1) To dedicate its fullest energy and the energies of its members to the objective of bringing the State Road Department of Florida to improve the full length of U. S. Highway 27 in Fla. by four-laning, rerouting, repaving or by any other method found essential to the attainment of such objectives,

(2.) To dedicate a substantial portion of its funds annually to the issuance of an adequate strip map designed to properly promote U. S. Highway 27 in Fla. as the most desirable highway in the state; and, to ex-

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Mrs. Worden Attends Haines City Banquet

Mrs. Anna Belle Worden, executive secretary of the Avon Park Chamber of Commerce, was guest of the Haines City Chamber at their annual banquet Thursday night, November 21.

Senator Spessard Holland, principal speaker, gave a very interesting address. Several of his statements can be applied to all communities. He cautioned a city against going out for material things and neglecting such community responsibilities as libraries, hospitals and educational facilities.

Mrs. Worden and other visiting Chamber executives attending the banquet were introduced to approximately 550 persons who were present.

WAVP To Cover Miami - Pittsburg Game Dec. 7

WAVP, Avon Park's radio station, will broadcast the University of Miami-Pittsburg football game Saturday afternoon, December 7, from the Orange Bowl in Miami.

Charlie Cummins will present a play by play description of the game for WAVP's many listeners. Cummins will take a complete crew to Miami with him for the big game.

Wells Motor Company will be the sponsor for the broadcast of the game.

New Leaders In Touchton's Vote Contest

Votes were counted Tuesday in the Boy and Girl contest at Touchton's Drug Company and new leaders in the top ten spots are being announced. Check the latest bulletin in Touchton's window showing the top forty boys and girls. Nobody knows who the winner will be until the last vote is counted. The contest runs until December 21, so request your votes for the child of your choice.

The top ten girls leading the list of contestants are: Gale Meyer, Mary Ann Durden, Rita Rich, Gail Harris, Ann Gay, Sharon Holcombe, Diana Whitlock, Pat Anderson, Nancy Wright and Trudie Mitchell.

The ten boys leading are: G. L. Townsend, Jr., Jim Ridley, Bobby Rush, Roy Coats, Jonny Lee, James McCullough, Bill Wild, Steve Prisco, Bill Fries and Jonny Todd.

Plymouth Dealer Attends Special Bob Hope Show

E. Ray Wells and Harmon Atkins attended a closed circuit TV program in Tampa Friday afternoon. The purpose of the program was to introduce Bob Hope to the Plymouth dealers of America.

During the afternoon announcement was made of Plymouth's big new "Money Ahead Contest", in which some lucky person will win $500 a month for life. Other prizes will include 18 new Plymouth sport sedans, 450 radios and many other wonderful prizes.

Visit Wells Motor Company and discover how easy it is to enter this contest for the only requirement is you must be the owner of an automobile, regardless of the make. Nothing to buy, so enter today.

Thanksgiving Service At First Baptist Church

The annual Union Thanksgiving service will be held at the First Baptist Church on Thanksgiving, Nov. 28, at 10 o'clock.

This service is sponsored by the Ministerial Association of Avon Park for the community and all citizens are invited to attend and worship together on Thanksgiving day.

Ministers from several churches will take part in the service and Radio Station WAVP will broadcast the service.

Avon Park Restaurants Serving Special Thanksgiving Dinners

Tomorrow is Thanksgiving day and with it we all should be thankful for the many blessings that have been given to each of us during the past year, and look forward to another year with confidence. The eating places in Avon Park are of the best in the state, and are always ready to greet not only the many visitors that come this way each year, but to also welcome the homefolks.

Tomorrow being Thanksgiving day each place that serves food will be trying to please everyone, and will serve the traditional turkey dinner with all the trimmings. An invitation is extended by these places not only to our visitors, but to every family in our fair city.

Make it a day of truly Thanksgiving by bringing the family to participate in the

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Lions To Hear Winter Haven Story Tuesday

A speical program is planned for the Avon Park Lions Club meeting to be held on Tuesday, December 19th at Griffins Restaurant. The "Winter Haven Story" will be told by several members of the Winter Haven Lions Club.

"The Winter Haven Story" is the story of the unusual Sight Conservation Program of the Lions Club of that city. It is a program so outstanding that it has become a model for Lions Clubs throughout the world and has received official recognition from the Lions International headquarters. Sight conservation is the main project of Lionism and the Winter Haven club has led the way.

Leading the program will be Lion Phil Gutierrez, Zone Chairman, from Winter Haven. Invited guests for the evening include school officials, county health nurse and Dr. Richard P. Hedrick.



MR. AND MRS. ELMER JOHNSON presents check for modernizing hospital room to H. M. Baldwin, manager of Walker Memorial Hospital

Minutes Of Regular Meeting Of City Council November 25, 1957

Members present, Mr. Dilley, King, Lee, McFarland, Kirkland. Also Mayor, City Attorney, and City Clerk were present.

Mr. Lee presiding.

The Invocation was given by Mr. McFarland.

Mr. W. J. Heim asked that the Council construct a sewer on Camphor Street from Fairfield to Highlands avenue. The Council agreed to lay the sewer if the property owners would purchase the pipe.

The bids that were called for on the Load Packer were opened and read. Those submitting bids were Power Brake and Equipment Company of Tampa; Lakeland Truck Equipment Company of Lakeland; Finley and Associates, Inc. of Lakeland and Deboliac Truch Equipment Company of West Palm Beach.

After reviewing the bids the President appointed the following committee to study these bids; Mr. King, Chairman of the Committee, Mr. McFarland, and Mr. Kirkland.

Mr. M. A. Jones request regarding paving street by the Motel were tabled.

The American Legion again requested that two acres of Airport Property be obtained. The Committee members consisted of: Mr. Grover Bates, Jim Heim, Dr. Stuart Ward, Minter Hall and Leavy Clark. This request was turned over to the City Attorney to determine the City's right to dispose of any Airport property.

Mr. E. A. Martin, representing the Avon Park Board of Realtors and Committee presented Housing problem and requested for the West Side of Highlands Avenue and the South side of Cornell be zoned and industrial. The City Council in its entirety will work with the State Planning Board, Avon Park Realty Board, and Zoning Board on this problem of slum clearance.

Motion by Mr. McFarland, seconded by Mr. Kirkland that Heim & Heim, Architects for the

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Blitch's Trial Postponed

Trial of T. J. Blitch, Jr., of Lakeland, on an arson charge has been postponed until January 6, 1958. The case to have been tried early in December was reset for January when Attorney C. J. Hardee of Tampa, member of the defense counsel, notified State Attorney R. B. Huffaker he was confined to bed with several broken ribs.

Blitch is accused of hiring the services of Earl Lane, also of Tampa to burn an insured fruit bin on South Highlands Avenue in Avon Park.

54 Visitors Register At Local Chamber

Fifty-four visitors from fourteen different states registered at the Avon Park Chamber of Commerce beween November 14 and November 22, with more visitors from New York than any of the other states.

Recent visitors include; Dr. and Mrs. Garland Clark, Winchester, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hall, Rochester, N. Y.; Edward Pfaltygraf, Baltimore, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Clay W. Kull, Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. John E. Johnson, Gerry, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rentschler, Marion, Ohio; Andrew J. Welebin, Arlington, Va.; Louis Burlew and Romona Burlew, Elmira and Jamestown, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Meek, Baltimore, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Roger Myers, Knapp, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Rankey, Tivoli, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Allen Carlson; Joseph A. Martin, Bethel, Vermont; Mrs. Elizabeth K. Hayes, Rockwell, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. S. [illegible], Goshen, N. Y.; Edwin L. Goodwin, Falls Church, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lindberg, [illegible] Mills, Ind.; Daniel [illegible], Monticillo, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Miller, Galion, Ohio; Ulta Belle McDaniel, [illegible]

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Statement From City Council

On Tuesday November 19th, there appeared on the mall mounds of sand representing four graves marked with the names of Mr. Russell Mizell, Mr. Oscar Wolf, Mr. John Seaborne and Mrs. Louise B. Armstrong; they were prepared by a person or persons unknown to the City Council.

The Council deplores any activity that reflects against any individual and therefore the Council wishes to express their sincere apology to the above named persons for any embarrassment that may have been occassioned by this action.

Christmas Club Checks Have Been Sent Members

The Avon Citrus Bank announces that Christmas savings checks for 1957 are either in the mail or have been mailed to all members. Those who had a Christmas club in our bank are now able to enjoy a more enjoyable Christmas, and to give many gifts without worrying about where the money was coming from. Hundreds of patrons of this bank had accounts with us this year and the 1958 club is now being formed, so come in today and select the one that is best suited to your financial status. A few dollars saved each week will not be missed, and when shopping time comes next year, you will have the money saved and shopping will be a real pleasure.

We invite everyone to come in now and open your 1958 Christmas savings club.



FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION DINNER: Members of the Avon Park Firemen's Association held a Bar-B-Q steak dinner at the Fire Station on Tuesday night, November 19. Volunteer firemen, members of the police department and City officials enjoyed the delicious dinner which was prepared by Mack Flowers, Glenn Simpson, Durrah Martin, Marvin Bean and J. D. Prevatt.

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In The Flush Of Youth

Going by some of the pessimistic statements and forecasts now being made, one could believe that U. S. agriculture is en route to hell in a handbasket.

Fortunately, however—and without minimizing farm problems—there are plenty of signs that this just isn't true and won't be true.

For instance, farm equipment sales are one good barometer of farm purchasing power, and of the farmer's determination to make his operations more efficient and profitable. The Bureau of National Affairs, in a recent issue of its Economic Review, reports that these sales are rising and will continue to pick up in 1958. Next year's tractor sales are expected to show a three to five per cent gain. Sales of other machinery used by farmers is new up to 14 per cent in dollar volume over last year, and 1958 is expected to show an equally substantial improvement.

The Review adds: "These sales increases are not just a result of increases in farm income, which have been only modest. Farmers are finding that investment in machines cuts costs and enables them to stay in business despite the low prices received for what they produce."

Agriculture has made great strides in cutting costs in this fashion. The mechanical horses pay their way many times over. But there is still tremendous room for the further lowering of production costs through modern tool use. There is small doubt that agriculture's mechanical revolution is still in the flush of youth.

Dictators And The Economy

During one of the President's recent press conferences, he was asked what government programs would be reduced or eliminated in the effort to cut federal spending. In answering, he laid special stress on federal electric power development, saying: ". . . there is a very great difference between local or state government building things, that is, a public utility system or a dam or anything else, and the federal government doing it. Because as federal government begins to run riot with the expenditures that it deems good for the country, if necessary, it can print money; it can go into debt."

Then the President added: ". . . any government that controls all the power in the country can really dictate what the economy is going to be. They can shift it and everything else." He made it clear that the Administration will continue to support the "partnership" plan of power development, which lays the primary responsibility for meeting local power needs on local private enterprise, local government, and other local groups.

Many people see eye to eye with the President in his views on federal power—socialized electricity. These public plants escape all or the major part of the tax burden borne by private enterprise. They become political footballs. And there is plenty of evidence that the people don't want them—in local election after election proposed public power plants and systems have been voted down.

That to one side, what the President said about federal power is unassailable. These monopolies are forced on the people by politicians who make careers of promoting bigger and costlier government, and the people have no choice in the matter. Their power projects are tax-dodgers on a grandiose scale. And inevitably, they become dictators against whose policies there is no effective recourse.

Meikrowave .....

—By Don Meikeljohn

Operation big switch on milk price controls caught Brailey Odham, the Sanford house builder, a little off guard.

Odham had made up his mind that during the two-day hearing he would concentrate on developing testimony on rebates to big grocery stores.

After proving—or at least showing windespread use of the rebate system—he was ready to knock the minimum price down two to three cents at the wholesale level, and put a top of 25 cents a quart at retail in stores.

This is on pasteurized milk.

Odham based this on the fact that most everyone agreed that rebates to big grocery chains were running about 10 percent. By lowering the wholesale price to the big store owner—or at least lowering the minimum, he figured some of the rebate might be passed along to the consumer.

At a private conference of the milk people Monday night before the hearing, they asked Odham to come up and talk to them. He did. He told of his formula and asked them to endorse it.

He left and when he came back they agreed to lower the minimum by a half-cent a quart, but everyone was in favor of abolishing controls.

Odham said "If they're for it, there must be something wrong with it."

Under the circumstances, Odham said he was tempted to stick to his guns on first lowering he minimums and putting a ceiling on prices first—then later considering abolishing wholesale and retail controls.

He felt—as did Robert Carter, board of health member—that this would have allowed a pattern to develop to let the housewife know she should be able to buy milk cheaper at the store than home delivery. (With controls on, milk has to be sold at the store at the same price it is sold at the home. Testimony before the commission indicates that the cost for the delivery to homes is actually being paid—at least in part—by the folks who buy at the store.

Odham felt the same way at 11:30 Wednesday, but he couldn't get the votes, and finally voted for lifting controls an hour later.

He pointed out that he could not vote against abolishing controls because it would be against everything he believed—although he thought it would result in milk prices going up at present.

The big question seems to be: "What will happen to milk prices?"

Among those in the business, the answer seems to be nothing.

The reasoning goes this way."

Since the milk industry sponsored the move to get controls abolished, they probably won't make a move to raise prices immediately.

By the same token, they probably won't lower them, because it would tend to show they could go down.

There will probably be some isolated cases of lower prices, just as there was in the southern part of the state when controls were lifted, but nothing general.

Harvey, the Capitol cat who writes with his tail, visited the hearing. He has this to say "I wandered down out of the Capitol dome to attend the milk commission hearing on price fixing—planning to get a free bowl of milk.

"Instead, all I found were cokes."

"I got the impression that some of the milk folks don't like Brailey Odham."

"During the meeting, I curled at the feet of some of the milk men. Instead of talking about milk, they were discussing the need for a deodarant—er sumpthun.

They kept saying, "BO this, and BO that."

"I was a little bit puzzled, until it occured to me that they were talking about Brailey Odham."

"For what it's worth, I also wandered into some of the local restaurants looking for a handout during the hearing."

"A man had collered Odham and was urging him to run for governor."

Brailey listened politely and thanked the man, but said, "I've already tried that twice, and didn't get anyplace."

Don Meiklejohn

Mary Wiegand Stationed In Ala.

(AHTNC)—Pvt. Mary J. Wiegand, daughter of Mrs. Alama R. Simmons, 17 Oak st., Sebring, Fla., recently completed eight weeks of basic training at the Women's Army Corps Center, Fort McClellan, Ala.

Private Wiegand was graduated from Sebring High School in 1957.

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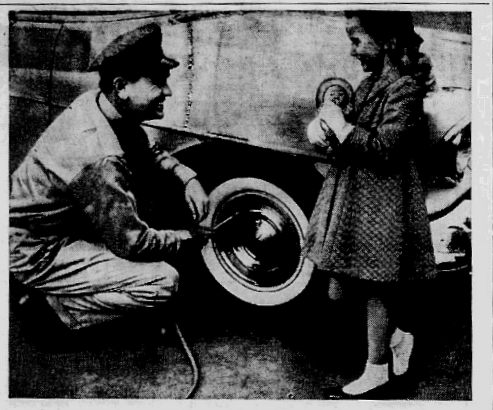

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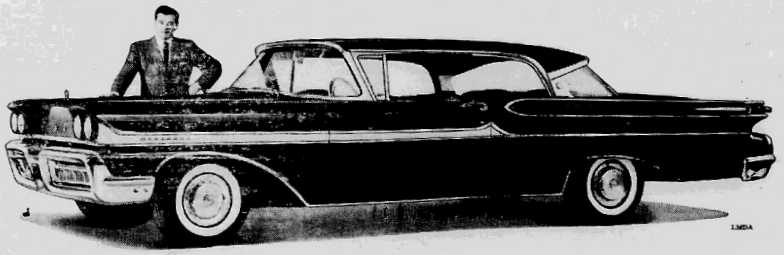

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Red Devils Roll Over Kowboys In Homecoming Game 41-0

A large homecoming crowd saw the Avon Park Red Devils roll over a weak Kissimmee Kowboy eleven last Friday night at Memorial Field by a score of 41 to 0.

The Koyboys, the biggest threat to the Devils in Conference play last season, were no match for the tough Ridge Conference leaders and failed to offer a threat at scoring even during the second half when the second team went into battle. The Red Devils scored almost at will during the first half as the rugged starting team refused to be stopped. All of the Avon Park ball carriers ran with determination and rolled up a total of 443 yards against the visitors.

The scoring started with about two minutes gone when the Devils received the kickoff and drove it across on six running plays. The payoff was a 25 yard dash around left end by Billy Rouse. Big John Starling rammed over the seventh point. Later on in the first quarter halfback Winkie Williams intercepted a Kowboy pass on Kissimmee's 48 yard line and carried it back all the way to score. Rouse went around end for the extra point. The quarter ended with the Devils on the march again. After a 49 yard punt return by Starling the big Red Team drove to the one foot line and lost the ball on a fumble. The Avon Park defense held and the Kowboys punted to the Devils on the 23 yard line. Six plays later John Starling crashed over from the two yard line. Williams tore through for the extra point. Later in the second quarter the visitors punted and Winkie Williams received it at midfield and brought it back all the way to score. He then added the extra point with a perfect kick. This put the score at 28-0.

The Halftime show featured both the Kowboy Band and the Red Devil Band both of which gave excellent performances. The visiting band used an Indian Pow-Wow as their theme and did a very good job. They were well received by the crowd. The Avon Park Band's performance was centered around a fashion show featuring the beauties of the Band.

Also at halftime the Homecoming Queen was announced along with her two attendants. The honor went to Annette Weinzirl as Queen and Sylvia Foster and Bobie Sue Elder as her attendants.

Sponsors for the game were Miss Kay Mizelle escorted by Herman Fentress and Miss Betty Clair Foster escorted by Wayne Lasseter for Avon Park.

After taking the second half kickoff and not being able to gain the Kowboys kicked to Jim Cooper who returned it to the Kissimmee 44 yard line. Only four plays later Avon Park scored again as substitute quarterback Reggie Butler tossed a pass to Ben Earnest on the seven yard line. He stepped over untouched. Tommy Douberly's kick for the point was good. At this point, what few first stringers were in the game, were replaced and sat out the reminder of the game.

For the balance of the third and most of the last quarter the teams played on even terms. Late in the last quarter Daniel Money decided to play as the fifth man in the Kowboy's backfield as he snatched the ball out of Kissimmee's possession and ran 15 yards to score. Douberly's kick for the extra point was blocked. The game ended after the rough and ready Tom Bass intercepted a Kowboy pass and swivel-hipped his way to midfield.

Avon Park had 14 first downs to 3 for the Kowboys. In passing it was 8-3 for the Devils and 12-3 for the visitors. The Devils punted twice for a 36 yard average and Kissimmee punted 6 times for a 33 yard average. Avon Park lost 55 yards on penalties to 20 for Kissimmee.

Minutes—

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City Jail call for bids when specifications are prepared. Upon roll call all members unanimously voted Aye.

Motion by Mr. Dilley, seconded by Mr. King that the agreements between the City of Avon Park and Touchton, Inc. be approved. Upon roll call all members unanimously voted Aye.

The President expressed appreciation of the Council to the Mayor for efforts in Street Problems in meeting with the Road Board Member and County Commissioners.

Motion by Mr. Kirkland, seconded by Mr. McFarland, that the following Resolution be adopted:

Whereas, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Avon Park by unanimous consent adopted a Resolution to the Highlands County Board of Commissioners requesting the widening and resurfacing of the following listed streets in the City of Avon Park:

1. Lake Avenue from U. S. 17A to U. S. 17 or Church Street; widened and resurfaced.

2. Castle Street from U. S. 27 to State Road; paved and resurfaced.

3. Bell Street from U. S. 27 to U. S. 17; resurfaced and paved.

4. Verona Street from U. S. 17 to Bell Street; widened and resurfaced, and,

Whereas, the Board of County Commissioners for Highlands County adopted a similar resolution to the State Road Department of Florida requesting the above listed streets to be placed in the State Road Department Budget for the Project to be constructed from Highlands County's Secondary Road Funds and,

Whereas, the State Road Board of the Florida State Road Department included in their current Fiscal Budget these projects in their entirety and,

Whereas, Bell Street and Verona Avenue have been deleted from the County's Secondary priority list, and,

Whereas, it is the earnest conviction of the Mayor and City Council that these streets are needed desperately by the City of Avon Park.

Now Therefore Be It Resolved By The Mayor, The City Council And The City Officials Of The City Of Avon Park, Florida; that the City Government on behalf and for its citizens hereby petition the Board of County Commissioners for Highlands County to reinstate and adopt by resolution to the State Road Department of Florida all of the projects so listed in this Resolution and further that the State Road Department of Florida be urged to begin and complete these projects as soon as is practicable for the welfare of the citizens of the City of Avon Park, Highlands County, Florida.

Motion by Mr. Kirkland, seconded by Mr. Dilley that the City advertise for a 1958 Police Car with trade-in allowance: To be equipped with Standard Shift, Fourdoor, Passing Gear (Overdrive) Large V-8, Heater, Cigar Lighter, etc. Upon roll call all members unanimously voted Aye.

The Clerk was instructed to start a survey of Pine Street for paving.

The offer of Mr. Slim Wells digger was rejected.

The Clerk was instructed to give the Avon Park Sun a News Release.

Motion by Mr. McFarland, seconded by Mr. Kirkland that the City buy the Fire Department Uniforms consisting of: 2 long-sleeved shirts, 2-shortsleeved shirts and two pairs of pants each. Upon roll call all members unanimously voted Aye.

Motion by Mr. Dilley, seconded by Mr. King that the meeting be adjourned.

Lt. Col.—

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Science degree in 1942. A fighter pilot during World War II, the colonel served in the China-Burma-India theater of operation from January, 1945, to May, 1947. Following seven years at air bases in the United States, Colonel Ellis served with the Air Force Advisory Group in Korea in 1954-55.

Colonel Ellis is married. His wife, Mrs. Isaetta Ellis, his son, Jerome P. Ellis Jr., nine, and his daughter, Talley, eight, are with him at Randolph. Mrs. Ellis is the former Miss Isaetta Coles Talley, daughter of Mrs. M. C. Talley of Lakeland.

Colonel Ellis' father is retired from the United States Army.

Ridge—

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ings are attended by 200 to 300 city officials and their guests. The organization has been described as unique in that its members volunteer their efforts toward better government "above and beyond the normal call of duty." Sessions are held on the second Thursday of each month from October through June of the following year. Meetings are held at night, and members hear discussions on annexation, planning and zoning, ordinance revisions, subdivision regulations, and related problems.

Rogero—

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were Council members, Paul McFarland, Mannin Kirkland, Bob Lee, and Roland Dilley, Mrs. Anna Belle Worden, executive secretary of the Chamber, Roy Seims, George Border, Jerry Meeker, Al Basel, C. Anderson, Charles Metcalfe and H. Maddox.

After the meeting a discussion was held with Mr. Rogero in regards to the four laning of Highway 27. He stated that the Highway would be built starting at the Mall in Avon Park and would run north to the Polk County Line along the same route as the present highway.

As soon as the State Road Department sends the deeds to the County Commissioners they can obtain the right of way and the Contracts can be awarded for construction. According to Mr. Rogero construction will begin at the end of the present tourist season.

Harry—

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tered and he was not given an opportunity to establish his ability or inability to comply with the order of the Court.

The statements contained in the capias fail to establish any circumstances which would tend to embarrass or degrade the County Judge in the performance of his duty.

The circumstances cited in the capias fail to disclose any acts on the part of the contemner that constituted an aspersion on the authority and dignity of the lowe Court.

Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed that the Writ of Habeas Corpus be and the same is hereby granted and the Petitioner is hereby released.

Mrs.—

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tend the distribution of such strip maps by any and all plans found desirable to assure the encouragement, the help of, all agencies equipped to generate traffic to and from Florida; and,

(3) To embrace in this Association all those business and individuals on or easily accessible to U. S. Highway 27 in Fla. who by their financial support or personal help can effectively implement the attainment of the foregoing primary objectives of this Association.

Editorial—

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theme.

Four Floridians wear the Congressional Medal of Honor. Bill Rivers' article, "Florida's Medal of Honor Men" describes the exploits that won the medal for these men.

Regularly featured in All Florida Magazine: When You Retire, Travel Wise, All Florida Patterns.

Avon—

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sumptious food that will be served, which of course includes the traditional turkey, with cranberry sauce, and the many other delicious foods to make the meal truly enjoyable. Your invitation to come and eat dinner with us after you have attended church services extended by the following: Starlite Avon Park Restaurant, Griffins Restaurant, Palms Restaurant, Sams Truck Stop Restaurant. A welcome awaits one and all. Select your choice, but eat your Thanksgiving dinner out.

Mrs. Clifford Taylor Host At Dessert Bridge

Mrs. Clifford T. Taylor entertained some of her friends with a lovely Dessert Bridge Party in the Palm Room of the Jacaranda Hotel on Saturday afternoon, Nov. 23.

The tables were decorated with hibiscus and bougainvillaea and there were colorful standards of gladioli and chrysanthemums arranged around the Palm Room. The guests were served a delicious dessert and coffee before bridge was played.

Eight tables of bridge and one table of canasta were in play during the afternoon. Those who won prizes in the bridge games were Mrs. Ethel Hardin, Mrs. Paul Rumpsa, Mrs. Ralph Kelley, Mrs. Richard Thayer, Mrs. Mylon Merchant, and Mrs. Clara Rentschler. Mrs. Helen Baker and Mrs. Royal Coats won the canasta prize.

Out of town guests at the lovely party were Mrs. Virginia Gilbert and Mrs. Walter Smith of Sebring.

Junior Woman's Club To Meet December 3rd

The Junior Woman's Club of Avon Park will hold its regular December meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 3, at 8 o'clock, with a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. B. C. Ostling on Lake Lotela.

All members are asked to bring a gift not to exceed 50 cents for exchange at the party and a gift of some description for the Sunland Training Center in Gainesville.

Mrs. Mose Pollard, Treasurer, would like to remind all members that the dues for the year are due at this meeting also.

Remember the date, Juniors, and don't forget to come to the Chrismas party.

Public Health Nurses Meet

Some sixty five Public Health Nurses who had been unable to attend an earlier Gulf Coast Health Conference on alcoholism gathered on November 19, at the Jacaranda Hotel in Avon Park for a repeat program of the previous session.

Mrs. Barbara Smith, R. N., Educational Director in the Pinellas County Health Department acted as moderator for the meeting and introduced the speakers.

The morning session included the presentation of two films, "To Your Health" and "Preface to Life" and talks by Dr. Lorant Forizs and Mrs Dorothy Johnson, Clinical Director and Supervisor of Social Work respectively in the Florida Alcoholic Rehabilitation Program. This was followed by a question and answer period.

During the afternoon period the group was addressed by the Florida Program's Educational Director, Warren B. Parks, and the Supervisor of Nurses and Attendants, Miss

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W .Va.; Mrs. S. H. Poe, Jane Lew, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Nebel, Sturgeon Bay, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Johnston; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stucky, Penna.; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Slaughter; Mr. and Mrs. George W. Stevens, New Port Richey; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur S. Pickell, LeRoy, N. Y.; Mrs. Mabel Buckelew, Seaside Park, N. J.; Mrs. Earl Allen Shipman, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. William Alward Shipman, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Marston, Lakeside-on-Lake Erie, Ohio.

Avon Elementary Lunch Menu December 2-6

MONDAY
Vienna Sausage
Hot Potato Salad
Green Beans
Spiced Apples
Enriched Bread, Butter
½ Pint Whole Milk

TUESDAY
Chicken Pie
Green Peas
Tomato Slices
Hot Rolls, Butter
Cup Cakes
½ Pint Whole Milk

WEDNESDAY
Chopped Beef Gravy
Mashed Potatoes
Buttered Beets
Fruit
Enriched Bread, Butter
½ Pint Whole Milk

THURSDAY
Weiners on Buns
Baked Beans
Cabbage Slaw
Vanilla Pudding
½ Pint Whole Milk

FRIDAY
Tuna Salad on Lettuce Cup
Potato Sticks
Mixed Greens
Raisin Bread, Butter
Fruited Jello
½ Pint Whole Milk

Menus subjected to change by manager in keeping with foods available.

Hazel Howell, Manager

Radio Station WAVP Schedule

Monday Through Saturday
5:00 a.m. Breakfast In The Barnyard
6:00 a.m. Orangeland Express
7:30 a.m. News Roundup
8:00 a.m. Orangeland Express
9:00 a.m. Coffee Break
11:00 a.m. Charlies Workshop
12.00 News Roundup
12:15 p.m. Jack Delaney
12:20 p.m. Roadside Chapel
12:30 p.m. Tater Charlie
2:00 p.m. Jims Corner
5:00 p.m. Sundown Serenade
Sunday
7:00 a.m. Easy Listening
8:00 a.m. Baptist Hour
8:30 a.m. Lawrence Welk Orch.
9:00 a.m. Voice Of Prophecy
9:30 a.m. Music For Sunday
11:00 a.m. Church Services
12:00 Sammy Kaye Orch.
12:30 p.m. Sunday News Roundup
12:45 p.m. Novelty Time
1:00 p.m. Sunday Concert
1:30 p.m. Just Beautiful Music
3:00 p.m. Billy Graham
3:30 p.m. Just Beautiful Music

News every hour on the hour: Headlines each half hour.

Last Rites For Mrs. Hammond To Be Held In Pa.

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Hammond, 79, wife of Edward Hammond, passed away at Walker Memorial Hospital early Sunday morning, November 24, after a long illness.

Mrs. Hammond was a native of York County, Pa., and has been a resident of Avon Park for the past 21 years coming here from Washington, D. C. She was a member of the Methodist Church in Washington. Other survivors include two brothers.

The remains were forwarded Tuesday to Harvey R. Erney Funeral Home, Lewisberry, York County, Pa. for services and interment.

Mizelle Funeral Home was in charge of the local arrangements.

Births

WALKER MEMORIAL

To Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Philip Weed of Wauchula, a daughter, Karen Diane, born Nov. 20. Birth weight 6 pounds, 15 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Robinson Bedenbaugh of Sebring, a son Dale Alan, born Nov. 21. Birth weight 6 pounds, 12 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Alton George Ellis of Lake Placid, a daughter, Vicky Lynn, Nov. 22. Birth weight 7 pounds, 10 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. James Daniel Phillips of Lake Placid, a daughter, Patricia Ann, Nov. 24. Birth weight 9 pounds.

To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Woodham, Jr., of Avon Park, a son, Kevin Paul, born Nov. 24. Birth weight 6 pounds 13 ounces.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our many friends for the kindness and sympathy extended us at the death of our beloved wife and mother. Also our deepest thanks for the beautiful floral tributes.

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Sunday, Monday, Dec. 1, 2
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Personal Items

Miss Sandra Williams of FSU will spend the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Williams.

The Rev. and Mrs. S. H. Millsaps of Atlanta and their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Fred R. Millsaps, also of Atlanta, spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Maxwell. Mrs. Millsaps and Mrs. Maxwell are sisters. Mrs. Fred Millsaps is a native of Scotland and was making her first visit to Florida to see the state and meet her husband's relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Fann of Frostproof will spend Thanksgiving with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cook, and their family at their home on Lake Isis.

Mr. Fred Simcox has been discharged from the Bay Pines Veteran's Hospital and is at home with Mrs. Simcox.

Miss Jane Maxwell will arrive Wednesday from the U of F at Gainesville to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Maxwell.

Mrs. W. P. O'Steen and her daughter, Sue, and Miss Sally Sayers will leave Wednesday for Tallassee, Ala., to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rillis.

Cub Scout Jimmy Renfro was over looked in the Cub Scout Achievement announcement last week. Jimmy received his one year Pin and two Silver Arrow Points at the last Pack Meeting.

Miss Juanita O'Steen and Miss Bonnie Williams are employed at Delray Beach in the Arvilla Hotel for the winter season and like the work very much.

Sgt. and Mrs. Jack O'Steen and their daughter, Cindy, have returned to Ft. Jackson, S. C., where he is stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Reed of Delavan, Wisconsin, arrived several weeks ago to spend about five months in Avon Park.

Miss Frances Fisher, a junior at FSU will arrive this week from Tallahassee to spend Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Welch Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Martin and their children, Judy and Joey, will spend Thanksgiving in Lakeland with Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith.

Walter R. Day of Gainesville will spend the Thanksgiving holidays as a guest of the T. H. Maxwell family.

Miss Arlene Sargent will spend Thanksgiving at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sargent, at their home on Lake Lotela. Arlene is a senor at FSU this year.

Miss Mary Ruth Pardee will be the guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stewart, and their daughter, Mary Lou for Thanksgiving. Miss Pardee is from Gainesville.

Shopping centers will play an increasingly important role in maintaining a prosperous national economy by helping distribution keep abreast of mass production, says Louis Stein, president of Food Fair Stores, Inc.

Annual District Scouts Supper Set For Dec. 3

The Annual Yearly Covered Dish Supper for the Highlands District Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts, and Explorer Scouts, will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 3, at 7 o'clock in Layton Hall of the First Methodist Church of Sebring.

All parents and friends of the Scouts are invited to cover a dish and attend this supper. There will be a special program.

Each person attending must bring their covered dish, table service for all in party, and serving utensil for their dish. In is urged that all attending bring a large dish to help with the food situation and so there will be plenty for all. The drinks will be furnished.

Parents may consult their local Scout leaders as to suggestions about what dishes might be helpful to bring.

Highlands Shrine Club Enjoys Buffet Supper

The Highlands Shrine Club held a Buffet Supper in the Dining Room of the Jacaranda Hotel on Friday evening, Nov. 22 for the Nobles and their ladies.

Honored guests at the supper were members of the Egypt Temple Divan of Tampa, Donald W. McKay, Recorder, and Warren O. Williams, Oriental Guide. Shriners from all over the United States were present.

Following the delicious supper the Nobles and their ladies were able to play cards in the Par-Palm Room or dance to the lovely music of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Seifert's Hi-Fi Set in the dining room.

There were seventy-five members and their wives present. This supper took the place of the regular November Highlands Shrine Club meeting.

Rotary News

Chesterfield Smith, Representative of DeSoto County, was the guest speaker at the Avon Park Roary Club luncheon meeting at the Jacaranda Hotel on Wednesday, November 20. He spoke on the Mental Health Situation in Florida and told of the cost to the State in operating mental institutions. He stated that the cost per day per patient was approximately $3.50 and that there were approximately 10,000 patients in the mental institutions in Florida. He told where these institutions were located and that much progress was being made in treating these patients and returning them to normal living.

Each member of the Club was presented a Four Way Test plaque by the Club, and E. Ray Wells, past president of the Club, stated that he hoped that Avon Park would soon become a Four Way Test Community.

Guests attending the luncheon were; Pat Hollaman of Arcadia, guest of R. M. Gay, and James White, guest of Walter Betts.

Visiting Rotarians included R. M. Gay and Reade Hardin, both of Arcadia; J. M. Bunch, Bill Gearing, F. Elgin Bayless and Jack Hancock, all of Sebring; Louis H. Nebel, Sturgeon Bay, Wis.; Dick Dressel, Miami; Sam Denton, Frostproof and Sherman Forbes, Tampa.

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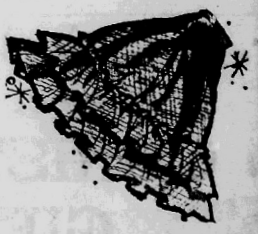

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Senior Woman's Club Reports On Years Work

The Senior Woman's Club of Avon Park has been very active during the year of 1957 and were proud to be able to report some of their acomplishments to the State Federation Officers at the annual District 9 meeting in Bartow.

The membership of the club has been increased by forty-five members and many new social events have been added to the club calendar to stimulate interest in the Club and to better the financial status.

A contribution of $100 to the Ridge Area Association for Retarded Children is something all members can be very proud of. Also the library looks lovely in the new coat of paint donated by the Senior Club.

During the month of July the Chest X-Ray Mobile Unit was manned in Avon Park for five days by members of the Senior Woman's Club. The club and individual members have actively supported many civic activities such as the Ground Observation Corps, City Beautification Plans, and the Community Development Association. The drives supported by the club with contributions are the T. B. Fund, Cancer Drive, Red Cross, March of Dimes, Library Fund, Christmas Cheer Baskets, Indian Welfare, Heart Fund, Ridge Area Hospital Extension for Colored Patients, Endowment Fund, and Penny Art Fund. In fact the Avon Park Senior Woman's Club has responded to all requests for help.

The Clubs money making projects have been interesting and various, Card parties, breakfasts, luncheons, have been held. Pie and cakes were sold at the annual Halloween Carnival.

The Senior Club has shown a decided interest in the ex-



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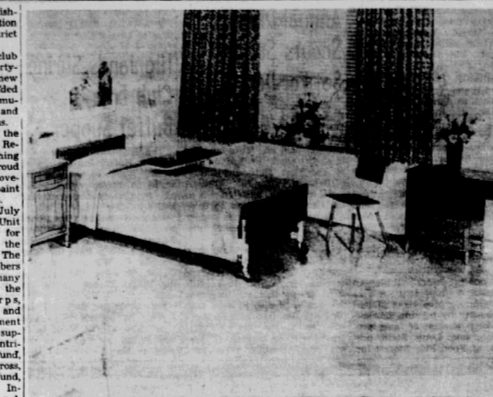

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"Teen - Town Talk"

Mr. and Mrs. Hanford assisted Mrs. Martha Ward as chaperones Friday night at the Homecoming Dance at the Youth Recreation Center Friday night. Around 100 were in attendance, celebrating Homecoming Day and the winning of the game with Kissimmee. Queen of the day was Annette Weinzell.

The Youth Center was closed Saturday night due to the Sadie Hawkins Day Dance, which was held at the elementary school cafetorium. The large room with its smooth floor and stage was a perfect spot for the party. Mr. Francis LaFlam was Ole Man Mose, making his predickahuns for the future, while Judge Rehrer acted as Marryin' Sam, and performed the "ceromonies" for the happy couples, after which they took a honeymoon excursion to "Kissin Rock." What about those pennies in that little brown jug? I noticed quite a few. Anybody care to elaborate? Oh yes the girls had to pay for the marriage certificate the only requirement being her solemn word that the groaning victim of her choice was over two years of age. Bobbie Sue Elder was there as Daisy Mae, and Thurston Marlin as Li'l Abner. Bop Contest was won by Jan Saylor and Leroy Starling. Records were the prize. Refreshments were cold drinks, soft cider, hamburgers and cookies. Admission was 25c for each inch around a girls waist. If some of them hadn't held their breath they might have accumulated enough money to pay the expenses of that Washington trip they are wanting so badly. The persecuted bachelors only had to pay 1 cent for each inch of their gorgeous waistlines. Chaperones for the evening were Judge and Mrs. Mervin Rehrer, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Tish and Mr. and Mrs. Townsend, and Mr. Leroy LaFlam. Guess Mammy and Pappy Yokum had to baby sit with Hanmus Alahamus.

Preston Strenuth acted as Master of Ceremonies assisted by Robert Hall. Many thanks to WJCM of Sebring!

Saturday night the Youth Center will be open as usual. Mr. Miracle says the door prize will be given this Saturday night. See you there.

cellent work of the Junior Club and is striving to stimulate even finer relationships.

For the growth of the members the Club has had book reviews each month, monthly reports on the world situation, and a course in current events called "History in the Making."

Our members are very interested in the proposed regional library and Mobile Unit plan and will work to make these plans become reality.

Mrs. Robert Watson, second vice president, is in full charge of the Christmas Seal distributions in Avon Park. All members have shown a marvelous spirit of cooperation on all projects.

It is with great regret that the Club reports the death of two valuable members during the year; Mrs. Anna Reck, a former president and charter member, and Mrs. Frank Truan, a longtime member.

This report of the outstanding work of the Avon Park Senior Woman's Club was given by the president, Mrs. Ralph Kelley, at the District 9 meeting.

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1 unbaked 9-inch pie crust
3 tablespoons sugar
½ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon cinnamon
½ teaspoon ground ginger
½ cup water
½ teaspoon nutmeg
1 No. 303 can or 2 cups canned pumpkin
2/3 cup brown sugar
2 eggs, beaten
1 cup evaporated milk

Mix sugar, salt and spices well. Combine pumpkin, brown sugar, eggs, and spice mixture. Scald evaporated milk and water. Add scaled milk, stirring until evenly blended. Pour into unbaked pie crust and bake in a hot oven (425 degrees) 40 minutes. Sprinkle with Pecan Topping. Return to oven and bake 10 minutes longer or until pie is glazed.

Pecan Topping

2 tablespoons butter
¼ cup brown sugar
1 tablespoon grated orange rind
¾ cup whole pecans

Combine butter, brown sugar, grated orange rind and whole pecans.

Cub Scouts News

The November and December Pack Meetings of the Avon Park Cub Scouts will be combined this year and one meeting will be held on Thursday, Dec. 5, at 7 o'clock in the Cafetorium of the Avon Elementary School on West Winthrop.

The theme of the Pack Meeting will be Cub Scout Achievements and there will be a display of some of the Cubs work.

DAR To Meet December 2nd

Patriots Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will hold its December meeting at 2 o'clock on Monday, Dec. 2, at the home of Mrs. I. H. Ford on Lake Lotela. Co-hostesses at the meeting will be Mrs. F. W. Thicle, Mrs. H. J. Hahn, Mrs. W. H. Kempton, and Miss Myrtle Wilson.

There will be a board meeting with the Regent, Mrs. Walter Mather, at 1:15 immediately preceding the meeting.

First Baptist Church News

The Mary Evelyn Fredenberg Circle of the First Baptist Church held its regular monthly meeting on Monday, Nov. 18, at the home of Mrs. Earl Futch.

Mrs. Futch was in charge of the program. Mrs. Willis Robinson gave a very interesting sketch of the life of Mary Ellen Fredenberg, the missionary for whom the circle is named.

During the business meeting plans were made for the gathering of items for the Thanksgiving baskets which are to be given. There were ten members present. The meeting was closed with a prayer and the singing of "Blest be the Tie That Binds".

Mrs. Futch served delicious refreshments to the circle members.

The Fidelis Sunday School Class met for its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Raymond Cook on TTuesday, Nov. 19.

There were eight members present and Mrs. Elmer Fentress who teaches the class.

Mrs. Ada Hallam gave a devotional message.

During the business meeting a Christmas party was planned for the class members and associate members to be held in the Church Social Hall on Dec. 17.

Mrs. Cook served refreshments of cookies, candy and coffee to the members.

The Alice Tumblin Circle met in the Social Hall on Wednesday, Nov. 20, at 9:30 in the morning.

The meeting was opened with Bible Study taught by Mrs. Elsie Coen. Mrs. Bertha Pabor, assisted by Mrs. B. F. Martin, Mrs. Walter Hilton, and Mrs. L. D. McGiboney, gave a very interesting program on "Helping Youth to Hear God's Call."

A letter of special interest to all circle members from former pastor, the Rev. E. H. Harvey, was read. The letter told about his daughter and son-in-law, The Rev. and Mrs. John Tumblin, Jr., who are Southern Baptist Missionaries in Campinas Sao, Brazil, S. A. Mrs. Tumblin is the missionary for whom to Alice Tumblin Circle is named.

There were thirteen members present. Delicious refreshments were served to the members by the hostesses, Mrs. D. L. Dyer and Mrs. H. H. Douglas.

The meeting was closed by singing "Blest be The Tie That Binds".

The Marion Longbottom Junior Girls Auxiliary held an all day Study Course at the home of Mrs. S. A. King on Saturday, Nov. 23.

The girls arrived in the morning and studied a book on a missionary's experiences in Nigeria, Africa. During the morning they also played Nigerian games, made a map of Africa, and had recreational periods.

The girls enjoyed lunch and then worked on their study for a short while in the afternoon. The six girls present were Trudy Mitchell, Beth Sullivan, Joan Kelly, Ginger Grant, Phyllis Mercer, and Sally Beth King.

The Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions and the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering will be held at the first Baptist Church on Dec. 2 through Dec. 6. There will be programs at the church each day for all those who can attend.

The week will open Monday, Dec. 2, at 3 o'clock in the Church with Mrs. Otto Skipper, Prayer Chairman of the Jean Dickman Circle opening the meeting.

On Tuesday morning, Dec. 3, at 10 o'clock the program will be led by Mrs. Willis Robinson, Prayer Chairman of the Mary Ellen Fredenberg Circle. This will be followed by an 11 o'clock meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society for their regular monthly meeting. A separate meeting of all the circles will follow the general meeting immediately.

The Wednesday meeting, Dec. 4, will be at 7:45 in the Social Hall of the Church. At this time filmstrips on "The Program of Foreign Missions" will be shown by Mrs. Ophelia Rhiner, Prayer Chairman of the Crystal Enete Circle.

On Thursday, Dec. 5, the 10 o'clock meeting will be led by Mrs. W. W. MacFarland, Prayer Chairman of the Valda Long Circle.

The Week of Prayer will end on Friday, Dec. 6, with a program at 10 o'clock led by Mrs. Walter Hilton, Prayer Chairman of the Alice Tumblin Circle.

Flower Show To Be Held In Feb.

Remember to start getting your plants, specimens, and flowers ready now for the Avon Park Federated Garden Club Flower Show which will be held on Thursday, Feb. 27, 1958 at the Youth Center.

All residents and visitors are cordially invited to exhibit their plants, specimens, and flower arrangements at this show. There will be many helpful suggestions for all at the show. So don't forget to start getting ready now.

Power Auxiliary Hold Meeting

The Florida Power Employees Club Auxiliary will hold their regular monthly meeting on Thursday, Dec. 5, at 8 o'clock in the Florida Power Clubhouse.

Miss Helen Tuten will present a program on wrapping Christmas gifts. Miss Tuten is an expert wrapping beautiful and novel packages. There will be an opportunity for all members to get ideas to help them with their Christmas wrapping.

The members will make corsages for the annual adult Christmas party with the help of Miss Tuten at the meeting also. Refreshments will be served by the hostesses.

Senior Woman's Club To Meet

The Avon Park Senior Woman's Club will hold its regular monthly meeting on Friday, Dec. 6, at 3 o'clock in the Union Congregational Church.

A special musical program is planned under the direction of Mrs. Earl Jackson and the public is invited to attend this event.

The meeting will also be a Christmas party. Mrs. A. W. Rogers is general chairman in charge of the meeting and Mrs. Paul Rumpsa will take charge of the devotions.

There will be an Executive Board meeting of the Senior Club board on Thursday morning, Dec. 5, at 9:30 in the Clubhouse. Mrs. Ralph Kelley, president, will preside at the meeting.

It's time for Thanksgiving

Our Thanksgiving Day Menu

We Invite You To Eat Your Thanksgiving Dinner With Us

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Baked Virginia Ham with fruit sauce	$1.45

VEGETABLES

Snowflake Potatoes — Marshallow Yams
Baby Beets — Fresh Green Peas
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SALAD

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DESSERT

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Avon Park Chamber of Commerce Inc. to Sandra Ruth Engler. Lots 8749 to 8753, inc. Unit 27. Avon Park Lakes. $1500.

Avon Park Chamber of Commerce, Inc. to Carol Joan Levy. Lots 8754 to 8758 inc., Unit 27. Avon Park Lakes. $1500.

Avon Park Chamber of Commerce to David Engler. Lots 8921 and 8922, Unit 27, Avon Park Lakes, $600.

Avon Park Chamber of Commerce, Inc. to Blanche Klein. Lots 8759 to 8763, Inc., Unit 27, Avon Park Lakes. $1500.

Highlands Park, Inc. to Donald D. Frantz. Lot 23, Blk 21, Sec. C. Highlands Park Estates. $800.

Highlands Downs, Inc. to Michael and Ellen Gilligan. Lot 8, Blk 1, Sec. R., Highlands Park Estates. $500.

Highlands Downs, Inc. to Louis and Antoinette Felice. Lot 11, Blk 16, Sec.R., Highlands Park Estates. $500.

Twin Lakes Estates, Inc. to Charles and Helen Bell. N½ lot 70, Twin Lakes Estates. $500.

R. L. and Nell Fitzgerald to B. W. and Wylma Williams. All Tract. Govt. lots 18, 19, and 24, lying N of St. Road, S-29, Sec. 8, twp 37, R 30. $8500.

Highlands Gardens, Inc. to John J. Norvel. Lots 8 & 9, blk 5. Sec. F, Highlands Park Estates. $200.

Lake Blue Estates, Inc. to Glayds G. Bradley and Marie B. Foy. Lot 11, Blk 2, Lake Blue Estates. $9400.

B. M. Etheredge to Edward R. and Ida Belle Powell. Blocks 137 and 142, Northside. $3100.

Belle M. Etheredge to Florida Board of Forestry. An undivided int. in and to S½ of SW¼ of NW¼, Sec. 23, twp 35, R29. $800.

Emily H. Barrow to Florida Board of Forestry, an undivided ½ int. in and to S½ of SW¼ of NW¼, Sec. 23, 35, R 29. $800.

Nathaniel and Hazel Mae Hawthorne to Barney, Jr., and Wyneil Haynes, Land in Sec. 8, twp 37., R30. $500.

Nathaniel and Hazel Mae Hawthorne to Dowlin and Louanna Augusting. Land in Sec. 8, Twp 37, R30. $500.

Lake Blue Estates, Inc. to Stanley Witkowski. Lot 7, Blk 5, Lake Blue Esates. $13,450.

Richard P. and Wilmina S. Wyant to Thomas J. and Emily M. Dart. Land in Sec. 23, Twp 33, R 28. $1500.

Real Estate Transfers...

Real Estate transfers recorded at the Highlands County Court House through Tuesday of this week are listed below. 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.)

J. B. Jr., and Catherine E. Hall to Lorene Hinson. Portion Lot 1, Skipper and Lanier's. $450.

Ingraham L. Lofton to D. W. and Minnie L. Smith. Parcel 64, Highlands Homes. $200.

Kuhlman Company to Arthur D. and Eileen W. Pelkey. Lot 23, Lake Josephine Sub. 2. $3,000.

Highlands Gardens, Inc. to Wayne A. and Patricia J. Amend. Lot 28, Blk 13, Sec. F., Highlands Park Estates. $700.

Loyd G. and Eileen I. Kelly to A. R. and Mary Ellen Broadfoot. Lot 8, Lake Josephine Sub. 2. $200.

BCK, Inc. to Mrs. Allowena Marizie. Lot 9, blk 4 Sylvan Shores Estates, Section A. $850.

Agnes Cox to Oakley and Cleo Benton. Lot 23, Blk "A", Dixie Park. $400.

Avon Park Chamber of Commerce Inc., to William P. Sporl. Lots 11270 and 11271, Unit 34. Avon Park Lakes. $600.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY IN CHANCERY
CASE NO. 8388
CURTIS JENKINS, Plaintiff,
vs.
GERALDINE JENKINS, Defendant.
BILL FOR DIVORCE
NOTICE OF PUBLICATION
TO THE DEFENDANT, GERALDINE JENKINS, WHOSE PLACE OF RESIDENCE IS UNKNOWN, BUT THAT SUCH LAST KNOWN ADDRESS WAS ST. PAUL STREET, DETROIT, MICHIGAN.
You are hereby notified that a Bill of Complaint has been filed in this Court, in which Curtis Jenkins is the Plaintiff, and you are the Defendant, and the relief sought is an absolute divorce. You are therefore required to file your answer or other defense in this cause on or before the 28th day of December, A.D. 1957, and that such filing may be done by mail, sending the original thereof to the Honorable H. T. Piety, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Sebring, Florida, and a copy to T. D. Whitehurst, P. O. Box 1467, Okeechobee, Florida, attorney for Plaintiff.
H. T. PIETY
Clerk of the Circuit Court
(SEAL)
By: EARL RICH,
Deputy Clerk
Nov. 28, Dec. 5, 12, 19

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY
IN CHANCERY No. 8414
JACQUELINE LEE HAMILL, Plaintiff
vs.
ROBERT S. HAMILL, Defendant
SUIT FOR DIVORCE
NOTICE TO DEFEND
TO: ROBERT S. HAMILL care of Mrs. Helen Hamill
91045 South Manhattan Place
Los Angeles, California.
You are hereby notified that a Bill of Complaint for Divorce has been filed against you, and you are required to serve a copy of your Answer or Pleading to the Bill of Complaint on the Plaintiff's Attorney, JAMES W. MOORE, 5659 Sunset Drive, Miami, Florida, and file the original Answer or Pleading in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court on or before the 7th day of December, A.D., 1957. If you fail to do so, judgment by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Bill of Complaint.
This notice shall be published once each week for four consecutive weeks in The Avon Park Sun.
DONE AND ORDERED at Sebring, Florida, this 30th day of October, A. D. 1957.
H. T. PIETY
Clerk, Circuit Court
Highlands County, Florida.
(Circuit Court Seal)
By: EARL RICH
Deputy Clerk.
JAMES W. MOORE
5659 Sunset Drive, Miami, Florida
Attorney for Plaintiff.
PUB: November 7, 14, 21, 28

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That the party interested in said business enterprise is as follows:
M. A. Jones
Dated at November 18, 1957 Highlands County, Florida.
Nov. 21, 28, Dec. 5, 12, 1957

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. 29953, 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: WARDS DEPARTMENT STORE under which I am engaged in business at 6 East Main Avon Park, Florida.
That the party interested in said business enterprise is as follows:
Elizabeth M. Ladrie
James A. White
Dated at November 6, 1957 Highlands County, Florida.
Nov. 14, 21, 28 Dec. 5th, 1957

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY
In Chancery
VIOLA JONES, Plaintiff
vs.
ELLIS JONES, Defendant
DIVORCE ACTION
NOTICE TO DEFEND
TO THE DEFENDANT, ELLIS JONES:
You are hereby notified that a suit has been brought against you in the above entitled Court by Viola Jones for the purpose of procuring a divorce from you. You are required to file with the Clerk of said Court a written answer or other defense on or before the 9th day of December, 1957 and to serve by mail or otherwise a copy of such Answer or other defense on plaintiff's attorney or decree will be entered against you and the case will thereafter proceed ex parte.
It is ordered that this notice be published once a week for four (4) consecutive weeks in the Avon Park Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in Highlands County, Florida.
WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court at Sebring, Florida, this 4th day of November, A.D. 1957.
H. T. PIETY
Clerk of Circuit Court
By: EARL Rich
Deputy Clerk
MATTIE W. TOMPKINS
Attorney for Plaintiff
Avon Park, Florida
PUB: November 7, 14, 21, 28, 1957

The hairy blenny, a small fish exhibited at Marineland, has hair-like growths which form "eyebrows" above its eyes.

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NOTICE TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS AND HEATING—AIR CONDITIONING CONTRACTORS
Sealed bids will be received until 2:00 P.M., E. S. T., Tuesday, December 17, 1957, by the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions, Florida Alcoholic Rehabilitation Program, at the City Council Rooms, City Hall, Avon Park, Florida, for (1) alterations and additions to buildings at the Rehabilitation Center covering eight (8) items of maintenance superintendent's residence including a ten (10) Day Garage; 3) air conditioning system of chilled water type approximately 8 tons in size, at the Alcoholic Rehabilitation Center, 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 Heim & Heim Architects, Avon Park, Florida, and Charles T. Healy & Company, Consulting Engineers, 1900 16th Street, North, Room 210, St. Petersburg, Florida. Plans and specifications for any of the three (3) units listed above may be examined at the office of the Construction Division, Board of Commissioners, State Capitol Building, Tallahassee, Florida, or at the Alcoholic Rehabilitation Center, Avon Park, Florida, or at the office of Heim & Heim, Avon Park, Florida. Plans and Specifications for the air conditioning system may also be examined at the office of Charles T. Healy & Company, Consulting Engineers, 1900 16th Street, North, Room 210, St. Petersburg, Florida. Each unit listed above is covered by a seperate set of drawings and specifications, and any set may be obtained for a deposit of Fifteen Dollars ($15) per set. This deposit will be refunded upon return of the specifications and drawings in good order within ten (10) days after bids are received.
Contractors, or other interested parties who wish to inspect the job site may do so only by arrangement with the Maintenance Superintendent at the Rehabilitation Center.
Sealed bids will be accepted on any single unit of the three listed, and each bid must be submitted in strict accordance with proposal form fully completed as stated and shown in the specifications.
Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check, cashier's check or bank draft on any National Bank or Bank licensed under the laws of the State of Florida in the amount of 5% of the base bid, made payable to the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions 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 the event the contract is awarded the bidder, he will enter into a formal, written contract and furnish the owner within ten (10) days a contract Performance and Surety Bond in the amount of 100% of the accepted bid. The cost of the Bond shall be included as a part of the bidder's base bid proposal.
The bidder's qualifications must be satisfactory to the Board of Commissioners or its representatives. The Board reserves the right to waive informality in any bid and to reject any or all bids or to accept any bid or any combination of alternates that in its judgment will be for the best interests of the State of Florida.
Each bid shall be addressed to:
The Board of Commissioners of State Institutions
Terry C. Lee, Coordinator,
Construction Division
c/o Alcoholic Rehabilitation Center
P. O. Box 1147
Avon Park, Florida
Nov. 28, Dec. 5, 12

September, August and October have proved to be the most active months for hurricanes, according to records compiled by the Navy's Hurricans Hunters. Since 1800, approximately 173 have occurred in September, 143 in August, and 133 in October. July, November and June are next in frequency in that order.

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vs.
MRS. C. S. CROSBY, ET AL., Defendants
SUIT TO QUIET TITLE
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and you, and each of you, and all parties in interest, are hereby required to file with the Clerk of said Court your written answer or other defense, personally or by an attorney, on or before the 23rd day of December, A.D. 1957 to the Bill of Complaint filed herein, or decree will be entered against you, and each of you, by default and the cause will thereafter proceed ex-parte.

It is ordered that this notice be published once a week for four (4) consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in Highlands County, Florida.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the said Court at Sebring, Highlands County, Florida, this 18th day of November, A.D. 1957.

H. T. PIETY,
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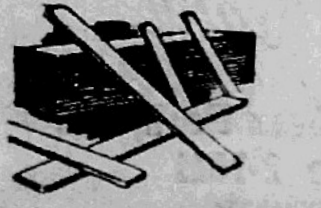

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Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gardner and their family returned Saturday from Danville, Virginia, where they were called last Tuesday by the sudden death of their mother, Mrs. J. W. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Devon Reddick and their daughter, Devorah, spent last weekend in Tampa visiting his sister, Mrs. Mary Bell. They attended the Tampa-Delta State football game on Saturday and Mrs. Reddick met some old friends from her home in Mississippi.



TWO-FOLD BLESSING: Twin granddaughters of Mr. and Mrs. Herman B. Meyer of Avon Park made news when they were born on the night of October 24th for theirs was the first twin birth in the history of the Itazuke Hospital in Japan. Beaming proudly at his brand new daughters is T/Sgt. Louis Meyer, 614rd Air Base Group Operations, while mother, Esteene, holds additions three and four to the Meyer household. That's Iris Alicia on the left, and Ivy Amelia on the right. No, chotto matte (Just a minute in Japanese) That's Ivy on the — Oh, shucks, ask Mr. or Mrs. Meyer.

Mr. G. W. Prevat of Tampa spent a week's vacation visiting relatives and friends in Avon Park last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. (Hoppy) Hall and their son, Keith, will be the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Williams, during the Thanksgiving weekend.

Mrs. Robert Durden and her dauhter, Chica, and Mrs. Duke Christensen and her daughter, Emily, drove to Orange City Sunday to bring Bobby Durden home.

Miss Susan Brown will be home from FSU to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raeburn Brown.

The home of the Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Gilbreath in the Athens Community will be the scene of a Gilbreath family reunion on Thanksgiving. Between thirty or forty relatives are expected including Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Gilbreath of Birmingham, Ala. as well as many relatives from all over Florida. The Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Gilbreath and their daughter, Paulette, of Avon Park will attend the reunion.

Recently Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Wilson of Conrad, Ga. visited Dr. and Mrs. S. A. King. Mrs. Wilson and Dr. King are first cousins.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Allbritton at their new home in the Avon Park Lakes Development for Thanksgiving will be Mr. and Mrs. Jessie M. Allbritton of Live Oak, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Allbritton of Live Oak, and Mrs. Inez McIntosh and her daughter, Inez of Arcadia. Jessie Allbritton is James Allbritton's brother, Mrs. McIntosh is his sister, and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Allbritton are their parents.

Mrs. W. W. Giddens and her daughter, Nancy, visited her sisters, Mrs. W. E. Templeton and Mrs. P. S. Hunter, in Ft. Lauderdale last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Mann will spend Thanksgiving holidays in Okeechobee with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Thomas. Mrs. Mann will also celebrate her birthday.

Bill Kellogg is spending the holidays in Westport, Conn., with his mother, Mrs. Bradley Kellogg. He will return on the Saturday following Thanksgiving.

Robert Durden, R. P. DeLaney, and Curt Noble of Orange City, are spending this week hunting in the Ocala National Forest.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Giddens for Thanksgiving week are her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ellerbe of West Point, Ga. and their daughters, Nita and Sheri. The Giddens other daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kangeter of Haines City and their daughter, Julie and India, will join the group for Thanksgiving.

Clyburn Parker of Lancaster, S. C. spent last Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Culp and returned last weekend from a trip around Florida to spend the weekend with the Culps. Mr. Parker is looking for a location for a business in Florida. On Saturday Andrew Miracle and Harry Culp took him on a fishing trip down Arbuckle Creek to Lake Istopoga.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Cook and their children, Norman and Marilyn, plan to spend Thanksgiving in Ft. Myers with Mr. Cook's mother, Mrs. C. C. Cook.

Guests of Mrs. P. C. Chisholm for Thanksgiving will be Mr. and Mrs. Harold Riker, her daughter and son-in-law, of Gainesville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Harrell will have their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Coker and their son Ray, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Barker, all of Lakeland, as their guests for Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Buffell and their family of Tampa and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Atkins, Jr. of Pahokee spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Atkins of Avon Park. Mrs. Buffell and J. S. Atkins, Jr. are the Atkin's daughter and son.

Clement McFarland, who is a student at Stetson U., will spend the holidays with his parens, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. McFarland.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Culp of Lancaster, S. C. will arrive Wednesday to spend the Thanksgiving weekend with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Culp.

Mrs. J. G. Harrell spent last week in Lakeland and St. Petersburg visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Farnell and their sons of Tampa will arrive Friday to visit her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Atkins, her father, Mr. Theo Weisheyer, and his mother, Mrs. D. B. Farnell.

LOCALS . . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harden and daughter, Leslie, of Orlando spent Thanksgiving with Mr. Harden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Clinton Harden.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Beardsley and young son, Stevie of Woodland Hills, Calif., arrived Tuesday to visit Mrs. Beardsley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hetherington. Also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hetherington for Thanksgiving, will be their other daughter and son-in-law, M/Sgt. and Mrs. R. K. Nycum and son, Tim of Orlando.

Miss Mary Bambalis of Winston-Salem, N. C., will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Carrat and Mr. and Mrs. Steven Samergedes during the Thanksgiving holidays. Harry Carrat of West Palm Beach, Dr. Chris Carrat of Florida Southern College, and Gregory Peters of St. Petersburg, will also be guests of the Carrats Thanksgiving.

Miss Milkel Kempton of Orlando and Miss Patsy Strassberger of FSU will be at home with their family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kempton, for Thanksgiving. The Kempton family plans a picnic Thanksgiving in Highlands Hammock this year.

Mrs. Charles Shepherd spent last weekend in St. Petersburg where she attended the piano recital of her grandson, Steve Smith, on Sunday night.

Mrs. H. A. Ball and her son, John, of Tampa are spending this week with Mrs. Jean Ricketts. Mrs. Ball is the wife of Major H. A. Ball who has just become one of the few army flyers to have completed a thousand hours of flying time in jet aircraft.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Heim left Wednesday for Tallahassee where they will join Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heim to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Diebe. Mrs. Ralph Heim and Mrs. Diebe are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Mitchell and their children, Trudy and Nancy, will spend Thanksgiving in Orlando with Mrs. Mitchell's mother. There will be a small reunion of the family that day with the arrival of several brohers, one being Sgt. J. D. Winslow who is now stationed in Charleston, S. C.

Ed Hodgdon has returned to Avon Park and joined Mrs. Hodgdon and their baby daughter. Mr. Hodgdon has been stationed in Tuscon, Arizona, for some time.

Miss Nancy Ginn will return from Stetson University and spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ginn.

Mrs. Steven Samergedes and Mike Dorondo spent the day in Tampa last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Elwell and their four sons, Richard, Charles, Gregrory, and George Jr., of Sarasota will spend Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. McKee Elwell. John Elwell of Deland will also spend the day with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin DeShong and their children, Jan and Jay, left early Wednesday for Miami and the east coast where they will spend the Thanksgiving holidays visiting friends and places of interest. They plan to see Africa, USA, and may drive on to Key West.

Guests of Mrs. Charles Shepherd on Lake Byrd for Thanksgiving will be her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shepherd and their four sons of Orlando; and her daughter, Mrs. Charlotte Smith and her son, Steve, of St. Petersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Shields will have their daughter, Mrs. Peggy Simpson and one of her girl friends from Jacksonville, also home for the Thanksgiving holiday. Other guests at the Shields will be his mother, Mrs. Rosie Shields, and brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woodham, of Dothan, Alabama.

Mrs. Ethel Williamson will have as her guest on Thanksgiving her sister, Mrs. Rosina Littlefield, of Ft. Lauderdale.

The Rev. and Mrs. John Pickens, Mrs. Nancy Starky and her children, Reggie and Rion, and Phil Weber his son, Stephen, will spend Thanksgiving in New Smyrana with the Rev. John Pickens, Jr. and his family, their son and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Futch and their three children will spend Thanksgiving at the ranch of Mrs. Futch's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George West, in Myakka City. Their parents Mr. and Mrs. T. O. West, of Jacksonville, and another sister and brother-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. M. E. Peacock, of Miami, will join them for the holiday. This will be the family's third annual reunion at the ranch and the men will have an opportunity for hunting during the visit.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Peeples and their children, Jackie and Leonard, of Sarasota will spend Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. DeLaney, Sr., and his mother, Mrs. Ouida Peeples. Jackie is a freshman at Florida Southern University this year and this will be her first visit to Avon Park since she entered college.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bridges of Flater, Missouri, have returned to Avon Park to spend their second winter at the Velvet Shores Apartments on Lake Lotela.

Wayne Knowles, son of Mrs. A. O Knowles, is in training with the Naval Air Corps in San Diego. Wayne likes the navy very much and was made squad leader for his group recently. He plans to be home for Christmas with his family.

A guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Booth for the Thanksgiving weekend will be his mother, Mrs. N. H. Booth, of Lakeland. She will visit her son and his family from Wednesday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sutherland and their daughter, Tracy Earle, of Lake Worth will spend the Thanksgiving holidays with her mother, Mrs. C. P. Anderson. Miss Patricia Smith will also be at Mrs. Anderson's home for the holidays.

Mrs. J. Paul Garder and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Brumbaugh, will spend Thanksgiving in St. Petersburg with their daughter and sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Omar Gump.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Whaton of Roanoke will arrive this week for their second winter as guests at the Velvet Shores Apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Reeves of Wauchula, former residents of Avon Park, will be guests of Mrs. C. P. Anderson and her family on Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Harris of Lake Wales will spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis and their family. Mrs. Harris is the sister of Fred Davis.

Mrs. H. L. Adkins and her son, Roger Lee, will spend Thanksgiving in Miami visiting her mother, Mrs. Zilpha Baker. Mr. Baker will be away on a hunting trip during this time.

Charles Best, a student at FSU, will spend Thanksgiving with his mother, Mrs. Addie Lee Best at their home.

Mrs. Ruth Johnston, a former teacher in the Avon Park Elementary School, returned to Avon Park recently and spent several weeks visiting Mrs. Addie Lee Best. Mrs. Johnston has now taken a teaching position in Sebring and moved there.

Mr. and Mrs. Faye Lee of Enterprise will spend Thanksgiving as guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lee and their family.

G. D. Godwin, Arlin King, Sanford Hart, Thurmond Perry, J. B. Perry of Birmingham, Ala., and Joe Lee Goodbread of Ft. Lauderdale returned Thursday from a hunting trip in the Fish Eating Creek area.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Collier will leave on Saturday to attend the 50th wedding anniversary of his parens, Mr. and Mrs. George Collier, in Elba, Ala., on Dec., 1. This celebration will also be the ocassion for a family reunion.

Miss Delores Stokey will be home from Florida State College in Tallahassee to spend the holidays wih her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Stokey.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ladwig will have as their guests for Thanksgiving her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Reed of Wisconsin, and their daughter, Sharon, Mr. Reed's father and his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ez Reed and their two children, all of St. Pete; and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Gravey and their children, Cindy and Stevie, of Gainesville. On Thanksgiving they will join other members of the family for a reunion at their old home place.

Episcopal Church News

The Church of the Redeemer will have a Corporate Communion on Wednesday mc Dec. 4.

There will be an Exe Board meeting of the St. garet's Auxiliary immed following the communion.

A large jewfish ate so much while in captivity at Marineland that it died of overweight.

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Fla. Ave Baptist Church News

The Roxie Jacobs Circle held its monthly meeting on Thursday night, Nov. 21, in the home of Mrs. Melvin Bean.

The business meeting was conducted by the chairman, Mrs. Ray Hall, after which a program with Thanksgiving as the theme was given. There were ten members and four guests present at the meeting. The hostess served delicious refreshments at the close of the meeting.

On Monday night the members of the Roxie Jacobs Circle visited Rest Haven and conducted at Thanksgiving devotional service for the guests of the home. The circle carried a Thanksgiving Friendship basket to be enjoyed by all the guests of the home.

A pleasant evening was spent with the guests of Rest Haven after the program.

The Circle also took Thanksgiving Friendship baskets to several shut-ins.

The Zura Martin Circle met at the home of Mrs. L. S. Pickett for its regular monthly meeting on Thursday, Nov. 21, at 7:30. There were eight members and one visitor present at the meeting.

Mrs. J. G. Harrell opened the meeting with a prayer. During the business meeting the circle planned their Thanksgiving Friendship baskets for shut-ins. A Bible Study of John 19th Chapter was studied by the members and Mrs. May Wingate gave the closing prayer.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. L. A. Stewart, Mrs. Thelma Bass, Mrs. Eva Moore, Mrs. Jewel Bean, Mrs. J. G. Harrell, Mrs. J. B. Lewis, Mrs. Horace Bryant, and Mrs. May Wingate by the hostess, Mrs. Pickett.

The Pearl Todd Circle held its November meeting at the home of Mrs. Vernon Bass on Thursday evening, Nov. 21.

During the short business meeting four Thanksgiving Friendship baskets for shut-ins were planned. Mrs. H. L. McCully taught the Bible Study lesson on John, 14 Chapter.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Bass, to the eight members present.

Congregational Church News

The Thanksgiving Communion Service will be held on Wednesday, November 27, at 7 o'clock in the Union Congregational Church. Mrs. Samuel O. Norris will be the soloist.

All are cordially invited to attend this open Communion and the inspring service.

The Covenant Circle held its regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, November 20, in the home of Mrs. H. C. Kvenerick.

Mrs. Edith Preusse, a worker with the American Home Missions who has been stationed in Ahmednagar, India, for the past several years, spoke very interestingly of the work there. A question period followed her talk during which time much concerning the political and social changes that are taking place in India was learned.

There were twenty-six members and guests present at the meeting. Mrs. Kvenerick served delicious refreshments assisted by Mrs. Frank Adams, Mrs. Cecil Ogden and Mrs. Theodore Gramstorff.

Founders' Day was observed in all Congregational Churches in the United States on Sunday, November 24. In the local church the Rev. Herbert Graetz called particular attention to the sacrifices made by the founding fathers.

During the first terrible winter of 1620 each colonist was rationed to five kernels of corn as their total food supply for the day. To commemerate this period of privation each person attending church at the morning service was given an envelope containing five kernels of corn.

The Congregational Church was founded by the first settlers who were members of the Plymouth Colony. The Avon Park Church holds the unique honor of being the oldest church of any denomination in continuous service on the Southern Ridge Area.

First Methodist Church News

Dr. Harry Waller, District Superintendent of the Sarasota District, will preach the 11 o'clock service in the First Methodist Church on Sunday, Dec. 1. Immediately following the morning service Dr. Waller will conduct the First Quarterly Service in the Church.

The Fall Festival of the First Methodist Church will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 3, in Wesley Hall. The Festival will open at nine o'clock.

The Annual Reception for New Member of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will be held in Wesley Hall on Monday, Dec. 9, following a Christmas program in the Sanctuary at 8 o'clock.

There will be more information about this meeting in the next week Sun.

Stork Shower Honors Mrs. King

Mrs. Horace King was the honor guest at a Stork Shower on Tuesday, Nov. 19, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Helen Mann. Mrs. Melvin Mann and Mrs. Irwing Spurlock gave the lovely shower honoring Mrs. King, the former Harriet Mann.

The lovely gifts were put in a baby bassinet decorated in yellow. The guests played several clever games with Mrs. Martha Jo Wheeler, Miss Janet Stimson, and Miss Linda Faye Lanton of Frostproof winning the prizes. Cupcakes and punch were served the guests.

Friends attending the shower were Mrs. Minter Hall, Mrs. Martha Wheeler, Mrs. Helen Mann, Miss Virginia Cassel of Sebring, Miss Gloria Wooten of Frostproof, Miss Carolyn Graetz, Miss Janet Stimson, Mrs. Horace Spurlock, Miss Linda Faye Lanton of Frostproof, and the honoree, Mrs. Horace King.

Dr. and Mrs. Harry Waller of Sarasota will be the guests of the Rev. and Mrs. Wilmer O. Luttrell this weekend.

Interest Shown By Parents At PTA Meet Nov. 21

A large number of parents enjoyed the discussion on the grouping of students by Mrs. Andrew Miracle and Mrs. John Crittenden at the regular monthly meeting of the Parents Teachers Association on Thursday evening, Nov. 21, in the High School Cafetorium.

Mrs. Crittenden and Mrs. Miracle discussed the problem of grouping from various angles and reported on the procedures being used in several other schools. After their discussion a question period was held which showed the interest of the parents in this subject. The discussion and question period stressed the fact that the gifted child is being neglected in the schools of our country.

The meeting was opened by Mrs. E. A. Martin who gave the devotional thought.

A recomendation of the Executive Board was read to and passed by the group. The motion is as follows: As the city has not yet sold the city property, the money from which the PTA and other civic organizations hoped would be used to help in the construction of a Youth Center in Donaldson Park, the Executive Board of the PTA recomends that the PTA modify their plan of a new Youth Center for the time being and work to improve the present Youth Center on the Wauchula Road at present.

The resignation of Ellis Watson as corresponding secretary was read, and Mrs. L. A. Renfro was appointed to fill this office. It was announced that Mrs. Royal Coats will write the sketches on teachers to appear in the Avon Park Sun.

Mrs. Virgil Hall announced that the Christmas musical program is designed for 'the young and the young in heart'. The program will be presented at the regular December PTA meeting on Dec. 19 in the High School Auditorium.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses, the Home Room Mothers of the 11th grade with Mrs. John Wright acting as chairman.

The Nautical Opens Saturday

The Nautical, located on South Highlands, will open Saturday night, November 30, under the management of Maudean Sapp.

Announcement was made that minors will not be admitted to The Nautical. Complete plans for future entertainment at The Nautical will be announced later.

The Navy's oldest auxiliary air station, dating back to Nov. 1, 1922, is at Corry Field, Pensacola, Fla.

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Weather Report
BY J. WILEY COTHRAN
Weather Observer

	Max.	Min.	Rain
November 27	85	56	—
November 28	89	62	—
November 29	87	66	—
November 30	81	62	.54
December 1	62	35	—
December 2	69	43	—
December 3	76	47	—

Red Devils Win Ridge Conference Title; Defeat Sebring Blue Streaks 12 To 6

Coach Joe Franza fielded his second title winning grid team this season when the Defending Champion Devils knocked off previously unbeaten Sebring 12-6 last Wednesday night to win the Ridge Conference Title in the annual Thanksgiving Eve grid game.

A large homecoming crowd witnessed the grid battle, always a hotly contested game and Avon Park won the mythical Highlands County championship for the fifth straight year.

Sebring won the toss and elected to receive. They drove thirty yards before they stalled and had to punt. Ben Earnest block the kick and the Devils took over on their own 45. The Devils didn't roll and punted. The Streaks took the ball on their own 26 and methodically drove deep into Red Devil territory only to fumble on the Red Devils eight. Winky Williams recovered the fumble as the first period ended.

Bill Rouse, the left half, and Ben Earnest, right end, teamed up to produce the Devils first touchdown after the scoreless, hard fought first quarter. Rouse threw from the Streaks 43 and Ben caught the beautiful, high pass on the ten where he was pulled down by a host of Streaks. John Starling drove for 5 yards and then Billy fumbled his way through the Blue Streak's line to score the first touchdown. The linebuck for the point was no good, but Avon Park held a 6-0 halftime advantage.

The two teams struggled ineffectively during the third quarter with Avon Park in control of the ball most of the period. The Devils drove deep into Sebring territory only to fumble on the five. The ball rolled back to the fifteen where John Starling recovered. The damage had been done and Sebring took over as the quarter ended.

Marvin Paster intercepted an Avon Park pass and ran it back 47 yards to Avon Park's 17 where he was hauled down by Starling. A 15-yard penalty set the ball on the Red Devil's two and it was a simple matter for Gene Tomlinson, to crash the line to score. The Streaks also missed on the point attempt and the score was tied 6-6.

Avon Park made a desperate

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THE ALL FLORIDA WEEKLY MAGAZINE

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Editorial Line-Up For December 12 Issue Of All Florida Magazine

"Living Test Tubes," the feature story in this week's issue of ALL FLORIDA MAGAZINE, was written by Edgar L. Hay. The article describes the work of Dr. Wilhelmina P. Dunning, unsung hero in the constant war on cancer. Working with a colony of rats and mice, Dr. Dunning and her associates have published about 40 reports on the causes and prevention of cancer.

Florida's Carnegie hero medal winners are listed and some of their daring rescues described in Henry F. Unger's story, "Heroes to the rescue!" Andrew Carnegie established the Carnegie Hero Fund Commission to honor any citizen who -- tries to save a life with full knowledge of the danger involved but with no thought of a reward.

"He Trains Human Trackers" by Grace Moses is a thumbnail sketch of Carl Andrews, Polk County Deputy sheriff. Andrews' fame as a trainer of bloodhounds has spread far beyond the United States.

". . . festive fare from Florida" is featured on the colorful food pages of this issue. The appetizing recipes call for Florida limes and avocados.

Two very timely articles are also contained in this pre-Christmas issue. "For a Tropical Christmas" gives directions for making candles and decorations with a Florida touch. "A White Christmas -- Florida Style" describes the making of snowballs.

Another fiction favorite on page 6 by Ruth Godbold entitled "A Surprise for Ma."

Regularly featured in ALL FLORIDA MAGAZINE: Weekend Carpenter, Hollywood Beauty, Travel Wise, and When You Retire.

Chief Giddens Issues Warning On Heaters

Fire Chief W. W. Giddens issues the following statement concerning portable heaters which are often used during the winter months to provide extra warmth wihout regard to the safety of such heaters.

Heaters should always be placed level, in a spot where there is no danger of tripping over them.

The job of filling an oil heater should be done with extreme care never when the heater is hot or in use and preferably outdoors.

Any spillage, on heater or floor, should be wiped up immediately.

Gas heaters should be vented to the outdoors, unless specifically approved for unvented use.

Any room where an oil or gas heater is in use should be adequately ventilated, since these heaters use up oxygen as

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Distinguished Military Student



Cadet James A. Wilhite of 323 E. Canfield St. a senior at The Citadel, Charleston, S. C., and a Cadet Captain in the Corps of Cadets was designated "Dinsinguished Military Student" for the 1957-58 school year. Cadet Wilhite is a member of the Citadel Choir, Baptist Student Union, Sphinx staff and Summerall Guards. He is also a Gold Star student, signifying top academic achievement.

He is a member of the Army ROTC Unit. He was graduated from Avon Park High School in 1954. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wilhite.

$100 Collected In Youth Assn. Drive; Triple Amount Needed

Have you mailed your contribution to the Membership Committee of the Avon Park Youth Association? If not won't you please do so when you write your checks this week. Mrs. Robert King, Chairman of the Membership Committee announced that as of the first of the week only $100 had been collected in the drive, and triple this amount is needed.

Letters were mailed last month by the Committee in regards to the Drive. But if you didn't receive a letter the Association is asking only $2.00 for family contributions and $5.00 for business firms. Anyone in the community interested in the welfare of the youths of Avon Park is cordially invited to join the Association.

This is indeed a small amount to donate for such a wonderful project, for the money is used in financing the Teen Club. The Teen Club is the only place in the community for the youths to gather for an evening of supervised entertainment.

The Club under the direction of Mr. Andrew Miracle is open to the teenagers nearly every week end with planned and supervised entertainment for all. The parents and any other interested adults are invited to visit the Club and see for themselves what a wonderful time teenagers have there.

The Association and the teenagers of Avon Park will be most grateful for your contribution. So mail it tonight and thus help provide a nice place for the youths of the community. Send your check to Mrs. Robert King, Jr., Box 455, Avon Park, Fla.

Police Dept. Recommends Stamped Hubcaps

The Avon Park Police Dept. is working in conjunction with the Avon Park Lion's Club in trying to get the citizens of Avon Park to have their hubcaps stamped so that they may identify them in the event they are lost or stolen. The larger cities of Florida as well as the nation are supporting this program for the protection of every person who owns an automobile.

In addition to your personal protection you will be helping a very worthy cause, The Christmas Toy Fund, sponsored by the Avon Park Lions Club. The place to have your hubcaps stamped will be Stimson's Gulf Service Station on the Mall, the time will be all day Saturday, Dec. 14.

L. F. Harrison
Chief Police

Ridge Section Possible Site For Farm Club

Cy Morgan, Field Director for the Philadelphia National League Club met at the Chamber of Commerce office last Wednesday night while scouting this section as a possible site for a farm club.

Mr. Morgan has been touring the Ridge Section trying to locate a favorable location for the club. He was impressed with the local ball field and appreciated the courtesy which was shown him on his visit to Avon Park. If Avon Park should be chosen as the site for the farm club it would result in 60 to 70 players being housed here during the spring training which begins in March.

Mayor E. A. DeLaney, Robert Lee president of the City Council, Councilman Roland Dilley, Coach Guy Garrett, Royal Coats and Mrs. Anna Belle Worden, Executive secretary of the Chamber attended the meeting.

L. L. Wainwright Appointed Supt. At A. P. Prison

Tallahassee. — The Cabinet today approved appointment of Louis L. Wainwright, former Gainesville police lieutenant, as superintendent of the new minimum security prison at Avon Park.

The Cabinet also approved employed of Charles H. Billings as assistant superintendent of the women's prison at Lowell.

Also approved was a resolution permitting extra gain time to be awarded prison inmates for exceptionally meritorious conduct.

The actions were recommended by the Cabinet's prison committee.

Fire Department Tells How To Report A Fire

Knowing how to report a fire, according to the local Fire Department, may save your life, your family, and your home.

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FOUNDERS CIRCLE TO SPONSOR LECTURE JANUARY 9th: Mrs. W. Harrell Wilson of Greenville, S. C., one of the country's leading lecturer's on flower arrangement and a nationally known authority on color and design will be presented to flower lovers of Avon Park Thursday morning, January 9th at 10 o'clock at the Jacaranda Hotel. The Founders Circle of the Avon Park Garden Club is sponsoring the lecture and invitations have also been issued to groups in Wauchula, Sebring, Lake Wales and Bartow. Mrs. Wilson is not only a witty and charming speaker but has a clear cut, precise and simplified way of teaching basic principles of flower arrangement. Her many Avon Park friends are anticipating her lecture with pleasure.

United Lutheran Church Of The Atonement In Sbring To Have New Pastor Soon

The Rev. Wm. P. Cline, D. D., who recently finished serving St. Mark's Evangelical Lutheran Church, located at Clarksburg, West Virginia for more than ten years, arrived in Sebring to conduct the service and preach the sermon on December 1. Dr. Cline has been appointed Mission Developer for the Lutheran Church of the Atonement in Sebring. He has served for 42 years in the Ministry, during which time he was a chaplin in both world wars.

Dr. Cline will occupy the parsonage at 1120 Pasadena Avenue in Sebring.

Services for the Lutheran Church of the Atonement are presently being held in the American Legion Bldg., Sebring each Sunday morning at 11 a. m.

5 Prizes To Be Given For Best Xmas Displays

The Avon Park Board of Realtors at the suggestion of the Beautification Committee of the Chamber of Commerce is offering prizes for the most attractive Yuletide decorations for homes and lawns this year.

Five prizes will be presented, first prize will be $15.00; second prize will be $10.00; third, four and fifth prize will be $5.00 each.

Bourdary lines for the contest will be the Polk County line on the North, including homes in Avon Park Lakes, Highland Lakes or Lake Lillian section, to the Drive-In Theatre, and to the south side of Lake Anoka and East including Lake Angelo. If you live with-

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19 Visitors Register At Chamber Office

Nineteen visitors from eight different states visited the Avon Park Chamber of Commerce during the past week and registered in the guest book. The Chamber requests that visitors remaining in the City register and include both their home town and local address. Visitors last week included:

Mr. and Mrs. Homer L. Smith, Antwerp, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Ney P. Smith, Wallon Lake, Mich.; Miss S. May Smith, Yucaipa, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Parks MacAdams, Reverse, Mass.; Miss Ada Cooper, Mount Vernon, Ohio; A. R. Turk, Chicago, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Bibb, Palos Park, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bridges,

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Winter Haven Lion's Club Presents Program To Local Club

The Avon Park Lion's Club enjoyed a very delicious chicken dinner last Tuesday evening at the regular meeting. The club and guests enjoyed a very interesting program presented by the Winter Haven Lions Club. The presenation was an explanation of the work that is being done by the Winter Haven Lion's in sight conservation. Through a program of sight testing in the primary school grades, many children have had proper lenses prescribed for relief of eye strain, and thus have gained improved eyesight and made great progress in total comprehension. The program is known throughout the country as the Winter Haven Story.

The business session included reports on the various different activities the local Lion's are carrying out. We would like to make another appeal to the citizens of Avon Park to help out on the Christmas Toy Fund. If you have any repairable toys of any description please leave them at Stimsons Service Station or DeLaney's Hardware Store or for toys too large for you to carry call one of the following numbers 2-3121 Jack Delaney, 2-5401 Earl Futch, and we will be glad to come by and pick them up.

Don't forget to get your "hubcaps" stamped Saturday Dec. 14 at Stimson's Gulf Service Station, the funds received from this service will be used for Christmas Toys as well as work in "Sight Conservation".

Guest of the meeting were Lion Dr. McQuarrie, Lion Burk Childs, and Lion Phil Gutierrez of Winter Haven, Lion Maston, Sebring, Mr. Mel Bass Frostproof, Mr. A. B. Wilhite, Principal of Avon Park High School, and Dr. Richard P. Hedrick Avon Park.

Stores Decorated For Christmas Shoppers; 16 Days Left To Shop

Now that Thanksgiving has passed, it won't be long until Christmas. It gets here mighty quickly after Thanksgiving, in fact there are only 16 more shopping days, so a word to the wise is sufficient.

If you have not already done your shopping, or only a partial of it, and there is more to be done, you had better hurry. Stocks are complete in all stores but they are dwindling with each days sales and if you are one of those who are hard to please, its time to get out and get busy. A trip through all the stores in Avon Park, and surrounding shopping centers, will show that all are decorated for Christmas which makes an impressive appearance on all who enter.

Shopping already has been brisk but the merchandise on the counters and shelves in [illegible] offers the shopper an array that will appeal, gifts for the younger set, as well as the older ones. Toyland in some of the stores show just what the youngster would like, and in the ready-to wear stores, gifts that will please anyone predominates. The lines in the drug store offers a wide selection of gifts for almost anyone, and the displays in the stores that sell foods have every thing you want for a scrumptious meal, including plenty of the traditional bird, the turkey.

So get busy, go to the store you wish to trade in and select your gifts and food now before the supply diminishes. Stores all welcome you, and have courteous clerks to serve you.

Jr. Class Play To Be Given Friday, Dec. 6

The Junior Class of Avon Park High School will present its annual play, "The Skeleton Walks", a comedy-mystery in three acts on Friday night, December 6. The play is under the direction of Mrs. Patti Hill, vocational director and English teacher of the High School.

The play is to be held in the High School Auditorium at 8:00 p. m. Tickets may be purchased from any Junior and at the door. Reserved seat tickets are on sale at Touchton's Drug Store.

The cast includes; Bob Ed Church as Dr. Harold Fersig; Emese Foriz as Elaine Blaire; Wayne Kempton as Mrs. Madge Embrey; Mary Lois Roberts as Kathleen Embrey; Buddy Ott as Bill Clayton; Pat Tondee as Anne Rowell; Jimmy Rex Mills as Mrs. Eliza Hubbard; Guelda Gaster as Ollie Hubbard and Sally Sayers as The Woman.

Betty Sheppard, Pat Batson and Kenny Wells will be in charge of properties; and Penny Prescott and Sammie Wright will serve as Publicity managers.

Grand Opening At Ward's Dept. Store Saturday

The Grand Opening of Ward's Department Store for Saturday, December 7, was announced by the new owners, Mrs. Elizabeth Ladrie and James White. Manager.

The store has been beautifully remolded and enlarged for it now includes the corner building which formerly was used by the City Market. The enlargement of the store allows them to now handle merchandise which the store has not had room for before.

A wonderful selection of merchandise has been purchased for the opening and many new items have been added. Visit Wards modern Department Store Saturday and check the many specials which they are offering. One can now find

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Post Office Hours For Christmas

The post office will observe the following window hours during the Christmas Holidays:

Windows open until 5 p. m. on Wednesday Dec. 11th and 18th.

Windows open until 5 p. m. on Saturdays Dec. 14 th and 21st

Commissioners Meet In Regular Sesssion Tuesday

The Board of County Commissioners met in regular session Tuesday morning and accepted the petition for a road below Lake Placid in Twp 38S, R 30E, and adopted a resolution establishing said road. They also accepted another petition for another road in Twp 35S, R 29E, and referred it to the County Attorney for completion and approval.

A resolution from the City of Sebring for adopting the County registration books was accepted and adopted.

The Board agreed to advertise for a new bulldozer for District 1 and also for sweeper and tractor.

They authorized the republication of notice for closing of portion of Golfneln Ave. West of Lake Sebring.

The motion was made and carried to accept proof of publication on closing of Dinner Lake Drive and adopt a resolu-

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New Leaders In Touchton's Big Contest

Gale Meyer and G. L. Townsend, Jr. continue to lead in the Boys and Girls contest being sponsored by Touchton's Drug Company. The ten top leaders in the contest are printed each week and many changes are made. The contest will close on Saturday night, December 21, so cast your votes for the child of your choice each time you make a purchase at Touchton's Drug Store. One vote is given for each cent spent in the store.

The ten girls leading in the contest include, Gale Meyer, Mary Ann Durden, Rita Rich, Nancy Wright, Ann Gay, Gail Harris, Pat Anderson, Sharon Holcombe, Trudie Mitchell and Judy Cothran.

The ten top leaders in the boys contest are; G. L. Townsend, Jr., Jim Ridley, Bobby Rush, Roy Coats, James McCullough, Jonny Lee, Bill Fries, Steve Prisco, Bill Wild and Earl Allison.

Check the latest bulletin in Touchton's window showing the top forty boys and girls leading in the contest, then cast your vote and help some child win a wonderful prize.

Xmas Basket Committee Needs Cash To Purchase Groceries

A meeting of the Avon Park Children's Christmas Basket Committee was held Tuesday afternoon at five o'ilock at the Chamber of Commerce. The meeting was well attended by representatives of church and civic organizations.

Several grocery stores submitted estimates of cost to furnish groceries for the baskets and the Committee checked 1956 lists of those receiving baskets last year, eliminating some who have moved away and adding others.

A corrected list will be available at the next meeting, which will be held Tuesday afternoon December 10, at the same hour and place. Grocery stores are cooperating by saving and storing for the Committee boxes in which the food and gifts will be packed. The Cafeteria room of the Avon Park School will be used to pack the boxes and the City will use its trucks to deliver.

Several cash contributions have been received and it is hoped sufficient funds will be on hand for use by the Committee in purchasing groceries.

A. B. Wilhite made an appeal to the children at school Wednesday morning to help out by bringing old toys that they did not want. The Lions Club will pick the toys up on Friday morning to repair them and add them to the Christmas baskets. Boxes have been placed in the halls at school for students to leave any repairable toys of any description.

Whetstone To Serve As Prison Chaplain



G. Michael Whetstone, Jr., will serve as Chaplain at the Avon Park Correctional Institute. Chaplain Whetstone will conduct two services at the prison each Sunday according to the announcement made by Superintendent L. L. Wainwright the first of the week.

Mr. Whetstone is a graduate of the University of Florida and a graduate of the Yale Divinity School, New Haven, Conn. He has served in churches in Key West, [illegible] and Lake Park, and for [illegible] years was minister of the [illegible]mi Beach Community Church.

Chaplain Whetstone [illegible] a teacher at the Avon [illegible] High School for the past [illegible] years and will continue [illegible] his teaching career [illegible] ing as Chaplain for [illegible] tute.

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Undeserved Suspicion

A spokesman for a leading oil company says that undeserved suspicion of big business hampers business itself and threatens the great U. S. economy. These suspicions, he adds, provide " a working platform for those who would like to remake our economy in the image of a planned socialism, Marxist or otherwise."

The oil industry has come in for its share of suspicions. Time and again, for instance, it has been denounced as monopolistic. Yet if facts mean anything at all, the plain record proves that oil is highly competitive.

Take gasoline—the oil product practically everyone uses. Enormous sums have been spent in improving it, to the point where today's gas, available everywhere, approcaches the quality of the aviation fuels used in the last world war. Yet the cost of gasoline in recent years (excluding taxes, over which the industry has no control) has increased only half as much as have living costs generally.

To what can this development be attributed? The answer is—competition. Monopolies always seek maximum price increases—not minimum price increases. Monopolies aren't interested in improving quality or in spending money on progress. Monopolies offer their wares on a like-it-or-lump-it basis, because the purchaser has no choice.

The oil companies, on the other hand, have to continually try to give us a better buy for our dollar—because competition, most inexorable and relentless of forces, makes them do exactly that if they want to stay in business.

"Standard Oil Company (Indiana)

The Basis Of Labor Abuses

Senator Karl Munds, who is a member of the McClellan Committee investigating labor racketeering, has come up with an important discussion of what is needed in the field of labor legislation. On the basis of clearly established facts, he says, there is an urgent need for laws to protect the dues paid by the members; to strengthen democratic procedures and processes within the unions; to bar gangster control of the unions; to keep union funds out of politics, and to deal with the "pernicious problem" of secondary boycotts" . . . wherein unions by remote control seek to paralyze and stalemate the economic activities of a community or a company far removed from the scene of labor strife and entirely outside of the disputed conditions."

Then Senator Mundt deals with what he considers the basis of labor abuses. It is compulsory unionism—the closed shop or union shop, under which a man has the choice of joining and paying dues, whether or not he wants to, or starve.

The Senator quotes Samuel Gompers, the father of modern American unionism, as saying: "No lasting gain has ever come from compulsion. If we seek to force, we tear apart that which, united, is invincible." He then adds: "Once men are compelled to join a union in order to hold a job to earn the money to support their families, the union leader is automatically relieved of the necessity of serving the interests of his members or selling them on the desirability of trade unionism . . . . Union chieftains can concentrate on perpetuating themselves in office and serving their own selfish interests rather than constantly being under pressure to do something useful for the dues-paying members in order to attract and hold the membership. . . "

In sum, the biggest immediate need is for the right-to-work law—which puts unionism on a purely free and voluntary basis.

Total Costs Are What Count

A speaker at the recent 64th annual convention of the Farm Equipment Institute said that the industry's business this year will average out distinctly better than last.

One reason he cited is the breaking up of the big drouth which plagued much of the West and Southwest for many years. Another is of deeper significance. Speaking of the cost-price squeeze in which farm equipment customers found themselves, he pointed out that they are using with considerable success the same method to help offset it that industry is using. To quote him directly: "They are finding, more and more, that buying cost-saving, modern power equipment is truly an investment and that prices received for their products are not nearly as important as the difference between that price and their cost of production."

In other words, even though farm equipment prices, like all other prices, have risen substantially, mechanization is far and away the most successful means of cutting farm operating overhead. The equipment makers have done an outstanding job in designing and building equipment which has a greater use value to the farmer. And, though this may come as a surprise to many, they have also done an outstanding job in keeping prices down. Since 1947-49—a period commonly used as a base for such measurements—wholesale prices of farm equipment have risen 32.3 per cent. In the same period, the industry's hourly wage costs have increased by more than 80 per cent and steel prices have gone up an average of almost 70 per cent. That's a record the industry is entitled to take pride in.

Farmers An The Cost-Price Squeeze

An old argument used in favor of public electric power projects is that they provide service more cheaply than do the private utilities. Time after time, when that argument has been subjected to careful analysis in specific cases, it has been proven groundless.

A current example is found in New York City. The city-owned power plants which are operated by the Transit Authority to supply power for New York's great subway system are virtually worn-out. One of two things must be done. These plants must be rehabilitated and modernized or the needed power must be bought from New York's private utility.

According to the public-power people, rehabilitation and continued Transit Authority operation of the plants would be the cheaper course. However, the Citizens Budget Commission, Inc. has looked into the matter and it reaches a very different conclusion. Due to the system of bookkeeping used by New York—under which the Transit Authority pays only part of the total Transit power cost—it does appear that public-power is cheaper. But the total costs to New York of purchased power from the private company are less than the total costs of power generated at the municipal plants. From the taxpayer point of view, it is obvious that total cost is the big thing—not the mechanics of a bookkeeping system.

What is true in this case is true in many others—on both the municipal and the state and federal levels. When all costs are computed, and a really accurate comparison is finally reached, socialized power is usually more expensive than private enterprise power.

Journalists And Doctors

Newspaper people and doctors have a great deal in common. That is the unusual theme of an editorial in the Louisville Courier Journal, entitled "Press And Medicine Both Serve The People."

The Journal says: "The two professions—medicine and journalism—have some notable points of similarity. Both are concerned with important functions of human life. Doctors strive to preserve and restore human health—Journalists deal with the health of human minds in a democracy by trying to keep them adequately informed.

"Both professions are practiced by men and women who are passionate believers in their calling. Here is perhaps the root of some misunderstanding. A doctor believes that all must recognize the nobility of his profession. A journalist is just as convinced that the satisfaction of the people's right to know is a duty of a high moral order. Such pride can lead to arrogance on both sides. The practitioners of both professions sometimes fail to explain their actions fully to each other or to the public, because they forget that any explanation is necessary. . . . "

Happily, misunderstandings born of such causes are much less common than they used to be. More and more doctors—along with medical societies—now recognize the need for good public relations, within the framework of medicine's high code of ethics. More and more newspaper people, on their side, are showing a keen interest in the problems and achievements of the medical fraternity. The legitimate interests of both groups—and, of far greater importance, the public interest—is thus served.

Meikrowave .....

—By Don Meikeljohn

Ik's illness has provided a good selling point for Florida's new constitution.

As it stands, Florida is in the same fix as the federal government on picking a substitute for an ailing chief executive. There just isn't a method.

In the proposed constitution, the governor himself can say he's on the shelf by certifying it to the secretary of state. The lieutenant governor would take over.

As a further protection, the cabinet by a suggestion by four members can initiate such a move, but the Supreme Court is the final judge on determining inexpacity to serve.

A reverse procedure puts the governor back at the helm. He can do it himself by certifying it to the secretary of state. . . .

If the move was initiated by the Cabinet, the legislature or the governor can seek restoration from the Supreme Court.

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Gov. Collins sidestepped the Christmas tree issue mightly handily the other day.

After coming out strong for Palm trees to be used as Christmas trees, he was asked what kind of tree he was going to have at his home.

Some of the folks up in north Florida were ready to pounce if he said a palm tree, they would have claimed he had forsaken North Florida's sturdy pine for South Florida's showy palm.

A real north-south battle.

Proving himself a real diplomat, the governor said his family would probably have two trees—a pine and a palm.

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Harvey, the Capitol cat, that writes with his tail, spent a stomach busting Thanksgiving, and has this to say:

The Cat's Meow
By Harvey

A South Florida cat friend visited me for a Thanksgiving pork chop, and it was right interesting to see how the other half lives.

Susy—she is a lady cat—was telling me about the uproar at her house. It seems the intangible tax bill came in the other day.

According to Susy, who is very learned in these matters, an intangible tax is a tax on money, stocks and bonds, etc. On money, you have to pay a tax of 10 cents a $1,000 and on stock and bonds the tax is $2 a $1,000, she tells me.

According to Susy, the fellow that owns her house has to pay $100 this year. Last year he paid $50. All this because the intangible tax was doubled by the legislature.

Susy was shocked. She is pretty good at math. All her boss's money is in the bank, and she figured out that he only has a million dollars in cash, if he paid $100 tax.

Susy is a high class cat, and you can easily see how this hits her. After all, if her boss pays the tax, he will only have $999,900 left.

He draws a pretty good interest rate on the money, but the $50,000 he gets from interest goes toward run of the family mill living expenses.

Susy has always refused to live with anybody that doesn't have at least a million dollars in cash around . . . and although she likes her boss personally, she is quite frankly looking for a new home.

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It it got out that she were living with a family that had less than a million in cash, her reputation would be ruined.

Registered Bulls Sale At Belle Glade Dec. 7

Belle Glade.—The largest sale of registered bulls ever held in South Florida is scheduled for this everglades Cowtown this coming Saturday, December 7th.

93 registered Hereford bulls will be auctioned off at the Glades Livestock Market, starting a 1:30 p. m., in a sale which will also be the first Graded Bull Sale ever held in this part of Florida.

Sale is co-sponsored by the Florida Hereford Association and the Southwest Florida Cattlemen's Association Council, and the bulls are to be graded "A", "B", "C" (or reject) by a committee of commercial cattlemen appointed by the latter group, which represents cattlemen's associations in Glades, Hendry, Collier, Lee and Charlotte. Counties.

The list of 14 consignors includes some of Florida's top herds, and guest consignor from George and South Carolina as well. Both polled and horned Herefords will sell. Sale manager is George Young, manager of the Glades market, while F. A. Cockrill of McIntosh, president of the Florida Hereford Association, will be business manager for the event. Auctioneer will be Col. Bob Cooper of Sarasota, assisted by Col. Bo Swilley of Memphis, Tennessee.

All bulls will be service-age, including many 3's and 4's.

Consignors are: Bar-Bet Farms, Clearwater; Beewood Hereford Farms, Sarasota; Caw Caw Plantation, Orangeburg, S. C.; Callaway Hereford Farms, Hamilton, Ga.; Cock O' Walk Ranch, McIntosh; Dixie Hills Farms, Fairburn, Ga.; Double 1 Ranch, Plant City; E and M Ranch, Dinsmore; Jo su-Li Farms, Colquitt, Ga.; Ga.; Mrs. Thelma Kirtley, Winter Haven; M and M Ranch, Loxahatchee; Joe Overstreet, Kissimmi; Putnam Herford Ranch, Bartow; Santa Fe Rive Ranch, Alachua.

Applications For Marriage License

Marriage license applications on file at Mervin Rehrer, County Judge's office during the past week include:

Patricia Ann Lawrence, Avon Park and James F. Sellers, Bowling Green.

Nancy Starkey, Avon Park, and Philip F. Weber, Avon Park.

Colored:

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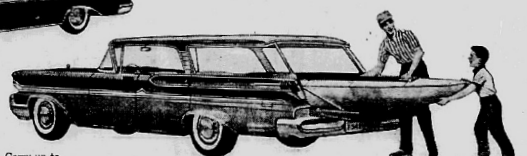

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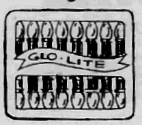

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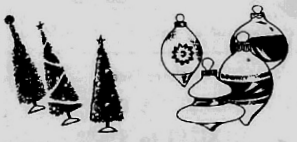

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"Teen - Town Talk"

Teen-Towners met 90 strong Saturday night. The Door Prize was won by Tom Bass, an album donated by Mrs. Clyde Starling. Christmas Carols by Fred Waring.

College visitors were Mike Hetherington and Dell Dandrea, local boys now going to Gainsville, and Dolores Stokey and Patsy Strasburger who attend Tallahassee College. Nancy Ginn was also in town, but think she went A-Hunting! Turkey incidentally.

Also had out of town visitors from Frostproof and Wauchula. There were cokes and refreshments. Next months Chaperones Chairman is Mrs. Jack DeLaney. Mrs. Stuart Ward finished up her month with Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hodges assisting. Thanks to all from Mr. Andy Miracle, Recreational Director.

Congregational Church News

The Evening Circle held its monthly meeting on Monday, November 25, at the home of Mrs. Fred Montsdeoca with Mrs. Dick Poling serving as co-hostess.

During the business meeting, presided over by the president, Mrs. Mervin Rehrer, a report was given on the Circle's Christmas card sale. Mrs. John Townsend announced that she would be able to order personalized stationery and special day Cards throughout the year for those who desired them.

Mrs. Clint Tish was asked by the Circle to order some special tea towels for sale by the members to aid the Sunday School Building Nursery Fund.

Dr. Richard Hedrick gave a very interesting talk to the group on the "Developing of Intelligence in the Infant and Child." Dr. Hedrick gave some concrete examples of ways which families could train their children to be alert in the use of their eyes and hands which were of great interest to the mothers present.

Delicious refreshments were served to the twenty ladies present. Guests were the Rev. Herbert Graetz, Mrs. Jack Head and Mrs. Wilma Thow, guest of Mrs. Roy Dyal. New members to the Circle are Mrs. Charles Warrington, Mrs. Lamarr Wilde, and Mrs. M. Parry.

The date for the next meeting was left up to the hostesses, Mrs. Joe Pranza, Mrs. Marvin Pearl and Mrs. Mike Whetstone.

The Ladies Aid will hold its monthly Covered Dish Luncheon on Wednesday, December 11, at twelve o'clock in the Parish House. Each member is asked to bring a covered dish and all women of the church and winter guests are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

There will be a short business meeting after which there will be a Christmas program and party. All are asked to bring a Christmas gift not to exceed fifty cents for exchange at the party.

The Children's Choir will sing at the 9 o'clock service in the Congregational Church on Sunday, December 8. They have several special songs and all are encouraged to attend and hear their program.

The Chancel Choir will present its annual concert of Christmas music on Sunday night, December 15, in the Congregational Church at 8 o'clock.

The Choir always presents an outstanding program of beautiful music and all members are asked to remember this date. All citizens of Avon Park are cordially invited to attend this concert also.

Calendar Of Xmas. Activities

In order to help the citizens of Avon Park keep up with the Christmas activities and be better able to make their plans, the Avon Park Sun will publish a calendar of events taking place from now until January 1st.

If your club, organization, or church, is planning any event during this month and it isn't on this calendar please call Mrs. Betty Anderson, GI 24231 and the Sun will be glad to put it on next week's calendar.

Dec. 6, Friday afternoon - Senior Woman's Club Meeting in Congregational Church at 2 o'clock.

Dec. 6, Friday night - Junior Class Play in High School Auditorium at 8 o'clock.

Dec. 9, Monday night - Women's Society Program and Reception in Wesley Hall of Methodist Church at 8 o'clock.

Dec. 9, Monday night - American Legion Auxiliary Christmas party and Dec. meeting.

Dec. 10, Tuesday morning - Dessert Bridge Party sponsored by Group 4 at Woman's Club Bldg at 9:30.

Dec. 10, Tuesday night - Circle 4 of Methodist Church Annual Christmas Banquet for members and husbands at Wesley Hall.

Dec. 11, Wednesday noon - Ladies Aid of Congregational Church Covered Dish Luncheon and Christmas program.

Dec. 11, Wednesday afternoon - St. Margaret's Auxiliary Christmas meeting at Episcopal Church.

Dec. 12, Thursday afternoon - Federated Garden Club Tea at

Dec. 12, Thursday evening - home of Mrs. W. C. Touchton.

Avon Park Elementary PTA Christmas Program and Brownie Investiture Service.

Dec. 13, Friday evening - Freshman Class party at the Youth Center.

Dec. 15, Sunday evening - Congregational Church Chancel Choir Contata at 8 o'clock.

Dec. 16, Monday night - Business Women's Annual Banquet and Christmas party at Jacaranda.

Dec. 17, Tuesday night - Order of the Eastern Star Christmas meeting and party.

Dec. 17 Tuesday night - Fidelis Sunday School Class of First Baptist party at Social Hall.

Dec 18, Wednesday, afternoon - Covenant Circle of Cong. Church Christmas meeting and program.

Dec 19, Thursday night - P. T. A. Christmas Musical Program in High School Auditorium.

Dec. 21, Saturday night - Fla. Power Employees Adult Banquet at Clubhouse.

Dec. 22, Sunday night - Christmas music by the choir of First Methodist Church.

Dec. 23, Monday afternoon - Children's party for the Fla. Power Employees at Clubhouse.

Dec. 23, Monday evening - Party for Teenagers of Fla. Power Employees at Clubhouse.

Dec. 23, Monday evening - Fla. Ave. Baptist Church Christmas Program at the church.

The Great American Desert covers an area of 1,050,000 square miles.

I. H. Ford Honored At Surprise Party

About fifty friends called on Wednesday evening, Dec. 4, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ford to extend good wishes to Mr. I. H. Ford on his birthday.

Mrs. I. H. Ford and Mrs. Donald Ford planned the drop-in party as a birthday surprise and Mr. Ford was the completely surprised honor guest.

Guests were served punch, sandwiches, and cookies from a festive table covered with a green cloth with lace inserts. A colorful arrangement of yellow and white chrysanthemums graced the table.

Safety Tips For The Holidays

With Mother spending extra hours in the kitchen cooking up holiday specials and Dad prowling through cellar and attic in search of Christmas decorations, accidents seem bound to happen in the coming weeks.

Each year, falls and burns alone bring tragedy instead of holiday cheer to thousands of American homes, and safety experts warn against common household hazards: shaky ladders, loose stair treads, frayed wires, and a whole variety of kitchen dangers that can cause serious burns.



With some 8,000 Americans dying every year of burns, first aid cabinets should be especially stocked to cope with this menace. When the burn is deep and widespread, of course, a doctor's care is essential. But when the burn is minor, self treatment is relatively easy, and can prevent future complications.

Doctors have discovered that the best remedy is that standby found in any first aid box or medicine chest—Vaseline petroleum jelly. Following the steps shown in the diagram below, the wise homemaker can promptly handle a minor accident, save needless pain, and keep the merriment going.

But most important, of course — be careful! Avoid burning — except for the Yule log!



Miss Lawrence Honored At Bridal Shower

Miss Patricia Ann Lawrence, bride elect of James F. Sellers, was the guest of honor at a bridal shower on Monday night, Nov. 25, in the Florida Power Customer's Room.

About twenty friends of Miss Lawrence from her class at the Avon Park High School joined in wishing her well. Several games were played during the evenin and Miss Juliene Newsome and Llynell Griffin won prizes for their skill.

The guests were served cake, cheese snacks, olives, and Cokes from an attractive table covered with a white cloth. Red roses were used to decorate the cake squares.

Miss Lawrence received many lovely gifts for her new home from her friends.

Hostesses at the shower were Miss Shirley Hall, Miss Janice Mott, and Miss Hazel O'conner.

Brownie Scouts To Present PTA Program Dec. 12

The three Avon Park Brownie Scout Troops will present the program at the regular monthly meeting of the Avon Elementary P.T.A. on Thursday, Dec. 12, at 8 o'click in the Avon Elementary Cafetorium.

This program will include the Brownie Scouts Investiture Service at which time the girls will receive their pins and become members of the Brownie Scouts of America. The Avon Elementary P.T.A. sponsors the Brownie troops and all members and friends are urged to attend this meeting and see the grand work the Brownies and their leaders have accomplished.

There will be a short business meeting before the program. Christmas music will also be sung by he group.

Refreshments will be served by the third grade room mothers.

Episcopal Church News

Saint Margaret's Auxiliary of the Church of the Redeemer will meet on Wednesday, December 11, at 1:30 in the Parish House.

Coffee and dessert will precede the meeting.

Miss Avis Slaughter will lead the worship service. The Rev. Peter F. Waterson, Vicar, will speak on "The Incarnation."

Hostesses for the afternoon are Mrs. Walter Mandis, Mrs. S. J. Ward, Mrs. M. Buckelew and Mrs. Frank Kinner.

Each member is asked to bring a gift in Christmas wrapping with a tag telling the contents of the package. These gifts will be sent to the residents of the Bishop Gray Inn for Christmas. This Inn is the Episcopal home for the aged and is located in Davenport. Brownie Troop 4 and their leader, Mrs. Jack Hutchinson will deliver the gifts to the home.

First Methodist Church News

The General Meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service will be held on Monday evening, December 9, at 8 o'clock in Wesley Hall of the Church.

This will be the Christmas program meeting with a reception for the new members during the past year after the program. At this time the children of the church will decorate an undecorated tree with gifts for the Ethel Hurbet Children's Home in Jacksonville.

A program of Christmas music will also be presented.

Lawrence - Sellers Wedding Plans Announced

Plans for the wedding of Miss Patricia Ann Lawrence to James F. Sellers of Bowling Green have been announced by the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lawrence.

The wedding will be solemnized by the Rev. Wilmer O. Luttrell in the First Methodist Church of Avon Park on Sunday, Dec. 8, at 4 o'clock. Miss Pat Basemore will sing "The Lord's Prayer", "Because" and "Always" before the ceremony.

Miss Eve Campbell will be maid of honor and only attendant.

Jeril Clenney of Ft. Meade will serve the bridegroom elect as best man. The ushers will be Earl Sellers, brother of the bridgroom, of Bowling Green, and Alton Born also of Bowling Green.

There will be a reception immediately following the ceremony in Wesley Hall. Mrs. Jeril Clenney will preside at the Bride's Book. Mrs. T. O. Martin will cut the cake and Mrs. Wilmer O. Luttrell will serve punch to the guests. Miss Janice Mott, Miss Hazel O'conner, and Miss Shirley Hall will help serve.

All relatives and friends of the young couple are cordially invited to attend the wedding and the reception.

Santa Attends Jr. Woman's Club Christmas Party

Sixty members of the Junior Woman's Club enjoyed a Christmas party at the home of Dr. and Mrs. B. C. Ostling on Tuesday night, Dec. 3.

A delightful program was presented for the entertainment of the Juniors by Mrs. Virgil Hall, who was in charge of the program. Eight lovely young ladies from the High School sang several Christmas songs and the group joined in several carols. The plight of Santa Claus with a bad cold was described in the humourous skit "Where's Santa?" with Robert Barben acting as Santa, Mrs. Virgil Hall as Mrs. Santa, and Mrs. Ralph Hill, Miss Pat Pickett, Mrs. Pat Peterson, and Mrs. John Crittenden portraying the Cristmas imps.

After the play Santa graciously presented each member with a gift from under a Christmas tree. The hosetsses also gave each guest clever earrings of snowmen or reindeer. A large number of gifts were collected for the Sunland Training Center in Gainesville and more gifts were added to the collection for the Club's foster boy at the Center.

Coffee, fruit cake, pound cake, and nuts were served from a graceful table covered with a blue cloth and highlighted with a Christmas ornament of angels and blue and silver balls. Mrs. Mannin Kirkland, President, served the coffee to the guests.

Festive Christmas decorations of candles, colorful balls, and a small Christmas tree added to the beauty of the rooms and gave all present the spirit of Christmas for 1957.

Mrs. Samuel O. Norris and Mrs. Ethel Donaldson of the Avon Park Senior Woman's Club were guests of the Juniors. Mrs. Harold Worden, Sr. was another special guest of the Club.

Hostesses for the Christmas party were Mrs. B. C. Ostling, Mrs. Donald Ford, Mrs. Mose Pollard, Mrs. Walter Mandis, Mrs. Virgil Hall, Mrs. J. M. Anderson, Mrs. Bill Hood, and Mrs. John Crittenden.

Derby Day was first instituted at Epsom Downs in England by the Earl of Derby in 1780.

Large Audience Enjoyed Glee Club Chorus

The Chorus of the Glee Club of Florida Christian College of Tampa presented an enjoyable program on Monday night, Dec. 2, in the Cafetorium of the Avon Elementary School.

A large audience enjoyed the outstanding chorus as they sang religious and secular music. This performance was sponsored by the Church of Christ in Avon Park.

Fla. Ave. Baptist Church News

The Donna McClelland Circle met at the church on Monday afternoon, Nov. 25, for their regular meeting with nine members and one guest present.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. Fallin. Mrs. Estelle Reynolds gave the devotional message. Mrs. S. Lookhoff gave an interesting talk on the work of the Baptist missionaries.

Mrs. S. Lookhoff closed the meeting with the "Season of Prayer" which she lead and which was completed by Mrs. W. D. Fletcher.

Pine Acres Restaurant Open

Under the management of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Reid the Pine Acres restaurant is now open for serving breakfast, lunch and dinners. Service will begin at 7 a. m. and run until 2:30 p. m., and then be closed, re-opening at 5:30 p. m. and remain open until 9 p. m.

Home cooked foods will be served, and the public is invited to eat here.

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Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Field and their daughters, Kathleen, Linda, and Carol, will arrive Saturday, Dec. 7 from Waverly, N. Y., for a visit with Mrs Field's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Stoddard.

Miss Nancy Matylas has returned to Tallahassee to resume her studies at F.S.U. after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her mother, Mrs. W. C. Matyles.

The Rev. E. E. Shiltz and son, Jerome, visited the McKee Jungle Gardens at Vero Beach on Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Meyers of Nashville, Ga., spent Thanksgiving with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meyers.

The Rev. Claude Roe has started to build his new home on the Avon Park Campgrounds.

Mrs. Al Van Meter visited her sister, Mrs. Guy Morris, in Moultrie, Ga., over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Glenn Welch, a senior at the University of Florida, and Pfc. John F. Welch of Ft. Benning, Ga., spent Thanksgiving day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Welch. Glenn was in Avon Park until Sunday but John had to return to duty on Friday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Edmund Rice had as their guests for the Thanksgiving day and weekend their son and daughter-in law, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Rice, and their children, Paul, Cambron, and Melanie, of Melbourne.

Jerome Shiltz will give his travelogue "America the Beautiful" on Friday night at the Frostproof Tourist Club.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Meyer spent Thanksgiving with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Tucker in Tifton, Ga.

Mrs. R. A. Craig returned to Avon Park last week to spend the winter visiting her sisters, Misses Kate and Mattie Tompkins. She spent the summer in Virginia visiting her sons and other relatives.

Late news from Southland Trailer Park tells that new arrivals for the winter are Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wilmot of River Falls, Wisconsin. Friends will be very pleased to hear that Mr. William Drake has returned home from the Lakeland Hospital and his doctors say that his operation was a success.

The regular annual Thanksgiving Day Dinner and Supper was served on Thursday in the Recreation Hall of Southland by the ladies. There were thirty nine residents present and it was one of the most successful gatherings of the Park has ever held. After supper entertainment was furnished with a recorded narrative given by Mr. William Rankin. This was followed by movies to end a pleasant evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Pollard and their children, Victor and Beverly, spent Thanksgiving in Wauchula with Mrs. Pollard's father, E. L. Metheny, and her brother.

Among the Avon Park families who picnicked in Highlands Hammock on Thanksgiving day were Dr. and Mrs. B. C. Ostling and their son, Hoagy, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Adams and their children, Morris and Lark, Dr. and Mrs. Stuart Ward and their sons, Bill, David, Jim, and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Padgett and their son, Lance, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Love and their children, Rida and Stephen.

Mr. and Mrs. Myrle Appelgren returned Saturday from Willamr, Minnesota, where they were called on Nov. 22 by the sudden death of Mr. Appelgren's father, Mr. A. J. Appelgren.

Patriots Chapter Met Monday With Mrs. Ford

Patriot's Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution of Highlands County met on Monday afternoon, Dec. 2, at the home of Mrs. I. H. Ford on Lake Lotela with Mrs. Walter Mather, Regent, presiding.

The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag, followed by singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" with Mrs. D. S. Mandis at the piano. The President General's message was read by Mrs. J. H. Hahn. Mrs. W. H. Areson gave a very interesting and informative talk on National Defense.

Guests from other Chapters who were presented at the meeting were Mrs. Frank Hatch of Schuyler Colfax Chapter, South Bend, Indiana, and Mrs. Margaret Thompson Dowe of Gan-e-o-de-ya Chapter of Calidonia, N. Y. The guests told Patriot's Chapter something about the work of their respective Chapters.

Mrs. P. H. Nickerson, Program Chairman, presented Mrs. I. H. Ford who gave a reading, "The Man Who Owned the Stable" by Armand L. Currie. This was a beautiful Christmas story.

Miss Sue Tiffany extended a gracious invitation to all members to attend a pre-Christmas Party and Antique Display at her home on 319 W. Main Street in Avon Park on December 18, from 3 until 5 o'clock.

A social hour followed the meeting with Mrs. Mather pouring coffee from a beautiful pouring coffee from a beautiful table decorated with gladioli, Christmas figurenes and colored balls.

Mrs. I. H. Ford was assisted by the following co-hostesses: Mrs. F. W. Thiele, Mrs. J. H. Hahn, Mrs. Charles Kepton and Miss Sue Tiffany.

The next meeting of Patriot's Chapter will be held in the home of Mrs. W. H. Areson in DeSoto City on January 6, 1958, at 2 o'clock.

First Baptist Church News

The Young Adult Department members enjoyed a delicious banquet on Monday evening, Nov. 25, in the Social Hall of the Church.

The complete turkey dinner was served from tables attractive and colorful with crotons and chrysanthemums. Indian tents and candy corn decorated the centers of the tables. The clever programs carried out the Pilgrim theme also.

The Rev. Aden Childress gave the group a brief devotional thought and group singing of Thanksgiving songs followed.

An evening of visiting followed with forty members of the group present. Guests were the Rev. and Mrs. Aden Childress and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McFarland. In charge of the lovely evening were Mrs. Bud Edge and Mr. Bob Henderson.

Each year all the Baptist churches in the United States Training Unions meet for a mobilization night. The Training Union "M" night for the Orange Blossom Association was Monday night, Dec. 2, with the First Baptist Church in Wauchula.

The church bus and several cars took about sixty-two from the Avon Park church to this meeting.

The Rev. O. E. Burton of Calvary Baptist Church of Clearwater made an inspiring address. He is a former pastor of the Avon Park Church. All those attending felt that they had gotten a great deal.

The Three Choirs of the Church will present a program of Christmas music on Sunday, Dec. 22, at 7:30.

This will be a very enjoyable evening for all music lovers and the public is cordially invited to attend. The program will be announced later.

Red Cross News

The Red Cross Office will be open only two hours a day the week of December first. The hours will be 10 a. m. to 12 noon. A volunteer Worker will be in charge with a Volunteer Worker on call at all times. If an emergency arises and you wish to contact the Red Cross, Dial 0 and ask for the Service Assistant, she will have the correct phone number to call.

Mrs. Dorthie S. Wooden, Executive Secretary of the Highlands County Chapter of the American Red Cross will be out of town for the week of December fist attending a special Conference for Chapter Executives.

Births

WALKER MEMORIAL

To Mr. and Mrs. Julian Henry O'Neal of Lorida a daughter, Jane Lee, born November 26. Birth weight 7 pounds, 5 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Robert Wack of Sebring a daughter, Patricia Ann, born November 28. Birth weight 7 pounds, 5 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Jack Curtis Meyer of Frostproof a son, Duane George, born December 2. Birth weight 7 pounds, 4 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Yates of Frostproof a daughter, Cindy Carol, born December 1. Birth weight 7 pounds, 3 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gordon Thorpe of Zolfo Springs a son, born December 1. Birth weight 6 pounds, 15 ounces.

Lions Club To Stamp Hubcaps For Xmas Fund

The Avon Park, Lion's Club will be working with the Avon Park Police Dept. to raise funds for the Christmas Toy Fund Saturday, Dec. 14, at Stimsons Gulf Service Station on the Mall.

The purpose of stamping your hubcaps is so that you will be able to identify them in the event they are stolen or lost. Little do people realize the cost of their hubcaps, some range as high as $30.00 each, this would be a capital outlay in the event they had to be replaced.

Chief Harrison recommends that every car owner in Avon Park have his or her hubcaps stamped not only for the protection of their personal property but it would also help out a very worthy cause. The charge for this service will be $.25 per hubcap.

District 27 Fla. Nurses To Meet Monday, Dec. 9

District 27, Florida Nurses Association will hold their annual Christmas meeting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Larsen at Highlands Lake Monday night, December 9, at 7:30 p. m.

Reports of Roll Call and Work Shops held in Orlando recently will be given.

There will be an exchange of gifts and all nurses are invited.

Fish Supper Saturday At Church Of God

A fish supper will be held Saturday evening, December 7, beginning at 5 o'clock at the Church of God, 105 North Florida Avenue.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend he supper, plenty of mullet and hush puppies.

Fire Department Answers Two Minor Alarms

The Avon Park Fire Department answered two fire alarms during the past week to heaters in homes of twe Avon Park residents.

At midnight, Saturday, November 30, the fire department was called to the home of Veron Bass on W. Bell St. Minor smoke damage was reported as the result of defective flu.

Tuesday morning, December 3, the fire department was called to the home of Oliver Smith on South Butler Avenue. Minor smoke damage reported as the result of a flooded oil heater.

Christmas Seal Sale Report

The last report on the Christmas Seal Sale received on Saturday, November 30, shows a county-wide total of 639 contributions amounting to $1552.-55, an average of about $2.43 per contribution.

Sebring is leading with $827.-50; Avon Park has collected $551.05 while Lake Placid reports $174.

As E. A. Hauck of the County Tuberculosis Association remarked, "We want as many people to be interest in the Association, and it's work and though our budget calls for $4500 this coming year, we would rather that 2,000 people give an average of $2.25 each than to receive the entire sum of $4500 from one contributor."

Buy and use Christmas Seals.

More Fort Pickens Leaflets

The Florida Park Service has slightly revised and has had reprinted 30,000 copies of the Fort Pickens State Park leaflet to try and meet the demand. The average attendance at that popular park during the last two years was over 430,000 persons.

The description of the fort and its part in the War Between the States is well portrayed by Dr. Dorothy Dodd, who heads up the State Library in Tallahassee.

It is well illustrated with pictures of the historic old fort guarding Pensacola Bay. It also contains a diagram made by Lieutenant Loomis L. Langdon, who landed with the first Federal reinforcements.

The Battle of Santa Rosa Island is well described. This was the first major engagement between Union and Confederate forces in Florida.

General Richard H. Anderson of South Carolina is pictured in the publication inasmuch as he led the Confederates in the night landing and in the battle.

The Confederates landed near where the U. S. Coast Guard Station in now located and marched in three parallel columns and attacked and destroyed the Federal camp near the present site of Battery Worth.

However, the Federals counter-attacked and forced the Confederates back to their boats.

The pamphlet is available at no charge and may be obtained

Adult tickets .75 cents and .50 cents for children. The supper is being sponsored by the L.W.W.B. So join the crowd at the Church at 5 o'clock.

Editor's Mail Bag

December 4th, 1957

The Avon Park Sun
Avon Park, Fla.

Dear Mr. Meyer:

The absence of our usual Christmas Lighting Display on Main Street this year and their handling by the Chamber of Commerce, shows our great need for a Avon Park Merchants Association. As I understand it the lights and wires are the property of the merchants of Avon Park, having been donated several years ago by the merchants.

This year the existing lights and wires are in need of some repair, know one I have talked to seems to know the value or cost of these repairs. For that reason along with others they have not been put up this year.

We the people and merchants of Avon Park are very grateful for the Labor to install the Lights and the Expense of Lighting them that has been donated by the Florida Power Corporation.

With a Merchants Association we could have advance planning for a proper Christmas Lighting Display in 1958.

Yours truly,
Art Turner

at Florida's Historic Memorials and State Parks or it may obtained from the Florida Park Service, 201 West Park Avenue, Tallahassee.

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Durelle Meets Luedee In Tampa Boxing Match

Tampa.—British and Canadian lightheavy weight champion Yvon Durelle will battle New York City lightheavy weight boxer Jerry Luedee in Tampa's first nationally televised bout Wednesday, December 11.

Card for the fight was announced by Sam Davis, chairman of the Sports Committee of the Greater Tampa Chamber of Commerce, sponsors of the fight for benefit of the Babe Zaharias Memorial Cancer Fund.

Tickets for 5,500 seats at Tampa's Fort Homer Hesterly are on sale at Tampa locations and by mail from the Chamber at $5.50, $4.50, $3.50, $250 and $1.50.

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Mutual Hints Orange Crop May Be Smaller Than U. S. Forecast

Lakeland—Florida may be growing an orange crop of 102 million boxes—biggest in history—but Florida Citrus Mutual isn't too sure.

"The big cooperative hasn't as yet openly taken issue with the U. S. Department of Agriculture, which makes the only official forecast on the size of the crop, but it says it has quite a lot of information from its grower members and other veteran handlers casting doubt there are that many oranges in the new crop.

Enough doubt, in fact, for Mutual to come out publicly and tell its grower members to keep their fingers crossed.

Herman F. Steele, Mutual's assistant general manager, says "evidence is building up indicating the official government estimate for oranges may be too high," and he carefully stresses the word "may."

Adverse weather, he states, has resulted in heavy droppage and is keeping oranges from growing as big as expected. The smaller the fruit, the more of them it takes to fill a box and the smaller the size of the crop produced from the same total number.

Steele said he wanted to make it crystal clear that "all these indications involve conditions as we find them today and, because the season is barely under way, and findings at present must be strictly tentative."

Mutual openly questioned Uncle Sam's estimate issued Oct. 10 that Florida had a grapefruit crop of 38 million boxes. A month later, the government whittled two million boxes off its original figure, and Mutual says it may have to cut it still further.

The size of the crop is one of the important factors which determine what growers will get for their fruit. The on-tree crop is added to stocks on hand of processed products in determining the total "supply" on which the industry must base its advertising and merchandising plants.

Chamberlains Home From Western Tour

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Chamberlain have recently returned from a 9000 mile tour through the west and middle west. Besides seeing points of interest along the way, they visited with all their children and grandchildren.

First stop on the trip was St. Louis where they found the [illegible] and development so phenomenal in the last few years that they could hardly find their way around, though they had lived their for many years. In St. Louis they spent several days with two M Mrs. Chamberlain's brothers. Then on to Chicago where their oldest son lives.

The Chamberlains didn't do much sight seeing there but did take a drive along Lake Michigan and through the campus of Northwestern University. Next stop was Anderson, Miss. and a week's visit with Mr. Chamberlain's mother, sister, niece, and many friends.

Then they headed west with the Pacific coast their destination and many interesting stops along the way, among them Boulder Dam, Death Valley, Painted Desert, and the Grand Canyon. They enjoyed their coffee break one morning at the foot of Mt. Shasta which was mild and warm at the base but had five distinct glaciers on the snow covered peak. This was a truly beautiful and inspiring sight.

At Death Valley the Chamberlains passed the lowest spot in the United States, several feet below sea level, while less than 100 miles away rises Mt. Whitney, the highest point in our country.

At Fresno, Cal., called the raisin capital of the world, they spent a week with a daughter and her family. Then they had an enchanting time in San Francisco, crossed the Golden Gate Bridge, shopped and had a sea food dinner on the Embaracadero (wharf), went through an old sailing vessel, and spent an enjoyable three hours at the Planetarium where they saw just how the sputnik works.

Turning south, they passed through Los Angeles and visited Knott's Berry Farm, a fascinating reconstructed ghost town then to San Diego and the trip home. On the way they did more visiting, a few days in Phoenix, Ariz. with another of Mrs. Chamberlain's brothers, and a weekend with a son in Marshall, Texas. While in Phoenix they called on Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Spencer who are former Avon Park residents who recently moved to Arizona from Auburndale. The Spencers are both well and are getting settled in a beautiful home.

The last stop for the Chamberlains was Anderson, Missouri, again to get Mrs. George Chamberlain, Mr. Chamberlain's mother, who returned with them to spend the winter in sunny Florida.

The November issue of Holiday Magazine features an article on Coral Gables and its interesting history in conjunction with the Florida boom of the 1920's.

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"THE PATIENCE OF JOB" . . . is required to build this one-inch to the hundred-foot scale model. It's the multi-million dollar Island Estates project, now being developed on "made land" (pumped up sand) in Florida on Clearwater Bay between Clearwater Beach and the Mainland just north of Clearwater's Memorial Causeway to the Gulf of Mexico. Although there's only about $19 worth of material in the model, it took this craftsman more than 500 hours of meticulous hand labor to fashion the 500 miniature homes, scores of motels, a big hotel, a shopping center, marina, (left foreground) a church, a schoolhouse and landscaped "boulevards" that run around the various "fingers." Model maker is Alfred L. Stobbs, an Englishman now living in Belleair, Florida. Island Estates development is progressing rapidly with the first of the hundreds of homes to be built there already under construction.

Ten Basic Pointers For Safe Delivery Of Mail At Christmas

Postmaster General Arthur E. Summerfield today outlined ten basic pointers for users of the mails to follow in order to assure prompt and safe delivery of their Christmas cards and gifts this year:

1. Address mail fully and clearly. Write legibly or print plainly and always use zone numbers in the address and return address. Avoid abbreviations since this may lead to confusion.

2. Use the 3-cent letter rate on cards and letters. Be certain a return address is printed in the upper left hand corner of both Christmas cards and parcels. This will prevent any undelivered mail ending up in a dead letter office.

3. Do not enclose coins or hard objects of any kind in letters. Cancelling machines cannot process such letters and often damage the letters and contents.

4. Do not mail money in Christmas gifts or letters. For safety's sake, use postal money orders or checks.

5. Separate your letters to "local" and "out-of-town." This will speed all the mail and relieve much of congestion in post offices.

6. Make certain that parcels are well packed and securely wrapped in strong containers. Cushioning material, such as excelsior, shredded news-papers or tissue paper should be evenly and firmly placed on all sides of the Christmas gift. The carton should be wrapped in heavy paper and securely tied with strong twine.

7. Gifts of a delicate nature, such as glass, china, electrical appliances, radios and musical instruments, must be marked "Fragile" by the mailer. Food stuffs should be marked "Perishable" if subject to spoilage.

8. Insure parcels. Register letters of real value. Where only proof of delivery is required for letters of no intrinsic value use Certified Mail. Use Combination Mail where a letter or message -- other than a gift tag -- is to be enclosed inside a Christmas package.

9. Mail Christmas cards and parcels early to avoid the last minute rush and waiting in line at the post office. The best times to avoid crowds at stamp windows in most post offices are before 10 a. m. and between 1:30 and 3:30 p. m.

10. Every postal employee is happy to answer questions on postal rules and regulations. Anyone with problems about mailing his Christmas parcels should avail himself of the opportunity of discussing the problems with postal employees, and take advantage of their experience.

Ask at any post office for the free pamphlet, "Post Office Department Publication No. 3," which contains rates of postage and limits of size and weight for domestic mail. Another free pamphlet at post offices is entitled "Packaging and Wrapping Parcels For Mailing."

Mr. Summerfield further emphasized how important it is to start planning now to shop early and mail early for Christmas.

"Our loyal and dedicated postal employees, whose efforts during every Christmas season are so commendable, must depend upon public cooperation to help get their job done. We know that all citizens will recognize the importance of this, and will again extend us this cooperation and help," the Postmaster General added.

During its first year of publication in 1851, the New York Times spent $40,000 for newsprint, $25,000 for mechanical and business employees, and $13,000 for correspondents, editors, and reporters.

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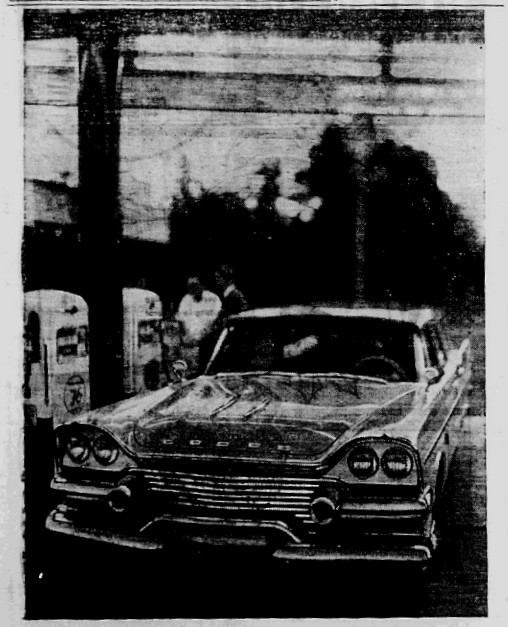

"IT WAS A NICE TRY, BUT . . ." seems to sum up public opinion about competitive cars attempting to equal the styling and features of the Swept-Wing 58. They *tried* to get as low, but had to lower the roof to do it. (Less headroom, same high, boxy, cooped-up look.) Their windshields got smaller, while ours got bigger. Most of them still don't have Total-Contact Brakes to assure smooth, even, safe stops when needed. Nor do they offer push-button TorqueFlite, the proven automatic transmission, and Constant-Control power steering that works *full* time—not part time as some other systems do. And Dodge no-sway, no-dip Torsion-Aire is standard equipment. (Bus-type air springs offered by some cars cost well over $100.00 extra.) So compare all the 1958 models with Dodge. We think you'll agree: Other cars are catching on, but they can't catch up.

See Swept-Wing 58 DODGE At WELLS MOTOR CO.

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PUBLISH GUIDE FOR MOTORISTS

WILMINGTON, DEL.—(Special)—So popular was its map last season—one million copies—the Ocean Hiway Association here is printing 1,250,000 1958 Ocean Hiway map folders to meet this season's anticipated demand.

Motorists planning trips to Florida, or to mid-South resorts this winter, now can obtain a copy of the 1958 map folder, also the association's Motorists Guide, absolutely without any charge and by postpaid return mail, simply by writing to Department 30, Ocean Hiway Association, P.O. Box 1552, Wilmington, Delaware.

The new four color map contains 20 panels with three large maps and 30 illustrations. It has a detailed mileage table of the route, a map of connecting New England highways and an up to date highway map of the Florida peninsula. Also it lists state speed laws. Points of outstanding interest are described and pictured.

The Ocean Hiway is the 998 mile sea level, North-South route along the coast between New York city and Jacksonville, Florida. It is the fastest, safest, smoothest, also most restful and scenic, route from northern pines to southern palms. Among its acknowledged advantages over other North-South highways are avoidance of industrial and commercial traffic, lack of hills and minimum of snow or ice in winter, due to adjacency to the ocean.

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Register For Our Grand Opening Prizes

Come in and see us and register for our Special Grand Opening Prizes — Drawing will be made on Saturday December 14th.

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FIRST PRIZE — Gift Certificate worth $40
Second Prize — Gift Certificates worth $25
Third Prize — Gift Certificate worth $10

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Rugby All Wool Cardigan size 36 thru 44		$6.95
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Tru Val Flannel Sport Shirts S-M-L		$3.95
Tru Val Flannel Pajamas size A-B-C-D		$3.95
Beau Brummel Ties, Initials and Fancy		$1.50
Jarman Loafers & Oxfords		$9.95
Wesboro Loafers & Oxfords		$7.95
U. S. Keds, Booster Oxfords		$6.95

GIFT SUGGESTIONS FOR WOMEN

Berkshire Nylon Briefs
Size 5-6-7
$1.00 pair

Lorraine Nylon Half Slip
Size S-M-L
$2.98 each

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Rayon Waltz Length Gown
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"Too Late To Classify"

By RUSSELL KAY

I attend a lot of conventions but there is none more stimulating and inspiring than the annual meeting of the Florida State Chamber of Commerce. This annual congress of Florida's top-flight business and industrial leaders provides a meeting of the minds, a more intimate knowledge of the state's problems and opportunities and lays a firm groundwork for our continued progress and prosperity.

It spotlights what we have achieved and points the way to even greater accomplishments. The meeting held in St. Petersburg recently was particularly well conducted and I never cease to marvel at the smooth and efficient work of Executive Vice President Harold Colee and his fine staff of assistants. Their teamwork is notable and attested by the growing attendance at these meetings.

John T. Bills, Jr., vice president of the Peoples Gas System of Miami, convention keynoter called on delegates to take responsible roles in preventing an "economic vacuum" in the future growth of the state, which could occur between wealthy and pensioner classes should industrial growth not keep pace with them. He urged business leaders to avoid conflict with tourist development, pointing out that tourism pours millions of dollars into the state and both tourism and industry in proper balance are needed for a healthy permanent growth.

Governor Collins called on the Florida State Chamber of Commerce to take the lead in adopting a broader program aimed at giving older workers a greater opportunity for employment. The Governor deplored the attitude of industry in its failure to recognize the ability and experience of older workers and urged that a greater effort be made to find jobs for people of 45 or over, many of whom are better qualified and in a better position to serve industry than are some younger people. He cautioned against what he termed "human erosion" which stifles ambition and creates a desire for so-called "security" in the place of "ambition."

A. F. Persons, manager of the General Electric Company's Pinellas Plant, said Florida's "business climate" is as important to the state's growth as is our natural climate. He described business climate as follows: 'Good government, sound labor relations, adequate supply of trained employes, labor costs, community services and facilities, social, cultural and educational institutions and assumption of business citizenship responsibilities on the part of all employers in the community."

A bold step to eliminate all personal property tax in Florida was taken by the Retail Merchants Division of the Florida State Chamber of Commerce. It was explained that the tax is manifestly difficult to administer and often results in inequities. Under the plan for the elimination of the tax, the retailers propose to make a thorough study of the tax as it applies to each county and municipality and will seek support of legislators and local authorities. While the elimination of such tax would reduce state and local revenues considerably the merchants will outline a fair and equitable replacement. In another action the group voted to change the name from Merchants Division to the Florida Retail Federation of the FSCC.

Senator Spessard L. Holland expressed the opinion that Congress would take some action in the next session to curb "racketeering labor practices brought to light by the recent investigation and pass a law requiring unions to give a financial accounting.

Space does not permit a review on all subjects discussed during the session but it will go down as one of the best in State Chamber history.

Harry Lee Re-Arrested: Posts $100 Bond

Harry Lee, former County Judge, was re-arrested last Wednesday for failure to appear for trial in County Judge's Court. He immediately posted a $100 bond with Sheriff Broward Coker.

Attorney Lee had been cited for contempt of court by Judge Marvin Rehrer when he didn't show up in Court in Novembe to be tried on a charge of driving to closely. The Florid Highway Patrol charged Le due to a highway accident h had in September.

At the time of Lee's first arrest he was released on hi own recognizance to appear for trial in the November term o Court.

When he failed to appear th Court, issued a capias wherein the Sheriff would confine the defendant in County Jail or release him on $100 bond to appear for trial by jury in the next term of Criminal Court of the County Judge's Court which will be held in January 1958.

Boy Scout News

Troop 156

Troop 156 of the Avon Park Boy Scouts sponsored by the American Legion held a Board of Review at their last meeting on Monday evening, Nov. 18. Members of the board were Ed Dunn, John Townsend, Andrew Miracle, John Crittenden, and George Harrison.

Scouts who went before the Board were Andy Miracle, Robin Duggan, and Jimmie Lyles.

Troop 157

Troop 157 of the Avon Park Boy Scouts sponsored by the Rotary Club also held a Board of Review at their last meeting on Monday. Glenn Peters and Ed Sharpe went before the Board for Star Scout.

Franklyn Ward and Scoutmaster Fred Davis accompanied their troop to Minnow Creek for a camp out on Saturday night and they returned home on Sunday afternoon. The Scouts all had a chance to work on their cooking achievements as well as map finding, hiking, and other forest lore. Minnow Creek is south of Highland Hammock.

Red—

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attempt to salvage the game and in the final minutes of the game drove to the Sebring three where they lost the ball on downs. The Sreaks took over on their own four and fumbled the ball on the second play. Avon Park recovered the fumble on the two. John Starling, outstanding Red Devil back blasted through to score with three minutes left on the clock.

Sebring tried several desperation passes in the dying moments, two of which were beautifully and alertly intercepted by quarterback Jimmy Cooper. Avon Park took over on downs and ran the clock on penalties.

Linesmen Terry Elder, Gene Bigbie and Henry Scott played an outstanding game along with Center Leroy Starling. These boys played a big part in the Devil's victories this season.

Fire—

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it is very important to know the correct number of your local fire department.

In many areas, when you dial "Operator," your call may be received in a central exchange several miles away. The Operator may have to guess which fire department to notify. As a result, the arrival of fire apparatus is delayed. Give your address clearly and distinctly when you call.

The correct number for reporting a fire in Avon Park is GLENDALE 2-4441.

Santa Claus Is Coming To Town

Boys and girls, you better be good, you better not cry, for Santa Claus is coming to town. Santa, with a pack on his back, will arrive a Touchton's Drug Store on Saturday morning, December 14, at 10 o'clock.

Boys and girls make plans now to have your parents take you to Touchton's to visit dear old Saint Nick. On December 14th he will be in the store from 10 a. m. until 12 noon, and again that afternoon from 2 until 4 p. m. Santa will also welcome all his little friends during the same hours on Saturday, December 21.

On Monday and Tuesday, December 23 and 24, Santa will again be at Touchton's. He will be in and out of the store all during the day. So you better hurry and make a list of things that you want Santa to bring you, and tell Santa what you would like to have for Christmas.

Be good little boys and girls and visit Santa Claus at Touchton's Drug Store.

J. W. Earnest Co. Display Xmas Decorations

With Christmas only a few more days off, to be exact, there being only 16 more shopping days, the firm of J. W. Earnest and Company, South Central Floridas shopping center since 1906 is all decorated up, so to speak, with Christmas decorations throughout the store, and the public is invited to visit us and see the many items we have in gifts for every member of the family.

A floors of this store are showing the best in merchandise, featuring nationally known lines. A trip to Wauchula and a visit to this popular store is worth the many miles traveled. Whethered it be ready-to-wear, for men, women and children or furniture for the home the displays will be of interest to everyone. A special invitation is extended to residents of Avon Park and throughout Highlands county, is hereby extended. Courteous clerks in all departments are here to serve you, and if you wish, offer suggestions for those on your Christmas gife gift list, whom you wish to remember.

Letter Creates Flurry At FARC

The Florida Alcoholic Rehabilitation Program routinely fills requests for literature from interested individuals and agencies, but one letter received last week created quite a flurry among workers in the Educational Department.

The surprise item was an order from the Nkana/Kitwe Committee on Alcoholism located at Kitwe, Northern Rhodesia.

This agency's letter contained a bank draft on the African Banking Corp. to cover the charges on certain items on their list which are distributed on a cost basis. There, plus the free materials asked for, filled a shipping carton nearly as large as a standard filing cabinet.

The African group had become aware of the Florida Program through its monthly newsletter, "The Reporter", which has world-wide circulation.

Mail Early For Christmas

"The mounting volume of Christmas mail makes it more important than ever for everyone to 'Mail Early For Christmas'," Postmaster D. G. Perry said today.

The Postmaster says that every effort is being made to deliver all mail on time and in good condition before Christmas Eve, as has been done during the past three years.

Every facility of the Post Office is being pressed into maximum service, extra trucks and personnel have been added, and with the help of the mailing public, postal employees can look forward to spending Christmas Eve and Christmas Day with their families.

The Postmaster reports that the present flow of Christmas cards is running about the same as last year, but the mailing of gifts by Parcel Post is somewhat behind schedule. He suggests that all gift parcels to

GLENDALE 2-5555 and this number is for fire only. All other calls to the fire department should be dialed on GLENDALE 2-4441.

Rotary News

Marvin Walker, General Manager of the Citrus Canners Co-op, Lake Wales, was guest speaker Wednesday, November 27, at the Rotary Club luncheon meeting held at the Jacaranda Hotel. He spoke on the outlook for the citrus industry for this season and the near future. He states that at the present time the outlook was very good for the citrus grower due to the increased sales of fresh fruits and products. One of the main reasons was that the Florida oranges were ready for shipment before the crops in California, Texas, Mexico or Spain.

Four Rotary Anns, who had recently observed wedding anniversaries, were special guests Wednesday. Present were Mrs. Smokey Padgett, Mrs. C. J. Larsen, Mrs. Marvin Baldwin and Mrs. E. Ray Wells.

H. E. Keller attended the meeting as guest of Charles Ginn; Don Williamson of Trotwood, Ohio and Russell Dement of Dayton, Ohio were guests of Corky Pardee.

Visiting Rotarians included E. F. Armstrong of Hicksville, Ohio; Frank Morgan and Richard Dutton, both of Sebring, and Jim Massie of Waynesville, N. C.

"The Messiah" To Be Presented December 12

"The Messiah", which was first performed at a concert given for charitable purposes at Dublin, Ireland, on April 13, 1742 and conducted then by its composer George Frederick Handel, is an oratorio written principally for four-part cnoral singing and vocal solos. It tells the story of the coming of the Lord, His death and resurrection. It has been performed in many places throughout the Christian world every year since 1742.

The Lake Placid Messiah Society will perform the traditional Christmas parts of the oratorio at the First Baptist Church in Avon Park on Thursday evening, December 12, at 8:00 o'clock.

The soloists will be Paul Buckley, baritone, who is manager of the Bar S Ranch south of Lake Placid and director of the Society; Jane Hall, soprano, director of the Glee Club at Avon Park School; Reverend A. R. Fagan, tenor, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Sebring; and Anne MicKunas, mezzo-soprano, current soloist at the Baptist Church in Lake Placid and formerly soloist at churches in St. Petersburg.

The accompanists will be Irene Buckley, former piano teacher in Lake Placid, who will play the organ; and Dorothy Dean Crews Stidham, well known as a former star pupil of Florence Clayton Dunham, teacher of music in Sebring, will play the piano.

All are invited to the concert. No admission will be charged. A free will offering, however, will be accepted.

5 Prizes—

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in these limits the judges will pass your home on their tour. If your home is located in a spot that you are afraid the judges may miss please call the Chamber of Commerce office and give your address to Mrs. Worden.

The Board of Realtors who are sponsoring this contest include, E. A. Martin, R. R. King, C. T. Davis, Dick von-Burske, Ted Ward, Ira J. Glockner, Jack Sullivan and Hubbard Biggs.

Start planning your decorations now. Further details will be published in the Avon Park Sun later.

Commissioners—

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tion closing said drive and to authorize final publication of notice.

The bid for a cash register for the Clerk's office was awarded to the National Cash Register Company, Amount of bid $2,419.

The Commissioners approved Lake Josephine Shores Sub, subject to the County Attorneys and Clerks approval.

The Board voted to notify various subdivision promotors to abstain from inferring the endorsement of the Board of County Commissioners.

cards require hand cancellation.

If you wish to enclose your Christmas card or letter in your gift package, merely add the appropriate letter postage to the postage for the package itself and indicate the presence of a letter or Christmas card inside the package.

In conclusion, the Postmaster said, "We can make it a much merrier Christmas for everybody if you will just follow these three simple rules: Wrap your Christmas gifts securely - Address your gifts and cards correctly - and Mail them now!"

Grand—

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the perfect gift at Ward's for every name on their Christmas list.

Plenty of courteous sale clerks will be on hand to greet the public and assist the customers Saturday and every day at Ward's Department Store.

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Slater, Mo.; Thomas G. Means, Gary, Ind.; James Ord, Pittsburg, Penn.; W. R. Simpson, Robinson, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. John H. Johnson, East Longmeadow, Mass.; and J. W. Bradshaw, Toledo, Ohio.

Chief—

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they burn.

Don't use an electric heater in the bathroom, where water increases the shock hazard.

Keep all heaters a safe distance from bedding, clothing, furniture and other combustibles.

Robes or dresses with flowing sleeves are a hazard when worn by anyone especially elderly people. Many painful, often fatal, burns occur when a person wearing long, loose sleeves reaches across an open burner.

most distant points be sent by Air Parcel Post from now on.

He also emphasized the importance of wrapping all gifts with heavy paper and securely tying with strong cord, after they have been packed in sturdy corrugated cartons. It's especially important to write legibly, or better yet, print the recipients full name, street address, zone number, city and state, on all mailing labels, making sure to include an extra label inside your gift package.

Send all Christmas cards by First Class mail, and include your name and address on the Christmas card envelopes, which is not only socially correct, but helps you and your friends to keep your mailing lists up-to-date.

If any of your Christmas card envelopes are larger than 9" x 12" or smaller than 3-3/4" x 4" they can be sent only by First Class mail because such

Red Devils Play Ft. Meade Tonight

The final football game of the season will be played tonight when the Red Devils travel to Fort Meade for the previously postponed game with the Miners. Game time is 8:00 o'clock.

The game is almost anti-climax after the Highlands County battle in Sebring but a loss to the Miners would throw the Devils into a precarious position with Mulberry who holds undisputed second place in the conference standing. Even if the Devils lose, they will still hold the title by a quarter of a point according to the Dickinson Rating system. Nevertheless, the Avon Park boys will have to be on their toes against a fired up Polk County team that would like nothing better than to upset the high-riding Red and White.

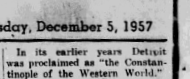
Twelve Seniors will play their last ball game for the Red Devils this year. They are: Jimmy Cooper, John Starling, Billy Rouse, Winky Williams, Henry Scott, Thurston Martin, Gene Bigbie, Terry Elder, Ben Earnest, Gordon Futch, Tom Bass and Benny Hill.

These boys have all played first string ball this season and they will be the starters against Fort Meade Thursday night. As the curtain closes on the 1957 football season, a large following of fans is expected to cheer the boys on to victory and especially the Seniors who have done an outstanding job on the gridiron this year.

Dice are thought to have been invented about 1,244 B.C.

In its earlier years Detroit was proclaimed as "the Constantinople of the Western World."

Christmas Seals Fight TB . . .



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Ship 'n Shore boldly checks button down gingham
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The blouse that dares to take its checks in brave, beautiful color. Then goes so-careful on tailoring. In wonderful suds-loving woven gingham. Sizes 28 to 38.

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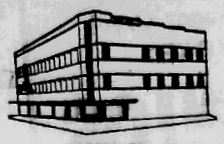

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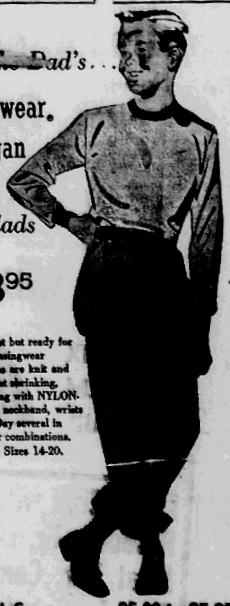

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Southland Trailer Park News

New arrivals at Southland are Mr. and Mrs. H. Wursten and their daughter, Twylla, of Clearfield, Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. Othie McKellips thave returned to the Park for the winter season. This will be the McKellips eighth consecutive winter here and they are from LaPorte, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mason of Wellsburg, N. Y., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Drake at Southland. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Coate are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coate of Troy, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Stier and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kaplin of Petersburg, Ill., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gerdes.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Overholt motored to Sarasota last week for a brief visit with his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Forrest, who have just returned from their summer Lake Temagami, Ontario, Canada. Then the Overholts went on to Ann Maria Beach for a visit with his other sister and brother-in-law, Col. and Mrs. George Wing, who live there.

Mr. William Drake entered the Lakeland Memorial Hospital on Nov. 25, for treatment of an eye condition. Mr. Drake has been living for many years at the Park and his many friends their wish him well.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith of the Smith Trailer Sales in Ashville, N. C. spent a day recently as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Overholt. The Smiths were very impressed with the Park and with our fair city and found both more desirable than many other places in Florida that they had visited.

Jacaranda Scene Of Dinner Party

Mrs. J. P. Drane and Mrs. M. E. Stephens of Sebring entertained sixty-five of their friends with a dinner party in the Dining Room of the Jacaranda Hotel on Monday evening, Nov. 25.

Before dinner the guests enjoyed punch from a beautifully decorated table in the Palm Room. The dining room was lovely with beautiful fall colors featuring lovely chrysanthemums of all shades.

Florida Orange Marketers has signed up 10 million boxes of oranges which will be used by Minute Maid Corp. to make frozen orange concentrate. The co-operative has a goal of 12 million boxes.

Birthday Party Held Friday For Marcia Ward

Marcia Ward, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Franklyn Ward, celebrated her seventh birthday with a hot dog lunch for a few of her friends on Friday, Nov. 29 at her home on Lake Lotela.

The girls enjoyed playing games in the yard and Marion Turner won a prize for blowing up the largest balloon. They played blindman's bluff, hide-and-seek, and other games.

Mrs. Ward served the guests hot dogs, chips, cake, ice cream, and milk for their lunch. The birthday cake was chocolate with white icing. Each girl took home a favor of a game of Tiddlywinks.

Guests helping Marcia celebrate were Lark Adams, Sybil Anderson, Betty and Jackie Hutchinson, Pam Maness, Ann Mandis, Reggie Starkey, Marion Turner, Kim Wells, Robin Williams, and her sister, Debbie Ward.

In 1919 corporations owned 83.2 percent of all newspapers and periodicals although the saving at that time had little direct significance on the newspaper's budget.

Luncheon Given At Jacaranda Hotel Tuesday

Mrs. Ben Hill Griffin, Sr. and Mrs. J. P. Drane of Sebring were hostesses at a delightful luncheon on Tuesday, Nov. 26, in the Dining Room of the Jacranda Hotel.

Mrs. Griffin and Mrs. Drane received their guests in the Palm Room and then they entered the colorful decorated dining room for a delicious luncheon. About sixty-five ladies from Sebring and Avon Park were guests.

M/Sgt. Robert E. Green In Korea

1ST CAV. DIV., KOREA (AHTNC)—M/Sgt. Robert E. Green, whose wife, Antoinette, lives in Sebring, Fla., is a member of the 1st Cavalry Division in Korea.

Sergeant Green, a chief clerk in the 8th Engineer Battalion's Headquarters Company, entered the Army in 1938. He has been overseas since last September.

Green, who holds the Commendation Ribbon, attended Norfolk (Neb.) High School.

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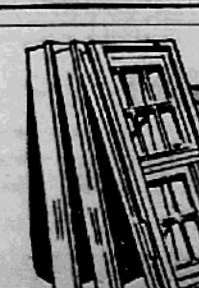

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Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Prisoc and their sons, Steve and Gregg, spent the Thanksgiving week-end in Hernando with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spooner.

Attending the ball game in Miami last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Padgett, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Montsdeoca, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barden, and Mr. and Mrs. David Lanier.

Guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Powell for Thanksgiving were his sister, Mrs. Irene Silas, his niece, Mrs. Maloy Silas and her son, Randy, all of Lakeland.

The Children's Choir of the Union Congregational Church will sing this Sunday at the nine o'clock service in the church.

Mr. Gregory Peters and Mr. Steven Samergedes attended the Florida-Miami football game in Miami on Saturday.

Mrs. R. P. DeLaney went to Ocala on Saturday to bring her husband, R. P. DeLaney, back from a week's hunting trip in the Ocala National Forest.

Mrs. Vida Bridges and her grandsons, Joe and Greer, of Tampa spent last weekend with Mrs. Jean Ricketts.

Mr. and Mrs. Parks MacAdams of Revere, Mass., are spending the winter months in Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McCully and their son, David, spent last weekend in Delray Beach visiting with his relatives.

J. W. Bradshaw of Toledo, Ohio, is spending a month in Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Ozie Sapp and their daughter, Linda, of Lakeland, spent Thanksgiving with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bennett and their children, Gary and Gail, left last Wednesday for Monticello, Ga., where they spent Thanksgiving with his uncle and aunt. Then the Bennetts went on to Atlanta for a visit with his brother, Richard Bennett and his family. The weather turned cold Friday and Sunday the Bennett's saw ice on the trees and ponds on their way home from Atlanta.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pate for Thanksgiving were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Conner Jarrett of Ft. Myers; Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Stalls and their children, Pamela and David, of Tampa, another daughter of the Pates; their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Pate and their children, Linda and Butch, of Sebring; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Pate of Lakeland, another son; and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McGinnis of Avon Park. This was a reunion of most the Pate children and everyone enjoyed a very big Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Ruby Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Powell visited Mrs. Powell's daughter, Mrs. Retha Gerlock, and her children, Andy and Chip, in Miami over the weekend.

Master Sgt. and Mrs. W. L. Rawlings and their baby daughter, Linda, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his mother, Mrs. Leila Rawlings. Sgt. Rawlings has just returned from seventeen months of duty in Korea. He is now stationed in Fort Oard, Cal. and he and his wife left Monday for their new station.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stratos and their children, Chris and Cofta, of Daytona Beach spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Steven Samergedes.

Mrs. L. E. Morgan returned home Sunday after spending a week with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Smith, in Hileah. Mrs. Morgan also visited her grandson and his family in Ft. Lauderdale while she was away.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Ruhlman of West Palm Beach spent Thanksgiving with her sister, Mrs. R. P. DeLaney. Mrs. DeLaney's mother, Mrs. H. F. Wells, of Wauchula spent the day with them also.

Robert Layton and James Cox visited Robert's aunt, Mrs. David Smith, in Tampa on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hutchinson and their children, Sue, Pep, Jackie, and Carol, spent Thanksgiving in Winter Haven with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hutchinson. Miss Judy Pounds returned with them and spent the weekend in Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crittenden and their daughter spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Shelman, Ga. visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Crittenden, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Allen.

Mrs. Harold Barker and her daughter, Lee, and Mrs. Vernon Tyson and her daughter, Nancie Jean, spent the week-end in Lakeland with Mrs. Tyson's mother, Mrs. Beatrice Hughes.

Friends will be happy to learn that Mr. and Mrs. John Garber and their children, Gwen, Johnny, and Sammy, have returned from Coral Gables to again make their home in Avon Park.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Riggins for Thanksgiving week end were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Moran of Miami, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Evans and their son, Lee, of Sebring. Another daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Al Rogers of Avon Park, joined the group for Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Pate of Lakeland spent last weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pate.

Mrs. M. T. Suggs, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hall and their children, Wade and Susan, of Avon Park, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carrin of Plant City, spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Atlanta with their son and brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Morris T. Suggs. The whole group had a wonderful trip and they especially enjoyed the beautiful and elaborate Christmas decoration in the stores.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stewart and their daughter, Mary Lou, and their guest, Mrs. Stewart's sister, Miss Mary Ruth Pardee, spent Thanksgiving day in Tampa.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wynn of Holly Hill, Julius Collins of the U. of Florida, and Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Collins, also of the University, spent the Thanksgiving holidays visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Collins and their sister, Mrs. Kelley McClure and her family. On Saturday Mrs. J. E. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Wynn, and Julius Collins went to Deerfield Beach to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jack Coltins and their daughter, Marcy, who were not able to come for Thanksgiving.

Miss Kerry Martin, of Kawanee, Ill. who is at present working in Tallahassee, was the guest of Charles Best and his mother, Mrs. Addie Lee Best, for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Mrs. W. M. Renfro will leave Saturday, Dec. 7, from Tampa by plane for Paris, France. In Paris she will be met by her son in-law and daughter, A/3c and Mrs. James Waldron, and go with them to visit at Metz, France, until sometime in April. Mrs. Waldron is the former Martha Renfro of Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bervinkle had as their guests for Thanksgiving Mr. and Mrs. Samuel O. Norris.

Engagement Announced



MISS MARY BAMBALIS

Mr. and Mrs. George Bambalis of Winson-Salem, N. C., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Mary, to Harry G. Carratt of Ft. Lauderdale, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus H. Carratt of Avon Park.

Miss Bambalis was born in Tampa and moved to Winston-Salem at an early age. She was graduated from Salem College in Winston-Salem, and is currently employed in the Juvenile Division of the Winston-Salem Welfare Agency.

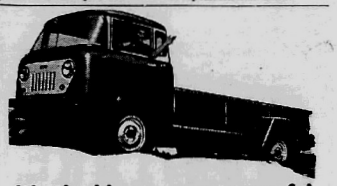
Harry Carratt attended schools in Avon Park and Miami and recently graduated from the University of Florida Law School with honors. While attending the University he was a member of Phi Delta Phi, legal fraternity and the Order of the Coif. He also served as Editor of the Law Review Magazine and upon graduation became a member of Phi Kappa Phi Honorary Fraternity. At present he is associated with the firm of Anderson and Gundlach in Ft. Lauderdale. An April wedding is planned.

Joshua Moore In Germany

U. S. FORCES, GERMANY (AHTNC)—Joshua Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Denotie Moore, Lake Placid, Fla., recently was promoted to specialist third class in Germany, where he is on automatic rifleman with Company B of the 11th Airborne Division's 502d Infantry.

Specialist Moore entered the Army in February 1955 and arrived in Europe in January 1956.

The air-sea base now being built at Rota, Spain, by the U.S. Navy will be the largest American naval facility in the European-African area.



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HOMES

By The Bird Woman

One of the most exotic homes of birds that we know is the home of the African Hornbill, the male is known as the bully among husbands, for after the eggs are laid he will wall up the opening in the hollow tree where the female is incubating the eggs, with mud, and leave only an opening large enough to pass food in to her and later to the young, and she must remain in the nest until the young are ready to leave the nest.

The common Chimney Swift makes it's nest and glues it to a wall or the inside of a chimney with it's own saliva.

The Oven Bird, is migratory and quite shy but it is very pretty having speckled breast and brown back, looks something like a Thrasher but - belong to the Warbler family, and although it is seldom seen, yet it's call of "Teacher Teacher Teacher" is familiar with most of us.

The home of this bird is built on the order of the old dutch oven, with an opening on the side, and when built in a secluded place on the ground is difficult to find.

Most ducks and geese line their nests with feathers plucked from their own breast, this shows how perfectly every thing was planned by our marvelous Creator for the feathers not only make a soft bed for the eggs, but it brings these hard shelled eggs closer in contact to the warmth of the parents body to help in incubation.

We never find a bird's nest that does not have a soft inner lining to protect he fragile eggs and later the young, even the woodpecker family which bores into trees for a nest, retains some of the fine chips and dust on which to lay it's eggs.

The exotic Flamingos are as interesting in their mode of living as in their nesting, their nest is a mound of marl scooped up with their bill, then a cup shaped depression is trampled in the center with their feet until the proper size has been formed.

It usually lays one chalk white egg per season although occassionally two are laid and very rarely three have been found in the nest.

Imagine one of these long necked long legged birds trying to sit on a nest, we wonder what it does with these long legs on a truncated cone nest, but as with other birds their problems have been solved for them in the beginning and they go about their nesting in the way they were designed to nest, and with the Flamingo the male stands by and takes his shift with the incubation.

The young are sufficiently developed when hatched to leave the nest even before they are dry, but some will prefer to stay in the nest two or three days before starting to explore, and like other water birds they do not have to be taught to swim and fly, nor do they have to be taught how to procure their food, for their bills are so constructed that they must put their heads under water upside down and scoop the food from the water.

Although Flamingos used to inhabit our area, as with so many other birds we have killed them or driven them off until now we must go to a Park to be able to see them.

You may recall the experience of trying to induce Flamingoe to nest in Hialeah Park, Birds were brought in from the Islands and put in an enclosure, hoping to make a show place with these exotic beautiful birds, building their homes and rearing their young.

But although the birds seemed healthy and contented no nests were built for a period of seven years, which proves that other things being satisfactory, birds will not build unless they have the material suited to their type of nest, no doubt there were other birds building in that some location, but they did not take up the nesting style of any of them.

At long last it must have occured to the keepers of the birds that something was wrong and they went to their native Islands and studied the manner of nesting.

So the keepers on their return dumped loads of loose soil with small sticks in the edge of the lake, and seeing the proper material they immediately began to utilize the mud and build their nests and rear their young.

We have mentioned our smallest bird, the Humming bird, we would like to mention our largest bird which we all know is an exotic bird in many ways, the Ostrich, it is not even a native of our hemisphere, but is interesting never the less.

The nest of this bird is a hole dug in the ground and is used by many birds at a time, taking turns in incubation, the males also taking turns in incubation and protecting the eggs and the young.

We have all heard of the Ostrich hiding it's head in the sand and thinking it was protected but our best authorities contend that this is not true, they claim that an Ostrich is a nit-wit and would never think of trying to protect itself in that manner.

All birds and animals have been given some means to protect themselves with some it is quick flight, others speed and some power and strength.

In a fair fight the Ostrich can defend itself both with it's powerful kick and also in rapid flight, but they have some enemies that know how to circumvent the Ostrich's defense, the Baboon and the Jackall are two of these, they seclude themselves until the Ostrich leaves the nest twice daily for the eggs to cool, then they pilfer the nest, whether it contains eggs or young it matters not to them.

Personal Items

Miss Jane Gibson and Clyde Gibson of Tampa spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Carl McWilliams. Miss Gibson is Mr. McWilliams sister and Mr. Gibson is his stepfather. Mrs. Jean McWilliams and her children, who are staying with the McWilliams while they await transportation to Germany to join Lt. McWilliams, returned to Tampa with the Gibsons for a few days visit.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. McConnell for Thanksgiving day were their son and daughter-in-law, T/Sgt. and Mrs. Bill Gene McConnell and their baby daughter, Susan, of Patrick Air Base in Coca. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. McConnell and their daughter, Joany, of Orlando, arrived for the weekend with his parents. Mrs. McConnelf is the former Romona Shepherd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Shepherd of Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ford and their daughter, Conna, and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Skipper attended a Thanksgiving day reunion of the Henry Smith family in Wauchula. About sixty relatives were present for the feast day reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Duncan and their children, Neva and Craig, of Clearwater, spent the evening and enjoyed supper with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ford, last Friday.

Miss Irene Holcombe of Miami spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Julia Holcombe in Avon Park.

Dr. J. W. Cummings, retired Methodist minister and former resident arrived last week to spend the winter at the Jacranda Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Lacey of Atlanta and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lacey of Ocala spent Saturday in Avon Park visiting friends. Phil and Bill Lacey are twin brothers who grew up in Avon Park.

Douglas Turner of Bedford, Va., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Hall during the Thanksgiving week.

Dr.and Mrs. Sam King and their children, Bruce and Sally Beth, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Mrs. King's mother, Mrs. B. F. Butler, in Hollywood.

Recent guests of the Rev. and Mrs. Mylon Merchant were their son and daughter-in-law, Major and Mrs. R. P. Merchant, of El Paso, Texas. Major Merchant is stationed at Ft. Bliss there.

Mrs. Iris Conrad of Punta Gorda spent the Thanksgiving weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Duke Christensen.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Kull left Monday for a few days trip to Key West and other points in southern Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Feco and their four children, Rusty, Pam, Laney, and Judy, of Jacksonville, were the guests of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Wells for Thanksgiving and last week end. Mr. Well's sister, Mrs. W. S. Spranza and her daughter, Marilyn, stopped for a visit on their way to their home in West Palm also.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McFarland and their daughter, Linda and Jean, of Milton spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McFarland. Mr. and Mrs. P. A. McFarland and his family joined the group for Thanksgiving day and a reunion.

Do You Have

With the Christmas holidays drawing near everyone is looking for easy to fix delicious cookie recipes. If you have a recipe that your family is fond of won't you please take a few minutes to write it and send it to the Sun so that others may enjoy it this year.

LAYERED BROWNIES

1 (1 lb.) pkg. fudge brownie mix
1 (1 lb.) pkg. blond brownie mix
4 eggs, unbeaten
½ cup water
Walnut halves

Follow package directions for cake-like brownies. Divide each batter in half. Spread chocolate batter evenly in two well greased 8"x8"x2" pans. Spread blond batter on top of chocolate. Garnish with walnuts. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees) about 35 minutes.

Cool slighty; remove from pan. When cold, cut in 2 inch squares. Makes about 32.

Donna Buettell Celebrates Seventh Birthday

Donna Buettell celebrated her seventh birthday with a party at her home on Saturday afternoon, November 23. Helping Donna celebrate were her second grade class and several other friends.

The boys and girls played games in the yard and enjoyed helping Donna open her lovely gifts.

Birthday cake and punch were served the children and each child was given a large candy cane as a favor. Helping with Donna's guests was her grandmother, Mrs. L. G. McConnell, who was assisted by Mrs. Lewis Maddox and Mrs. Tressie Rigdon.

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By DALE I. ROYAL, Evangelist
Avon Park Church of Christ

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While Christ was in the flesh, Jno. 14:15) he charged his disciples with these momentous words, "If ye love me, keep my commandments." In the light of these words, how can anyone who claims to love Jesus treat with indifference the commandments and ordinances given by Christ through his apostles? Yet, by neglecting church services (Heb. 10:25), the Lord's Supper (1 Cor 11 and Acts 20:7), studying the Bible (2Tim, 2:15 and 2Pet. 3:18) we indicate to him, by our actions, that we do not really love him.

Some would say, "Its not the outward observance of ordinances that count but how one feels in his heart." This would be a wonderful doctrine if it were true. It appeals to me very much. But the inspired writers of the Words tells us the opposit. John claims one cannot love God and not keep his commandments. Read, (1 Jno. 5:3) "For this is the love of God, that we keep his commandments: and his commandments are not grievous." How different is the inspired definition of the "love of God" from the uninspired defination perpetuated in the hearts and minds of men to the destruction of their souls. Adv.

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Brownie Scout Troop News

Troop 2

Troop 2 of the Brownie Scouts met with their leader, Mrs. Fred Davis, on Saturday morning, Nov. 23, at the Woodruffs Heights Scout Building.

The Brownies were divided into three patrols and elected and chose names for their patrols. The patrol leaders will take the attendance and dues from each of their troop each week. The assistant leader will do this in the absence of the leader. The patrol and leaders are: Bluebirds, Leader, Jackie Hutchinson, Asst. Robin Williams; Redbirds, Leader, Kim Wells, Asst. Marcia Ward; Rose, Leader, Lark Adams, Asst. Sybil Anderson.

The troop got a troop record book and Mrs. James Runkle, Asst. Leader, will take charge of the book and keep records.

The troop held the flag ceremony and practiced investiture service. Mrs. Runkle told the troop the Brownie story.

New members were Martha Land and Robin Williams. The meeting was closed with taps and the friendly circle. Mrs. Morris Adams and Lark served the girls refreshments.

Troop 3

Troop 3 of the Brownies held their regular meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 19 at 2:30 in the Woodruff Heights Scout Building with Mrs. Roy Felknor and Mrs. Jeff Barrow, their leaders.

The troop sang their songs and had the color guard with Janie Clark carrying the flag and Mary Lou Stewart and Sharon Sue Childress assisting. The girls practiced sewing buttons on cards and their program for the investiture service. Mrs. Ben Stewart served refreshments.

Sunday, Dec. 1, over 80 happy songsters gathered to enjoy Mr. Shiltz' very popular hour of song and fellowship. The men's chorus, growing larger by the week, sang two numbers and then the ladies repaid them in kind. We are always pleased when Mrs. Norris sings for us and Sunday she sang two solo numbers, accompanied by Mrs. Earl Jackson. Mrs. Norris' rendition of the old hymns was greatly appreciated, doubly so, because of her gracious manner. Miss Roe presented a most interesting novelty number by playing on water tumblers. Putting the rocking chairs at the front of the room was a master stroke; do you suppose it would work in church?

Wednesday's choose-a-partner tournament was won by Ray Million and Harry Gibson against finalists Mr. and Mrs. Godwin. On Friday, Nov. 29, we played Sebring to a tie score. The shufflers tell us this was one of those "friendly tournaments"; there won't be any tie score games when the trophy is at stake. Just be sure the heavy end of the score stays in Avon Park; that one trophy looks longsome all by itself. Because of the rain on Saturday the Mr. and Mrs. tournament scheduled then was postponed to Monday: Mrs. Paul Bolduc and Walter Walker emerged winners in this event.

High scores for the month of November were Herb Shauger for the men's trophy; Lura Pickell for the ladies'.

On Friday, Dec. 6 four teams, plus a crowd of well-wishers for moral support, will the girls refreshments.

The Brownie Scouts of Troop 3 enjoyed a weiner roast at Highlands Hammock State Park on Friday after school. The girls walked on the trails, identified many kinds of trees, saw several deer, and explored the park.

After a tour of the park the 17 Brownies enjoyed a weiner supper with cold slaw, chips, and cold drinks and candy. Mothers who accompanied the Brownies were Mrs. Roy Felknor, and Mrs. Jeff Barrow, leaders, and Mrs. Herbert Todd, and Mrs. Betty Graham.

Troop 4

Troop 4 of the Brownies Scouts held their regular weekley meeting on Thursday, Nov. 21, in the Cafetorium of the Avon Elementary School with their leaders, Mrs. Jack Hutchinson, Mrs. Roy Ladwig, and Mrs. E. B. Poff.

The girls practiced their skit for the investiture service on the stage and will practice for the next several meetings. Refreshments were served by Brownie Linda Cummings.

Brownies of Troop 4 are Betty Albright, Terry Albright, Gail Bennett, Linda Cummings, Janet Douberley, Ginger Grant, Dorothy Grove, Linda Holmberg, Betty Hutchinson, Arlene King, Sally Beth King, Charlene Ladwig, Eloise Monsalvatge, Carolyn Poff, Judy Runkle, Joyce Simpson, Wanda Singletary, Debbie Ward, Linda Wester, Nancy Wright, Joan Wells and Naomi Lawrence.

On Tuesday, Nov. 19, the Brownie leaders were invested at the home of Mrs. Fred Davis. Mrs. Davis, who has previously worked with Scouts and Brownies in Lake Wales, invested the other leaders. The leaders are Troop 4, Mrs. Jack Hutchinson, Mrs. E. A. Poff, and Mrs. Roy Ladwig; Troop 3, Mrs. Roy Felknor and Mrs. Jeff Barrow; Troop 2, Mrs. Jim Runkle.

After the service the leaders made plans for the Investiture of the Brownies on Dec. 12 at the Avon Elementary P T A meeting.

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Winter Guest Club News

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The covered-dish suppers resume on Saturday, Dec. 7, so you good cooks get busy with your favorite dishes. These affairs may not be "Recommended by Duncan Hines" but that's because he hasn't been here, says THE TATTLER.

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5:00 a.m. Breakfast In The Barnyard
6:00 a.m. Orangeland Express
7:30 a.m. News Roundup
8:00 a.m. Orangeland Express
9:00 a.m. Coffee Break
11:00 a.m. Charlies Workshop
12.00 News Roundup
12:15 p.m. Jack Delaney
12:20 p.m. Roadside Chapel
12:30 p.m. Tater Charlie
2:00 p.m. Jims Corner
5:00 p.m. Sundown Serenade
Sunday
7:00 a.m. Easy Listening
8:00 a.m. Baptist Hour
8:30 a.m. Lawrence Welk Orch.
9:00 a.m. Voice Of Prophecy
9:30 a.m. Music For Sunday
11:00 a.m. Church Services
12:00 Sammy Kaye Orch.
12:30 p.m. Sundaw News Roundup
12:45 p.m. Novelty Time
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"We feel that the large picture and brisk, brief message carry our story effectively to the local prospect," Moore said. "We consider the ads a distinct departure from ordinary automobile advertising, and are sure they will attract many readers".

The post-announcement radio commercials, which began Nov. 6, capitalize on the success of the firm's unique Summer selling campaign, which was based on the humorous presentations of local radio personalities, Joe Gentile and Ralph Bingo. The newspaper advertising also represents a departure from standard practice, featuring large illustrations and short, conversational copy.

Moore said the newspaper ads will be about 400 lines, but will run with greater frequency than in the past.

Manthum Watson In Okinawa

Camp Courtney, Okinawa (FHTNC)—Marine Pvt. Manthum Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Watson of 500 Woodruff Heights, Avon Park, Fla., is serving with the Headquarters Battalion of the 3rd Marine Division at Camp Courtney, Okinawa.

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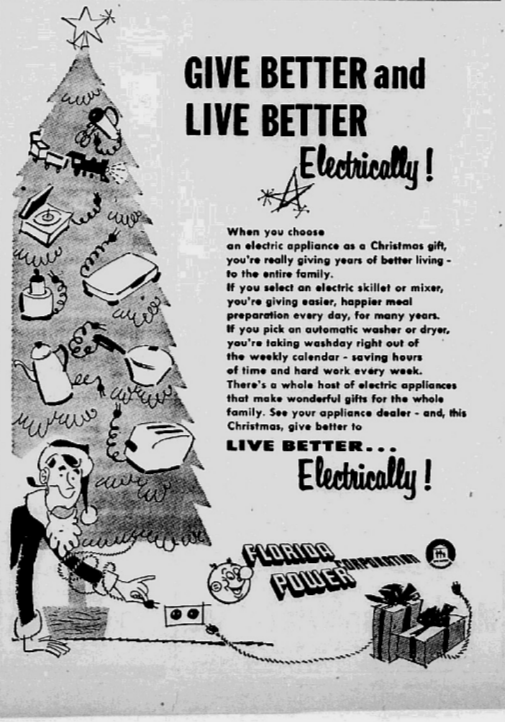

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, pursuant to the "Fictitious Name Statute," House Bill No. 1775, Chapter No. 20953, 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: Carver's under which we are engaged in business at 702 N. Rest Ave. Avon Park, Fla.

That the parties interested in said business enterprise are as follows: Cleo M. Hovey and Minnie Hovey.

Dated at Avon Park, Highlands County, Florida December 2, 1957.

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The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

A. J. TUBBS
Chairman

Dec. 5th and Dec. 12th, 1957

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, pursuant to the "Fictitious Name Statute," House Bill No. 1775, Chapter No. 20953, 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: WARDS DEPARTMENT STORE under which I am engaged in business at 6 East Main, Avon Park, Florida.

That the party interested in said business enterprise is as follows:
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Dated at November 6, 1957 Highlands County, Florida,

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that on September 24, 1957, in accordance with Sections 343.42 and 343.43, Florida Statutes 1951, the Board of County Commissioners of Highlands County, Florida, adopted a Resolution closing, vacating and abandoning that portion of a certain public road described as follows:

That portion of a street or road shown lying between Block 18 and Block 19, Section 21, Township 33 South, Range 28 East, according to plat recorded in Plat Book 1, page 58, public records of DeSoto County, Florida, more particularly described as beginning at the southwest corner of Lot 6, Blk 18, Section 21, said township and range, proceed thence along the south boundary of said Block 18, to the southeast corner of Lot 10, said Block 18; thence in a straight line to the northeast corner of Lot 1, Block 19, said section, township and range; thence along the north boundary of said Block 19 to the northwest corner of Lot 5, said Block 19; thence in a straight line to the point of beginning.

AND

That portion of a street or road shown running east and west through the middle of Block 19, Section 21, Township 33 South, Range 28 East, according to plat recorded in Plat Book 1, page 58, public records of DeSoto County, Florida, more particularly described as beginning at the southwest corner of Lot 5, Block 19, Section 21, said township and range, proceed thence along the south boundaries of Lots 5,4,3,2, and 1, Block 19, to the southeast corner of Lot 1, said Block 19; thence go in a straight line to the northeast corner of Lot 10, said Block 19; thence proceed along the north boundaries of Lots 10, 9, 8, 7, and 6, Block 19, to the northwest corner of Lot 6, said Block 19; thence proceed in a straight line to the point of beginning.

and renouncing and disclaiming any right of the county and the public in and to the land lying within the confines of said portion of said County Roads aforesaid.

Dated this 3rd day of December, 1957.

Board of County Commissioners of Highlands County, Florida
By: H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of said Board

Pub. Dec. 5, 1957

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. 20953, 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: SOUTHERNAIRE MOTEL under which I am engaged in business at Highway 27, South Avon Park, Florida.

That the party interested in said business enterprise is as follows:
M. A. Jones.

Dated at November 18, 1957 Highlands County, Florida,

Nov. 21, 28, Dec. 5, 12, 1957

NOTICE TO RECEIVE BIDS

THE CITY COUNCIL OF AVON PARK will receive bids until 5:00 P.M. December 30th, 1957, on the following:

One (1) 1958, Fourdoor Solid Green Police Car equipped with the following: V-8 Engine, standard shift, cigar lighter, overdrive, heater, turn signals, back-up lights, front door arm rests, power steering and non-plastic seat covers.

Bids must be submitted to the office of the City Clerk on or before 5:00 P.M., December 30, 1957, and marked on the envelope, Sealed Bid. The City Council reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

J. P. TURNBULL,
City Clerk

Pub. Dec. 5, 1957

U.S. Navy builders working on the air-sea base being developed at Rota, Spain, found that oxen were more efficient in hauling heavy sheet steel fuel tank sections through mud and sand than were man-made vehicles.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY

IN CHANCERY No. 8425

W. W. FINLAYSON and MARY B. FINLAYSON, His Wife,
Plaintiffs
vs.
MRS. C. S. CROSBY, ET AL,
Defendants

SUIT TO QUIET TITLE

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to: Mrs. C. S. Crosby and spouse if married, Frank E. Sperring and Annie L. Sperring his wife, Edward R. Fay and Mae K. Fay his wife, John N. Fay and Martha Fay his wife, Josephine F. Lee and Frank H. Lee her husband, Mary Brady Pigott and James P. Pigott her husband, Anna Fay Wadhams and Darwin A. Wadhams her husband, if living, and if dead to their unknown heirs-at-law, legatees, devisees, grantees and creditors; and to all persons, parties, firms or corporations, known or unknown, having or claiming to have any right, title or interest in the land hereinafter described, either in their own right or by, through, under or against any unknown or unknown person, party, firm or corporation.

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that a suit has been brought against you in the above entitled Court by W. W. Finlayson and Mary B. Finlayson, his wife, for the purpose of quieting title to land in Highlands County, Florida, to-wit:

Lot 18, Block "D" in Section 22, Township 33 South, Range 28 East according to plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 1 page 58 public records of DeSoto (now Highlands) County, Florida;

and you, and each of you, and all parties in interest, are hereby required to file with the Clerk of said Court your written answer or other defense, personally or by an attorney, on or before the 23rd day of December, A.D. 1957 to the Bill of Complaint filed herein, or decree will be entered against you, and each of you, by default and the cause will thereafter proceed ex-parte.

It is ordered that this notice be published once a week for four (4) consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in Highlands County, Florida.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the said Court at Sebring, Highlands County, Florida, this 18th day of November, A.D. 1957.

H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of said Court
(SEAL)
By: EARL RICH
Deputy Clerk

MATTIE W. TOMPKINS,
Attorney for Plaintiffs,
Avon Park, Florida.

Pub. Nov. 21, 28 Dec. 5, 12, 1957

LEGAL AD

The Board of County Commissioners of Highlands County will receive SEALED BIDS until 10:00 O'Clock A.M., December 17, 1957, on the following: One D-7 Caterpilliar Tractor complete with oil type enclosed flywheel clutch, hydraulic straight bulldozer blade and the following equipment installed, gasoline starting, 22" track shoes, crankcase guard, hydraulic track adjusters, blower fan and heavy duty spring. Terms, lease-purchase agreement to be worked out between purchaser and buyer. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

A. J. TUBBS,
Chairman

Pub. Dec. 5, 1957

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY IN CHANCERY

CASE NO. 8388

CURTIS JENKINS,
Plaintiff,
vs.
GERALDINE JENKINS,
Defendant.

BILL FOR DIVORCE

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

TO: THE DEFENDANT HEREIN, GERALDINE JENKINS, WHOSE PLACE OF RESIDENCE IS UNKNOWN, BUT THAT SUCH LAST KNOWN ADDRESS WAS ST. PAUL STREET, DETROIT, MICHIGAN.

You are hereby notified that a Bill of Complaint has been filed in this Court, in which Curtis Jenkins is the Plaintiff, and you are the Defendant, and that the relief sought is an absolute divorce. You are therefore required to file your answer or other written defense in this cause on or before the 28th day of December, A. D. 1957, and that such filing may be done by mail, sending the original thereof to the Honorable H. T. Piety, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Sebring, Florida, and a copy to Otis Whitehurst, P. O. Box 1407, Okeechobee, Florida, attorney for the Plaintiff.

H. T. PIETY
Clerk of the Circuit Court
(SEAL)
By: EARL RICH,
Deputy Clerk

Nov. 28, Dec. 5, 12, 19

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ALCOHOLIC REHABILITATION CENTER, AVON PARK, FLORIDA NOTICE TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS AND HEATING—AIR CONDITIONING CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be recived until 2:00 P.M., E. S. T., Tuesday, December 17, 1957, by the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions, Florida Alcoholic Rehabilitation Program, at the City Council Rooms, City Hall, Avon Park, Florida, for 1) alterations and additions to buildings at the Rehabilitation Center covering eight (8) items; 2) maintenance superintendent's residence including a ten (10) Bay Garage; 3) air conditioning system of chilled water type approximately 40 tons in size, at the Alcoholic Rehabilitation Center, 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 Heim & Heim Architects, Avon Park, Florida, and Charles T. Healy & Company, Consulting Engineers, 1900 16th Street, North, Room 210, St. Petersburg, Florida. Plans and specifications for any of the three (3) units lister above may be examined at the office of the Construction Division, Board of Commissioners, State Capitol Building, Tallahassee, Florida, or at the Alcoholic Rehabilitation Center, Avon Park, Florida, or at the office of Heim & Heim, Avon Park, Florida. Plans and specifications for the air conditioning system may also be examined at the office of Charles T. Healy & Company, Consulting Engineers, 1900 16th Street, North, Room 210, St. Petersburg, Florida.

Plans and specifications are now available. General contractors and other interested parties may secure drawings and specifications for any of the above items from the office of Heim & Heim, Avon Park, Florida. Drawings and specifications for the air conditioning system may be secured from the office of Charles T. Healy & Company, Consulting Engineers, 1900 16th Street, North, Room 210, St. Petersburg, Florida. Each unit listed above is covered by a seperate set of drawings and specifications, and any set may be obtained for a deposit of Fifteen Dollars ($15) per set. This deposit will be refunded upon return of the specifications and drawings in good order within ten (10) days after bids are received.

Contractors, or other interested parties who wish to inspect the job site may do so only by arrangement with the Maintenance Superintendent at the Rehabilitation Center.

Sealed bids will be accepted on any single unit of the three listed, and each bid must be submitted in strict accordance with proposal form fully completed as stated and shown in the specifications.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check, cashier's check or bank draft on any National Bank or Bank licensed under the laws of the State of Florida in the amount of 5% of the base bid, made payable to the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions 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 the event the contract is awarded the bidder, he will enter into a formal, written contract and furnish to the owner within ten (10) days a contract, Performance and Surety Bond in the amount of 100% of the accepted bid. The cost of the Bond shall be included as a part of the bidder's base bid proposal.

The bidder's qualifications must be satisfactory to the Board of Commissioners or its representatives. The Board reserves the right to waive informality in any bid and to reject any or all bids or to accept any bid or any combination of alternates that in its judgment will be for the best interests of the State of Florida.

Each bid shall be addressed to:
The Board of Commissioners of State Institutions
Terry C. Lee, Coordinator,
Construction Division
c/o Alcoholic Rehabilitation Center
P. O. Box 1147
Avon Park, Florida

Nov. 28, Dec. 5, 12

Highlands Travel Service
Hotel Sebring Bldg.
PHONE: EV 5-1031
Office Hours:
9:30 to 1

William Pardee Completes Eight Weeks Training

William S. Pardee, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Pardee, P. O. Box. 655, Avon Park, Fla., has completed eight weeks of Infantry Basic Training today in the 2nd Training Regiment, Fort Gordon, Georgia, Col. Robert J. McBride, Regimental Commander, announced.

The mission of the 2nd Training Regiment, United States Army Training Center (basic) is to train newly inducted and enlisted soldiers in basic military subjects. Military Courtesy, Close Order Drill, Physical Training, Rifle Marksmanship and Rules of Land Warfare are some of the subjects taught.

These soldiers are then transferred to active Army units throughout the world for advanced training.

The Messiah To Be Presented Here Dec. 12

Forty-six members of "The Messiah" chorus, representing Avon Park, Sebring and Lake Placid, rehearsed last Sunday at the Methodist Church in Lake Placid, This was the first time that the whole company had rehearsed together. Previously one section rehearsed in Avon Park and the other in Lake Placid.

On December 8 a rehearsal will be held in Avon Park in preparation for the first performance to be given at the First Baptist Church in Avon Park Thursday evening December 12 at 8:00 p.m.

The performance in Lake Placid will be given in the School Auditorium Wednesday evening December 18 at 8:00 p.m.

Girl Scout News

At the meeting of the Avon Park Girl Scouts on Thursday Nov. 21, the girls of the four patrols separated and chose names for their patrols; they are the Golden Eagles, the Helpers, the Cheerful Helpers and the Wonder Workers. Sherry Wells, song leader, led the group while Lynda Shepherd accompanied them at the piano. Thirty-seven girls were present at the meeting.

New members to the Scouts are Judy Cooper, Pat Murray and Sonia Lawrence.

Booklets showing Girl Scout Gifts which may be ordered for Girl Scouts were given out. They are from the Girl Scout National Equipment Service, Girl Scouts of America, 155 E. 44th St., New York 17, N. Y., and have many attractive gifts for Scouts.

Mrs. N. H. Booth, Scout Leader, reported on the financial condition of the Troop to the girls.

The Scouts then worked on their copper work. A Christmas party is being planned for the Scouts and the date will be announced later. Mrs. Y. DuBose served the girls refreshments.

Scientists discovered that the Navy-built base in Marie Byrd Land, Antarctica, sits on 7,800 to 9,750 feet thick.

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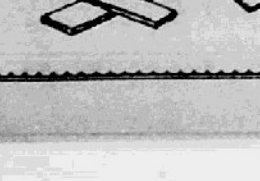
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Weather Report
BY J. WILEY COTHRAN
Weather Observer

	Max.	Min.	Rain
December 4	71	54	0.02
December 5	63	38	—
December 6	74	43	—
December 7	80	56	—
December 8	83	59	—
December 9	68	58	0.51
December 10	61	40	—

THE ALL FLORIDA WEEKLY MAGAZINE
Florida's Largest Paid Circulation

Editorial Line-Up For December 19th Issue Of All Florida Magazine

According to Wynant Davis Hubbard, in his feature article in this week's ALL FLORIDA MAGAZINE, "Animals are Popular Critters." Hubbard takes us on a tour of Crandon Park Zoo in Dade County.

"Florida's Miracle Plant," Aloe Vera, is described by Joyce Hutchinson and Sylva Brown. First mentioned in the Bible and used by Indians and early settlers for relieving sunburn, the gel from this plant is now being refined for use in cosmetics.

Harce F. Prince of Winter

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Col. Haydon W. Buchanan To Speak Tonight

Colonel Haydon W. Buchanan, Director of Civil Defense of Polk County, will be guest speaker tonight at the dinner meeting of the Ridge League of Municipalities.

"Better Police and Fire Service" will be the theme of the meeting held at the Jacaranda Hotel at 7 o'clock at tonight.

The Avon Park High School Orchestra, under the direction of Gene Gorman, will present the dinner music tonight and

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Xmas Holidays For AP Schools

A. B. Wilhite, Supervising Principal of the Avon Park Area Schools, announces that schools are to close at the end of the school day on Friday, December 20, for Christmas Holidays.

Schools will re-open on Monday, January 6, 1958, at the regular hour.



NEW OFFICERS OF THE AVON PARK AREA BOARD OF REALTORS: The newly elected officers of the Avon Park Area Board of Realtors were installed in an impressive ceremony at the Jacaranda Hotel Monday night. The new officers are, left to right: Hubbard K. Biggs, Vice-President; Robert R. King, Jr., President and Richard vonBurske, Secretary-treasurer.

Have Your Hubcaps Coded Saturday

Be sure to have your hubcaps coded at Stimson's Service Station on Saturday, December 14th. The money received from this service will be used to help out the Lion's Christmas Toy Fund.

The Avon Park Police Department is working with the Lions Club and is urging all

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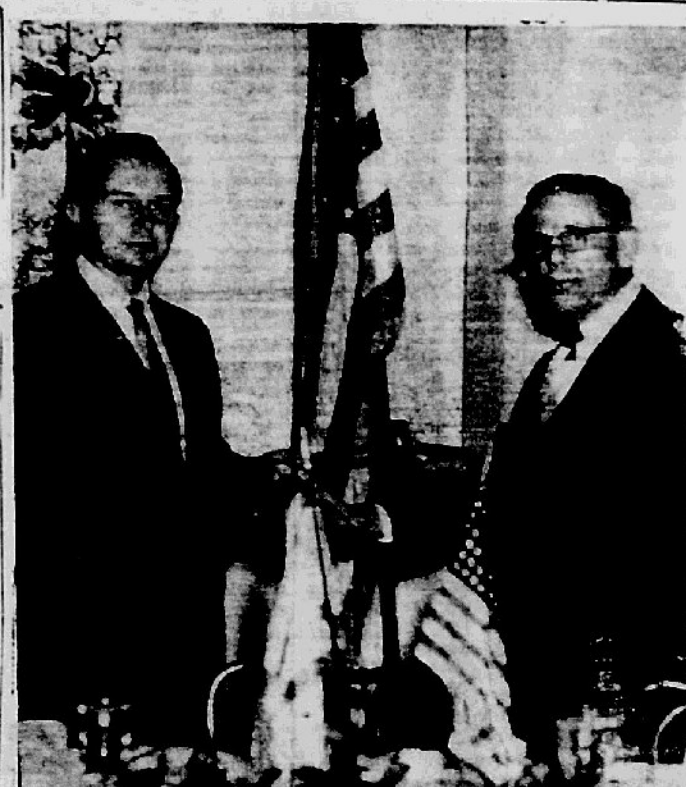

NEW PRESIDENT ACCEPTS GAVEL AT IMPRESSIVE INSTALLATION CEREMONY: Robert R. King, Jr., newly elected president of the Avon Park Area Board of Realtors is shown as he accepted the gavel from Harry Wear, Lake Wales Realtor and also Vice President of the Florida Association of Realtors for the Sixth District. Officers were installed at the banquet meeting held Monday night at the Jacaranda Hotel.

Federal Judge Barker Honored By Bar Assn. And Commissioners

Federal Judge William J. Barker of Tampa, former resident Circuit Judge of Highlands County, was honored in a special court session Monday afternoon by the Highlands County Bar Association and the Highlands County Commissioners.

A portrait of Judge Barker was hung in the Circuit Court room where he presided before he was elevated to the federal bench.

The County Commissioners presented Judge Barker with the chair he occupied while serving Highlands County. A bronze plaque, suitably inscribed, will be placed on the chair.

Judge Barker became the first resident circuit judge here in 1925, when he was appointed by Gov. John W. Martin. He was later transferred to Polk County where he presided until President Roosevelt appointed him to the Southern Florida District of the Federal Court.

Appellate Court Judge William P. Allen and Circuit Judges Gunter Stephenson and Joe D. Kinsey were on the bench when Sheriff Broward Coker called the court to order. Attorney Harry Lee, chairman of the ceremony committee, was presented by Judge Kinsey. Lee introduced L. Grady Burton, former state prosecutor, and M. R. McDonald, another state attorney now president of the Highlands County Bar Association.

The court, on McDonald's motion, found Judge Barker "guilty of being a great jurist". Sheriff Coker and Ex-Sheriff Doyle Schumacher were ordered by the court to hang the judges portrait in the place designated by the court.

The Rev. George C. Stulting of the First Presbyterian Church of Sebring gave the benediction after which refreshments were served.

Newly Elected Officers Of Avon Park Board Of Realtors Installed

A banquet meeting of the Avon Park Area Board of Realtors was held in the Jacaranda Hotel Monday night with forty-two present. Guests included members of the City Council, City Attorney, City Clerk, Mayor E. A. DeLaney, W. A. Meyer, together with their wives.

The speaker of the evening was Mr. Harry Wear, Lake Wales Realtor who is the Vice President of the Florida. Association or Realtors for the Sixth District. He complimented Avon Park Board for the rapid strides they had made in boosting their membership from five members a year ago to eight regular and seven associate members. Following a very interesting introduction of the subject of "Multiple Listing" he conducted a question and answer period with most of the members participating. No action was taken however by the Avon Park Board as the Committee is investigating several plans.

President E. A. Martin presided throughout the meeting, introducing the honored guests and the Realtors. The only item of business was the Installation of the newly elected officers conducted by Realtor Wear, in a very impressive ceremony. The new officers are; Robert R. King, Jr., president; Hubbard K. Biggs, vice president and Richard von-

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BANQUET GUESTS: Forty-two persons attended the Avon Park Area Board of Realtors banquet Monday night at the Jacaranda Hotel. Shown in the picture are the Realtors and their wives, members of the City Council, City Attorney, City Clerk, Mayor E. A. DeLaney and W. A. Meyer, together with their wives. Newly elected officers were installed at the dinner meeting.

Devils End Season With Win Over Fort Meade

The Avon Park Red Devils ended the 1957 gridrion season last Thursday night in fine fashion when they rolled to an easy 40 - 0 victory over a weak Ft. Meade Miner team in Ft. Meade. The game was played in very cold weather which affected everyone but the hot gridders.

The Devils scored almost when wanted to except in the third quarter when the substitutes were doing battle.

From the beginning it was evident that Avon Park would have little or no trouble winning the game so most everyone concentrated on the point making of halfback Billy Rouse. When the game ended he had jaunted easly for four touchdowns, which, according to figures received, gives him a seasons total of 79 points, one more than the previous leader Jerry Sheffield of the Sebring Blue Streaks.

The Devils started with grim determination scoring on a 68 yard drive after taking the opening kickoff. Rouse climaxed the drive going over from the nine yard line. Winkie William's line buck added the seventh point. The Miners picked up 2 first downs but were then held and the Devils took over on their own 28 yard line. Five plays later Billy Rouse carried it over from the Ft. Meade 17 yard line. A 40 yard run by Williams set up the play. The attempt at the extra point was blocked. Ft. Meade couldn't gain as the quarter ended and kicked to Avon Park with Winkie Williams returning it 32 yards to the Ft. Meade 30. Rouse picked up 15 and Williams bowled over to score on the next play. Johnny Starling rammed over the extra point.

Ft. Meade ran two plays and the Devil line knocked the ball loose and recovered on their own 25. It took Johnny Starling just two plays to ram it over for a touchdown. Cooper's pass to Earnest for the point was to long. After being stalled on their next drive the Miners punted to Rouse on his 25 from which point he raced 60 yards to the Miner 15. The Devils were stalled and Ft. Meade took over as the half ended.

Ft. Meade took the kickoff but fumbled on their 15 to open the second half. Gene Bigbie recovered for Avon Park. Rouse lugged it over for the score. Winkie William's kick for the point was perfect and the Devils led 33-0. The second string players played the remainder of the third and parts of the fourth quarter. Gail Hovey and Tommy Douberley both ran well. In the final quarter Ft. Meade penetrated down to the Avon Park two yard line but the Devils took over and drove 98 yards to score. The highlight of the drive was a 56 yard sprint by John Starling. Rouse picked up 23 yards and then went ten yards to rack up his fourth six pointer. Williams kick was again perfect.

Tommy Douberly scored a touchdown with seconds left but the Devils drew a backfield in motion penalty that nullified the beautiful run. With time for only one play left big tackle Henry Scott moved to Fullback to carry the leather just one time. He hit the center of the line with abundant power and surprizing speed to pick up 12 yards, dragging about four Ft. Meade players with him as the final whistle blew. Surprizing in the game was the fact that the Devils passed only once other than the extra point attempt. Ft. Meade completed only two passes and had the same amount intercepted.

This win over Fort Meade gives the Devils a conference record of 6 wins 1 tie and no losses--the best in the league. They had already retained the Ridge Conference crown for 1957 when they stopped the Sebring Blue Streaks 12-6 in the Thanksgiving Eve battle. The Avon Park boys rolled over Mulberry, Kathleen, Frostproof, Kissimmee, Ft. Meade, Sebring, and tied Arcadia in Conference play. They beat Bartow while losing to Auburndale and Winter Park in Non-conference games for an overall 7 - 2 - 1 record.

Silver Palms Used As Xmas Decorations

Silver sprinkled white palms with merry red bows tied at the base were selected by the Avon Park Chamber of Commerce as Christmas season decorations for the City this year. These lovely arrangements greet you on the lamp

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Building Permits For November Total $22,725

Ten building permits totaling $22,725 were issued by the City of Avon Park during the month of November. Four of the permits, totaling $19,000, were for new residences and six permits valued at $3,725 were for additions and alterations.

Just a year ago, November 1956, only four permits were issued by the City at a total of only 9,500. So Avon Park continues to grow.

Xmas Musical At AP Prison

A Christmas program of music will be presented at the Avon Park Prison by the Avon Park High School Band and Glee Club on Tuesday, December 17.

The program, which will last about an hour, will be under the direction of Mrs. Jane Hall and Gene Gorman.

APHS Tops 500 Enrollment For All Time High

The Avon Park High School tops 500 enrollment mark for the first time in the schools history.

At the end of the third school month, ending November 27, the Avon Park Junior-Senior High School had an enrollment of 502 students, with 301 in Junior High, grades 7 through 9, and 201 students in Senior High, grades 10th through 12th.

The Elementary School has an enrollment of 650 pupils, in gardes 1 through 6, giving a total enrollment of 1,152 students

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Christmas Basket Committee Needs Cash Donations

The Avon Park Children's Basket Committee reported at the meeting Tuesday that cash contributions for this worthy cause are coming in slowly. It is hoped that sufficient funds will be received by the Committee to purchase groceries for the Christmas baskets. If you

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School Board Met In Regular Session Tuesday

Bids were received by the Highlands County School Board Tuesday morning, December 10, from those desiring to furnish an electric range, refrigerator and deep freeze for the Carver School lunch room. The bid was awarded to Duttons Appliance Stores.

The Avon Citrus, Avon Park, and the Tropical State Bank, Sebring, were designated depositories for the various school funds. Collateral pledged by the Avon Citrus was $394,000 and collateral of $200,000 was pledged by the Tropical State Bank.

The Board voted to pay for

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Chancel Choir Of Congregational Church To Present Xmas Concert

The Chancel Choir of the Union Congregational Church will present its Annual Concert of Christmas Music on Sunday, Dec. 15, at 8 o'clock in the Congregational Church. The public is invited to attend and enjoy this outstanding musical event.

Prelude: "The Shepherds and The Angles" Lorenz, Piano and Organ Duet by Miss Marcia Bilbee and Mrs. Edna Jackson.

Processional: "Joy to the World" Handel.

Invocation.

Illumination of the Nativity Window.

Solo: "Gesu Bambino" Pietro A Yon, Mrs. John Garber, Jr.

The Scripture Reading.

Anthems: "The Rose Carol" Lorenz and "Noel Christ is Born" Strickland.

Solo: "Shine, O Wonderful Star" Saechtig, Mrs. Samuel O. Norris.

Anthem: "Glory to God" Rogers.

Offertory: "Slumber Song" Schumann. Piano and Organ Duet.

Soprano Solo: "He Shall Feed His Flock Like A Shepherd" Handel.

Anthems: "My Dearest Joy" Rogers and "Silent Night" Gruber.

Trio: "Holy Child" Brams, Mrs. Lindeman, Mrs. J. Garber, Jr., and Mrs. William Bennett.

Soprano Solo: "I Know My Redeemer Liveth" Handel.

Anthem: "Cantique de Noel" Adams.

Benediction.

Postludge: "Joy To The World" Handel.

The Chancel Choir is under the direction of Mrs. Paul Garber.



THE SKELETON WALKS: The Junior Class play presented Friday night, December 6, was attended by the largest crowd that a play has drawn in over ten years. The money made by the Junior Class will be added to the Junior Fund, some to be used when the Juniors honor the Seniors at the banquet in March. The Junior Class wishes to express their appreciation to the citizens of Avon Park for their fine spirit of cooperation. The above picture includes the cast, director and one of the Junior Class sponsors. Mrs. Charles Moseley, the other sponsor of the Junior Class is not in the picture. Shown here in the back row, left to right, are Danny Thomas, Earl Varnes one of the sponsors, Penny Prescott, Mrs. Patti Hill, director, Betty Shepherd, Buddy Ott, Pat Batson, Sally Sayers, Kenny Wells, Jimmy Mills. Seated left to right. Emese Forizs, Charlotte Albritton, Bob Ed Church, Pat Tondee, and Guelda Gaster. On the floor are Wayne Kempton, Bozo Hill (the dog) and Mary Lois Roberts.

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The federal highway program is supposed to provide 41,000 miles of roads over a 13-year period at a cost of $51 billion. But now, according to a growing body of evidence, it begins to appear that even that incredible sum of money isn't enough for the job. The Chicago American says: "Some authorities think the present appropriation will pay for only half the new roads we need."

It's interesting to relate this king-sized problem to something that is going on in the states. In Illinois, Wisconsin and Texas determined efforts were made to lift truck weight limits to the startling figure of 72,000 pounds. The Illinois and Wisconsin legislatures did pass such bills, but in both cases they were vetoed by the state governors, on advice of highway authorities. In Texas the bill passed the House but died in the Senate—when, reportedly, members began "Hearing from the folks back home."

Wisconsin's Governor Thomson, in explaining his veto, said: "Probably not more than 10 per cent of our Class A highways are constructed to carry such loads." The cost of such superhighways is unbelievably high. So is the cost of maintenance. And they are definitely not needed by private cars and by trucks of moderate size, which make up the vast majority of the traffic.

Soaring road costs are commonly blamed on inflation. This is a factor, but not the only one by any means. The oversize trucks constitute one of the principal reasons. That's why more and more people, in and out of government, are coming to believe that it is time to review our methods of raising money—and to share the costs on a more equitable basis than is the case today.

Editor's Mail Bag

December 6, 1957

Avon Park Sun,
Avon Park, Florida
Dear Mr. Meyer:

We would like to inform the people of our City a little more about the efforts the Avon Park Beautification Committee had in attempting to decorate our lovely city for the Christmas season. As for back as August we started investigating the possibilities of street decoration. After many conferences, letters and talking to display representatives, in October a meeting was called of representatives from all civic organizations, the City of Avon Park and the Chamber of Commerce. It was unanimously decided by all present, in view of the fact that the Christmas lights were in such bad state of repairs, and have been used for so many years, that something different would be tried this Christmas season.

The merchants that had purchased these lights were contacted for their vote on not putting up the lights this year, as it was only fair to get the wishes of those business men that invested in the decorations.

It was then decided that palms, being typical of our tropical climate, could also be used as a featured part of our beautification for Christmas plan. The City of Avon Park furnished their Park Committee labor to gather the palm fronds, hauled them to Wells Motor Company where they were sprayed white and sprinkled with silver glitter with no charge for this service. Mrs. J. W. Head, one of the Garden Club members joined with Mr. J. A. Sites, City Park Superintendent, and the Chamber Beautification Committee in designing and arranging the palms around the lamp posts on each corner of the mall throughout the business district.

It was the thought of those contributing to this effort that these decorations would be lovely in the daylight as well as show up under the street lighting system. So, our business section was decorated at no expence whatsoever, to the merchants, with the exception of Wells Motor Company, and thanks to Avon Gardens, DeLaney Hardware, Metcalfe Hardware allowing paint and materials to be purchased at cost.

We are well repaid for the efforts by the many complimentary remarks made by our travelers, visitors and residents. Even the children have marveled at the "diamond dewdrops" glittering in the sunlight and under the street lights.

And that, readers, is the inside story of "Why are the lights missing from the streets after many, many years." (Although, we must confess, there have been very few question this.)

God Bless You All, and may you have a Happy Christmas season.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Anna Belle Worden

PARTY TALK



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—By Don Meikeljohn

The target of the Florida Legislature's "investigating committee" is being kept a closely guarded secret, but its bird dogging has extended all over the state and include contact with Rep. Bob Sikes of Crestview.

Charley E Johns, chairman of the committee, says the sphere of the investigation can't be revealed because the targets might skip the state.

The last time around, the committee, which was then headed by Henry Land, Apopka, who was defeated in his bid for a senate seat, concentrated on the NAACP and John Kasper.

Kasper is in jail, and the previous committee pretty well covered the field on the NAACP without getting any results in the form of controlling legislation passed by the Legislature.

State Comptroller's office records show that Committee Investigator R. J. Strickland, a former sergeant on the Tallahassee police department, has logged more than $700 in auto travel expense since the first of August.

Strickland served with the committee during its previous investigations after conducting the Tallahassee police department's invtsigation of the bus boycott here.

Strickland also has spent more than $1,000 purchasing records and information for which receipts were "unobtainable due to the confidential nature of the operation."

Phone calls from the committee phone indicate several calls to Rep. Sikes in Washington, and among the cities visited by Strickland was Crestview, Sikes' hometown.

Other trips were made to Starke, home of committee chairman Johns, Gainesville, Ocala, Lake City, Jacksonville, and the Tampa Bay area.

Strickland also made trips to Apalachicola, DeFuniak Springs, and Crawfordville in Northwest Florida.

On November 4, a lump payment of $960 was authorized by Johns for "payment of records and transcript from a confidential source."

Another payment was made in August to a mystery person identified in the records only as "informant A." "Informant A" was paid $85.

The committee has $75,000 to do its investigating. As of Dec. 1, it has spent $7,838.47. Of that amount $6,377.29 went for salaries for Strickland and Mark R. Hawes, committee counsel.

Strickland draws $625 a month, and Hawes gets $916 a month.

Harvey, the capitol cat that writes with his tail, has this to say about the furor over education:

The Cat's Meow
By Harvey

You humans are facing a crisis similar to one that confronted us cats.

The big problem for you seems to be getting folks interested in scientific study.

Our problem was to get some of the young cats interested in mouse catching—an ancient art that is fast losing its appeal to the modern-day cat.

Younger cats are content to get their chow from a can, and no longer zest for the adventure of cornering a juicy mouse.

We have launched a program that appears to be paying dividends.

We now select an "All America" team of mouse catchers. This team makes an annual tour of the U. S. & A interesting young cats in the profession.

The idea is not far off from the one offered by School Boss Tom Bailey on scientists: Offer the same incentives to students as offered football players.

Don Meikle john

How Much Lime?

"Most of us realize that lime is necessary if we want to get the most from our soil."

"The question troubling many of us is, how much lime should we use? There is no easy answer. Before deciding how much lime to use, consider several factors."

Crops vary in their requirement for lime. If you are planning to grow a legume, such as clover, it will pay you to add sufficient lime to maintain the soil pH between 6.0 and 6.5. However, if you are growing non-legumes, a pH from 5.8 to 6.0 will be satisfactory. Generally speaking, it's best to maintain the soil pH above 5.5

Dr. Donald Rothwell, of the Soils Department of the University of Florida College of Agriculture, suggests you consider the type of soil on which you are growing the crops. The amount of lime necessary to lime you will have to apply to soil will influence greatly the apply. The higher the percentage of clay present, the more raise the pH. This also applies to the amount of organic matter in your soil. The higher the percentage of organic matter the greater will be the resistance of the soil to a change in pH. Therefore, a larger amount of lime will be required to overcome this resistance.

You must know the pH of your soil to decide the proper amount of lime to apply. This means that you must have your soils analyzed to get this information. If you haven't had your soil tested lately, you should get in touch with your county agricultural agent or write to the Soils Department at the Agricultural Experiment Station, Gainesville, for information. Unless you know the pH of your soil you are at a distinct disadvantage in deciding the amount of lime to apply.

In addition to the pH you should consider the amount of available calcium and magnesium in your soil. It is possible for your soil to have an adequate pH and still be deficient in these two elements. Another factor to consider is whether or not you are going to broadcast the lime on the surface and leave it or disk it under. The effectiveness of the lime applied will be increased if it is mixed with the soil. There are conditions, such as on pastures, where it is necessary to apply the lime broadcast and leave it on the surface. This, of course, reduces its effectiveness.

The size of the particles of lime will influence its reaction rate. This in turn will influence the amount that you should apply. The finer the grind, the faster it will react to change the pH. However, you may have to relime a little more frequently if you use finer ground lime.

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Fla. 4-H'er Wins Conservation Award

Understanding and cooperation in a farm program of 4-H Soil and Water Conservation brought distinction to Braxton Powell, Jr., 15, of Brevard county, who won the 1957 state award.



Braxton Powell, Jr.

A 15-acre pasture did not support the dairy herd so Braxton took soil samples and laid out plans for ditching. He spread dolomite and fertilizer and planted pangola with excellent results.

Braxton attended 4-H short courses twice and 4-H Camp three times. He was treasurer and secretary of his club and served as assistant leader.

Braxton will represent his state at the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, Dec. 1-6. His trip was provided by the Firestone Tire & Rubber Co. The program is conducted by the Cooperative Extension Service.



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This 5-Minute Peanut Fudge recipe, developed by Carnation Company's home economists, is ideal for beginning cooks whether they're still at the supervising age or old enough to "go it alone." It's quickly prepared . . . only 5-minutes cooking time, no testing for the soft ball stage and no beating—so children won't become bored. Because of evaporated milk's better blending qualities, this fudge will be creamy, delicious and firm-textured every time you make it. It's failure-proof!

5-MINUTE PEANUT FUDGE
(Makes about 2 pounds)

- 2 tablespoons honey
- 1 cup ground peanuts
- ½ cup (small can) undiluted evaporated milk
- 1½ cups sugar
- ½ teaspoon salt
- 1½ cups (16 medium) diced marshmallows
- 1½ cups semi-sweet chocolate chips
- 1 teaspoon vanilla

Combine honey and peanuts; blend. Spread in bottom of buttered 9-inch square pan. Mix evaporated milk, sugar and salt in saucepan over low heat. Heat to boiling, then cook 5 minutes, stirring constantly. Remove from heat. Add marshmallows, chocolate chips and vanilla. Stir 1-2 minutes (until marshmallows melt). Pour into pan over peanut mixture.

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Party Celebrates Jerry McKenzie's 16th Birthday

Jerry McKenzie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam McKenzie, was entertained with a party honoring his sixteenth birthday on Sunday evening, Dec. 8, at his home.

After a evening of games, dancing and record playing, the guests were served birthday cake which was decorated in Christmas colors, ice cream and Cokes.

Helping Mrs. McKenzie with the party were Mrs. Al White and Mrs. Emma Northup.

Boys and girls helping Jerry celebrate his sixteenth birthday were Beth Church, Judy Hunt, Joyce White, Carolyn Gonzales, Marlon Zinn, Alan Dillion, Jackie White, Bill White, George White, Don Carter, Amos Gunn, Roger Wilson, Arthur Cody, and his sister, Vivian McKenzie.

Xmas Program To Be Featured At PTA Dec. 19

The Avon Park High School Glee Club and Band will present an outstanding program of Christmas music to the Avon Park P. T. A. on Thursday night, Dec. 19, in the auditorium at 8 o'clock.

The program will be divided into two parts. The first part will show The Joys of Christmas on Earth" and will feature such songs as "The Christmas Song" and "White Christmas". Scenes from the famous "Nutcracker Suite" will be shown and Miss Jan Saylor will do a ballet to "The Sugar Plum Fairy." "Jingle Bell" in Calypso style with the band will be a featured number also.

The second part of the program will feature a number of the favorite Christmas carols and hymns by both the Glee Club and the Band. Both groups will join in the closing number "Gloria In Excelsis".

The boys and girls will wear long dresses and white dinner jackets to add to the colorfulness of the program. Mr. Gene Gorman and Mrs. Virgil Hall are in charge of the music.

All parents, teachers, and citizens are urged to attend this outstanding program and enjoy the Christmas music of the Band and Glee Club.

Pat Lawrence Honoree At Briday Shower

Bride elect Pat Lawrence was the honoree at a miscellaneous bridal shower in Wesley Hall on Wednesday night, Dec. 4. The shower was given by Misses Peggy Bussard, Clarie Maxwell, Mary Sally Sayers, Eve Campbell and Sandra Kelsey.

A dainty fancy umbrella adorned the table holding the gifts and Miss Lawrence received many lovely useful gifts from the table.

The guests were served refreshments of cake, punch, mints, and nuts from a graceful table covered with a beautiful hand crocheted cloths and decorated with white, pink, and red poinsettias around the punch bowl.

About thirty friends enjoyed the evening with Miss Lawrence.

When Illness Strikes the Very Young



Cooler weather ushers in the sneeze and sniffle season. To add to this year's usual worries, Asian flu has swept across the country in epidemic proportions.

As always, children are the heaviest hit. The slightest illness will send fevers soaring. Coughs and running noses seem to linger all winter, disrupting household routines and adding to parental burdens.

No certain cure exists for some of the commonest illnesses except time and rest. Nevertheless, relief is possible. Fevers can be reduced, aches and pains relieved. This year, an easy-to-administer liquid replacement for aspirin has been developed especially for young sufferers. Liquiprin, a boon to mothers because it is pleasant tasting and easy for youngsters to take, can be mixed with fruit juice, prepared formula, or milk, which it will not curdle.

Mothers annoyed at the awkward problem of crushing tablet aspirin for infants will welcome the ease with which the new product can be measured out accurately by a calibrated dropper. It is more rapidly absorbed, and will not upset the stomach as aspirin sometimes does. It helps calm a fretful and irritable child.

Safety-conscious parents will welcome yet another feature. Dangers lurking in the medicine chest are well known. Statistics show a tragic number of children poisoned by medicines that in proper doses are beneficial, but deadly when swallowed in quantity by an over-curious child who has invaded the medicine cabinet. Liquiprin comes in a new safety bottle that will not pour even when held upside-down, a guarantee against a child's drinking its contents.

The new medication's pleasant raspberry flavor, incidentally, was selected by a taste panel of 500 children, 82% of whom took a second spoonful without coaxing. For mothers who complain that the cure sometimes is worse than the illness, this easy-to-take product should provide welcome relief.

Business Womens Club Plans Xmas Party

The Business Women's Club will hold their annual Christmas Banquet and Party on Monday, Dec. 16, meeting at the Jacaranda Hotel for dinner in the Dining Room.

After dinner the members will go to the home of Mrs. Betty Sullivan for the Christmas party and evening's entertainment. Each member is reminded to bring a gift for exchange.

Hostesses will be Miss Mattie Tompkins, Mrs. Violet Hollingsworth, Mrs. Betty Sullivan, Mrs. Ethel Williamson, Mrs. Maxine Martin, and Miss Kathleen Lee.

First Methodist Church News

The Women's Society of Christian Service held their December meeting and Christmas program in Wesley Hall on Monday night, Dec. 9. Mrs. Hubert Bussard presided over the meeting in the absence of Mrs. Fred Simcox, president.

The meeting was opened with the singing of "Jesus Calls" and the reading of "The Lord's Prayer" in unison. Mrs. I. H. Ford gave a Christmas reading, "The Man Who Owned the Stable" which was followed by several Christmas songs.

Mrs. Raymond Gerrard, Secretary of Children's Work, presented a group of children who are members of the World Friendship Group. The boys and girls gave a skit showing the work of the Ethel Harpst Children's Home in Jacksonville. This home is sponsored by the Women's Society. Those taking part in the skit were Carol Poff, Johnny Mahon, Naomi Lawrence, Devorah Reddick, Sue O'Steen, Judy Cothran, Sonia Lawrence, and Pamela Mason. The group then sang "Away In A Manager" and "O Little Town of Bethelehem". Devorah Reddick told more about the work of the Children's Home in an interesting talk. A Christmas offering for the home was taken at the meeting.

A reception for the new members to the Woman's Society during the year was held after the program. Each new member and guest was given a corsage.

The refreshment table was covered with a white cutwork cloth and red candles and red poinsettias were used for color. Mrs. Wilmer O. Luttrell served the guests coffee and tea and fruit cake, nuts and mints were also used.

Fla. Ave. Baptist Church News

The Women's Missionary Union of the Florida Avenue Baptist Church held its regular business and program meeting on Tuesday night, Dec. 3, in the church.

A very interesting program on missionary work was presented to the twenty-two members present.

The Christmas party for all the circles was planned for Thursday, Dec. 19, in the Church at 8 o'clock.

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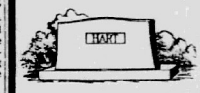

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Glee Club And Band To Be Entertained

The members of the High School Glee Club and Band who will present the program to the P. T. A. on Thursday, Dec. 19, will be entertained directly after the program with a party in the Youth Center.

Parents of these boys and girls as well as the members of the Glee Club and Band are cordially invited to attend the party. This entertainment will be sponsored by a group of the parents of these two organizations.

Darrell Cloud Celebrates 8th Birthday

Darrell Cloud, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cloud, celebrated his eighth birthday on Saturday, Dec. 7, with a birthday party at his home.

The boys and girls enjoyed an afternoon of play in Donaldson Park on the playground equipment and at Darrell's home. Each guest took home a favor of a candy-filled horn.

Mrs. Cloud served the guests ice cream and birthday cake decorated with Darrell's name and red roses.

Guests who helped Darrell celebrate were Victor Pollard, Becky and Nancy Todd, Wayne Douberley, Tim DeLaney, Mary Lou Stewart, Carolyn Gonzales, Ronnie Kelley, and Sherry Smith.

Congregational Church News

The Men's Fellowship Group of the church will hold its December meeting with a Fish Fry and program on Friday, Dec. 13, at 7 o'clock in the Florida Clubhouse.

All men of the church are invited to attend this meeting.

The Covenant Circle will meet on Wednesday, Dec. 18, in the Parish House at 1:30 o'clock for their Christmas party and program.

In place of exchanging gifts among the members there will be a shower of gifts from the members for the Migrant Worker's Nursery School in the Glades Farming District. Small gifts such as blunt scissors, crayons, construction paper, etc, are much in demand there. The gifts are not to be individually wrapped but please bring appropiate wrappings for your gift.

Mrs. Samuel O. Norris and Mrs. Theodore Gramstorff will be hostesses. All women of the church and winter guests are cordially invited to attend.

The theme of the program will be the legends of Christmas symbols.

The Young Adult Class will hold their annual Christmas party and carolling on Sunday, Dec. 22, at 8 o'clock in Lake Byrd Lodge. Each member is asked to bring a small gift for exchange.

First Baptist Church News

The Messiah will be presented in the church Thursday evening, Dec. 12, at 7:30 by the Lake Placid Choral Club. All members and their friends are invited and all citizens of Avon Park to hear this outstanding musical program.

The Rev. Aden Childress is having the morning Devotional Period on radio station WAVP this week at 8:45.

The members of the 13 year old G. A. met at the church Wednesday with their new leader, Mrs. John Gambrell.

January 6-10 will be "Bible Study Week". The book of Hosea will be studied.

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ALMANAC CALENDAR FACTS FOR FAMILY

Featuring useful facts for every member of the family, the new 1958 St. Joseph Almanac-Calendars, printed and distributed nationally by Plough, Inc., drug manufacturers, are now available free through the courtesy of drug dealers in this area.

In addition to its day-by-day guidance on calendar dates, the 1958 St. Joseph Almanac-Calendar is filled with information on family living for everyone from babies to their grandparents.

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1957

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26

Regular Meeting Of City Council December 9th, 1957

Members present: Mr. R. E. Lee, Chairman; P. A. McFarland, Manin Kirkland, Roland Dilley, C. F. King, also Mayor, City Attorney and City Clerk.

The invocation was given by Mr. McFarland.

The minutes were read and corrected as follows:

ADDITION: Action by the Council tabling action on "Street paving by Mr. M. A. Jone's Motel" was later taken up and it was agreed by the Council to continue the paving project on an experimntal basis with Mr. Jones buying all of the rock material.

Motion by Mr. Kirkland, seconded by Mr. McFarland that the City accept the Agreement between the City of Avon Park and Mr. A. E. Watkins consocming Zoning Regulations for a period of ninety (90) days. Upon roll call all members unanimously voted AYE.

Mr. King as Chairman of the Committee appointed to study bids on the garbage body for truck recommended that the City purchase the Hydro-E-Z Pack.

Motion by Mr. King, seconded by Roland Dilley that the City accept the low bid on the 20 Cu. Yd. capacity E-Z Trash Packer, a chassis of a minimum of 19,500 G. V. W. or over, with a minimum of 9.00x20 tires, 10 ply tube type, F. O. B. Galion Ohio from Lakeland Truck Equipment Company in the amount of $4200 less 2% or $4116. Upon roll call all members unanimously voted AYE.

Motion by Mr. McFarland, seconded by Mr. Dilley that the City call for bids on Truck Body. On roll call all members unanimously voted AYE.

A committee from the American Legion Namely: Grover Bates, Jim Heim, Minter Hall, and Lacy Clark and Dr. Stuart J. Ward, were present at the Council meeting and City Attorney Nunnallee explained to the Council Deed Restrictions and Releases on the Airport Property.

An invitation from the Florida National Guard extended by Lt. Seay for City Officials to attend a supper at the Armory on Decrtmber 18th, 1957.

Motion by Mr. Dilley, seconded by Mr. Kirkland that the City employ Mr. Walter Grantham at the City Housing Project at a salary of $215. per month. Upon roll call all members unanimously voted AYE.

Motion by Mr. King, seconded by Mr. Dilley that the City Council give $15 bonus to all City employees. Upon roll call all members unanimously voted AYE.

A report was given by the City Attorney on eviction notices. All notices have been 18 letters were written. processed as follows:
Eleven (11) paid up or moved, seven (7) served with eviction notices and have been disposed of by the County Judge's Court.

Motion by Mr. Kirkland, seconded by Mr. King that the meeting be adjourned.

Rotary News

Mem, Mail and Machines", a postal film, was shown to members attending the Avon Park Rotary Club meeting at the Jacaranda Hotel on Wednesday, December 4, by Doug Perry. During his vocational talk he told how the Post Office Department was using more machines for greater efficiency in the handling of the U. S. Mail. He also told of the tremendous cost in handling the United States Mail. Two-thirds of the world's mail is handled in the U. S.

A letter was written to the City Council expressing the Club's appreciation to the City for the wonderful job they have done in cleaning the vacant lots and right-of-ways in the city during the Community Pride Month.

Raymond Dilley was the guest of Doug Perry last Wednesday.

Visiting Rotarians attending the meeting included Leland Hiatt, Gainesville, Fla.; Louis H. Nebel, Sturgeon Bay, Wis.; R. M. Gay Arcadia; E. F. Armstrong, Hicksville, Ohio; Jim Massie, Waynesville, N. C.; J. M. Bunch, Sebring; Sam Denton, Frostproof; Elgin Bayless, Sr., Sam Longbottom, and Joe McBeth, all of Sebring.

Services For Vagnier To Be Held In Ohio

Ralph Vagnier, 58, a patient at the Hill Crest Rest Home passed away Monday morning after a long illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Vagnier came to Sebring in 1951 from Lancaster, Ohio. They owned and operated the "Dinner Lake Haven"

Mr. Vagnier is survived by his widow, Mrs. Vagnier.

The remains were forward to Lancaster, Ohio for services. Warren Funeral Home of Sebring was in charge of local arrangements.

During the first quarter of the nineteenth century, the New York Evening Post had an annual subscription rate of eight dollars, equal to a worker's pay for ten days.

Dream Twins



TWO SLEEPY PEOPLE slip happily off to Nod in peppermint-fresh candy cane striped sleepers by Sterncraft. Dreamland comes easily with less help from mother because there are no bothersome buttons on these cosy flannel pajama sets. Strong Dot snappers, instead. What with cherry red and white stripes, tassled nightcaps and a matching dream doll for company during the wee hours, bedtime is a lark. Sleepers and doll are washable and colorfast.

Florida Orange Concentrate En Route To Calif.

Haines City.—Plans for shipping 1,000 barrels of Florida frozen orange concentrate from here to California have been announced by Reuben P. Hughes, president of Pacific Hawaiian Products Company of Fullerton, Calif.

He reported that the first of 20 refrigerated truck loads of the concentrate already has left Stockeley-Van Camp's Pietsweet Bordo plant here on its four-day trip to Fullerton. The Florida juice will be combined with exotic tropical fruit juices in California to make Hawaiian punch, Huges said.

"A cross-country trip for the 1,000 barrels of orange concentrate, especially when its going to California, may seem like a long way around to market," he added. "Trucking the product from the East to the West Coast, however, is simply a matter of economics."

Once the Florida concentrate and other juices have been combined into Hawaiian punch, it will be distributed nationally, much of it probably returning to East Coast states.

Money Still Needed For Youth Association

Contributions to the Avon Park Youth Association are coming in every day the Membership Committee reports. If you have not yet mailed yours, don't forget to do so. The Committee hopes to have a list of contributors ready for publication in January.

The Youth Center, under the direction of Andrew Miracle, has been doing outstanding work with the young people of our community. This year alone they have sponsored a number of activities for the boys and girls. The value of an active organization such as this to a community cannot be underestimated. But money is needed to help support their activities, and help from all citizens of Avon Park would be greatly appreciated.

Soil Conservation News

By Sam Polston

Requests for engineering assistance are still heading the list of work for the Soil Conservation Service technicians assigned to the Highlands Soil Conservation District. Sanford Hartt recently requested assistance in designing a seepage irrigation system for 1,000 acres of clover pasture on flatwoods land south of Arbuckle Creek. Mr. Hartt has several hundred acres of irrigated pasture which evidently has been producing satisfactorily. The first system of this kind to be put into operation in the Highlands District was on the Hartt Ranch and he has been steadily increasing the acreage for several years.

The Consolidated Naval Stores Company of Lake Placid also requested assistance in the design of a sprinkler irrigation system on 400 acres of new citrus grove south of Lake Placid. The company constructed an earth dam across Hickory Branch this year to impound water for this area.

The Highlands Soil Conservation District is hopeful of obtaining a limited supply of combine pea seed from the state Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission nurseries for trial plantings in this area next spring. The peas are good feed for both dove and quail. The seed will be made available to landowners who are interested in planting them and giving them proper care for a fair trial. Applications for the seed should be made at the Soil Conservation Service office at 39 S. Commerce St., Sebring.

Ware Furniture Opens New Store

Announcement is made today by Mr. Jack Head, of the Ware Furniture Company that their new furniture store in Lake Placid will open for business on Monday, December 16th. With the addition of this store this firm will now operate four stores, located in Avon Park, Sebring, Frostproof and Lake Placid. The nationally known lines of furniture distributed by the Badcock Corp. with 32 units also General Electric Major Appliances will be handled in Lake Placid, as they are in the other stores, with a modern building, and fixtures, and a complete line of furniture, home furnishings, electrical appliances, etc. will be carried in stock. Mrs. Hazel Ewing, Mr. J. W. Day will be the managers of the store, and a cordial welcome is extended by the management to attend the opening, as well as to buy the furniture needed for your home. Formal opening will be held sometime in January - watch for announcement.

Calendar Of Xmas Activities

Dec. 12, Thursday afternoon - Federated Garden Club Tea at the home of Mrs. W. C. Touchton.

Dec. 12, Thursday evening - Elementary P. T. A. Program by Brownie Scouts.

Dec. 12, Thursday evening - "Messiah" by Lake Placid Choral Group in First Baptist Church.

Dec. 13, Friday evening - Freshman Class Party at the Youth Center.

Dec. 15, Sunday evening - Congregational Chancel Choir Christmas Program at 8 o'clock.

Dec. 16 Monday evening - Business Women's Banquet at Jacaranda Hotel.

Dec. 17, Tuesday night - OES Christmas party at Masonic Hall.

Dec. 17 Tuesday evening - Fidelis Class Party at First Baptist Social Hall.

Dec. 18, Wed. noon - Woman's Golf Assn. Luncheon at home of Mrs. C. P. Anderson.

Dec. 18, afternoon - Convenant Circle Christmas program at Parish House of Cong. Church.

Dec. 18, Wed. evening - Am. Legion and Legion Auxiliary Christmas Party at Legion Home.

Dec. 18, Wed. evening - Seventh grade weiner roast parties at various homes.

Dec. 19, Thurs. evening - P. T. A. Christmas Musical Program at 8 o'clock in auditorium.

Dec. 19, Thurs. afternoon - Girl Scout Christmas Party at Florida Power Clubhouse.

Dec. 19, Thurs. evening - Fla. Ave. Baptist Christmas party for all circles in church.

Dec. 21, Saturday evening - Fla. Power Employees Adult Banquet at Clubhouse.

Dec. 21, Saturday evening - JayCee's Christmas Dance at Jacaranda Hotel.

Dec. 22, Sunday night - Christmas music by choir of First Methodist Church.

Dec. 22, Sunday night - Young Adult Class of Congregational Church Christmas party at Lake Byrd Lodge.

Dec. 22, Sunday night - Christmas musical program by Three Choirs of First Baptist Church.

Dec. 23, Monday afternoon - Party for children of Fla. Power at Clubhouse.

Dec. 23, Monday evening - Party for Teenagers of Fla. Power at Clubhouse.

Dec. 23, Monday evening - Christmas program for Fla. Avon Baptist Church.

Distemper is commonly considered a form of influenza.

Local Students Attend District Council Meet

Four members of the Student Council of the Avon Park High School and Miss Millie Pearson, Council advisor, attended the Student Council District meeting on Saturday, December 7, in West Palm Beach.

Approximately forty-five students representing eleven of the twenty high schools in the District attended the meeting. Students from Avon Park were Robert Hall, president of the A. P. Student Council; Thetis Williams, treasuere; Cindy Halstrict was asked to lead one of the group discussions and Rolim and Carolina Arnold.

Members enjoyed a very interesting day of reports and discussions. Avon Park being treasurer of the District was asked to lead one of the group discussions and Robert Hall served as spokesman.

Topics for the discussions included such interesting subjects as; Juvenile Delinquency; Authority of Student Council and The Mistakes Made by Student Councils.

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Applications For Marriage Licenses

Applications for marriage licenses on file in the County Judge's Marvyin Behrer, office from December 3 until December 10 include

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Robert Frederick Heifer, Avon Park and Bonita Cooper, Sebring.

Marlen Happel, Avon Park and Mildred Basemore, Avon Park.

Leon Scruggs, Frostproof, and Shirley Milligan, Frostproof.

Myron R. Welsh, Orangeville, Pa. and Opal B. Roop, Avon Park.

Leslie A. LaFlam, Avon Park and Marie K. Boichat, Avon Park.

Colored:

James Larry, Avon Park and Sarah Shell, Avon Park.

Winter Visitor Passed Away On Thanksgiving

Mrs. M. O. Francis of Winona Lake, Indiana passed away at the Prairie View Rest Home in Warsaw, Indiana on Thanksgiving Day. Her husband also a patient at the rest home mourns her loss.

Funeral services were held at the funeral home in Warsaw on Friday and graveside services on Saturday at Strongsville Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Francis have spent many winters at the Poinsetta Hotel here.

Sterling Silver is Teen-ager's Dream



Wise parents understand the "moods" of teen-age daughters. They know that deep down, their little girl yearns to be married to a dream man, live in a dream house and entertain her husband's boss and friends with poise and charm. But sometimes the dream falters; she wonders if she could really fill the role successfully.

Parents and loving relatives can give her an early assurance with beautiful things. Mother should use her sterling daily to teach daughter that courteous living is not necessarily formal living—(daily use increases the lovely patina and minimizes the need for polishing.) It helps the teen-ager to start her on her own set. Ownership gives her a deep sense of security and conviction that, when the time comes, she will know how to do her husband proud. This Christmas, start her with a six-piece place setting of beautiful sterling for a little as $30.

Art Classes Need Objects As Models

The Avon Park High School Art Classes need objects for use as models in still life drawing. The most useful things would be containers and receptacles of various geometric shapes.

The Art Department would appreciate donations from the public of discarded books, colored bottles, jars, goblets, cloth, dishes, pans, jugs, pots, kettles, basins, pitchers, vases, cups, saucers, plates, trays, urns, bowls, lanterns, boxes, hats, shoes, gloves, canes, pipes, baskets, shells, coral, buckets, pails, skulls, bones, nets, rope, chaines, candlesticks, handbags, etc.

Articles which are old, used, worn and damaged are preferred to new things. Donors are asked to please leave their offerings with Mr. Rakoczi at room 1-J in the Junior High School Building.

Name "Dixie" was given to the South, according to popular belief, by Negroes who were fond of a Manhattan slave owner by that name.

New Leaders In Touchton's Boy And Girl Contest

A number of changes appeared in the top ten leaders in Touchton's Boy and Girl Contest when the votes for the past week were counted Tuesday night. Only nine more days remain in the contest, for it closes Saturday night, December 21.

Remember to request your votes when you make a purchase at Touchton's, and give them to the child of your choice. For the forty boys and girls leading in the contest check the latest bulletin in Touchton's widnow.

The ten top girls leading include, Gale Meyer, Ann Gay, Rita Rich, Gale Harris, Mary Ann Durden, Nancy Wright, Judy Cothran, Diana Whitlock, Trudie Mitchell and Deborah Gurganus.

Boys in the ten top places are G. L. Townsend, Jr., Bobby Rush, Jim Ridley, Roy Coats, Jonny Lee, James McCullough, Earl Allison, Bill Fries, Bill Wild and Jack Hargraves.

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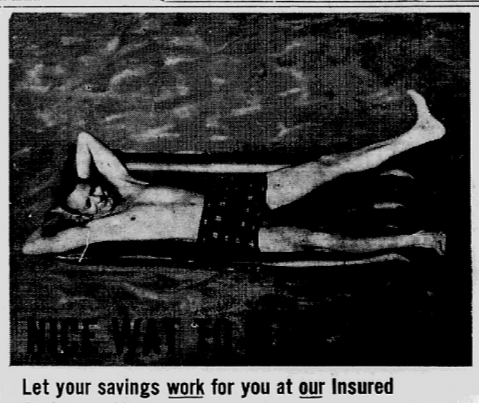

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Maxwell - Day



MISS JANE MAXWELL

Announcement is being made by Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Maxwell of Avon Park of the engagement of their daughter, Miss Jane Maxwell, to Walter R. Day, Jr. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Day, Sr., of Fairfield, Alabama.

Miss Maxwell is an alumna of Avon Park High School and will receive a B. A. in Mathematics from the University of Florida on February 1, 1958. She was the recipient of a tuition scholarship awarded through the University of Florida College of Arts and Sciences for the 1957 Harvard University Summer Session and studied this past summer in Cambridge. Recently she was elected to membership-in-course of the University of Florida Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, and will be initiated January 10, 1958.

Her fiance, a former Navy Lieutenant (j. g.), is an alumnus of Fairfield High School and the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, where he received a B. S. in Electrical Engineering. He also holds an M.S.E.E. from the Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, and is presently employed by the Sperry Electronic Division of the Sperry-Rand Corporation, in Gainesville, Florida.

Mr. Day is a member of Eta Kappa Nu and Tau Beta Pi, engineering honorary fraternities, and of the Institute of Radio Engineers. He received the Westinghouse Scholarship in his junior year at Alabama Polytechnic Institute and the following year was recipient of the award from the American Institute of Electrical Engineers to the outstanding senior in electrical engineering. Also in his senior year, Mr. Day was selected Outstanding Contract Student in Naval ROTC.

While a graduate at Georgia Tech, Mr. Day held a teaching assistantship.

The couple will be married February 22, 1958, in the First Methodist Church of Avon Park. No invitations will be issued, and all friends are invited.

Roop - Welch

Miss Opal B. Roop of Avon Park and Myron R. Welsh of Pennsylvania were quietly married at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, December 11, in the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Austin, in the presence of several friends and witnesses.

Miss Roop has been helping Rev. and Mrs. Austin in the work of the Lighthouse Tract Society for the past twelve years and has been as their own daughter.

Mr. Welsh has spent his life in Pennsylvania and his business interests are all located there.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Welsh left on a wedding trip north enroute to their new home at Orangeville, Pa.

Ind., and Mrs. Charles Wright of St. Joseph, Mo.

Starkey - Weber

The Rev. and Mrs. John E. Pickens have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mrs. Nancy Starkey, to Philip F. Weber, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip L. Weber.

Mrs. Starkey, a resident of Avon Park for the past ten years, has been employed as secretary to the new radio station, WAVP.

Mr. Weber has made Avon Park his home for the past year and is employed as pharmacist for Touchton Drug Company here.

The wedding will take place Friday, December 13, at 7:30 in the evening in Lake Byrd Lodge. The Rev. John E. Pickens will perform the double ring ceremony.

All friends of the couple are cordially invited to attend the ceremony and the reception which will follow immediately.

"Teen - Town Talk"

Chaperones for the fifty-odd teensters who gathered at the Recreation Center Saturday night were Mrs. L. A. Renfroe, Mrs. William Luscomb, and Mrs. Parrish, along with Mrs. Clarice DeLaney who is chaperone chairman for the month of December.

Registration for the Ping Pong tournament, which will last for four weeks will start this coming Saturday night. Mr. Miracle says there will be several prizes. Announcement will be made later as to what the prizes will be. To be eligible, don't miss being present to register this week-end.

Locals.....

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Driggers entertained Phil Weber and his bride-to-be, Mrs. Nancy Starkey, at dinner in their home on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Stambaugh of Pennsylvanit arrived last Wednesday to spend the winter at the home of Mrs. Lula Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Rankey of New York state are spending the winter in Avon Park.

Friends will be sorry to hear that Mrs. Fred Simcox fell and broke her wrist last Saturday. She is recuperating at her home.

Mrs. Ila Harris of Albany, Ga., spent last weekend as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ruth Moore, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Driggers.

Fifth Grade 4-H Club News

The president called the meeting to order at 1:40 p.m. on Thursday, November 21, in the Avon Park High School.

We learned how to sew a straight line on paper. We were then given our record books and the meeting closed.

Prior to World War I, foreign newspapers, newspaper groups, and newsgathering agencies had assigned only 25 resident correspondents for United States coverage.

Woman's Golf Assn. To Meet

The Woman's Golf Association of the Avon Park Country Club will hold its Christmas Covered Dish Luncheon on Wednesday, Dec. 18, at the home of Mrs. C. P. Anderson.

After the luncheon bridge will be played in the afternoon.

Need meat for your freezer? See us at City Market we sell it wholesale.

TSRS

Leigh Chapter To Have Xmas Party Dec. 17

Leigh Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star will have their Annual Christmas party on Tuesday, December 17, at 8 o'clock in the Masonic Temple.

All members of Leigh Chapter and any other chapters of the Eastern Star are cordially invited to attend this party and meeting. There will be an exchange of gifts during the evening so everyone is asked to bring a small gift, not to exceed a dollar, for the exchange.

Elementary PTA Meets Tonight

The Avon Elementary P. T. A. will hold its regular monthly meeting tonight, Thursday, Dec. 12, in the Elementary Cafetorium on W. Winthrop St. at 8 o'clock.

The three Brownie troops are in charge of the program. Refreshments will be served by the room mothers of the third grade. All teachers, parents, and friends are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

The fourth grade Brownies will hold their investiture service before the meeting and are asked to be present at 7 o'clock. The third grade Brownies will also be invested before the meeting and are asked to assemble at 7:15. The second grade Brownies are asked to be present at 7:30 and will be invested during the meeting.

Futch-Calloway

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Futch have announced the marriage of their daughter. Toy May, to A 2/c Jasper P. Calloway son of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Calloway of Salem, Indiana, on Sunday, Dec. 1, in Umatilla, Florida.

The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. L. E. McRae, grandfather of the bride. Miss Loretta Futch, sister of the bride, was her only attendant, A 2/c Leonard Jackson served the bridegroom as best man.

The bird attended school in Avon Park and was a student in High School at the time of her marriage. Mr. Calloway is at present stationed at the Avon Park Bombing Range.

The young couple will reside in Avon Park.

Patent medicine consumption increased 740 per cent from 1880 to 1910 while the population increased only 83 per cent.

Mrs. James Elder Honored At Stork Shower

Mrs. James Elder was honored with a Stork Shower on Tuesday, Dec. 3, in the Florida Power Room given by Mrs. Kenny Wayne Elder and Mrs. M. L. Collins.

A decorated bassinet held many lovely and useful gifts for Mrs. Elder. The guests had pictures of babies pinned on their backs when they arrived which were removed as they mentioned the word 'Baby' in their conservation. Mrs. Ed Tomack won the prize in this clever game.

Cake, cokes, and mints were served to these guests; Mrs. James Elder, Mrs. Gladys Rush, Mrs. J. J. Brown, Mrs. Ed Tomack, Mrs. Mervin Rehrer and Marcia, Mrs. L. S. Pickett, Mrs. Bim Elder, Mrs. Faith Harris, Mrs. Raephal Elder, Anita Newis, Mrs. W. C. Beckett, Mrs. Winifred Carlyle, and Mrs. J. G. Harrell.

JayCees Plan Xmas Dance

Plans are being made for the annual Christmas dance of the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The JayCees are planning for a gala dance on Saturday, Dec. 21, in the Dining Room of the Jacaranda Hotel, from 9 until 1 o'clock. The Cavaliars, popular Lake Wales orchestra which has been enjoyed so much in past years, will supply the music for dancing.

This dance will be for members and by invitation only and all members are asked to contact Carl Prison, Jim Turnbull, or Jim Anderson to see about tickets.

Jacaranda News

Mrs. A. F. Hoppe was hostess to a group of her friends with a lovely dessert bridge party on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 7, in the Palm Room. The tables were decorated with arrangements of poinsettias and Christmas figurines. There were large arrangements of colorful dark chrysanthemums at vantage points in the room. About twenty-one guests enjoyed the afternoon.

Mrs. W. Harrell Wilson will arrive Dec. 28, to spend the winter in Avon Park at the Jacaranda Hotel.

Recent arrivals at the Jacaranda for the winter season are Mrs. Ella Yakey of Bloomfiled,

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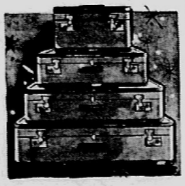

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THE COOT

By The Bird Woman

Many times we know a specific bird by it's history or it's pictures so that we can visualize it in our mind's eye, but when we meet it "FACE to Face", we are amazed to find it in real life so nearly as we pictured it to be that we recognize it immediately.

Having lived in an area where there was a small river, called by most of the inhabitants a creek (and pronounced crick), water birds have always been fascinating to us.

So that when we met a coot for the first time and learned of it's habits we understood better what the Poet meant when he had the Brook to say: "I come from haunts of Coot and Hern"

The coot may be found along water ways or lakes, either in flocks or in company with grebe, ducks or other water fowls, the white bill quite easily identifies it as an outstanding field mark, and it may be easily distinguished from the duck family by it's short pointed bill, in appearance it is some times discribed as half duck and half chicken.

The plump body causes it to be put in the class of game birds, and it is listed along with ducks and geese, and although it may be taken by hunters, there is a limit to the take.

Another field mark of the coot is the scalloped feet, which probably accounts for it's ability to run and skim on top of the water for some distance before it attempts to rise and fly.

A similar specie, with which most fishermen are familiar is the Florida Gallinule, but the gallinule is slightly smaller and possess a red bill, their mode of swiming is similar also as they both pump their necks and heads back and forth.

The food of the coot consists of certain leaves, buds, seeds and aquatic insects, that it gleans in shallow water but some times when cold weather has killed this tender growth it will dive as deep as twenty feet to find the food of it's choice.

One pecularity of the bird family is that they like to go as far north to nest as possible some birds that we consider native to the south will go as far north as the timber line to roar their young, sometimes nesting before the ground has thawed.

We know that birds are prodigious eaters, and birds have been informed that the longer the day, the more food can be stuffed into the ever ready mouth of the young, and the sooner they will mature and leave the nest so the female may be able to start another family.

As the days and nights are the same length at the equator, the farther north the birds can go as soon as the weather permits, the longer will be the days, and the feeding time.

Some coots remain in the south for nesting, those migrating usually leave about April and return in November, those remaining usually nest in May, constructing their nests out over the water and attaching it to a cattail or other upright vegetation, usually in secluded areas but occassionally in the open where the nest is simply a mat of dried grass.

Seven to fifteen eggs are laid and must be of the colors to match the surroundings, so they are grayish with a few large spots and numerous small ones, in this camouflaging of eggs we see the wonderful miracle passed on to each generation of a specie, after being worked out by our marvelous Creater.

It reminds us of the perennial question, why a cow eats green grass and grows hair on it's body, and a sheep will eat the same green grass and grow wool on it's body?

The baby coot when hatched is covered with a thick down, as is a number of ground nesting birds, when it is hatched it is ready to start out in quest of food, but as the mother starts to incubate the eggs as soon as the first one is laid so one hatches daily, it is up to old Dad to start out with the first ones to hunt food and then adding to his burden daily as new eggs hatch, so by the time all the young are ready to leave the nest Dad has things pretty well under control, and it is not long before the mother is starting another family.



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The secret of the special flavor of these delectable snacks lies in the use of instant powdered cream. It gives just the right quality to this easy-to-make delicacy. Try the appetizing variations suggested or serve plain with your favorite spreads for a party fare that adds just the right touch to a gay evening. We are giving the basic recipe and a few variations.



INSTANT CREAM SNACKS

¼ cup instant powdered cream
¾ cup sifted all-purpose flour
½ cup softened margarine or butter

Mix ingredients together with fork or pastry blender. Roll into 1-inch balls. Place on baking sheet and bake in hot oven (450° F.) about 6 minutes. Makes 2½ dozen snacks. If desired, chill mixture in refrigerator several hours, roll on floured board about ¼ inch thick, and cut into any desired shape.

Add: Any one of the following to the basic snack recipe for delicious variations:

¼ cup grated cheese
1 teaspoon caraway seeds
4 tablespoons deviled ham

Mixture of 1 tablespoon chopped parsley and ¼ teaspoon poultry seasoning

Postmaster Gives Tip On How To Save Time

Postmaster D. G. Perry had a tip today on how residents of Avon Park can save much time and effort in their Christmas mailing.

"Experience has shown," postmaster Perry commented, "that one of the big difficulties most mailers encounter in their efforts to complete their Christmas mailing early, is the lack of materials. They find that they don't have enough paper, or enough twine, or enough tape, and so forth, and as a result they often do not wrap and secure their parcels adequately."

The best way to avoid the last minute difficulty of insufficient mailing materials, the postmaster advised, is to make a trip now to the stores and obtain plenty of good heavy wrapping paper, sturdy corrugated cartons, strong cord, cellulose tape, seals and so forth.

"Get it all in one trip and avoid the necessity of making a half dozen trips later, or trying to mail with improper or insufficent materials," the postmaster noted. "This can save a lot of headaches at Christmas time."

And, of course, the postmaster again urged all local residents to get their Christmas mail out as soon as possible.

Melvin Pearson Completes Basic Training

Melvin Pearson, 17 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Pearson of Avon Park, has completed eight weeks of Infantry Basic Training in the 2nd Training Regiment, Fort Gordon, Georgia, Lt. Col. Curtis W. Markland, Regimental Commander, announced.

The mission of the 2nd Training Regiment, United States Army Training Center (Basic) is to train newly inducted or enlisted soldiers in basic military subjects. Military Courtesy, Close Order Drill, Physical Training, Rifle Marksmanship, and Rules of Land Warfare are some of the subjects taught.

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The Thrill "FOR" a lifetime



SOMETHING NEW has been added to Santa's bag of gift ideas. It's a miniature Esther Williams Swimming Pool to be placed under the tree to announce that a gift of many years' pleasure will soon be right in your own backyard. If you want a swimming pool—and who doesn't—there are reasons too numerous to mention why it's a practical, sound idea to have one. The miniature pool is a faithful replica of the real pool in every detail. It's packaged in handsome-velour-lined, gold-colored gift box. This thrill OF a lifetime will be a thrill FOR a lifetime.

Winter Guest Club News

Plans are fast shaping up for the special holidays; Mrs. Book announces the Christmas program is being planned by Mrs. Wolverton. This program will be presented at the annual Christmas party, on Christmas night, at 7:30 p. m. Remember to bring a 50-cent article for the gift exchange, appropriately wrapped, and labeled, "For a man" or "For a lady."

On New Years' Day will be held the annual reception for all couples who have observed their fiftieth anniversary in the past year. Those who have observed this anniversary are requested to see Mrs. Book. Remember, she can't include you in the festivities if you neglect to give her your names.

Mr. Jerome Shiltz has planned another fine program for the sing on December 15, we should pass the 100 mark in attendance this week.

The shuffleboard enthusiasts have been hard at it the past week. On Wednesday, Dec. 4, was played a game between Reds and Blacks which the Reds won by a score of 26-22.

Thursday, December 5 the following players participated in a Slate Tournament at Kissimmee: Mesdames Ireland, Pickell, Bolduc, Warner, Goodwin, and Beck; Messr. Brush, Goodwin, Gibson, Bynner, E. Gruber and Christiansen. Gruber and Christiansen survived to play again on Friday at which time they gave a very good accounting for their club. Better luck next time.

The first trophy play with Sebring resulted in a win for Sebring; we'll have to work hard now to overcome this handicap. On Dec. 20 there will be a "for-fun" tournament at Sebring. The regular chosse-your-partner tournament scheduled for Wednesday, December 25, will be postponed to Thursday, December 26. The courts will be open for play as usual, on Wednesday, Dec. 25.

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This romantic, glamorous sheath of pure flattery is truly a Champagne Lady Fashion. A party dress of all over embroidered satin, perfect for the season's gayest and brightest events, in blue, rose, white and black.

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Supposing she isn't her best in skinny toreador pants; or is no longer a "sweater girl"; or, prefers attending a garden club meeting to spending the afternoon swimming! Over-thirty-five Mrs. U.S.A., whose desire and need to look attractive is just as strong today as when she herself was sweet sixteen, will be delighted with the attention being paid to her in an elegant group of dresses just introduced by Champagne Lady. Inspired by the mythical personality and champagne music of the top-rated Lawrence Welk Shows, they are designed and manufactured by Puritan Dress Company, recognized for years as the finest craftsmen in the field of women's dresses. New collections are being planned for every season in a complete range of sizes.

The Saturday evening pot-luck dinners are again in full swing with a full house reported from last week.

Interest in the dances seems greater than ever this season; possibly the many new couples learning the figures and steps are responsible, or, maybe it's the coffee and doughnuts. There were six sets in action for many of the figures last Friday evening, and the floor was really crowded for the round dances. Remember the practice sessions on Tuesday morning; it's much more fun when you are sure you know the figure or and steps, says THE TATTLER

Girl Scout News

The Avon Park Troop of the Girl Scouts held their regular meeting on Thursday, Dec. 5, at the new time, 3:30, in the Ridge Area Day Building.

After the meeting was opened with the singing of "Girl Scouts Together" lead by Sherry Wells, song leader, the following Scouts received Badges for Camp Craft, Pat Jones, Georgianne Godwin, Barbara Bigbee, and Torista Gaster. One year membership pins were also given to these girls and Sharon Lee, Beth Church, Kathy King, Susan Booth and Paulette Sikes.

Miss Sally Nute, a student in high school, will help the Scout Leaders each week. She will play the piano for their music and assist with the projects. The Scouts could easily use several more volunteer helpers if other high school girls are interested in this type of work.

Sandra Biggs received her pin and became a member of the Girl Scouts. The troop then worked on their copper projects. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Arlin King.

The troop committee of the Scouts is planning a Christmas party for the Scouts at the Florida Power Clubhouse on Thursday, Dec. 19. At the next meeting the girls will draw names for the exchange of gifts at the party.

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Avon Park Church of Christ

CHRISTMAS

Did you know that "Christmas" is not mentioned anywhere in the Bible? Did you know that there is no hint in the Bible, or elsewhere for that matter, that December 25th is the actual birthday of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ? Did you know that there is no indication that the church of the first century observed any day as the birthday of the Christ, hence there is no ground for assuming that the Father ever authorized the observance of the birthday of His Son?

The above statements may well make the average Christian wonder about Christmas and its relation to Christianity. But let us inject right here that the above facts are, or at least should be, common knowledge of anyone that has made more that a surface study of the New Testament or church history. What then, is the origin of Christmas and what is its relation to the Christian?

Turning to the English Dictionary (Webster's New Collegiate Dictionary) we learn that Christmas comes from two words, Christ plus Mass. Even the man-on-the-street can see from this the hand of the Apostate Church in this "church festival", as Webster defines it. This of course does not make Christmas right or wrong. It does seem though that the conscientious Protestant would examine any doctrine or ordiance inherited from any church that claims the right to modify or change any ordinance delivered by the apostles or institute new ones as the church sees fit. When Webster states Christmas is a "church festival" he cannot have reference to the church of the first century because there is no indication in sacred or secular history that the church of the New Testament ever observed any such "festival". Even as late as 250 AD men could not agree on which day was Christ's birthday and even then there is no indication it was a "church festival".

Next week - Why Christians should not observe Christmas as a religious holiday.

Dale I. Royal, Evangelist
Avon Park Church of Christ

Brownie Scouts Troop News

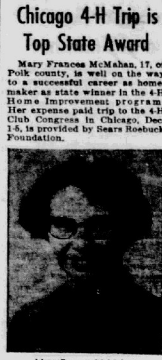
Troop 2 of the Brownie Scouts for second grade girls has been busily practicing on their investiture service for the P. T. A. meeting on Thursday night, Dec. 12, for the last two meetings. The patrol leaders check the attendance and collect dues for their patrol for each meeting.

The Boy Scouts of Troop 157 made the troop a flag stand for their flag and the Brownies and their leaders wish to express their thanks.

Week before last the girls made Christmas presents for their mothers assisted by their leaders and Mrs. E. B. Poff and Mrs. William Johnson. Mrs. Johnson served refreshments. Last week the troop made Christmas trees as handwork and Mrs. Bennett served refreshments. Examples of their handwork will be displayed at the P. T. A. meeting on Thurs-

Chicago 4-H Trip is Top State Award

Mary Frances McMahan, 17, of Polk county, is well on the way to a successful career as homemaker as state winner in the 4-H Home Improvement program. Her expense paid trip to the 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, Dec. 1-6, is provided by Sears Roebuck Foundation.



Mary Frances McMahan

A 4-H'er for nearly five years, Mary Frances started her projects by recovering a lamp shade. During the next three years she completed more than 100 improvements in five projects. She redecorated her own bedroom, and executed a "Florida Room" in her home. A barbecue pit and picnic table were more of her doings. Plants from her nursery project added a fresh touch to all of her indoor and outdoor projects.

This 4-H program is under the supervision of the Cooperative Extension Service.

Mail Early For Christmas

Postmaster D. G. Perry, said today, "We hope to keep up our good record on the Christmas mails by getting everything processed and delivered well before Christmas Eve." He said further that much depends on your cooperation in and gifts during the next ten mailing your Christmas cards days.

The Postmaster said, "Most people realize that the early arrival of a Christmas card or gift is always welcomed, although there are still some who have the mistaken idea that a gift or card arriving on Christmas Eve has a special significance. Actually, it's the thought behind the gift or card, and not the time of arrival that is the important consideration."

The Postmaster asks for your special cooperation to be sure that your return address and the recipients address are plainly typed or written on all labels and Christmas cards. Use zone numbers, and it's always a good idea to include an extra label inside your packages. Parcel Post size and weight limitations vary according to destination. Ask about them when you go to the Post Office to buy stamps.

Be sure to use First Class postage on your Christmas cards, because this enables you to include handwritten messages. Cards sent by First Class mail will be delivered promptly, and forwarded or returned, if necessary, providing you include your name and address on your Christmas card envelope, a custom, by the way, which is entirely socially correct.

Response to his "Mail Early" appeals to date have been excellent, the Postmaster said. Now it's a case of keeping up the good work to avoid those last minute Christmas mail pile-ups.

You can do both yourself and the Post Office a real favor by securing free labels at the Post Office which read, "ALL FOR OUT OF TOWN DELIVERY" and "ALL FOR LOCAL DELIVERY." Place these labels on bundles of cards for local addresses, and on those for out-of-town destinations, and mail day, Dec. 12.

Troop 3

Troop 3 of the Brownie Scouts for the third grade girls held their last meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 3, in the Avon Elementary Cafetorium and practices their program for the P. T. A.

Catherine Still was elected Patrol Leader to take the Patrol of Hawley Griffin who has moved away. Mrs. Fentress served the girls refreshments.

Troop 3 will have its investiture service at 7:15 on Thursday night, Dec. 12, before the P. T. A. meeting. All girls should be in the Avon Elementary Cafetorium at that time.

Troop 4

The Brownies of Troop 4 for fourth grade girls practice for their P. T. A. program at their last meeting. The leaders would like to have the girls to be in the Avon Elementary Cafetorium at 7 o'clock on Thursday, Dec. 12, for their investiture service.

Guests at the meeting were Mrs. William Bennett and Mrs. Wayne Douberley.

Janet Douberley and a Brownie pal served refreshments to the girls.

your out-of-town Christmas cards several days in advance of those intended for local delivery.

Plan your Christmas mailings so that all Christmas cards and gifts for most distant points are mailed first. Try to get all of your out-of-town cards and gifts into the Post Office before December 10th, and those for nearby points should be mailed by December 15th.

The Postmaster has asked the cooperation of all business firms to postpone the mailing of circulars and catalogs until after December 25th to keep the mails clear for the Christmas rush.

The windows are most crowded at lunch time, so the Postmaster suggests that packages be mailed before 10:00 a. m. or between 1:30 and 3:30 p. m.

Boy Scout News

The Highlands District of the Boy Scouts of America held their annual Supper and Court of Honor on Tuesday, Dec. 3, in Layton Hall in Sebring with more than two hundred Scouts, parents, and friends present. Members of the Gulf Ridge Scout Council were present at this meeting as well as Scouts and their families from Frostproof, Avon Park, Sebring, Lake Placid and Wauchula.

Troop 156 of the Avon Park Scouts sponsored by the American Legion received the National Camping Award from the National Boy Scout Organization at this meeting. The troop has been working for this difficult award for the past five years. It is one of the few, if not the only Highlands District Troop, to ever received the award. In order to gain this honor the troop must have ten nights of camping with better than 80% of its Scouts present on all camp-outs. Troop 156 also won the Advancement Ribbon for more advancement for individual Scouts than any other troop. Scout Andy Miracle received his Star Scout Rank. Jimmy Lyles received four merit badges, and Robin Duggan became a 1st Class Scout at the Court.

Scoutmaster Eltor, Lawrence of Troop 156 was given a certificate honoring his five years of outstanding leadership with his troop. Scoutmaster Lawrence and Scoutmaster Dick Reilly of Wauchula were the only scoutmasters to receive this award for their outstanding work.

Troop 157 of the Avon Park Scouts sponsored by the Rotary Club had two Scouts who received the Star Scout Rank. They were Glenn Peters and Eddie Sharpe. Scoutmaster Davis was proud to have forty boys and parents representating Troop 157 at the meeting.

Troop 156

The Scouts of Troop 156 will sell Christmas trees again this year with Mr. G. L. Harrison in charge of the project. The boys will sell native Florida short-leaf pine trees and also some spruce. They will appreciate the patronage of the citizens of Avon Park and promise nice trees again this year.

Troop 157

The Scouts of Troop 157 discussed how to get merit badges and the Court of Honor at their last meeting.

Scoutmaster Fred Davis was very proud of the forty boys and parents who represented Troop 157 at the Court of Honor and Annual Supper in Sebring.

Some of the Scouts of the troop met on Saturday night at the home of Scoutmaster David for work on their Tenderfoot badges.

Assistant scout leaders of 157 are Franklyn Ward and Mr. R. E. Maynard.

Christmas Seal Sale Continues

The county-wide Christmas Seal Sale totaled $2022 of a quota of $4500 on December 8th. Sebring was still leading with $1081.20; Avon Park has collected $718.80 while Lake Placid reported $220.

In Avon Park there have been 317 contributors up to this date. Mrs. Robert Watson says she has every confidence of reaching her quota of $1600. With over two weeks to go before Christmas and with some 500 contributors of former years still to be heard from she remarked "we must go over the top."

A very bizare and expensive specimen was recently added to the exhibit at Marineland. It is the Pacific dragonfish, whose body is covered with long poisonous spines.

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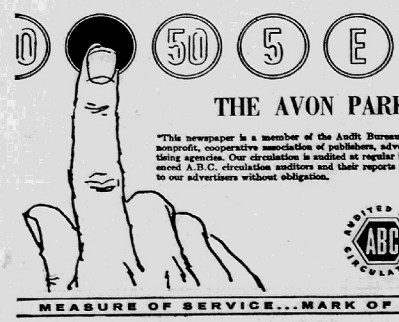

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Earnest, Cooper, Williams And Rouse Named On All-Conference Team

Football bowed out in the Ridge Conference for the 1957 Season with the naming of the Ridge Conference Seniors Team.

Avon Park, the winner for the second straight year of the Ridge Conference Gride Title dominated the selections of the Ridge Coaches.

Ben Earnest, spasmodically oustanding during the season's play on defense and in snatching aerials from Jim Cooper, received the nomination for right end. Henry Scott, 210 pounder and outstanding defensive ball player for the Devils received the left tackle spot. Wendell Williams, who was sixth in the Ridge scoring column with 29 points and carried for 275 yards in 39 thrusts for a 7.0 average, received the honor of Guard on the Seniors Team. This nomination was not on his backfield playing especially but was partly based on his outstanding play on the line as Guard and Tackle and the fact that he had been an adept linebacker for the past three years.

Billy Rouse--winner of the Ridge scoring honors with 79 points--was selected as left halfback. Rouse won the scoring honor in spite of an injured ankle and the fact that he played on limited offense in two games and no offense in the Arcadia game.

John Starling, the work horse in the Red Devil backfield, received honorable mention. John ran 633 yards in 94 tries, averaging 6.7 per carry in his fullback position. Our hats off to Johnny for a commendable job this year.

The Avon Park quarterback Jimmy Cooper must be applauded for the outstanding way in which he piloted the Red Devils to the Conference Title. Jimmy did in one year what it takes two or even three years to accomplish. In the past Jimmy played mostly on defense until near the end of the season last year when he switched to right halfback. Jimmy has done a good job at calling the right signals, using the right plays and in getting the ball to the ball carriers. Deception at handling the ball and his passing improved as the season went along.

The responsibility of running the ball club was a big one and Jimmy stepped in when they went to him and he handled it admirably.

The four winners on the Seniors Team and the one honorable mention were, in the eyes of all the coaches in the Ridge Conference, the outstanding choices from Avon Park.

Other selections for the Seniors Team were: End, Leland Hagan, Mulberry; Tackle, John Tew, Sebring (also designated as Captain); Guard, Ken Sutton, Kathleen; Center, Howard Waters, Sebring; Backs, Charles Lyle, Mulberry; Charles Parkyn, Arcadia; and Jerry Sheffield, Sebring.

Colonel—

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Jan Saylor will be featured in a special number.

The City of Avon Park wishes to extend a cordial welcome to members of the Ridge League of Municipalities who are visiting in Avon Park today.

The Ridge League of Municipalities, after only 10 years of growth, represents twenty-five cities, and its monthly meetings are attended by 200 to 300 city officials and their guests. The organization has been described as unique in that its members volunteer their efforts toward better government "above and beyond the normal call of duty".

Members attending the meetings, which are held on the second Thursday of each month from October through June of the following year, hear interesting and informative discussions on annexation, planning and zoning, ordinance revisions, subdivision regulations, and related problems.

Speakers at these meetings are considered authorities in their field, and are members of the staff at either the University of Florida or the Florida State University. President of the Ridge League of Municipalities for 1957-58 is George Costello of Wauchula.

Newly—

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Burske, secretary treasurer. Other Directors are: E. A. Marin, Ted J. Ward and C. T. Daves, all of whom have served one or two terms as president of the local organization.

The Avon Park Board was organized six years ago with C. T. Daves, Hubbard Biggs, and E. A. Martin as the Charter Members. Since that time it has gone forward with great success in making the community conscious of the reasons why they claim "It Pays To Deal With A Realtor". Brokers can join the organization only upon invitation from the membership. They are bound under a very strict code of ethics, and are pledged to practice the Golden Rule in their business transactions.

Christmas—

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have not mailed your contribution won't you please do so today.

The meeting held at the Chamber of Commerce office late Tuesday afternoon was well attended by representatives of church and civic organizations. Reports were given and a correct list of needy families was presented.

School children have been doing their share by donating old toys in boxes at the school. The Lion's Club will pick the toys up and repair them in time for Christmas.

The famous Cullinan Diamond found in 1905 weighed 3,106 carats in the rough.

First dictionaries were used by the Assyrians and Babylonians to explain, not words, but signs.

All states now have stringent laws against dueling.



BREAD UPON THE WATERS

Boy Scouts To Sell Xmas Trees Saturday

Christmas trees will be sold again this year by the Boy Scouts of Troop 156. The trees will go on sale Saturday morning, Dec. 14, at Stimson's Gulf Station, West Main, and at the Jacaranda Standard Service Station on E. Main, and be there for sale everyday until Christmas.

If people want a certain size tree the Scouts will cut one especially for them if they contact Mrs. Elton Lawrence at GL 2-7236 or Mrs. L. A. Renfro at GL 2-4712 or 2-5441 and leave their order.

Prices will be reasonable and the trees will hold up for several weeks without dropping needles. This is an annual Boy Scout project to raise money for their troop.

School—

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the fruit which K. B. Hancock, Jr. claims was picked from his lots when the School Board had other fruit picked adjacent to his lots.

The request from the Church of Christ of Lake Placid for use of the former "Dragon Inn" building on Sundays and Wednesday evening for the purpose of conducting worship services was approved by the School Board.

The following teacher resignations were accepted; Miss Anne H. Felton, librarian, Avon Park High School; Mrs. Mildred E. Page, Woodlawn Elementary School, Sebring and Mrs. Olive B. Dollinger, Latin instructor, Sebring High School.

Samuel C. Nixon, Principal of the E. O. Douglas School, received permission of the Board to install an electric basketball scoreboard.

According to the lunchroom reports as of the last day of November, the various schools had the following deficit or balances; Avon Elementary, Deficit, $54.25; Avon Park Jr. and Sr. High, Deficit, $1,090.71; DeSoto City, Balance, $336.19; Lake Placid, Deficit, $836.76; Sebring Jr. and Sr. High, Deficit, $717.31; Woodlawn Elementary, Balance, $829.16; E. O. Douglas, Deficit, $660.69 and Hopewell, Deficit, $295.90.

Bids were received from those desiring to purchase School Supplies which had been advertised for sale and were awarded to the highest bidders.

The Board adopted new policies concerning School Lunchroom operation and an increased pay scale for lunchroom managers and all lunchroom personnel.

Editorial—

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Haven is a veteran of more than 30 years in Boy Scout activities. According to Mike Nolen "Princey Has a Way With Boys" and despite his 77 years he is going strong.

Palmetto Country by John R. Haberman is a story (in three parts) of the history of the territory of Florida. Before becoming a state, Florida existed as a territory for 23 years. Haberman describes some of the hazards confronting early settlers.

"Christmas Delights" can be decorative and edible, according to All Florida's food editor. Directions are given for making table decorations out of marshmallow snow, fondant buildings and candy trees.

Regularly featured in ALL FLORIDA MAGAZINE: Hollywood Beauty, Weekend Carpenter, When You Retire and Travel-Wise.

5 APHS Students To Sing In Tampa Clinic

Five students from the Avon Park Glee Club have been selected to participate in the All State Chorus held at the Tampa Clinic January 9 through 11. The students were chosen December 3 when they competed in Sarasota with other students from the District. Of the sixty students who auditioned in Sarasota approximately thirty-five were chosen to take part in the Clinic.

Students from the Avon Park Glee Club who will sing in the 300 voice chorus are, Marcie Bilbee, Jan Saylor, Joan Grainger, Bob Ed Church and Lawson Tootle.

The Tampa Music Clinic is designed to help all music educators in the state and they procure many nationally known leaders in the music field.

Football Team Banquet Tonight

The Avon Park Red Devil Football Team will be honored at a banquet tonight, Dec. 12, at 7 o'clock at Griffin's Restaurant. The banquet for the players and their dates is being sponsored by the Avon Park Athletic Association.

Angus Williams, Back field coach at the University of Tampa, will be guest speaker.

The banquet is being given for the players and those directly responsible for the team. Guests will include, J. C. Murphy, president of the Athletic Association; principals of the schools and their wives; coaches and their wives; Dr. H. W. Coleman and the Cheer Leaders.

Cub Scout News

The Cub Scouts held their Pack meeting for Nov. and Dec. on Thursday, Dec. 5, in the Cafetorium of the Avon Elementary School with a large number, of parents and friends present.

The four Dens presented clever skits on different subjects which were received enthusiastically by the audience. Den 1 portrayed The Nativity Scene; Den 2 showed "Things For Which We Are Thankful" in their skit; Den 3 told how a new boy joined and was accepted as a member of the Cub Scouts; and Den 4 did a skit about Mary and Joseph reaching the Inn.

Den 1 won the attendance banner with the most people present. Jack DeLaney, Cub Scout Denmaster, was surprised with a Christmas gift of a tie clasp and cuff links from the Cubs in order to show their appreciation for his hard work.

This was the Award Pack Meeting and many Cubs received awards for their work. Den 1; Robert King, 1 year pin; Steve Seims, 1 year pin and Silver Arrow; Jay DeShong, 1 year pin; Mike Nolan, 1 year pin and Golden Arrow; Chuck Warrington and Gary Bennett, 1 year pins; David Grant and Eddie DeLaney, 2 year pins. Den 2; Billy Miracle and Mike Duggan, two year pins and Lion Badges; Bobby Coleman, 1 year pin, Golden and Silver Arrows; Bobby Border, 1 year pin and Golden and Silver Arrows; Dale DeLaney, 1 year pin and Silver Arrow. Den 3; Lance Padgett and Pep Hutchinson received their last award, the Webelos Badge and three year pins; David Ward, 2 year pin and Golden Arrow; Jim Ward, Silver Arrow; Bobby Barben, Bobcat Pin. Den 4; Jim Rogers, Wolf Badge and Golden and Silver Arrow; Carl Holden, Wolf Badge and Golden Arrow.

21 Visitors Register At Local Chamber

A total of twenty-one visitors from eight different states and Canada registered at the Avon Park Chamber of Commerce during the past week. Visitors are always welcome at the Chamber office.

Those registering last week were; Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Poling, Bridgeport, W. Va.; Ralph A. Porter, Ft. Wayne, Ind.; Paul E. Bennett, Ft. Wayne, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Buehrer, Balmyra, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Allen; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen, Penna.; S. V. and Mrs. Clark, Forest, Ont., Canada; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon L. Baker, Mayville, N. Y.; J. W. Cummins, Dallas, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. John W. Williams, Three Oaks, Mich.; Mrs. Minnie Day, Indianapolis, Ind.; S. G. Chamberlain, Anderson, Mo.; and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wharton, Salem, Va.

Eiland Released On $5000 Bond

Glenn Eiland of Sebring, alleged assailant of Sheriff's Deputy J. C. Murdock, was released last week on a $5000 bond pending trial on five charges which include, assault with intent to kill; unlawful possession of firearms after a felony conviction; obstructing an officer in the performance of his duty; illegal possession of firearms and exhibiting fire arms illegally.

Eiland's release was obtained by Attorney L. Grady Burton, former state prosecutor in this circuit, and his son, Attorney John W. Burton of Wauchula on a habeas corpus writ issued by Circuit Judge Gunter Stephenson.

Eiland is charged with shooting Murdock October 31 when he went to Eiland's home at the request of Mrs. Eiland to investigate a disturbance. Murdock is still in the Florida Sanitorium in Orlando and is reported in fair condition.

County Judge Mervin Rehrer first set bond for Eiland's release at $35,100 but then ordered Eiland held without bond pending the outcome of Murdock's condition.

A Tribute Of Respect

Many members of the Winter Guest Club who knew him desire to pay a tribute of respect and love to the memory of Mr. G. W. Dinges who passed away at his home in New Brunswick, Canada, on November 18th, 1957. Though he had been unable to winter in Avon Park in recent years, he was already planning to come down this year when he suffered a stroke on November 4th which terminated fatally. We are sorry we shall not see him again in this world for we enjoyed greatly his fellowship as a member of the Club.

Mr. Dinges was a man of sterling character, honest and upright. He was friendly without being effusive, moral with out parade, of strong convictions without being belligerent. He was active in his church at home, of which he often spoke, and when he was in Avon Park he attended divine worship regularly and supported the local church of his choice with his presence and his gifts. He stood for everything which was good and true and noble.

We who knew him mourn his loss but we are consoled by the fact that after a long and useful life here he has entered upon a fuller life above. "Servant of God well done! Thy glorious warfare' past; The battle's fought, the race is won, And thou art crowned at last."

Is Your Xmas Display Ready

Have you planned your Yuletide decorations? If not you better get busy for the Avon Park Board of Realtors have appointed judges in the home and lawn Christmas decoration contest.

The Board of Realtors will present five cash prizes, totaling $40, to the five most appropriate displays in the community. First prize will be $15.00; second prize $10.00; third, fourth and fifth prize will be $5.00 each.

Any arrangement you desire to use in keeping with the Christmas season will be considered by the judges. The judges will make a tour of the community just before Christmas. Remember, if you live in a secluded spot and are afraid the judges may miss viewing your display, please call the Chamber of Commerce office and give your address.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. W. Erle Pabor of Jacksonville are the proud parents of a baby daughter, Gloria Elizabeth, born November 26, weighing 8 pounds, 2 ounces at the St. Vincent Hospital. Mrs. C. W. Pabor went to greet her new granddaughter traveling by Silver Meteor.

To Lt. and Mrs. Victor McLean Thompson of Austin, Texas, a daughter, Laura Ann, born, Nov. 14. Birth weight 6 lb., 7½ oz. Mrs. Thompson is the former Ann Brodie and has many friends in Avon Park who wish Laura Ann well. Laura Ann is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loy Brodie of Avon Park.

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To Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Hillard Hamilton a daughter, Dorothy Jane, born December 3. Birth weight 6 pounds, 15 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Thomas Scott a daughter, Nancy Lynn, born December 2. Birth weight 7 pounds, 6 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Clifton Martin a daughter, Sheila Ann, born December 3. Birth weight 8 pounds.

To Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Wright Morgan, Sebring, a son, Peter Walsh, born December 5. Birth weight 8 pounds.

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Joiner of Frostproof a daughter, Donna Sue, born December 7. Birth weight 9 pounds, 3 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Herman Levey Cobb a son, Robert Herman, born December 9. Birth weight 7 pounds, 7 ounces.

Radio Station WAVP Schedule

Monday Through Saturday

5:00 a.m. Breakfast In The Barnyard
6:00 a.m. Orangeland Express
7:30 a.m. News Roundup
8:00 a.m. Orangeland Express
9:00 a.m. Coffee Break
11:00 a.m. Charlies Workshop
12:00 News Roundup
12:15 p.m. Jack Delaney
12:20 p.m. Roadside Chapel
12:30 p.m. Tater Charlie
2:00 p.m. Jims Corner
5:00 p.m. Sundown Serenade Sunday
7:00 a.m. Easy Listening
8:00 a.m. Baptist Hour
8:30 a.m. Lawrence Welk Orch.
9:00 a.m. Voice Of Prophecy
9:30 a.m. Music For Sunday
11:00 a.m. Church Services
12:00 Sammy Kaye Orch
12:30 p.m. Sunday News Roundup
12:45 p.m. Novelty Time
1:00 p.m. Sunday Concert
1:30 p.m. Just Beautiful Music
3:00 p.m. Billy Graham
3:30 p.m. Just Beautiful Music

News every hour on the hour. Headlines each half hour.

APHS—

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which is an all time high.

The Senior Class has an enrollment of 66 at the present time which is also tops for that class in the schools history.

There is an enrollment at the Ridge Day School of eleven.

Father Of Mrs. Perez Passed Away Dec. 6

L. E. Sellers, 78, father of Mrs. Joe Perez, passed away Friday morning, December 6, after a long illness in the hospital in Alexander City, Ala.

He is survivied by his widow, Mrs. Vivian Sellers; 5 sons; 2 daughters, 24 grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

He was a retired sheriff and business executive, a member of the First Methodist Church in Alexander City where he served as chairman of the Board of Stewards for a number of years, a member of the Masonic Order, and the Woodmen of the World.

Funeral services were held at the First Methodist Church in Alexander City Sunday afternoon.

Have—

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citizens to have their hubcaps stamped so that they may identify them in the event they are lost or stolen. It is a wonderful protection for every person who owns an automobile.

In addition to your personal protection you will be helping to make some child happy this Christmas, for the Lion's Club supply toys to the needy children at Christmas each year.

Dr. Sears On Vacation

Dr. Sears' office will be closed Dec. 22, 1957 thru Dec. 28, 1957 while he and Mrs. Sears spend the Christmas season with parents in Tifton, Ga. He will be in the office on Dec. 30, 1957.

Silver—

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posts in the Mall.

These different decorations are being tried this year because the Christmas lights which have been used for so many years were in such a bad state of repairs. The lights, used in previous years, were purchased by certain merchants and the Chamber of Commerce contacted these merchants before deciding not to use the Christmas lights this year.

For the complete story on "Why are the lights missing from the streets after many, many years" read today's letter to the Editor.

Highlands Sends Christmas Gifts To TB Hospital

Mrs. Sidney Hall, representing The Highlands Tuberculosis and Health Association, this week selected and gift wrapped Christmas gifts for Highlands County's 12 hospitalized patients in the State Tuberculosis Hospitals in Tampa and Orlando.

Highlands County has also volunteered to contribute to the cost of Christmas decorations at the Tampa hospital where the majority of it's patients are located.

Road Building Begun At River Ridge Ranches

The Cove Realty is proud to announce that construction has begun on the road bisecting their offering known as River Ridge Ranches. This road will enter from Route 64 and travel through the center of the property to connect with the county road on the south. This connection will offer the purchasers an entrance from either the north or south.

Approximately 840 acres have been sold to date and some investors were awaiting this first road in order to start construction starting at their purchases.

The Cove Realty welcomes the opportunity to explain or answer any questions relative to this offering. The office, located at 18 East Main Street, is open seven days a week for the convenience of interested persons.

LEGAL AD

The Board of County Commissioners of Highlands County will receive SEALED BIDS until 10:00 O'clock A.M., December 17, 1957, in the following: One 1½ Caterpillar Tractor complete with oil type straight bulldozer blade and the following equipment installed, gasoline starting, 37" track shoes, crankcase guard, hydraulic track adjusters, blower fan and heavy duty spring. Terms, lease-purchase agreement to be worked out between purchaser and buyer. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

A. J. TUBBS,
Chairman

Pub. Dec. 5, 12, 1957

NOTICE TO RECEIVE BIDS

The City Council of the City of Avon Park will receive Sealed Bids until 8:00 P.M., Monday, December 16, 1957, at the City Hall on one 1958 Truck with cab and chassis with the following specifications: Chassis with a minimum of 19,000 G. V. W. or over with 9.00 x 20, 10 ply tube type tires dual rear. Cab to axle measurements of 120 inches with I. C. C. lights and reflectors including self-cancelling directional lights.

Truck to be equipped with two (2) speed rear axle and quoted F. O. B. Avon Park, via Gaibon, Ohio.

All bids must be submitted to the office of the City Clerk on or before 8:00 P.M., Monday, December 30, 1957 and marked "Sealed Bids". The City Council will open all bids and reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

JAMES P. TURNHILL,
City Clerk

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IT IS UNLAWFUL FOR ANY PERSON OR PERSONS TO ENGAGE IN BUSINESS UNDER A FICTITIOUS NAME UNLESS THE NAME IS REGISTERED

The fictitious name statute was recently changed by the 1951 Legislature and the Sun has the necessary forms for proper registration and advertising.

The charge for advertising the notice the necessary four times is $7.

As amended by the 1951 session, the law reads as follows:

"It shall be unlawful for any person or persons, as defined herein, to engage in business as herein defined, under a fictitious name as herein defined, without and unless said fictitious name shall be registered with the clerk of the circuit court of the county where the principal place of business is, which registration shall consist of filing with the clerk aforesaid an affidavit signed by all interested persons, stating under oath the names of all those interested in the business enterprise, the extent of the interest of each, and the fictitious name under which said business is carried on. Said registration may not be made until the person or persons desiring to engage in business under a fictitious name shall have advertised his or their intention to register said fictitious name at least once a week for four (4) consecutive weeks in some newspaper as defined by law in the county where said registration is to be made, and said registration shall not be accepted by the clerk of the circuit court except upon receiving proof of such publication."



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Exciting Gifts Here!

ONLY 10 MORE SHOPPING DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS

Santa Claus Special
15 Light Indoor Set
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Lights
Reg. $5.49 Value
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Santa Claus Special
Kas-Kord
Twinkling Lights
Equipped with GE lamps
Set includes Transformer with safety fuse
$9.95

Santa Claus Special
Complete Line
Christmas Tree Decorations

Santa Claus Special
Imperial Out Door
Lights
for tree—Doorway window trim
15 lights in set
$4.50

Santa Claus Special
Giant Pandas
Reg. $8.95 Values
$4.99

Santa Claus Special
2 Lb.
Fruit Cakes
98c
Whitman & Norris
Candy

Santa Claus Special
3 Piece
Luggage Set
Special
$17.95

Santa Claus Will Be In Our Store All Day Saturday, December 14th

Bring The Boys And Girls To See Him While Here Visit Our Toy Department

Boys & Girls Contest Closes Saturday Dec. 21

Friday Is The 13th



DOUBLE VOTES IN BOYS & GIRLS CONTEST
On Tree Lights - Ornaments - Decorations and Cards

Vote For Your Favorite

One Vote With Each 1c Purchase

Special Values For Friday The 13th

See These Specials

Fan - Glo Heetaire
Electric Heater
Heats A Whole Room
Special Built-In Thermostat
Life Time Guarantee On Heat Element
$24.95

Luxury Electric Blanket
Soft — Warm — Light
Dual Control . . . $24.95
Single Control . . . $18.95
Color Of Your Choice

Fair Lady
Dacron Comfort
Non Matting — Non Allergic — Moth Proof
Regular $9.95
Special $7.95

Capitol Sun Bowl
Electric Heater
$7.49
Cold Days Ahead

Genuine Imported
Leather Hand Bags
$3.49
Made In Italy

Alcamatic
Cooker Fryer
Jumbo — Extra Large — Glass Cover
Regular $39.95 Value
Special $7.95

Santa Claus Special
Super Electric
Hair Dryer
$4.97

Santa Claus Special
Christmas Cards
The Best Slection At All Prices

Santa Claus Special
A Complete Selection
Games - Puzzle Sets
Tea Sets and Toys
At All Prices

Santa Claus Special
Just A Few Left
Bride Dolls
Beautifully Dressed
Special $5.99

Santa Claus Special
All Metal
Doll Houses
Modern Furniture
Stair Case—Accessories
Special $4.88

Santa Claus Special
4-Piece Childs
Luggage Set
For The Little Girls Dolls
$3.98

Santa Claus Special
Trailer Set
Automatic Carrier With Cab-House Trailer with Car—Bekins Van with Cab
Special $8.88

While Christmas Shopping - Eat At Our Restaurant Or Get A Drink Or Ice Cream At Our Fountain

TOUCHTON Rexall DRUG

Winners Announced Boys & Girls Contest December 23rd

Personal Items

Ed Gardner, Ray Wells and his son, Lawler, Royal Coats and his son Roy, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cummings attended the Miami-Pitt football game in Miami Saturday. Station WAVP broadcast the game and the group enjoyed a seat in the press box. Roy Coats spent Saturday with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. James Newman, and returned to Avon Park by bus Sunday.

Mrs. L. A. Renfro and Mrs. O. K. Murphy spent one day last week in Kissimmee shopping.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. McKee Elwell this weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rigsby of Tampa. Mrs. Elwell returned with them to Tampa for a few days visit.

Ed Touchton, Jr., a student of Boles Military Academy in Jacksonville, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Touchton, and sister, Patricia.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee Goodbread of Ft. Lauderdale spent the weekend as guests of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arlin King.

Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Murphy have returned to their home in Flat Rock, N. C. but plan to spend Christmas in Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Touchton and their daughters, Belinda and Jackie, spent Thanksgiving with his mother, Mrs. W. C. Touchton, and other relatives in Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Lamson and daughters, Geraldine and Clara, and Mrs. Edna Stull from Youngstown, Ohio spent Thanksgiving with and helped celebrate the 50th Wedding Anniversary of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elta Lamson.

Pvt. George R. Bolt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bolt, recently received his wings at graduation from the Airbourne School at Ft. Campbell, Kentucky. Pvt. Bolt is a member of the 2nd Airbourne Battle Group, 187th Infantry.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Daniels of Ocala visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Weaver this weekend. Mrs. Daniels remained with Mrs. Weaver while Mr. Weaver underwent surgery in the Lakeland hospital this week.



I REMEMBER BACK WHEN I WAS A LAD,
I DID MANY THINGS THAT WERE WRONG AND BAD.
I KNOW I CAUSED YOU HEARTACHE AND PAIN
YES, I CAUSED YOU MANY; JUST LIKE DROPS OF RAIN.
NOW THAT THE YEARS HAVE PASSED BY,
I SIT ALL ALL ALONE AND ASK MYSELF "WHY?"
IF I COULD TURN BACK THOSE YEARS,
YOUR EYES WOULD NEVER BE FILLED WITH TEARS.
THAT, I CANNOT DO MOM; SO I MUST SAY; "I LOVE YOU" AND MAY YOU NEVER HAVE ANOTHER DAY THAT IS BLUE.

YOUR SON,
"DAVE"
A/3C A.D. SMEDLEY
CHATEAUROUX AFB, FRANCE

Mrs. R. P. DeLaney and her mother, Mrs. H. F. Wells of Wauchula, will leave Friday for West Palm Beach and Miami.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Humphries of Calhoun Falls, S. C. will arrive Thursday to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Barnett.

Mrs. A. C. Wester, Jr. and Mrs. Steven Samergedes spent Monday in Lakeland.

Judge and Mrs. Mervin Rehrer, Mr. and Mrs. Kieth Collyer, Mr. and Mrs. Hue Nunnallee, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Pardee, Jr., Mrs. S. C. Pardee, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. David Lanier, Mayor E. A. DeLaney and Commissioner Marion Grice were among those who represented Avon Park at the ceremony honoring Judge Barker in Sebring on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Peeples and their son, Leonard, of Sarasota spent last weekend visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. DeLaney, Sr., and Mrs. Ouida Peeples.

Mrs. T. M. Weekley left last Tuesday for Indiana to visit her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Weekley. They attended Mrs. Weekley's senior piano recital at the University of Indiana in Bloomington. Mrs. Weekley will visit them for several weeks in Huntington where Dallas is teaching at Huntington College this year.

Attending the "Messiah" given by the Winter Haven Ministerial Association in the Nora Mayo Hall on Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. George Kelsey and Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. David McDaniels, and Mrs. Ethel McKelvanie. There were 150 singers and an orchestra doing the outstanding performance.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hetherington and their three children spent last weekend in Avon Park with Mrs. Paul Garber while visiting other relatives.

Mrs. Richard Hedrick and her daughter, Kristi, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Lee in Pensacola. Dr. Hedrick will join them on Dec. 23 for Christmas.

Mrs. Joe Perez and her daughter, Barbara, will return this week from Alexander City, Ala., where they were called suddenly by the death of her father.

Mrs. George Brown, of Booneville, Miss., will arrive Thursday to spend the Christmas holidays with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Barnett.

Mr. Edward Hammond has returned from Pennsylvania and will spend the winter in Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rigsby and their three children spent last weekend in St. Petersburg.

Mr. L. E. Morgan and her daughters, Miss Evelyn Johns and Mrs. Leo Smith, spent Monday in Lakeland shopping. Mrs. Lomax Martin accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. William Firth arrived Tuesday from Niagra Falls, N. Y., to spend the winter in Avon Park.

Mrs. Elizabeth Teater of Williamsburg, Va. is visiting Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Woodward this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kirk of Atlanta, Ga., are spending their first winter in Avon Park.

Mrs. W. W. Sherertz, Sr. and Mrs. Charles Kempton spent Tuesday in Lakeland visiting Mrs. S. W. Luce, their daughter and sister, in the Morrell General Hospital where she is recuperating from surgery. Mrs. Arlin King accompanied them for a day of shopping in Lakeland.

Mrs. Carl McWilliams went to Tampa last Thursday for a few days visit with relatives. On Sunday she returned home accompanied by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jean McWilliams and her three children.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newman and their children, Mickey and Raymond, of Tampa spent last weekend with her sister, Mrs. Gladys Rush and her family.

Dr. and Mrs. Tuberville of Winter Park were in town on business last week. He is the president of the Avon Park Camp.

James Ramsey left for Lexington, Ky., where he lives, after enjoying a fishing trip in Avon Park.

The Rev. and Mrs. Chester Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Loy Wyont, Miss Winifred Roe, Mrs. Helen Sunderland, Mrs. Elizabeth Hayes, and Jerome Shiltz attend the "Messiah" in Winter Haven on Monday night.

The Rev. and Mrs. Claude Roe and their daughter, Winifred, The Rev. and Mrs. Wilmer O. Luttrell and Jerome Shiltz attended the Sarasota District Conference of the Methodist Church in Sarasosa on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted J. Ward went to Tampa Wednesday to meet their son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Ted W. Ward, and their children, David, Daniel, and Timothy, at the airport. Dr. and Mrs. Ward will spend the Christmas vacation with his parents.

Mrs. J. Paxton Hill left Tuesday by plane from Tampa to attend the graduation of her son, J. Paxton Hill, Jr., from Tri-State College at Angola, Indiana. They will return home by Tennessee and her mother, Mrs. L. M. Greer, will come back with them to spend the Christmas holidays. Paxton, Jr. will return to Angola in January for post graduate work in electronics at Tri-State.

Joseph Pulitzer's will established a $500 gold medal to be awarded annually for "the most distinguished and meritorious public service rendered by and American newspaper during the year."

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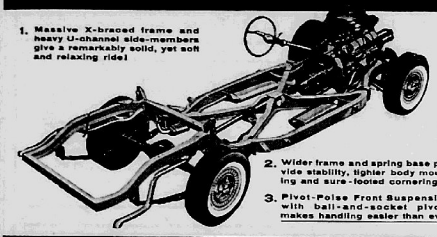

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Description	Land Assessment	Imp. Ass.	Total Ass.	Owner
Lot 11, Blk 36	Exempt	——	——	Seaboard Railroad
Lots 12 to 16 Frac. Blk 36	$ 1380	$ 6800	$ 8180	Highlands Coca Cola
Frac. 16, 17, 18, 19 Blk 36	1000	6350	7350	W. R. England
Lot 20, Blk 36	320	3250	3570	Mary Elizabeth Hardee
Lot 21, Blk 36	320	1590	1910	Mrs. Edith Olsen
Lot 22, Blk 36	320	3000	3320	Highlands Coca Cola
N. 120' of 1, Blk 37	390	4410	4800	H. E. Keller
S. 150' of 1, Blk 37	480	8060	8540	E. A. DeLaney, Sr.
S. 130' of 2, Blk 37	240	——	240	W. T. Connell
Lot 2 less S. 130', Blk37	360	4520	4880	Samuel T. Smith
N½ of 3, Blk 37	360	8000	8360	Helen Harris
W 60' of S½ of 3, Blk 37	150	——	150	Helen Harris
E 60' of S½ of 3, Blk 37	120	3450	3570	Jim Tomlinson
N½ of 4 & 5 less E65' of N½ of 4, Blk 37	550	4700	5250	Hoyt C. and Carrie J. Harris
E. 65' of N½ of lot 4, Blk 37	200	——	200	Ernest H. & Clara Kelly
S½ of 4 & 5, Blk 37	720	——	720	Fred Wild
E 20' of N 90' of 6 Blk 37	40	——	40	Lucy D. Robinson
W100' of N 90' of 6, Blk 37	250	1870	2120	A. R. Jordan
S 180' of 6, Blk 37	570	8140	8710	Max Wild Estate
Lot 7, Blk 37	500	2700	3200	Lucy D. Robinson
Lot 8 & N120' of 9 & W½ of N100' of 10, Blk 37	800	2230	3030	Mrs. Willis G. Robinson
S170' of 9 & S110 of 10, Blk 37	540	——	40	E. Ray Wells
N160' less N100' of 10, Blk 37	180	——	180	Arthur F. & Mary Porter
60 x 100' in NE cor. of 10, Blk 37	110	1570	1680	Wilfred & Hattie Smaley
Lot 1, N 90', Blk 38	Exempt	——	——	Highlands Board of Public Instruction
S180' of 1, Blk 38	Exempt	——	——	Highlands Board of Public Instruction
Lot 2, Blk 38	Exempt	——	——	Highlands Board of Public Instruction
Lots 1 thru 33, Blk 38	Exempt	——	——	Highlands Board of Public Instruction
N. 90' of 6, Blk 38	190	4500	4690	Don L. Southerland
S 180' of 6, Blk 38	170	——	170	L. C. & Larue Smith
N½ of 7 & 8 Blk 38	480	10630	11110	R. W. Wilson
S½ of 7 & 8, Blk 38	400	3000	3400	L. C. Smith
N120' of 9, less W50', Blk 38	130	——	130	Louise B. Armstrong
W 50' less S12, of N120' of 9, Blk 38	90	5000	5090	Ruby L. Johns
S12' & W50' of N½ of 9 & S150' of 9, Blk 38	218	1960	2178	O. K. McClure
Lot 1, Blk 38, Burleigh	190	3460	3650	Louise B. Armstrong
Lots 2 and 3, Blk 38, Burleigh Sub.	320	2220	2520	Lena & S. G. Hamilton
Lots 4 & 5m less E60', Blk 38, Burleigh	60	4000	4060	L. A. & Anita Renfro
60' of 4 & 5, Blk 38 Burleigh Sub.	240	5000	5240	L. A. Renfro
Lot 1 & N18' of 2, Blk 39, Burleigh	240	2730	2970	C. H. Harris
S 36' of 2, all 3, 4, 5, Blk 39, Burleigh	620	2000	2620	L. C. Smith
Lots 2, 3, frac. 4, Blk 39	480	——	480	L. C. & Larue Smith
Lot 1 thru 6 & 9 thru 12, Blk 39, Yonce	980	5380	6360	Fred Garrett
Lots 7 & 8, Blk 39, Yonce	360	——	360	John Olivares
Lot 1 & 2, Blk 40	700	——	700	Mrs. Willis G. Robinson
Lots 3, 4, 5, Blk 40	1200	3380	4580	J. S. Atkins
Lots 6 & 7, Blk 40	600	——	600	Conrad J. Jones
Lot 8, Blk 40	300	2350	2650	Mrs. Jennie Moore
50' x 150' in SE cor. 9, Blk 40	60	1200	1260	Alva, Ella, Clifford & Sue Botkins
Lot 9 N120', Blk 40	240	2000	2240	Hiram & Elsie Williams
Lot 9, less 50x150' in SE cor. & less N120 and all 10, less E60' of N120, Blk 40	600	2300	2900	Arthur E. Watkins
E60' of N120 of 10, Blk 40	120	——	120	Emory and Dorothy L. Crews
Lot 1, Blk 41, Wilson	1000	16600	17750	Ware Furniture Company
Lot 2, Blk 41, Wilson	1050	——	105	H. Ware
Lot 3, Blk 41, Wilson	1050	4790	5840	Dr. S. J. Ward
Lot 4, Blk 41, Wilson	1050	5100	6150	Mrs. Katie Lou Baughan
W½ of 5, Blk 41, Wilson	525	——	525	R. I. Harris
E½ of 5, all of 6 & 7, W½ of 8, Blk 41, Wilson	Exempt	——	——	City Hall
E½ of 8, all 9 & 10 & W10' of 11, Blk 41, Wilson	Exempt	——	——	Woman's Club
E40' of 11 and all 12, Blk 41, Wilsons Sub.	1470	2160	3630	L. H. Brodie
Lots 13, 14, 15, Blk 41 Wilson's Sub.	760	——	760	Edith Purinton
Lot 16, Blk 41, Wilson	250	——	250	Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Camp, Jr.
Lot 17, 18, 19, 20, Blk 41, Wilson	1000	——	1000	R. I. Harris
Lot 21, 22, Blk 41 Wilson's Sub.	490	7880	8370	Mrs. Rex A. Reed
Lots 23, 24, Blk 41 Wilson's Sub.	640	——	640	A. L. Cuesta, Jr.
Lot 25, Blk 41, Wilson	225	4500	4755	S. B. Price
Lot 1, Blk 41, Van Luven Sub.	Exempt	——	——	Christian Science Church
E½ of 2, Blk 41, Van Luven	190	4500	4690	Bertha Poe & Ulta Belle McDaniell
W½ of 2, E50' of 3, Blk 41, Van Luven	440	3200	3640	Chas. O. & Emma Zibell
W25' of 3, all of 4, Blk 41, Van Luven	500	7440	7940	Mrs. J. L. Wells
Lot 5, Blk 41, Van Luven Sub.	380	3000	3380	Robert & Bessie Harbison
Lot 6 & E½ of 7, Blk 41 Van Luven	560	4530	5090	Thelma J. Ward
W½ of 7, all 8, Blk 41, Van Luven	610	4620	5230	Jessie L. Carrier
Lot 9, Blk 41, Van Luven	430	3600	4030	Mrs. Vera F. Kabelin
Lot 10, Blk 41, Van Luven	380	2540	2920	Bertha S. Skipper
Lot 11, Blk 41, Van Luven	380	3000	3380	Miss Jean M. Hillegis
Lot 12, Blk41, Van Luven	380	4850	5230	A. M. Owens

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During the business meeting it decided that the group would have some self-improvement program or project each month at their meetings. In January the materials will be ordered for the members to do some work in aluminum, such as hostess trays, coasters or ash-trays. Mrs. Elizabeth Ladrie, of Ward's Department Store, will present a program on knitting, crocheting, and hat making, at the January meeting of the club.

The men of the Employees Club have announced that they will decorate the outside of the Clubhouse with several Christmas decorations this year. There will be the letters "Merry Christmas" among other things.

Miss Helen Tuten presented the very interesting and helpful program on Christmas packages and decorations. She showed how to do some very attractive and different packages and make many practical decorations. When she finished some of articles were given to members as prizes. Mrs. Robert Harden won the door prize. Mrs. Walter Sherertz and Mrs. Richard Birt won dried arrangements for Christmas made by Miss Tuten. Mrs. Walter Rutherford won a gift package and Mrs. Lamar Wild won a large snowman decoration. Then each member made a corsage to take home.

Delicious refreshments of assorted homemade cookies, banana bread, fudge, divinity, and coffee were served by the hostesses.

Other members present at the meeting were Mrs. Ed Sharpe, Mrs. R. L. Burlingame, Mrs. Wendall Smith, Mrs. Durrah Martin, Mrs. R. D. Young, Mrs. L. Y. DuBose, Mrs. A. L. Kelly, Miss Faye Gordon, Mrs. W. M. Green, Mrs. H. F. Wells, Mrs. C. I. Wells, Mrs. H. R. Douberley, and Mrs. Arlin King.

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Leigh Chapter OES Announces New Officers

Leigh Chapter No. 85 of the Order of the Eastern Star elected officers for the year 1958 at their regular meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 3, in the Masonic Temple.

The following officers were elected: Mrs. Betty Tomlinson, Worthy Matron; Grady Tomlinson, Worthy Patron; Associate Matron, Gladys Hagan; Associate Patron, Kenneth Lewis; Loca Stucky, Secretary; Mrs. Reba McWilliams, Treasurer; Mrs. Betty Graham, Conductress; Mrs. Alma Ellis, Associate Conductress; Mrs. Helen Harris, Chaplain; Mrs. Marion Von Burske, Marshal; Mrs. Cleone Anderson, Warder; Mrs. Grace Blanford, Sentinel; Mrs. Mildred Harris, Ruth; Mrs. Emma Lewis, Martha; Mrs. Elizabeth Lamb, Electa.

The new officers will be installed in a joint installation service with the new officers of the Poincianna Lodge No. 227 on Dec. 27 in the Masonic Temple at 8 o'clock. This will be an open meeting and the public is invited.

Poincianna Lodge Elected New Officers, Dec. 2

The members of the Poincianna Lodge No. 227 of the F. A. M. of Avon Park elected officers for the year 1958 on Monday night, Dec 2, at their regular meeting in the Masonic Temple.

The following officers were elected to serve through the coming year: Ralph Graham, Worshipful Master; Carl McWilliams, Senior Warden; Richard Hedrick, Junior Warden; J. N. Tomlinson, Treasurer; and Kenneth R. Lewis, Secretary.

The new officers will be installed in a joint installation service with the new officers of Leigh Chapter of the OES on Dec. 27, in the Masonic Temple at 8 o'clock. This will be an open meeting and the public is invited.

Sr. Woman's Club Presents Xmas Musical Program

The Annual Christmas musical program of the Senior Woman's Club of Avon Park was held at the Congregational Church on Friday afternoon, Dec. 6.

This affair was well attended and a fine success. Mrs. A. W. Rogers was Chairman of the afternoon, and was graciously assisted by Mrs. William Reitzner, Mrs. S. Book, Mrs. William Beale, and Mrs. G. Jacobson. The inspirational devotional service was given by Mrs. P. Rumpsa followed by a musical program of piano and organ duets rendered by Mrs. E. Jackson and Miss M. Bilbee, and two beautiful soprano solos were sung by Mrs. W. Bennett. Mrs. I. H. Ford, in her own inimitable way, read the Christmas story. A sincere thank-you to all who participated, especially to Mrs. Jackson who arranged the entire program.

It was with deep regret that the Club members heard of Mrs. V. Hall's sudden illness as she had rehersed with the High School Glee Club there carols and had herself intended to play a flute solo. We all wish her a speedy recovery.

We are truly grateful for the generous freewill offering which will be used by the Woman's Club for local benefits such as the Christmas Cheer Baskets and the Ridge Area Association for Retarded Children.

The Club was happy to welcome the following new members: Mrs. C. Twombly, Mrs. H. Greenleaf, Mrs. E. Gardner, Mrs. J. Richmond, Mrs. J. Townsend, and Mrs. M. Merchant.

All members who have overlooked paying their dues are urgently requested to do so at once so their names may be registered in F. F. W. C. Headquarters. Please send your check to Miss J. Bane, Registar, 304 E. Camphor Street.

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Herman Somers, Jr. Teresa Desch Frank Syfrett

When the bug bit Herman Somers, Jr., 16, of Alachua county to enter the 4-H Entomology program he dreamed of winning the state award and a trip to Chicago. Now after seven years in club work the dream has come true.

When Herman tackled entomology, he learned the value of several qualities he never needed as captain of his undefeated Santa Fe high school team. Gentleness and patience were extremely important in mounting his hard-to-catch specimens, and Herman confesses his inexperience cost him many fine ones.

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Teresa was twice vice president of her local 4-H Club and served as parliamentarian of the county 4-H group. Her all-expense trip is provided by Whirlpool Corporation.

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IN CHANCERY No. 8425

W. W. FINLAYSON and MARY B. FINLAYSON, His Wife, Plaintiffs
vs.
MRS. C. S. CROSBY, ET AL., Defendants

SUIT TO QUIET TITLE
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to: Mrs. C. S. Crosby and spouse if married, Frank E. Sperring and Annie L. Sperring his wife, Edward R. Fay and Mae K. Fay his wife, John N. Fay and Martha Fay his wife, Josephine F. Lee and Frank H. Lee her husband, Mary Brady Pigott and James P. Pigott her husband, Anna Fay Wadhams and Darwin A. Wadhams her husband, if living, and if dead to their unknown heirs-at-law, legatees, devisees, grantees and creditors; and to all persons, parties, firms or corporations, known or unknown, having or claiming to have any right, title or interest in the land hereinafter described, either in their own right or by, through, under or against any unknown or unknown person, party, firm or corporation.

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that a suit has been brought against you in the above entitled Court by W. W. Finlayson and Mary B. Finlayson, his wife, for the purpose of quieting title to land in Highlands County, Florida, to-wit:

Lot 18, Block "D" in Section 22, Township 33 South, Range 28 East according to plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 1 page 58 public records of DeSoto (now Highlands) County, Florida;

and you, and each of you, and all parties in interest, are hereby required to file with the Clerk of said Court your written answer or other defense, personally or by an attorney, on or before the 23rd day of December, A.D. 1957 to the Bill of Complaint filed herein, or decree will be entered against you, and each of you, by default and the cause will thereafter proceed ex-parte.

It is ordered that this notice be published once a week for four (4) consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in Highlands County, Florida.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the said Court at Sebring, Highlands County, Florida, this 18th day of November, A.D. 1957.

H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of said Court
(SEAL)
By: EARL RICH
Deputy Clerk

MATTIE W. TOMPKINS,
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U.S. Navy builders working on the air-sea base being developed at Rota, Spain, found that oxen were more efficient in hauling heavy sheet steel fuel tank sections through mud and sand than were man-made vehicles.

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned pursuant to the "Fictitious Name Statute," House Bill No. 1775, Chapter No. 20953, 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: SOUTHERNAIRE MOTEL under which I am engaged in business at Highway 27, South Avon Park, Florida.

That the party interested in said business enterprise is as follows: M. A. Jones.

Dated at November 18, 1957 Highlands County, Florida.
Nov. 21, 28, Dec. 5, 12, 1957

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That the parties interested in said business enterprise are as follows: Cleo M. Hovey and Minnie Hovey.

Dated at Avon Park, Highlands County, Florida December 2, 1957.
Pub. Dec. 5, 12, 19, 26

ALCOHOLIC REHABILITATION CENTER, AVON PARK, FLORIDA NOTICE TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS AND HEATING—AIR CONDITIONING CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be recived until 2:00 P.M., E. S. T., Tuesday, December 17, 1957, by the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions, Florida Alcoholic Rehabilitation Program, at the City Council Rooms, City Hall, Avon Park, Florida, for 1) alterations and additions to buildings at the Rehabilitation Center covering eight (8) items; 2) maintenance superintendent's residence including a ten (10) Bay Garage; 3) air conditioning system of chilled water type approximately 40 tons in size, at the Alcoholic Rehabilitation Center, 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 Heim & Heim Architects, Avon Park, Florida, and Charles T. Healy & Company, Consulting Engineers, 1900 16th Street, North, Room 210, St. Petersburg, Florida. Plans and specifications for any of the three (3) units lister above may be examined at the office of the Construction Division, Board of Commissioners, State Capitol Building, Tallahassee, Florida, or at the Alcoholic Rehabilitation Center, Avon Park, Florida, or at the office of Heim & Heim, Avon Park, Florida. Plans and specifications for the air conditioning system may also be examined at the office of Charles T. Healy & Company, Consulting Engineers, 1900 16th Street, North, Room 210, St. Petersburg, Florida.

Plans and specifications are now available. General contractors and other interested parties may secure drawings and specifications for any of the above items from the office of Heim & Heim, Avon Park, Florida. Drawings and specifications for the air conditioning system may be secured from the office of Charles T. Healy & Company, Consulting Engineers, 1900 16th Street, North, Room 210, St. Petersburg, Florida. Each unit listed above is covered by a seperate set of drawings and specifications, and any set may be obtained for a deposit of Fifteen Dollars ($15) per set. This deposit will be refunded upon return of the specifications and drawings in good order within ten (10) days after bids are received.

Contractors, or other interested parties who wish to inspect the job site may do so only by arrangement with the Maintenance Superintendent at the Rehabilitation Center.

Sealed bids will be accepted on any single unit of the three listed, and each bid must be submitted in strict accordance with proposal form fully completed as stated and shown in the specifications.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check, cashier's check or bank draft on any National Bank or Bank licensed under the laws of the State of Florida in the amount of 5% of the base bid, made payable to the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions 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 the event the contract is awarded the bidder, he will enter into a formal, written contract and furnish to the owner within ten (10) days a contract, Performance and Surety Bond in the amount of 100% of the accepted bid. The cost of the Bond shall be included as a part of the bidder's base bid proposal.

The bidder's qualifications must be satisfactory to the Board of Commissioners or its representatives. The Board reserves the right to waive informality in any bid and to reject any or all bids or to accept any bid or any combination of alternates that in its judgment will be for the best interests of the State of Florida.

Each bid shall be addressed to:
The Board of Commissioners of State Institutions
Terry C. Lee, Coordinator,
Construction Division
c/o Alcoholic Rehabilitation Center
P. O. Box 1147
Avon Park, Florida
Nov. 28, Dec. 5, 12

The New England states are Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut.

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LEGAL AD

The Board of County Commissioners will receive sealed bids until 10:00 A.M. December 17th, 1957, on the following:

2 OR 3—Secretarial Desk units to consist of one 60 x 30 single pedestal Steel Desk, pedestal onright, with back panel and center drawer with lock; one top size 45" x 19" approximately, one legal file cabinet with two box drawers and one file drawer, clamps necessary for attaching top to desk in assembling into "L" shaped unit, all tops to be Textolite or Formica or equal, color to be Blonde, Tan or equal on desk tops, metal finish to be Desert Sage or Coral Sand or equal. Quality of equipment to be equal to that manufactured by Steelcase, Inc., Grand Rapids, Michigan. Equipment bid on must be asembled similar to arrangement shown in illustration. Illustration can be seen at Office of County Judge, Highlands County Court House, Sebring, Florida. One of desks to have pedestal on left and typewriter portion of "L" unit to be attached to right side of desk.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

A. J. TUBBS
Chairman
Dec. 5th and Dec. 12th, 1957

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY IN CHANCERY

CASE NO. 8388

CURTIS JENKINS, Plaintiff,
vs.
GERALDINE JENKINS, Defendant.

BILL FOR DIVORCE
NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

TO: THE DEFENDANT HEREIN, GERALDINE JENKINS, WHOSE PLACE OF RESIDENCE IS UNKNOWN, BUT THAT SUCH LAST KNOWN ADDRESS WAS ST. PAUL STREET, DETROIT, MICHIGAN.

You are hereby notified that a Bill of Complaint has been filed in this Court, in which Curtis Jenkins is the Plaintiff, and you are the Defendant, and that the relief sought is an absolute divorce. You are therefore required to file your answer or other written defense in this cause on or before the 28th day of December, A. D. 1957, and that such filing may be done by mail, sending the original thereof to the Honorable H. T. Piety, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Sebring, Florida, and a copy to Otis Whitehurst, P. O. Box 1407, Okeechobee, Florida, attorney for the Plaintiff.

H. T. PIETY
Clerk of the Circuit Court
(SEAL)
By: EARL RICH,
Deputy Clerk
Nov. 28, Dec. 5, 12, 19

As Seen By The Stroller

Having for some time been strolling to and fro in the earth and walking up and down in it, somewhat like the chap in the Book of Job, ch. 1, v. 7, and getting quite a kick out of it too, I have at last come to a haven of rest in this pleasant city of Avon Park. It could hardly help being pleasant with so many shining lakes in it and about it, its churches outnumbering its saloons by a big margin, its food stores so numerous that if you can't get into one you may possibly squeeze into another, and running through it all a strip of the country verdant and tree shaded all the year round, where the aged tourists sit, chin on cane, viewing the passing throng in safety and comfort and where wise old men play checkers on sunny afternoons, bidding the world go hang. Other cities have their pleasant parks where one may find refuge from the rolling traffic, watch ducklings dip their heads in lily pools, or kidlings roll their hoops along the walks in safety. But Avon Park has its Mall, and in some ways it tops them all.

Entering town at the west end of Main street I could hardly help seeing a very flamboyant sign urging the traveler to turn to left at the corner and see Avon Park and its ("World Famous Mall". The latter phrase nearly bowled me over. My foot, as the fellow said when the fat lady trod on his toe, is that true or isn't it? Is his little strip of counry in the midst of Avon Park famous all over the world? May be it is. I wouldn't know, but it seems to have the ear marks of a whopper. I suspect there are millions of people in Europe, Asia, Africa, and S. America who never have heard of it. I suspect there are people in Florida who never have heard of it. I suspect that whoever coined that phrase could not prove it, nor can I disprove it. There are such statements made occasionally. But there it is on the signboard, there to stay, and of course it may be true. But wouldn't a more modest phrase, one within the bounds of probability, be just as effective? It seems to me so says

Roderick Stroller

Mr. Santa Claus
North Pole, America
Dear Santa:

A lot of people say that you do not exist, that you are only a myth invented to please children. I wonder what they know about that. The fact that nobody ever saw Santa Clause doesn't prove anything. I've never seen you really, but I don't doubt your existance; no not for a minute. So I am writing this letter to you asking if you will please stop at Avon Park for a few minutes on your way southward on the evening of the 24th. Just drive down one side of the Mall and up the other side an note how very Christmassy it all looks. The city Fathers have decorated the Mall in honor of your visit, and they are looking for you. They have enshrined the lamp posts in fronds of gray and bound them there with gay red ribbons, and colored stars will twinkle along the way throughout the wondrous night.

And while passing through our city will you please remember all litttle children with the toys they love so much: you know; such things as Teddy bears, rooler skates, and little trains that run and whistle, and so on; little gifts that make for happiness in childhood's short hour. To all young men and maidens bring something, you know what, that may instill in them a love for truth and yearning for righteousness; and it would be fine if you could hang a shining moon in the sky under which they might exchange those happy vows of love and fidelity. To all those of riper years, who now bear the burdens of life, leave some-calculated to brace them for the strife as they battle for the right in this world of so many wrongs. And to all those whose gray hair is a crown of glory, who now sit patiently in the boat of life waiting to hear the keel grate upon the shores of time; to all such bring something to hallow and sweeten the memories of the past to the end that their latter days may be filled with contentment and gladness. Do these things for us, O Santa, and Christmas in Avon Park will be the happiest ever known.

Truly yours,
Roderick Stroller

One of the world's largest testing tanks is located at the Naval Ordance Laboratory, Silver Spring, Md. The huge vertical pipe holds a million and one-half gallons.

Do You Have

Orange Oatmeal Cookies
½ cup shortening
1 cup brown sugar
1 egg
2 tablespoons orange rind (grated)
1½ tablespoons orange juice
1 cup flour
½ teaspoon soda
½ teaspoon salt
1 cup oatmeal
½ cup raisins
½ cup chopped nuts

beat in eggs until very lig[ht]

Cream shortening and sug[ar]. Add orange rind and juice.

Sift together flour, soda a[nd] salt, add to the creamed m[ix]ture. Add rolled oats, rais[ins] and nuts. Mix until well ble[nd]ed. Drop from teaspoon o[n] greased cookie sheet. Bake [in] oven (350 degree), 10 to [...] minutes. Makes two do[zen] cookies.

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MOTOR MAIDS

It Takes More Than 20/20

By Jeanne Smith, Dodge Safety Consultant

"I DIDN'T SEE the other car!"—an all too-frequent explanation given for an accident—is actually not a valid excuse.


Miss Smith

It's the driver's responsibility to see everything on the highway. It is also his responsibility to recognize any hindrances to his vision—and to drive accordingly.

There are several reasons why motorists fail to see cars, pedestrians, stop signs or other objects in time to avoid an accident. Among these are driving too fast, fatigue, an obstruction at an intersection, blinding lights from another car —or inadequate vision.

One out of every six motorists needing special visual attention is unaware of his shortcomings, reports the Motorist's Vision Committee of the American Optometric Association.

Safe vision, from the standpoint of driving, is made up of four essential visual skills, the Association points out. They are distance acuity, proper field of vision, night vision and depth perception.

Distance acuity is the ability to see objects clearly, without blur, from 20 feet to many yards ahead. The AOA considers 20/40 vision (with or without glasses) a minimum requirement. Tests have shown that the average traffic sign with five-inch letters can be read at about 280 feet by the driver with 20/20 vision, at 113 feet by those with 20/40 vision and at only 90 feet by motorists with 20/50 vision.

Inability to read signs or spot hazards accounts for thousands of accidents, AOA officials believe.

Proper field of vision means being able to see over a large area without moving either your eyes or your head. This visual skill is important because many highway hazards must be seen from the side if they are to be avoided. An accident can be caused by "tunnel vision," in which the driver can see only straight ahead.

Night vision includes the ability to see adequately under low illumination, to see against glare and to recover rapidly from the glare of oncoming headlights. Driving in a semi-blinded state contributes to a high proportion of night driving accidents.

Depth perception involves the ability to judge accurately the distance between your car and other objects. Collisions can occur through misjudging relative distances of approaching cars.

The AOA has listed several recommendations for those who lack these visual skills; periodic eye examinations with special reference to driving; if glasses are prescribed, always wear them when driving; if troubled by headlight glare, cut down on night driving—and drive more slowly after dark.

Other recommendations: compensate for inadequate field of vision by turning your head to watch for danger; be extra careful in passing other cars if depth perception is poor, and avoid driving at high speeds.

There is no substitute for alertness and caution.

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Weather Report
BY J. WILEY COTHRAN
Weather Observer

	Max.	Min.	Rain
December 11	72	41	—
December 12	64	25	—
December 13	64	24	—
December 14	73	43	—
December 15	70	46	—
December 16	74	50	—
December 17	78	52	—

Christmas Displays To Be Judged Monday Night; Leave Your Lights On

Christmas decorations for homes and lawns will be judged Monday night, December 23, by judges appointed by the Avon Park Area Board of Realtors. Five cash prizes totaling forty dollars will be presented for the most attractive Yuletide displays.

Residents are requested to leave their display lights on Monday night until 11 o'clock, and again Tuesday night as judges may have to review some displays in the process of elimination. Last year the judges had a hard time choosing the most attractive display in the community in one evenings tour. So plans have been made to tour the community both Monday and Tuesday nights by the judges.

Everyone in the community may participate in the contest. If your home is located in a spot that you think the judges might miss when they make heir tour Monday night, please call the Avon Park Chamber of Commerce or Dick vonBurske and leave your name and address.

Boundary lines for the contest will be the Polk County line on the North, including homes in Avon Park Lakes, Highlands Lakes or Lake Lillian section, to the Drive-in Theatre, and to the south side of Lake Anoka and East including Lake Angelo.

Only a few days left to complete your decorations, so hurry and have your home on lawns ready when the judges make their tour Monday night.



AVON PARK HOST TO RIDGE LEAGUE OF MUNICIPALITIES: League President, George Costello, Lake Alfred City Manager, is pictured at the left with Mayor E. A. DeLaney and Council President Robert Lee at the buffet supper meeting at the Jacaranda Hotel Thursday night, December 12. Col. Heydon W. Buchanan was the principal speaker of the evening and guests were entertained by the Avon Park High School Orchestra under the direction of Gene Gorman and by tap dancer, Jan Saylor.

Chief Harrison Arrests Man For Petty Larceny

Frank Smith, alias James G. Everett, of Durham, N. C. was arrested Tuesday morning by Police Chief Harrison on a petty larceny charge.

Smith applied earlier Tuesday morning at the Tourist Club and went into the Club House where he stole a woman's purse. It was reported to the Police Department and Chief Harrison arrested him as he left the Poinsettia Hotel where he was registered.

An ash tray, pair of sun glasses, man's billfold, fountain pen, 2 ladies change purses, a cap pistol, a man's change purse and a pocket pen were found on Smith when he was searched by Chief Harrison.

Deputy Sheriff Bob Barringer and Chief Harrison discovered a ladies billfold with drivers license and other papers, a cap pistol, a microscope, a bottle of shaving lotion, an Eversharp razor and two change purses in Smith's room at the hotel. All items except the ash tray and microscope were taken from the W. W. Mac Co.

Smith was tried in Mayor's Court Tuesday night on the charge of lifting the purse from the Tourist Club and was fined $50 and 30 days in jail, failure to pay the $50 an additional 30 days, by Mayor E. A. DeLaney.

Rogero Backs Cities To Obtain Secondary Road Improvements

Albert L. Rogero, State Road Department, recommends and approves the secondary road improvements in Avon Park, Sebring and Lake Placid. Mr. Rogero met with the County Commissioners and City Officials of Avon Park, Sebring and Lake Placid in Sebring on November 25 and discussed with them the improvements which had been removed from the original State Road Budget.

The requests for these improvements to be included in the State Road Budget was presented to Mr. Rogero by Avon Park and the three cities concerned were well represented at the meeting.

Avon Park desires to have Bell Street paved from the Highway to the Football Field

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Notice

A reminder to the members of the Avon Park Federated Garden Clubs! Attention.

Please leave your floral Christmas pieces for the Hillcrest Nursing Home and Walker Memorial Hospital at the home of Mrs. Mervin Rehrer, 219 E. Camphor St., as early as possible on Dec. 23.

Football Team Receives Orlando Sentinel Trophy

A delicious steak dinner was held Thursday night, December 12, at Griffin's Restaurant for members of the Avon Park High School Football Team and their dates.

Augus Williams, Backfiled Coach at the University of Tampa, was guest speaker. The highlight of the evening was the presentation of the Orlando Sentinel Trophy by Sports Editor, Bob Howard. This is the second year in a row that this beautiful trophy has been presented to the Avon Park team for winning The Ridge Conference Gride Title.

Other guests at the banquet included coaches and their wives; principals and their wives; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Murphy and Fred Montsdeoca, who was the room mate of Angus Williams at the University of Florida.

The Cavaliers To Play Dec. 21 At Jaycee Dance

Preparations are almost complete for the annual Christmas Dance of the Junior Chamber of Commerce to be held in the Banquet Hall at the Jacaranda Hotel Saturday night, December 21, from 9 until 1 o'clock.

The Cavaliers, well known Lake Wales orchestra, will provide the perfect music for dancing.

Members are requested to ob-

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Christmas Lights To Glow Again

The Christmas lights will once again be seen by the citizens of the community and tourists passing through Avon Park.

The lights badly in need of repairs, were purchased by a number of local merchants many years ago, and at first it was decided not to use them this year

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City Host To 150 Ridge League Officials Last Week

The City of Avon Park was host to members of the Ridge League of Municipalities and their wives at a buffet supper meeting Thursday night, December 12, at the Jacaranda Hotel.

Col. Haydon W. Buchanan, Polk County Civil Defense Director was guest speaker. "Better Police and Fire Service" was the topic of his address and he cited ways to improve police and fire service. Col. Buchanan suggested keeping the police and fire departments free from politics. To encourage attendance in training courses, bolstering morale and integrating manpower.

He told representatives that adequate and modernized equipment was also necessary for better police and fire service. He stated that the government would provide matching funds towards purchasing such equipment to cities with civil defense preparedness plans. He mentioned the surplus of such equipment that was stored at Camp Blanding which would

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Only 2 Days Left To Vote In Touchton Contest

With only two days remaining in the Boy and Girl Contest at Touchton Drug Store Gale Meyer and G. L. Townsend are still the leaders. A few changes appeared this week in the ten top names and a number of changes in the top forty boys and girls. Check the complete list in Touchton's window.

The contest closes Saturday night, December 21, and the ten winning boys and ten winning girls will be announced on Monday, December 23. So please help some child win one of these wonderful prizes. Visit Touchton's and ask for your votes when making a purchase. One vote will be given to the child of your choice for each cent spent.

Leaders this week in the Girls contest are Gale Meyer, Gail Harris, Rita Rich, Ann Gay, Mary Ann Durden, Judy Cothran, Nancy Wright, Trudie Mitchell, Deborah Gurganus and Diana Whitlock.

The ten boys in leading

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Notice

The Avon Park Sun will be published on Monday, December 23, instead of Thursday, December 26, as it will be a special Christmas edition.

Articles to appear in the Sun next week must be in the Sun office no later than Friday afternoon.

Commissioners Met In Regular Session Tuesday

Bids were received by the Board of County Commissioners at the regular meeting Tuesday morning for desks for County Judge's new office. Bids were received from Bowen Supply Co. at $303.07 per unit; Dranes $293.25 per unit and from Economy Printing Co. $273.11. The bid from the Ecomy Printing Co. was accepted and the Board ordered 3 desks as requested by Judge Rehrer.

Commissioners will request Weem Hospital and Martin's Hospital to continue hospital care of indigents at $7.00 per day plus medicine.

The Board tentatively approved plats of Avon Pines Sub and Erin Park Sub.

Bids on tractor were opened and the Commission awarded the bid to Florida-Georgia Tractor Co. on Cub tractor with broom to be delivered in two weeks. Amount of bid was $1705.25.

Bids were opened on Cater-

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Xmas Holidays At Court House

Offices in the Court House in Sebring will be closed all day on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, December 24, 25 and 26, for Christmas Holidays.

The Court House will be open at the regular time on Friday morning, December 27.

Course Planned In Landscaping

An extension course in landscaping, sponsored by the Avon Elementary School, is being planned to begin in February in Highlands County. A professor from the University of Florida will teach the course, the hour and day of meeting to be decided upon at the organization meeting.

Interested persons should at once contact Mr. George Kelsey or Miss Clara Gilmer, Avon Elementary School, Glendale 2-7961, or Mr. Julian Markham, Evergreen 6-3861.



YES, ICE IN AVON PARK: who said it didn't get cold in Florida, well we will admit that it doesn't happen very often. Last Wednesday night when the temperature went way below freezing the sprinkling system was left on in the Mall and these beautiful icicles were formed. Scenes like this were common Thursday morning when this picture was taken just a little West of the City Hall. The Tourist Club can be seen in the background but no one seems to be playing shuffleboard in the real winter weather we had last week.

1958 Tags Will Not Be Sold At Wells Motor Co.

Roland X. Droit, Supervisor of Registration, announced this week that due to a change in law his office will not be able to open a branch office at Wells Motor Company for the selling of 1958 Florida License tags. All tags must be sold from his office in the Court House.

For those unable to go to the Court House to purchase license tags or those who desire to have them mailed to them, mail the proper amount for the tag plus fifty cents for mailing and be sure to include the 1957 certificate of registration to Roland

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Fire Department Answers Three Minor Alarms

The Avon Park Fire Department answered three calls during the past week, all three were only minor fires.

Tuesday morning, December 12, they were called to the home of H. C. Worden, Jr. on East Canfield due to a flooded oil heater. Approximately $200 worth of damage was done by smoke.

Just twenty minutes later the same morning a spark from the chimney did about $25 roof dam-

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Santa Visits Kindergarten

Santa Claus visited a group of his most eager admirers on Tuesday, December 17, when he put in his appearance at the Kay Whitcomb Kindergarten.

Eighteen youngsters surrounded him with great enthusiasm and asked a million very important questions of their favorite. Santa left bags of candy for all the children and departed leaving a very satisfied group.

The boys and girls then enjoyed a play in Donaldson Park and returned to the Kindergarten to open the gifts which they exchanged among themselves. Under a small Christmas tree decorated by the children with pipe cleaners of different colors and icicles. Mrs. Whitcomb passed out the gifts to the excited children. Cookies and ice cream completed the morning.

Loaded with their presents and candy the children waited happily for their parents after a most successful party.

"Doc" Moller Hold-Up Victim

"Doc" Moller was the victim of a hold-up Friday night just a few minutes before closing time and was robbed of nearly $60.

A man, a total stranger, walked into "Doc's" on Main and Fairfield and at first Doc thought the man was only kidding when he told him it was a hold-up. Doc was forced at gun point to open the cash register and then he had to give the bandit his wallet also. He was then told to go into the back room and to kneel there for five minutes before he got up.

The City Police called in the Sheriff's Department and investigation is still going on. As yet the robber has not been caught.

Avon Park High School Honor Roll For 2nd Six Weeks

Twenty-five percent of the students of the Avon Park Junior-Senior High School were listed on the Honor Roll for the second six weeks period. 125 pupils are listed below as receiving this honor.

12th Grade: (All A's) Kay Mizelle, Margaret Sherer, Thetis Williams and Robert Hall. (No grade below "B") David McCully, Jan Saylor, Shirley Thornton, Marvin Willis, Bobbie Sue Elder, Betty Clair Foster, Linda Hart, Mae Ann Hunter, Linda Kinyon, Wayne Lasseter and Gene Bigbie. ("B" Average) Pat Lawrence, Ann Rowland, Judy Thompson, Wendell Williams, Charles Anderson, Ben Earnest, Lynelle Griffin and Sandra Kelsey.

11th Grade (All "A's") Bobby Faye Arnold, Eve Campbell, Salie Harrison and Frankie Thorp. (No grade below "B") Betty Lou Baughan, Guelda Gaster and Sally Sayers. ("B" Average) Charlotte Albritton, Patricia Batson, Peggy Bussard, Sylvia Foster, Claudia Handley, Gail Hovey, Elizabeth Howell, Mary Lois Roberts

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Depositors At Bank To Vote On Xmas Trees

The Avon Citrus Bank will present two prizes, first prize $50 and second prize $25, to the winner of the prettiest Christmas tree decorated by the pupils of the fourth grades at the Avon Elementary School.

The two trees, one decorated by pupils in the combined classes of Mrs. Albritton and Mrs. Clark, the other by the pupils in Mrs. Best and Mrs. Lanier's classes, went on display at the Bank Tuesday afternoon.

Depositors at the Bank, from now until Christmas Eve. will receive one balot for each de-

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Droit To Head Cancer Crusade

Roland X. Droit, Supervisor of Registration, will serve as County Crusade Chairman of the Cancer Crusade which will begin in Highlands County in April 1958.

Mrs. Helen Peck, County Unit Chairman of the American Cancer Society, made the announcement of Droit's appointment early Wednesday morning.

Xmas Party For County Officials

The Annual Christmas dinner and party for Court House officials, their families and guests, will be held tonight, December 19, at the Pier in Sebring.

A beautiful Christmas tree has been decorated for the children, and an evening of entertainment has been planned.

Scouts To Sell Christmas Trees

The Boy Scouts of Troop 156 will be selling native Florida Christmas trees all this week at Stimson's Gulf Service Station on West Main.

They have some lovely trees at reasonable prices.



1958 COUNTY FAIR PLANNED: The Highlands County Fair Association Directors met Tuesday night, December 10, at the Fire Station in Sebring to begin plans for the 1958 fair which will be held February 24 through March 1. It is the desire of the directors to make this year's fair the most outstanding fair that the county has ever had. Directors are, left to right A. J. Tubbs; Smith Rudasill; Brandon Jones; Lonnie Curl, president; Bert Harris, Fair Manager; H. E. "Beau" Brummell, Treasurer; and W. A. "Bill" Meyer.



MR. MIRACLE'S 8th GRADE CLASS DONATE TOYS: The Lion's Club of Avon Park gave a coke party for students in Mr. Miracle's home room last Friday morning in appreciation for the toys the pupils donated to the Lion's Christmas Toy Fund. The party was given to the class for having brought more toys than any other class. Back row, left to right, A. B. Wilhite, Anita Luscomb, Cathleen Crunkelton, Nancy Coleman, Ruth Border, Chica Durden, Marilyn Graetz, Rose Parish, Harold Baucom, Robert Bates, Darrell Bailey, Garry Tally, Eddie Sharpe, Larry Tally, Clifton Crews, Billy Ellis, Hugh Chancey, David Barefield and Wayne Bass. Front row, left to right, Lillian Lawrence, Sue Cooper, Naomi Elder, Molly Faircloth, Joyce Antley, Paulette Gilbreath, Nancy Cooper, Hazel Brown, Mary Pearce, Linda Smith, Edgar Futch and Andrew Miracle.

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Yes, Virginia, Santa's Real And He'll Live Forever

We would like to print for our many readers The New York Sun's famous editorial answering the query of eight-year-old, Virginia O'Hanlon, "Is there a Santa Claus?"

This editorial has become a Christmas classic and we're sure that many readers have read it but many would feel that the holiday was incomplete without the chance of rereading it. Here it is:

We take pleasure in answering at once and thus prominently the communication below, expressing at the same time our great gratification that its faithful author is numbered among the friends of the Sun!

Dear Editor—I am eight years old. Some of my little friends say there is no Santa Claus.

Papa says "If you see it in The Sun it's so".

Please tell me the truth, is there a Santa Claus?

Virginia O'Hanlon
115 West Ninety-first St.

Virginia, your little friends are wrong. They have been affected by the skepticism of a skeptical age. They do no believe except what they see. They think that nothing can be which is not comprehensible by their little minds. All minds, Virginia, whether they be men's or children's are little. In this great universe of man is a mere insect, an ant, in his intellect, as compared with the boundless world about him, as measured by the intelligence capable of grasping the whole of truth and knowledge.

Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exist, and you know that they abound and give to your life its highest beauty and joy. Alas! how dreary would be the world if there was no Santa Claus! It would be as dreary as if there were no Virginias. There would be no childlike faith then, no poetry, no romance to make tolerable this existence. We should have no enjoyment, except in sense and sight. The eternal light with which childhood fills the world would be extinguished.

Not believe in Santa Claus! You might as well not believe in fairies! You might get your papa to hire men to watch in all the chimneys on Christmas Eve to catch Santa Claus, but even if they did not see Santa Claus coming down, what would that prove? Nobody sees Santa Claus, but that is no sign that there is no Santa Claus. The most real things in the world are those that neither children nor men can see. Did you ever see fairies dancing on the lawn? Of course not, but that's no proof that they are not there. Nobody can conceive or imagine all the wonders there are unseen and unseeable in the world.

You tear apart the baby's rattle and see what makes the noise inside, but there is a veil covering the unseen world which not the strongest man, nor even the united strength of all the strongest men that ever lived, could tear apart. Only faith, fancy, poetry, love, romance, can push aside that curtain and view and picture the supernal beauty and glory behind. Is it all real? All, Virginia, in all this world there is nothing else real and and abiding.

No Santa Claus! Thank God! he lives, and he lives forever. A thousand years from now, Virginia, nay, ten times ten thousand years from now, he will continue to make glad the heart of childhood.

Unprofitable Tax

The National Conference For Repeal of Taxes on Transportation has issued an effective legislative brief on this matter. The taxes in question amount to 10 per cent on passenger tickets sold by the railroads and other intercity carriers, and 3 per cent on freight, except for coal and oil, which carry taxes of 4 cents a ton and 4-½ per cent respectively. They were passed as a World War II emergency measure, designed to discourage unnecessary travel at that time, no less than to raise revenue.

The Conference makes a series of important points. The freight tax, for instance, adds directly to the cost of practically everything we buy. Usually the tax is multiplied—often many times—because it is applied on each step from raw materials to finished products.

The long-distance shipper — those whose markets are far from the points of production —is under special heavy handicaps, because the tax is a percentage of his total transportation costs and theres are based on mileage.

Finally, the biggest part of the transportation taxes is a deductible business expense. It thus reduces the income taxes paid by the concerns involved. If the taxes were repealed, their income taxes would therefore rise. In addition, repeal would result in substantial new business for the commercial carriers, and thus increase their income tax payments. Therefore, the actual loss, if any, to the Treasury would be very small. In fact, an Interstate Commerce Commission economist figures that the Treasury would be money ahead.

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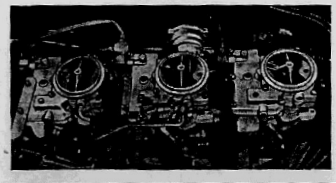

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BOBLINGER, GERMANY (AHTNC)—Pvt. Willie Ward, 20, whose wife, Patricia, lives on Route 1, Lake Placid, Fla., recently participated in "Autumn Rain," a week-long Seventh Army field communications training exercise in southern Germany.

The exercise tested the proficiency of personnel and equipment of the 160th Signal Group located at Boblingen.

A maintenance specialist in the 97th Signal Battalion, Ward entered the Army in May 1957. He completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S. C., and arrived in Europe last October.

Ward attended E. O. Douglas High School in Sebring.

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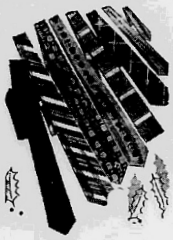

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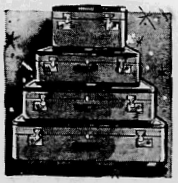

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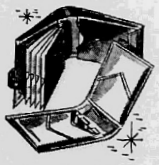

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BROWNIE SCOUTS PRESENTED PROGRAM THURSDAY NIGHT, DECEMBER 12



Troop 1 for second grade Brownies held their Investiture Service and presented a program Thursday night, December 12, in the Cafetorium of the Avon Elementary School. The Brownies of the Troop presented the Flag Ceremony with patrol leaders presenting the colors. The Red Birds and the Bluebirds were presented their Brownie pins by their leader, Mrs. Fred Davis, and the other patrol was invested and pinned by Mrs. Jim Runkle. Each Brownie received their pin up-side down and were requested to wear it that way until they had done a good deed. The person who received the good efforts had the honor of turning the pin. Members of Troop 1 taking part in the program and their leaders are shown above, back row left to right, Mrs. Fred Davis, Linda Simmons, Patricia Holden, Marcia Ward, Martha Land, Jacalyn Hutchinson, Gail Chestnutt, Cheryl Runkle, and Mrs. Jim Runkle. Seated left to right, Delores Reynolds, Jan Teeter, Linda Johnson, Nancy Mitchell, Kim Wells, Johnnie Childers, Shavon Bennett, Lark Adams, Sybil Anderson and Gale Meyer. Members of the Troop unable to take part in the program are Robin Williams and Pam Maness.



Troop 3 for fourth grade Brownies presented a clever skit about the founding of the Brownies with the Brownie legend being told and the work of present day Brownies illustrated in their Investiture Service held Thursday night, December 12, in the Cafetorium of the Avon Elementary School. An outstanding display of the handwork of the troop was displayed and the troop committee introduced. Members of Troop 3 and their sponsors are shown here back row left to right, Mrs. Roy Ladwig, Charlene Ladwig, Terry Albritton, Wanda Singletary. Debbie Ann Ward, Mrs. E. B. Poff, Jr., Ginger Grant, Janet Douberley, Betty Hutchinson, Linda Wester and Mrs. John H. G. Hutchinson. Seated left to right are Betty Albritton, Linda Holmberg, Judith Runkle, Carolyn Poff, Linda Cummings, Gail Bennett, Jo Ann Wells, Joyce Singletary, Nancy Wright, Arlene King and Sally Beth King. Not shown in the picture, but members of the troop who were unable to take part in the program, are Dorothy Grove, Eloise Monsalvatge and Naomi Lawrence.

Brownie Scout Troop News

Troop 3 for fourth grade Brownies and Troop 1 for second grade Brownies held their Investiture Services and presented a program on Thursday night, Dec. 12, in the Cafetorium of the Avon Elementary School.

The Brownies of Troop 1 presented the Flag Ceremony with patrol leaders, Lark Adams, Kim Wells, and Jackie Hutchinson presenting the colors. Their leader, Mrs. Fred Davis, invested and gave the Brownie pins to two patrols, the Red Birds and the Blue Birds, and Mrs. Jim Runkle, assistant leader, invested and pinned the other patrol. Each Brownie received their pin up-side down and wore it that way until they had done a good deed and the person who had received the good efforts turned the pin.

Troop 3 presented a clever skit about the founding of the Brownies with the Brownie legend being told and the work of present day Brownies illustrated. Girls in the skits were the Tailor, Debbie Ward; Grandmother, Arlene King; Tommie, Nancy Wright; Mary, Betty Hutchinson; The Wise Owl, Sally Beth King; and the Narrator, Carolyn Poff. In the present day skit were Charlene Ladwing, Joyce Simpson, Joan Wells, Linda Holmberg, and Linda Wester. Directors were Judy Runkle and Janet Douberley.

Refreshments of coffee, orange juice, cake, and cookies were served to the large audience of parents and friends by the troop leaders.

An outstanding display of the handwork of the troops was presented on a table at the back to the Cafetorium and the two troop committees were introduced.

The Avon Elementary P.T.A. meeting was postponed for that night due to the cold weaher, in order that the program would be over earlier and the Brownies and their families get home sooner. Troop 2 for the third grade girls postponed their service also.

The Brownies of the second grade troop enjoyed a Christmas party at their meeting on Saturday morning, Dec. 14. Robin Williams and Pam Maness were invested at the meeting.

Each girl made small Christmas gifts for Walker Memorial Hospital and Mrs. David and Mrs. Runkle will deliver them. During the meeting the Brownies told about the good deed they did to have their pins turned right-side up. A small gift containing something for the troop was opened by the Brownies. Gale Meyer presented the Brownie leaders with a Christmas corsage. Mrs. Fred Davis and Mrs. Jim Runkle presented each Brownie with a World Brownie Pin as their Christmas gift.

Delicious refreshments were served the girls of cupcakes, party lollipops, and balloon favors by Mrs. Reynolds and Brownie Delores Reynolds. Games were then played with Cheryl Runkle, Nancy Mitchell, Patricia Holden, Delores Reynolds and Johnnie Childress winning prizes.

This troop will not meet again until after the Christmas holidays.

Troop 2 for the third grade Brownies had a Christmas party at the Brownie Building on Tuesday, Dec. 17.

Troop 3 for the fourth grade Brownies will take Christmas gifts to the Gray Inn, an Episcopal Home of the Aged, in Davenport on Thursday afternoon, Dec. 19. They will give a program and bring cookies for a party.

Girl Scout News

The Girls Scouts drew names for their Christmas party at their regular meeting on Thursday, December 12. After songs they worked on their copper work. There wer 36 girls present.

Then they played games and square danced in order to keep warm. Refreshments wer served by Mrs. G. D. Godwin.

On Thursday, December 19, the Scouts will leave their regular meeting at 4:30 and go to the Florida Power Clubhouse for their Christmas Party. They will exchange gifts and have a hamburger fry there. Parents may pick their daughters up at the Clubhouse at 6 o'cleock.

There were 36 girls present.

meetings during the Christmas holidays.

Winter Guest Club News

It seems that each year some outstanding addition is made to our club property or to our program. This year bids fair to excel all records. Thanks to our zealous president and his loyal work crew we now have an awning over the walk from the club house to the cue house, and an adeuate storeroom. In the expanded program we have Martin Lindborg and his committee to thank for the Christmas dinner plans. If you would like to join the club members in an excellent turkey dinner on Christmas day, you get your name on Martin's list by Saturday, Dec. 18, at the very latest. We feel this is a wonderful way for those among our members who are away from their homes at this holiday season to come together for food, fun, and fellowship.

Our apologies to the bridge players for omitting them in last week's news. On Tuesday, Dec. 3 Mrs. Bonner played to high score with Mrs. Fenton in second place. Mrs. Duffy and Mrs. Hayes were the lucky winners of the door prizes. On Tuesday, Dec. 10 Lester Truex had the highest score, with E. Ludington right behind with second high. Mr. Coan, Mrs. Grimshaw, and Mrs. Parry were the lucky winners of door prizes.

Sunday's sing was very well attended, especially so since many people, no doubt, were saving their energy to attend the concert at the Congregational Church in the evening. There were nearly 90 present to enjoy singing the old, familiar Christmas hymns and carols. Mr. Ney Smith and Mrs. Cliff. Ireland sang an alto and tenor duet and Mary Dilley, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Harry Gibson, sang two of the lovely Christmas melodies. Mrs. Thomas Johnston read an original poem; she warned us 'twould not be a happy story and it was not, until the very last few lines when she showed us Christ, the hope of the world. The next sing will be on December 29. The Frostproof club invites the Avon Park Club to join them on December 22.

The weekly Friday night dance got off to a good start last week with a jam-packed house, by next month we may have to give out numbers and let you take your turns at dancing. For the first time, there were seven sets (and that's the absolute maximum your space will allow) in action; you guessed it, the ever-popular "Grand square" brought everyone to his feet. The circle two-step continues to be the most popular of the round dances.

The shufflers are a hardy lot; witness the fact that 44 of them braved Wednesday's cruel wind to indulge in their favorite out-door sport. Arms and Walker were the successful team, edging out Brown and Million to win the tournament. Also, on Wednesday six of our ablest went to Lakeland to enter the Sate Singles meet; Mr. and Mrs. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. E. Gruber, Mr. C. Brush and Mrs. C. Ireland. While we did not win honors, we are not discouraged; it is only very recently that any players from our local club have entered this kind of competition. In time, and lots of it, to produce championship players and we feel we have made a good start. On Sat., Dec. 1 every court was taken for the weekly pot-luck tournament which was won by P. Boldu and Ney Smith. C. Brush and D. Gruder were runners-up in this event.

After the bitter cold of last week, Saturday was a wonderful day just to be alive. The record turn-out for the afternoon's games, side-line sitters as well as players, surely did enjoy the warm sunshine and friendly chatter as much as the friendly competition. Then, a finale to the week, came the tempting viands displayed at the potluck supper. This was followed by a relaxed, friendly sort of evening with everyone playing his favorite game of cards. If you haven't made it a habit, now's a good time to start.

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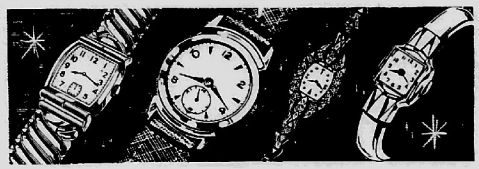

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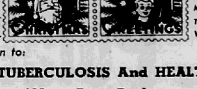

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Ground Broken For $385,000 Tiotie Beach Clubhouse

Lake Rosalie, Fla.—Ground breaking ceremonies today initiated construction work on a $385,000 clubhouse for the Tiotie Beach Yacht and Country Club on the shores of Lake Rosalie near Lake Wales. The celebration was attended by various notables, including the Polk County Commissioners, and was preceded by chicken and spareribs barbeque. The first spadefull of dirt was turned over by Col. James E. Huffman, Commodore of the Tiotie Beach resort, and partner in the Tampa realy firm of Schulstad and Huffman.

The clubhouse, central project in the 1,000 acre, private family membership resort and club, will occupy a site 500 by 800 feet adjacent to beach, golf course and swimming pool. Its unusual roofline features a series of vaulted concrete arches above a bank of stained glass windows in an ultra-contemporary design. Designed by the Tampa firm of Frank McLane, Jr. and John F. Ranon, architects, the building is being constructed by the Edward L. Bolding Construction Company, also of Tampa, and is expected to be ready for use by May of next year.

Designed expressly to provide spacious views in all directions of 12-square-mile Lake Rosalie, the white sand beach and the wooded landscape, the Tiotie Beach clubhouse is also planned for the most efficient use of space for all kinds of resort and country club activities for the whole family from baby to grandparent. Provisions have even been made for indoor barbequing in a large fireplace in the lobby. Imaginstive use of screening has also made possible large promenade and garden areas protected from weather and insects. A screened and roofed promenade runs the length of the clubhouse on lake side of the building.

The clubhouse will be 70 feet wide and 318 feet long when finished, and the floor space on the ground floor alone will run to 22,260 square feet. Three hundred fifty tons of air-conditioning equipment will be required to cool it. An Oly pic size swimming pool of unusual shape will lie between the clubhouse and the Lake Rosalie beach. Bathhouse and locker rooms will serve the pool, the beach and adjacent golf course.

A ballroom providing 3,300 square feet of dance floor will feature spotlighting, stage and sound amplifiers for large dances. The main dining room will seat 250 people, with space for an additional 100 on the second floor balcony overlooking the dining room. Kitchens will be large enough to accomodate anything from a picnic lunch to a full-scale banquet.

The clubhouse lighting will be dramatically controlled by rheostat and will be supplied by imported Finnish chandeliers hanging from the balconies. Approximately $100,000 will be required to furnish the huge building.

According to Leonard Lowe, Executive Director, the opening of the clubhouse next spring should greatly augment the Tiotie Beach Yacht and Country Club's membership that already is the neighborhood of 1,000.



LAKE ROSALIE, FLORIDA—Shown here turning the first spadeful of dirt for the construction of a $385,000 clubhouse for the Tiotie Beach Yacht and Country Club is Col. James E. Huffman, Commodore of the Tiotie Beach Resort and a partner in the Tampa firm of Schulstad and Huffman. Others, left to right, are: Polk County Commissioners J. B. Thornhill, Jr., Aldine Comdee, Roy P. Gladden and E. A. Laurent, Polk County Engineer Lawrence Isbell, Edward L. Bolding of the contracting firm, Leonard Lowe, Executive Director for the Tiotie Beach Yacht and Country Club, Jesse Boyle and Bill Meyer, Editor of the Avon Park Sun.

Highway Philosophy

By TROOPER BILL

There's less likely to be mourning on Christmas morning if every one drives sober the night before.

The safest speed on any road is the one that fits existing conditions.

What driver is better than his weakest think?

No one could care less about his own safety than the fellow who handles his automobile in a careless fashion.

Old fashioned is the pedestrian whose actions fail to result into at least half dozen quick jumps a day as he goes foolishly about his way.

Look before you leap, my friend? The leap could be toward your end!

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THE AMERICAN BITTERN

By The Bird Woman

There is scarcely another specie that differs as much in size as the American Bittern, it ranges in size from two feet eight inches, to four feet two inches, and as it differs so much in size, it is often mistaken for various other species, but in flight it folds it's neck back to it's shoulders like the heron.

It is quite a stocky bird and has a streaked body and black wing tips which are quite evident when it flies. There is also a smaller bittern known as the least bittern, which is much more colorful.

The American bittern is known as a bird of the dogs and the marshland, and is often taken by hunters, owing to it's slow easy flight, although it is not on the game list.

This harmless looking bird when wounded, becomes at once a dangerous assailent, and it will squat on the ground with every feather elevated ready for the attack, and woe betide the enemy, who comes in contact with the long sharp bill, for it makes its attack directly at the face of the enemy.

We would like to discuss briefly the difference between the game bird, and the non-game bird; We know that when our country was young that animals and birds were very numerous and whenever a hunter went out to procure meat, the ones at hand were the first taken, except only when some special meat was wanted did he pass up the ones easy to get.

Wild meat was necessary for the early settlers until they had time to get domestic flocks and herds started, and naturally the more meat an animal or bird supplied, the more desireable it was to the settler who also had to clear his land and till his soil and build his buildings, so the deer and turkey soon began to grow scarce, then the smaller birds and animals came in for their share of slaughter.

Strings of Robins and Meadowlark were not uncommon sights in the public markets, and dressed venison hung side by side with domestic meats, one winter when as a girl we spent some time in the Ozarks we saw the venison hanging in the public markets.

With the rapid growing population and no check on hunting, soon a great many birds were being decimated and a number were becoming extinct, among these was the Eskimo Curlew, Labrador Duck, and the great Auk as well as the smaller Passanger Pigeon, the Heath Hen, and our own Parakeets.

Swans and Cranes were also hunted and even song birds, with all of this slaughter and the clearing of the lands for farming and home building, which naturally exposed the game to more danger, and it soon became evident to a few wise people that some steps must be taken to protect our birds and other game.

And that some decision must be made between game birds and non-game, and even then nesting seasons must be recognized and also time for the rearing the young, and that bag limits must be designated and strictly adhered to, if we were to have wild game to hunt, and to keep the proper balance of nature.

So it was decided that to be a game bird, it must serve it's best function as game. It should not be a greater destroyer of insects, nor should it be of greater asthetic value.

Another important consideration was, that it should be prolific, so that specie could with stand the added strain of being hunted. Some birds like the swan that does not nest until they are two or three years old, or the shore birds that lay only three or four eggs, or the crane that lays only two eggs, cannot be considered game birds or they would soon be extinct.

Most hunters say they hunt for the sport of hunting, so usually the trustful tame species like the shore birds that fly in a compact flock and make it possible for one discharge of a gun to kill a large number will never be considered game birds.

During the hunting season we will always have hunters who will kill non-game birds and animals and even kill them out of season, but the level headed thoughful hunters know, that the restrictions are for their benefit as well as for other hunters, and they will obey the game laws as well as the other laws.

I hope I have clarified the game situation and not made it more confusing, natually every one who loves birds and animals would be very happy if birds and animals were not hunted at all, but those who have made close study of the question must admit that a limited amount of hunting helps to keep the balance of nature, and makes it possible for the food supply to be adequate.

We believe we were writing about the American Bittern, although it is not too plentiful in this area, it can often be seen standing on a post or shrub near a body of water, one prominent field mark it it's posture, it will stand with it's long bill pointing skyward and the streaks on the breast help to camouflage it as a discolored limb or old root.

The wonderful Creator has given it this means of hiding, and it depends on it so implicitly, that, if it is on the ground it will almost be trodden on before it will move.

The bittern nests mostly in the marshes and builds over the water, attaching it's nest to reeds or cattails, it lays from four to six eggs which are olive brown to blend with the surroundings.

The Least Bittern is so small that Audubon found that it could pass readily between two books set one inch apart, this enables it to get into small crevices between reeds to find it's food, which comprises small fish, frogs, insects and tad poles.

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Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. James Lindeman of St. Petersburg spent the weekend with her aunt, Mrs. Paul Garber. Mrs. Lindeman sang in the Christmas program of the Cancel Choir at the Congregational Church on Sunday evening.

Mrs. M. J. Thompson and her son, John, and Morris Adams attended the Book Exhibit at Southern College in Lakeland on Friday afternoon. This is an outstanding display of new and old books done with clever scenes, such as the Sugar Plum Tree, to which all adults and children are invited. It is an annual event with no charge.

Miss Nancy Ginn was driven home on Thursday from Stetson U. by her father, C. R. Ginn. Nancy will be home for the Christmas vacation.

Mr. Stafford Williams and his daughter, Thetis, drove to Tallahassee on Friday to bring their daughter and sister, Sandra, home for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Booth and their children, Steve and Susan, spent last weekend in Tampa visiting her mother, Mrs. C. E. Johnson.

Cadets Ronnie and Freddie Sachsenmaer of George Military Academy arrived Wednesday at the Tampa airport where they were met by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sachenmaer. Ronnie and Freddie will spend the Christmas holidays at home.

Miss Marjorie Hess and Mrs. Blanche Barron of Waukegan, Ill. will be the guests of their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Easton, at their home on Lake Viela during the Christmas holidays.

Out of twon guests at the Starkey-Weber wedding were The Rev. and Mrs. John E. Pickens, Jr., and their family of New Smyrna Beach, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fowler and their son, David, and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Southern of Valapariso.

Mr. B. C. Hardstock of Detriot, Mich. spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis and their children, Winifred and Danny, spent Sunday visiting friends in Lake Wales.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nurnberger of St. Louis, Mich., are spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Easton. Mr. Nurnberger is the Superintendent of School in St. Louis, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson and their family are spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. E. C. Wever, and sister, Mrs. Bill Sachenmaer. The Thompsons are from Chattanooga, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Shallcross of Ft. Huron, Mich. are spending several weeks in Avon Park and visiting with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Easton.

E. C. Lewis of Chicago, Ill. is visiting his brother and sister-in law, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Lewis for the Christmas holidays. He is also visiting other relatives.

Miss Betty DeVries and Mr. Earl Manning of Grand Rapids, Michigan, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ruth of Michigan have arrived to spend the winter in Avon Park.

Walter Cook, a student at Carson Newman College, Jefferson City, Tenn., and Robert Cook, a student at Southeastern Seminary in Wake Forest, N. C., will arrive Sunday to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Cook. Betty Holman of Sunniland will also spend the week with the Cooks. Betty lived with the Cooks for a while last winter and is well known in Avon Park.

Willoise Wilson will arrive Friday from Atlanta, Ga., where she is in nurses' training at Georgia Baptist Hospital, to spend a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lynch are spending the Christmas holidays visiting in Miami.

Recently Mr. and Mrs. Harry Culp, Mrs. Mae Ferry, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilcox spent the day in Clearwater and Tampa.

Mrs. F. H. Gregg and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Rhiner of Cleveland, Ohio, spent last Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Renfro and plan to return for another visit soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Askew are spending the Christmas holidays in Detroit, Mich.

Frances Fisher and Susan Brown will arrive Saturday from FSU in Tallahassee to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Welch Fisher, and Mr. and Mrs. Raeburn Brown.

Mrs. Pearl Miller and her daughter, Debbie, of Pleasant Hill, Ill., arrived Monday to spend the Christmas and New Years holidays with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Runkle and their family. The two families plan a trip to the Florida Keys this weekend for several days and have already taken in Cypress Gardens and other points of interest in the Ridge Area.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Culp and their son, Eddie, will leave Christmas week for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Culp, in Lancaster, S. C., and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Morrow, in Charlotte, N. C. They will be gone about a week.

Sgt. and Mrs. Jack O'Steen of Ft. Jackson, S. C., have arrived to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Willis. They will visit some of Sgt. O'Steen relatives while in Avon Park, also.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Hall and their baby son, David, of Mission, Kansas, arrived Monday to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sutherland of Lake Worth will arrive Wednesday to spend the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. C. P. Anderson.

Miss Sarah Sellars, Avon Park teacher, is in Walker Memorial Hospital recuperating from an attack of virus pneumonia. She is improving and is allowed visitors.

Wayne Knowles, who is stationed in San Diego, Cal. in the Navy, will arrive this weekend to spend the Christmas holidays with his mother, Mrs. A. O. Knowles.

The Avon Park Sun will go to press early next week and it would be greatly appreciated if everyone would call their personals and locals to Mrs. Betty Anderson, GI 24231 on Thursday and Friday of this week. If you are having company or going away don't neglect to let the Sun know! Thank you!

Misses Mary Ann Wolverton and Mary Ann Nader will arrive Thursday from Orlando where they are in nurses training at the Orange Memorial Hospital to spend the holidays with their mothers, Mrs. Doritt Wolverton and Mrs. Daisy Nader.

Robert Palmer is home on leave from his station in California spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Christine Palmer. Robert will leave for overseas duty when his leave is over.

The boys and girls of Mrs. Jo Culp's Day Nursery and Play School enjoyed at Christmas party on Thursday morning. Santa Clause came to delight the children and left a bag of candy for everybody. Gifts were exchanged under the tree which the children had decorated themselves and everybody enjoyed cookies, hot chocolate and candy.

Bob Tomlinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Tomlinson, will arrive Saturday by plane for the Christmas holidays with his family. Bob is a student at Eastern Kentucky State College in Richmond, Ky.

Mrs. Virginia Carnegia left Sunday by bus for Los Angeles, Cal., where she will spend the holidays with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Peacock.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Prisoo spent last weekend in Orlando.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel O. Norris left early Thursday morning for Aiken, S. C. where they will spend the Christmas holidays with her niece and nephew-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Harold.

Mrs. C. P. Anderson, Mrs. A. B. Sircom, and Mrs. J. A. Landerer went to Lake Worth on Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sutherland and their daughter, Tracey Erle. Tracey Erle returned with them for a visit with her grandmoher, Mrs. C. P. Anderson and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Christy and their three daughters of Tarentum, Pa. will arrive this week to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Helen Christy, and sister, Miss Jean Christy.

Garden Club Held Christmas Tea Dec. 12

The Avon Park Federated Garden Clubs held their Christmas tea on Thursday afternoon, Dec. 12, at the lovely home of Mrs. W. C. Touchton on Lake Letta.

Colorful Christmas decorations featuring flowers, ornaments, and other Christmas trimmings added to the beauty of the rooms. The hostesses for he tea were Mrs. H. E. Keller, Mrs. J. Paul Garber, Mrs. A. B. Sircom, Mrs. Charles Kempton, Mrs. John Hood, and Mrs. Arlin King.

Mrs. George Kelsey, President of the Avon Park Federated Garden Clubs, introduced Mrs. A. C. Wester, Program Chairman, who introduced the members of her very entertaining Christmas program. Mrs. I. H. Ford gave a Christmas reading. Miss Winifred Roe played two selection, "It Came Upon A Midnight Clear" and "O! Little Town of Bethelehem", on her musical bells. Miss Roe also played "Silent Night" and "There's A Song in the Air" on a vibra-harp. At the request of the club members she played "The Bells of St. Mary's" on the musical bells as her last number.

The table was covered with a white cloth colorfully arranged with red poinsettias and the silver pieces. Mrs. George Kelsey, Mrs. I. H. Ford, Mrs. A. C. Wester, and Mrs. Ernest A. Shepherd.

A new seedling hibiscus "Gretchen Graves" won the top award in the best commercial blossom classification at the Daytona Beach Hibiscus Show recently. It was exhibited by H. Hopkins of the Sunniland Nursery.

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Wedding Plans Announced For Miss Sarah Shaw

Miss Sarah Shaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shaw, has announced the plans for her approaching marriage to Charles Louis Roux, son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Roux of Tampa.

The wedding will take place in the First Baptist Church of Avon Park on Monday, Dec. 23, at 8 o'clock. The Rev. Aden Childress will perform the ceremony. A program of nupital music will be presented before the wedding by Mrs. J. B. Coen and Clement McFarland.

Miss Shaw will be given in marriage by her father. Mrs. Casey Windham of Columbus, Ga., and sister of the bride-elect, will be matron of honor. Attendants will be Miss Janet Stimson and Mrs. Tommy Stimson of Mt. Dora. Little Pamela Murphy will be flower girl.

Serving the bridegroom-elect as best man will be Casey Windham of Columbus, Ga.

Ushers will be Freddie Guerndt and Danny Willis.

There will be a reception in the Social Hall of the church immediately following the ceremony.

Miss Patricia Ann Lawrence Became Bride Of James F. Sellers December 8



In a candlelight ceremony before an altar banked with palms and baskets of white gladioli and chrysanthemums Miss Patricia Ann Lawrence became the bride of James F. Sellers on Sunday, Dec. 8, at 4 o'clock in the First Methodist Church. The Rev. Wilmer O. Luttrell read the marriage vows before an altar rail decorated with pink and white poms-poms and the bridal arch was arranged with fern and white poms-poms.

A program of nupital music was presented before the double ring ceremony by Miss Pat Basemore who sang "Because" and Always". Miss Salie Harrison played the organ and was assisted by Miss Sally Sayers.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white lace over satin ballerina length gown with a long sleeved fitted lace jacket. Her illusion veil fell from a dainty cap of lace and satin and she carried a white Bible topped with a white orchid.

Miss Eve Campbell, maid of honor, wore a rose pink lace ballerina length dress and carried a bouquet of pink and while chrysanthemums.

Jeril Clenney of Ft. Meade served the bridegroom as best man. Ushers were Earl Sellers, brother of the bridgroom, and Alton Bourne of Bowling Green.

A reception followed the ceremony in Wesley Hall which was decorated with pink and white chrysanthemums. The bride's table was covered with a white cloth and held the lovely four tiered wedding cake which was topped with a minature bride and groom. The cake and punch bowl were surrounded by pink and white pom-poms and fern.

Mrs. Jeril Clenney presided at the Bride's Book. Mrs. Wilmer O. Luttrell served the guests punch and Mrs. T. O. Martin cut the cake. Miss Janice Mott, Miss Hazel O'Conner, and Miss Shirley Hall helped serve the guests. Mrs. Hayes Maxwell also assisted with the serving.

The young couple will live in Avon Park. Mrs. Sellers is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Lawerence of Avon Park and James Sellers is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Sellers of Bowling Green.



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Births

Pfc. and Mrs. John Pipkin of Columbus, Ga., are the proud parents of a son, John Virgal, born on Nov. 26 and weighing six pounds. Mrs. Pipkin is the former Clara Jo Still of Avon Park. Mrs. Virgal Still spent a week in Columbus with her daughter and new grandson.

WALKER MEMORIAL

To Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Rhoden of Lakeland, a daughter, Tamela Marie, born December 9. Birth weight 7 pounds, 8 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Julian Asbury Sapp of Lake Placid a son, Horace Eugene, born December 9. Birth weight 7 pounds, 10 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Herman Otley Brooks of Fort Meade, a daughter, Judith Elaine, born December 10. Birth weight 8 pounds.

To Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lamar of Sebring, a daughter, Barbara Jean, born December 11. Birth weight 6 pounds, 4 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Fletcher, a son, Kennith Edwin, born December 11. Birth weight 6 pounds, 10 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Dause Albritton, Jr. of Wauchula, a son, Samuel Jay, born December 12. Birth weight 7 pounds, 15 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bolden of Zolfo Springs, a son, Jerry Wayne, born December 13. Birth weight 9 pounds, 12 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blane Meeks a daughter, Linda Lee, born December 14. Birth weight 4 pounds 8¼ ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. George Lesley Bush of Lake Placid, a son, Neal, born December 16. Birth weight 8 pounds, 8 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth J. R. Strout of Sebring, a son, Melvin Eugene, born December 16. Birth weight 10 pounds, 8 ounces.

Bald eagles are so named because of the effect of the white feathers on their heads.

Sans Souci Bridge Club Enjoys Christmas Dinner

The Sans Souci Bridge Club members enjoyed a Christmas dinner at Tomae in Sebring on Tuesday evening, December 17.

After a delicious supper the group exchanged Christmas gifts and played bridge later in the evening. Members present were Mr. A. B. Wilhite, Mrs. Paxton Hill, Mrs. Alice Sherman, Mrs. Raymond Diley, Mrs. Ben Stewart, Miss Mildren Myers, Mrs. C. R. Ginn, Miss Millie Pearson, and Miss Ann Felton, a guest.

Fla. Ave. Baptist Church News

The Young People's Sunday School Class enjoyed a Christmas party and spaghetti supper in the Social Hall of the church on Friday evening, December 13.

The tables were festive with Christmas decorations using candles and chrysanthemums.

After the delicious supper games with a Christmas theme were enjoyed by the members. Fourteen members of the class were present for the supper and exchange of small Christmas gifts.

The evening came to an end with the reading of the Christmas Story from Luke and the singing of "Silent Night".

The Women's Missionary Society of the Florida Baptist Church sponsored a shower for the Carr children, Linda, Jolene, and Gary, whose parents were killed recently in an automobile accident on Highway 27. All the ladies of the church participated in the shower. It was held at the home of Mrs. Ray Hall who is keeping the children with her.

Congregational Church News

The Ladies Aid held their regular Christmas meeting and covered dish luncheon on Wednesday, December 11, in the Parish House with forty-five members and guests present.

Mrs. W. A. Rogers gave a Christmas story and devotional message.

Mrs. Samuel Norris, President, presented each guest and member with a personal Christmas card they had made for them. After the meeting gifts were exchanged and the ladies enjoyed an afternoon of visiting and fellowship.

The Men's Fellowship Group held their December meeting at the Florida Power Clubhouse on Friday evening, December 13, with a delicious chicken and rice supper.

After the supper and business meeting the program was presented. "Escape Route" and excellent movie concerning the ever-present problems of atomic warfare greatly impressed the group.

Hosts for the evening were Bill Hood, Roger Ziegler, and Lamar Wild.

Members and friends of the Congregational Church enjoyed an excellent program of Christmas music on Sunday evening when the Chancel Choir presented its outstanding program. After the program the choir members and their families were entertained with an open house by Mrs. Jo Lander, Mrs. A. B. Sircom, and Mrs. C. P. Anderson at Mrs. Anderson's home to show their appreciation for the faithful service of the choir and their director, Mrs. J. Paul Garber.

The scheduled Young Adult Class Christmas party will be postponed until January because of a conflict in dates.

Friday night, December 20, the children of the church will be entertained with a Christmas party in the Parish House.

Sunday night, December 22, the Children's Choir and the Sunday School will present their annual Christmas pageant in the Church at 7:30.

Rebekah Lodge Welcomes Two New Members

The Eleanor Seaverns Rebekah Lodge No. 65 held its regular meeting on Monday night, Dec. 16, at 8 o'clock in the Brickell Building.

The members were happy to welcome two new members into their group. Mrs. Bessie Decker was a transfer from the Sunlight Rebegah Lodge 369 in Brooklyn, Pa., and Mrs. Thelma Sherwood of Bennington, N. Y., was initiated into the Rebekahs by Mrs. Glady Hagen, acting Noble Grand.

Mrs. Martha Fitzsimmons of Sebring, District Department President, was a welcome visitor at the meeting. Mrs. Mary Anderson of Sebring accompanied Mrs. Fitzsimmons.

Fruitcake and coffee were served after the meeting.

At the next regular meeting of the Rebekahs on Jan. 6, 1958, the new officers for the coming year will be installed. All members are urged to attend.

Starkey - Weber Vows Exchanged At Lake Byrd Lodge On Dec. 13

Mrs. Nancy Starkey became the bride of Philip F. Weber in an impressive double ring ceremony performed by the Rev. John E. Pickens, at Lake Byrd Lodge on Friday, Dec. 13, at 7:30.

The marriage rites were read before a bank of palms with baskets of white gladioli and chrysanthemums and white candles in two candelabra. Mrs. Edna Jackson presented a program of nupital music before the ceremony and Mrs. Samuel O. Norris sang "The Lord's Prayer" and "O, Promise Me".

The bride is the daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. John E. Pickens and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip L. Weber.

Entering on the arm of her brother, The Rev. John E. Pickens, Jr., the bride wore an ice blue street length dress of satin with a tulle drape falling from the back shoulder. She carried a corsage of white carnations highlighted with blue tulle butterflies.

Mrs. W. E. Flower, sister of the bride, was her only attendant. Mrs. Fowler wore a beige satin dress and carried a white flower muff.

Robert Whitcomb served the bridegroom as best man.

Mrs. John Pickens, the bride's mother, wore a blue suit with a pink carnation corsage and Mrs. Philip L. Weber, the bridegroom's mother, also wore a navy dress with a pink carnation corsage.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held in the Dining Room of Lake Byrd Lodge. The bridge's table was covered with a beautiful cloth of white eyelet and decorated with poinsettias and three white wedding cakes topped with angels. White camellias were arranged around the cakes. Punch and coffee were served the guests from two other attractive tables.

Mrs. W. E. Fowler, Mrs. H. A. Southern, sisters of the bride, and Mrs. John E. Pickens, Jr., sister-in-law of the bride, served the guests at the reception. Mrs. Philip L. Weber served the cake. The Bride's Book was kept by Mrs. John Garber, Jr.

Out of twon guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fowler and their son David, of Jacksonville, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Southern of Valapariso and The Rev. and Mrs John E. Pickens, Jr., and their children of New Smyrna.

Mrs. Van Meter Honored At Surprise Party

Mrs. Pauline Van Meter was honored with a surprise birthday party on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 15, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Meyers.

The guests and the surprised Mrs. Van Meter were served birthday cake and cold drinks. Mrs. Van Meter received lovely and useful gifts.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Sizemore and their three sons, Mr. and Mrs. Minter Hall and their four children, Mrs. Benny Harvey and her son, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Meyers and their daughters, Gale and Rena.

Episcopal Church News

St. Margaret's Auxiliary of the Church of the Redeemer met on Wednesday, December 11, at the home of Mrs. Demos Mandis for their Christmas meeting.

The meeting was followed with a delicious covered dish luncheon and Manwood was beautifully decorated in the Christmas tradition.

Father Peter Waterson, Vicar, spoke on "The Incarnation" to the members present.

Hostesses for the day were Mr. Demos Mandis, Mrs. Frank Kinner, Mrs. Mable Buckelew, and Mrs. Stuart Ward.

Boichat - La Flam

Miss Marie Boichat of Kelowna, British Columbia, Canada, became the bride of Leslie LaFlam of Avon Park on Monday, December 16, at 2:30 in the home of Mr and Mrs. J. R. Bennett.

The Rev. Herbert Graetz performed the double ring ceremony with members of the immediate family in attendance.

The young couple will live in Avon Park where Mr. LaFlam is employed with the State Prison Camp.

Locals.....

Mr. and Mrs. Devon Reddick and Devorah will leave Saturday for a Christmas visit with Mrs. Reddick's parents' Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richardson, in Louisville, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gatewood of Memphis, Tenn. will arrive Saturday to spend the Christmas holidays with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Watson.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Landress for Christmas will be their children, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Landress and their children, Lisa and Kevin of Cocoa; Miss Jackie Landress of Tampa, and Mrs. Richard Mason of Miami. The Richard Landresses will also visit her mother, Mrs. Ralph Herring.

Mrs. Kathleen Boichat of Kelowna, British Columbia, Canada, has been spending the past week in Avon Park and attended the wedding of her daughter, Marie, to Leslie LaFlam. She returned to Canada this week.



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First Baptist Church News

The 15 year old Girl's Auxiliary met Monday, December 9, at the home of Mrs. Raymond Cook for their regular meeting. The program was "Missions in Africa" as their part of the observance of the Week of Prayer being held in the church.

Each girl brought a white offering for the Christmas basket for a needy family. The members present were Mrs. Cook, the leader, Judy Hallam, Betty Sue Mills, Carolyn Arnold, Elora Kelly, Sandra Cook, and Mrs. Bob Henderson, leader also.

About fifty Sunbeams attended the Christmas party in the Social Hall on Monday afternoon, December 16.

Mrs. W. C. Touchton explained to the boys and girls how the money in their Missionary Banks was spent and what work it did in foreign fields. Mrs. Charles F. Kenny told the Christmas story to the youngsters.

Refreshments were served after the program and each child received a small gift. The Alice Tumblin Circle was in charge of the party. Mrs. Herbert Todd, Mrs. Willis Robinson, Mrs. Malcom Crews, Mrs. Willie Cloud, Mrs. Harmon Atkins, Mrs. Earl Futch Mrs. Bill Myers and Mrs. Gerald Wicker served the children. Other guests were Mrs. Emil Lahr, Mrs. Jim Turnbull, and Mrs. Bill Martin.

The Young Married Couple Department entertained its members with a Christmas Starlight Banquet in the Social Hall on Monday evening, December 16, with a large number of members present.

Stars were hung from the ceiling with clouds of angel hair to give the lovely effect of the heavens which was aided by the use of blue lights. The tables were decorated with white candles and the large centerpiece was a foil big dipper with stars surrounding it. A delicious ham

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"Teen - Town Talk"

Chaperones for the regular Saturday night get together at the Recreation Center, were Mrs. Jack DeLaney, Mrs. C. A. Alwood and Youth Center Director Andy Miracle. Around 60 were present.

A party was held at Teen Town Friday night for the three Ninth Grade Classes. Present in addition to the students were teachers, Mrs. Jane Hall, Mr. Henry Culp and Mr. Lee Maness. Home Room Mothers in attendance were Mrs. Ed Gardner, Mrs. Marianna King, Mrs. Gladys Rush, Mrs. Jack DeLaney, Mrs. H. W. Harden and Mrs. Hubbert Biggs. Other guests were Mr. Ed Gardner, Mr. Bill Kellog and Mrs. Lee Maness. Sally Nute gave a reading and Max Still sang two solos. Sandwiches and hot chocolate were the refreshments.

Wednesday the 19th, two of the Seventh Grade Classes will have their Christmas party at the Club.

Thursday the Glee Club will have a party after the musical program at the school. Bye for now and Merry Christmas to all!

First Methodist Church News

The members of Circle 4 held their annual Christmas banquet and party at Wesley Hall on Tuesday night, December 10.

The table was decorated with red candles and holly on the white cloth. After a delicious chicken and dressing dinner a program was given. Mrs. I. H. Ford told a Christmas story. Eve Campbell, Peggy Bussard and Salie Harrison sang several Christmas songs. The Rev. Willmer Luttrell gave the blessing and devotional message.

After the program the members revealed the names of their Sunshine Sisters and drew new ones for the coming year. This is a clever custom of Circle 4 which they follow annually. In a secret drawing each Christmas each member receives the name, birth date, anniversary, etc. of another member. During the year she is the Sunshine sister to this named member and remembers her birthday, etc. and is a literal "good fairy" all without revealing her identity. At the end of the year all is told. This custom affords a great deal of pleasure and suspense to Circle Four. The twenty-five present finished the evening with the singing of Christmas carols.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. John Cuttenden, Mrs. David McDaniel, Mrs. Ruby Johns and Mrs. Colin DeShong. Serving the tables were Martha O'Steen, Linda Griffin, Faye Watford, and Alice Hollingsworth.

Circle 2 met at the home of Mrs. Allen Kindel on Tuesday morning, December 10, for their regular monthly meeting and Christmas party.

After a delicious snack and coffee served by the hostess the group enjoyed Mrs. Hayes Maxwell's Christmas program. There were nineteen members present and Mrs. Pearl Flich, a former resident, was a guest.

After the regular business meeting the members enjoyed a party and exchange of small Christmas gifts.

Circle 1 held their Christmas Luncheon meeting in Wesley Hall on Tuesday, December 10 with a large number of members present.

Mrs. George Kelsey told "The Strange Story of a Traveller to Bethelem" and Mrs. Wilmer O. Luttrell led the group in prayer.

The tables for the luncheon were lovely with Christmas flowers. Hostesses for the day were Mrs. Mary Ellenberger, Mrs. Charles Dissenger, and Mrs. S. C. Pardee, Sr. During the meeting the Circle presented Mrs. Luttrell with a piece of her chosen silver as a token of love and appreciation.

There will be a Church School Party on Friday, December 20, in Wesley Hall at 7:30. All members and their friends are cordially invited to attend this party.

Music Students Featured In Xmas Recital

A music recital featuring Christmas music was presented to parents and guests at the home of Mrs. J. C. Lawhon by her students on Friday afternoon, December 13.

Performers who participated during the program included James Stocker, Coye Kay Nutt, Betty Hutchinson, David Stocker, Pep Hutchinson, Eddie DeLaney, Gail Bennett, Gary Bennett, Sarah Simmons, Melba Simmons, Debbie Ward, Billy Miracle, Andy Miracle, Robert Duggan, Latham Smith, Frankie Smith, Beverly Giddens, Robert King, Patricia Jones, Anita Luncomb, Sally Nute, Hazel Brown, Dale Pearl, Margaret Wendt, Karen Kirkland, Lanse Padgett and Claire Maxwell.

Coffee - Bridge Held Dec. 10

About forty ladies enjoyed the Coffee-Bridge Party given by the ladies of Group 4 of the Senior Woman's Club on Tuesday, Dec. 10, in the Woman's Club Building.

Hostesses for the lovely morning were Mrs. Phil Weber, Mrs. Hubert Bussard, Mrs. Tom Johnston, and Mrs. Glenn Easton.

The first door prize was won by Mrs. R. F. Peters, and the second prize was won by Mrs. Robert Watson. The winner of high score at each table also won a prize.

Jacaranda Hotel Scene Of Women's Club Banquet

The Business Women's Club held their annual Christmas Banquet on Monday, Dec. 16, in the Dining Room of the Jacaranda Hotel.

The Dinning Room was beautifully decorated and filled with the spirit of Christmas. The tables were covered with white cloths and green and red foliage highlighted them. A small Christmas tree served as the centerpiece.

After the delicious turkey dinner the members went to the home of Mrs. Betty Sullivan for their Christmas party. There they enjoyed the large beautiful Christmas tree as they opened their gifts. The Sullivan home was beautifully decorated with candles, Christmas scenes and Brazilian pepper foliage.

Bingo was played later in the evening for the six lovely prizes.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Betty Sullivan, Mrs. Ethel Williamson, Mrs. Kathleen Lee, Mrs. Violet Hollingsworth, Mrs. Maxine Martin, and Miss Mattie Tompkins.

About twenty-eight members were present. Miss Kate Tompkins and Mrs. Mary Stevens were guests for the evening.

Jane Maxwell Elected To Phi Beta Kappa

Gainesville. - Jane Maxwell, daughter of T. H. Maxwell, E. Plesant St., Avon Park, has been elected to Phi Beta Kappa at the University of Florida, it was announced this week.

Miss Maxwell is a graduating senior in the College of Arts and Sciences. She is among five students of that college and one from the College of Law to be initiated at a banquet Jan. 10.

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Mrs. Greenleaf Passed Away Wednesday A.M.

Mrs. Mabel Greenleaf, widow of Harold Greenleaf, passed away in her sleep Wednesday morning, December 18, in her room at the Jacaranda Hotel.

Mrs. Greenleaf has been a resident of Avon Park for the past two years, coming here from Massachusetts. She has no immediate survivors.

At press time this morning the hour and date for survices had not been decided.

Stephenson Funeral Home of Avon Park is in charge of arrangements.

Suit Filed To Reclaim Deposit

A suit was filed against Raymond and Thelma Dilley by Otto J. Trott, an associate of Cove Realty of Pompano Beach on November 22 in the Clark's Office in Sebring and papers were served Monday, December 23, by the Sheriff's Department.

The purpose of the suit is to cancel, rescind and set aside a contract entered between the parties and to require the defendants to return to the plaintiff the deposit of $3,000 which was made on said contract plus interest on deposit and the expenses incurred by the plantiff and to impose an equitable lien on the property in the amount of $3,000 plus interest and expenses to secure the payment to the plaintiff.

The property mentioned includes approximately 334 acres located in the Bombing Range Section on which Trott put up a $3,000 deposit with Raymond Dilley, owner, when he wanted to purchase said land.

Last Rites Held Saturday For Jack Pollard

A. J. (Jack) Pollard, 72, father of Mrs. Marie Betts of Avon Park, and a lifelong resident of Ft. Meade passed away Wednesday night, December 11, in the Palmetto Clinic in Wauchula.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Ethel W. Pollard, Fort Meade; three sons, L. L. Pollard and C. E. Pollard, of Fort Meade and James H. Pollard, Auburndale; three daughters, Mrs. Mildred Moore, Germany, Mrs. Marie Betts, Avon Park and Mrs. Thelma Losh, Bartow; one brother, Sam Pollard, Albany, Ga.; four sisters, Mrs. Viola Collins, Miami, Mrs. Charles Harrington, Frostproof, Mrs. Duke Homey, Blackstone, Va., and Mrs. Cassie Martin, West Palm Beach.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon, the Bevis Funeral Home Chapel with The Rev. McClellan of Mulberry officiating. Interment was in the Corinth Cemetery.

Cub Scout News

The Avon Park Cub Scouts are in desperate need of at least one Den Mother and could use two. If anyone is interested in this worthwhile work please get in touch with Cubmaster Jack DeLaney or Mrs. L. A. Renfro.

There are boys in Avon Park who would like to be Cub Scouts but there are not now enough Dens for them. A new Den Mother is needed to take the place of someone who must resign. Come on Avon Park and help these boys have a chance to participate in Cub work.

Dromedary is a camel, either one-or-two-humped, of a breed and training fitting it riding purposes.



FLORIDA ROSE GARDEN BECOMES ICELAND SCENE. Mrs. C. W. Meeker's beautiful rose garden located between Meeker's Hitching Post Restaurant and Meeker's Phillips 66 Service Station on Highway 27 North was a picture of ice and beauty Thursday morning with icicles better than twenty inches long. Visitors stopped all day Thursday to take pictures of the beautiful scene, but all admitted that they hoped they had seen the last of icicles in Florida. Will the rose bushes live, we hope so for Mrs. Meeker's garden was a sight to behold when the roses were in bloom.

Locals . .

Joe Keith Skipper of California and Larry Skipper of Muskegon, Mich. will arrive this weekend to spend the Christmas holidays with their mother, Mrs. W. O. Skipper. This will be the first time that Jo Keith, who is in the Navy, has been home in three years and the family is looking forward to a pleasant reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Windham and their baby have arrived to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shaw, and take part in the wedding of her sister, Sarah, on Monday, Dec. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hemphill will leave Friday for Ackerman, Miss. to spend the Christmas holidays visiting relatives and friends.

Last Rites Held Wednesday For Samuel Stewart

Samuel Stewart, 76, 125 East Canfield, passed away at Walker Memorial Hospital Tuesday morning, December 17. He was a landscape gardener and was born in Faugher, Ireland. For the past two years he has been a resident of Avon Park coming here from Cobalt, Conn., but has wintered here for the past nine years.

Mr. Stewart was a member of the Episcopal Church, Masonic Order, Odd Fellows Lodge, and a member of the American Mechanics.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Ada M. Stewart of Avon Park; one daughter, Mrs. Raymond Ross of New Milford, Conn.; one son, Charles Stewart of Cobalt, Conn.; one sister, Mrs. David Alcorn of Philadelphia, Pa.; and three grandsons.

Funeral services were held Wednesday morning at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer with Father Peter F. Watterson officiating. Pallbearers were A. C. Wester, George Borden, Franklyn Ward, Bill Monsalvatge, Joe Kuhn and Demos Mandis.

The remains were forwarded to East Hampton, Conn. for interment.

Mizelle Funeral Home was in charge of local arrangements.

Glee Club To Present Program

The Avon Park High School Glee Club and Band will present an outstanding program of Christmas music for the P. T. A. tonight, December 19, at 8 o'clock in the Auditorium.

This program will contain music to fit the tastes of children of all ages and have some delightfully different numbers as well as the old standbys.

All parents, teachers, friends, and citizens of Avon Park are cordially invited to attend the program tonight.

Ralph Herman's Interest In Avon Lakes Purchased

The new co-owners, who purchased 'Ralph V. Herman's interest in the Avon Lakes Corporation, S. W. Bogley, Jr., Hyattsville, Md.; Commander O. L. Young, United States Navy, retired; Captain W. A. Bryant, United States Air Force, were in town for a special conference concerning further plans for a golf course and buildings at Avon Lakes.

Watch the Avon Park Sun for a complete news release on the Avon Lakes Corperation which will be published the first of the year.

Santa Claus Is Now At Touchton's Drug

Santa Claus arrived at Touchton's Drug Store last Saturday to visit with all the little girls and boys of Avon Park. Santa was seen greeting the children Saturday in front of Touchton's where special arrangements have been made for his big chair.

Santa will again listen to the desires of the children this coming Saturday, December 21, from 10 a.m. until 12 noon, and also Saturday afternoon between 2 and 4.

If you haven't told Santa what you want for Christmas hurry to Touchton's Drug Store and visit him. Santa will also be at Touchton's Monday and Tuesday of next week, so make Mama take you to see jolly Old Saint Nick.

Dinosaurs ranged from housecat size to monsters 90 feet long weighing 40 tons.

NOTICE

Due to circumstances beyond our control our office at Wells Motor Co. in Avon Park will not be open this year for the selling of 1958 Fla. License Tags, because of a change in law. We will mail tags to those who cannot come to the Court House in Sebring. Add an additional 50 cents for mailing. Be sure to enclose 1957 Florida Registration slip.

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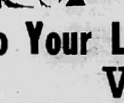

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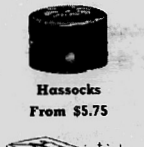

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Rufus Neal and Elsie Grant Sellars to Walter S. Betts, Lot 13, Blk 78, Avon Park, Sec. 22, Twp 33, R 28. $750.

Highlands Hills Inc. to Josephine L. Rogers. Lots 30 and 31, Blk 5, Sec. G, Highlands Park Estates. $1200.

Anna Catherine Wright to J. H. Moore Memorial Church of the Brethern of Sebring. Lot 11, Blk 81, 2nd Addition Sebring. $9,000.

Paul R., Sr., and Bessie Ethel Peters to H. A. and Dorothy Pfaff, Lots 15 and 16, Blk 35, of Irreg. Tract "R", Sebring. $5,000.

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Avon Park Chamber of Commerce Inc. to Stephen A. and Agnes K. Sturdevant. Lots 3335 and 3336, Unit 17, Avon Park Lakes. $600.

Joe and Vera L. Tucker to L. S. and Louise G. Sims. Lot 10, Blk 88-C, Kenilworth Park. $7200.

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Murray and Hazel Wilson to Griffin Citrus Service Co. Lot 4, Blk 1; Lots 1 and 8, Blk 2, Sec. 11, Twp 33, R28. $32,000.

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Harold D. and Ella L. Gaylor, Turman E. and Julia G. Gaylor to Ernest M. and Charlotte N. Breed. Lot 7 and 8, SD of lots and 2, Blk 95, Sebring. $22,500.

Bruce M. and Ruby Biggs to Stanley E. and Freda Wilson. Lot 9. Blk 90, Lake Lillian. $825.

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Highlands Downs Inc. to Joseph A. and Carol Ann Masotto. Lot 19, Blk 23, Sec. R, Highlands Park Estates. $1,000.

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Florence A. Crawford to Fred B. and Dorothy B. Cavender. Lands in Sec. 25, Twp 36, R 29. $17,400.

Steven S. and Anne L. Hudeck to Sam Davlin, Jr. Lot 26 per survey made by James F. McLure, Jr. $1,000.

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That the parties interested in said business enterprise are as follows:
Cleo M. Hovey and Minnie Hovey.
Dated at Avon Park, Highlands County, Florida December 2, 1957.
Pub. Dec. 5, 12, 19, 26

LEGAL AD
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CURTIS JENKINS, Plaintiff,
vs. CASE NO. 8888
GERALDINE JENKINS, Defendant.
BILL FOR DIVORCE
NOTICE OF PUBLICATION
TO THE DEFENDANT, MERIEN GERALDINE JENKINS, WHOSE PLACE OF RESIDENCE IS UNKNOWN, BUT THAT SUCH LAST KNOWN ADDRESS WAS 977 PAUL, DETROIT 7, MICHIGAN.
You are hereby notified that a Bill of Complaint has been filed in this Court, in which Curtis Jenkins is the Plaintiff, and you are the Defendant, and the relief sought is an absolute divorce. You are therefore required to file your answer or other written defense in this cause on or before the 8th day of December, A. D. 1957, and this such filing may be done by mail, sending the original thereof to the Honorable H. T. Piety, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Sebring, Florida, and a copy to Otis Whitehurst, P. O. Box 1407, Okeechobee, Florida, attorney for the Plaintiff.
H. T. PIETY
Clerk of the Circuit Court
(SEAL)
By: EARL RICH,
Deputy Clerk
Nov. 28, Dec. 5, 12, 19

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The City Council of the City of Avon Park will receive Sealed Bids until 5:00 P.M., Monday, December 16, 1957, at the City Hall on one 1958 Truck with cab and chassis with the following specifications:
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JAMES P. TURNBULL,
City Clerk
Pub. Dec. 12, 1957

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That the party interested in said business enterprise is as follows:
R. A. CARVER.
Dated at Avon Park, Florida, December 13, 1957.
Pub. Dec. 19, 26, Jan. 2, 9, 1957

Clyde Smith In Germany

BOBLINGEN, GERMANY (AHTNC)—Pvt. Clyde L. Smith, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde M. Smith, 400 N. Pine St., Sebring, Fla., recently participated in "Autumn Rain," a week long Seventh Army field communications training exercise in southern Germany.
The exercise tested the proficiency of personnel and equipment of the 160th Signal Group located at Boblingen.
A teletype operator in the 585th Signal Company, Smith entered the Army in March 1957, completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S. C., and arrived in Europe last October.
Smith is a graduate of Sebring High School.

A double eagle was a twenty-dollar gold piece.

DO YOU KNOW?

By DALE I. ROYAL, Evangelist
Avon Park Church of Christ

CHRISTMAS
(continued)

There are several good reasons why the Christian who believes the Bible (it seems some "Christians" do not believe the Bible is God's word) should not observe Christmas as a religous "festival". One good reason is enough for the true disciple of Christ so we will not try to give every possible reason but merely a principle or two to help those that had never thought about it".

One of the fundamental concepts concerning the worship of God and the need of revelation from God is the fact that in worshipping the God of Heaven men are not supposed to be pleasing themselves but pleasing God. Man could never know what worship would be pleasing or acceptable to Jehovah unless He reveals it. This has been true throughout the history of man. Some think Cain and Able worshiped God by guess but this is not true. The Bible indicates God revealed his will to them even then. Paul writes (Heb. 11:4) "By faith Able offered unto God a more excellent sacrifice than Cain". The same writer indicates how men receive faith in Rom. 10:17 when he writes, "faith cometh by hearing and hearing by the word of God." So if by God's word that Abel offered his sacrifice.

In the N. T. Jesus tells us we are to worship God in spirit and in truth (Jno. 4:24). But what is truth? Jesus answers (Jno. 17:17) that the words of God are truth: Thus when we worship God in truth we must worship him according to his words. Paul tells us (2Tim.3:16 17) that the scriptures are complete and that the man of God is throughly furnished unto every good work by them. He futher tells us (Col. 3:17), "whatsoever ye do in word and deed, (religously DIR) do all in the name (or by the authority Dir) of the Lord Jesus."

Regardless of how wonderful and noble the concept of Christmas is we can form no other conclusion than that it is unauthorized by Jehovah and is thus after the doctrines and precepts of men rather than those of God. If the Father would have desired the observance of the Son's birth into the world he would have revealed it period God reveal that there was something more important than the birth of Christ to men : that was the death of Christ for the sins of the world. God would rather men remembered the Lord's death and so He instituded an ordinance for that purpose. The ordinance is the Lord's Supper (1 Cor. 11:23) and its purpose is to proclaim the Lord's death till he come again. The disciples of the first century observed this ordinance on the first day of the week (Acts 20:7).

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Rogero—

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and Verona Avenue widen from Bell Street to the Mall.

Following is a copy of the letter written by Albert L. Rogero to Hon. Wilbur E. Jones, Chairman of the State Road Board, in which Mr. Rogero expresses his wishes regarding these improvements.

STATE ROAD DEPARTMENT OF FLORIDA, Tallahassee
P. O. Box 567
Clearwater, Florida
December 9, 1957

Hon. Wilbur E. Jones, Chairman
State Road Board
State Road Department
Tallahassee, Florida

Dear Wilbur:

On Monday, November 25th, I went to Sebring, Florida, Highlands County, and reviewed with the City Officials of Sebring, Avon Park and Lake Placid the County Commissioner's request for Secondary road improvements in those communities. Before reviewing these requests with the City and County Officials at the Court, November 25th, I had personally reviewed them on site and after doing so I believe that every request that these officials have made are in order and legal and in my mind there is no question that it could be fully defended in case our present expenditure secondary funds were questioned.

Therefore, it is my wish that each of these requests, as outlined in separate letters, be granted and thoroughly reviewed by Mr. Stanton and if there is any question on any one of them that he be instructed to call me as I am most willing to place my name on any order requesting this work to go forward. Thers people have been most patient and cooperative in an effort to obtain these Secondary road improvements. Therefore, please let me have a letter authorizing my District Engineer to proceed with these projects at the earliest possible moment.

Thanking you" for your attention to this mater and with best personal regards, I remain
Sincerely,
Albert L. Rogero

ALR:d
cc/Mayor E. A. Delaney, Sr., City of Avon Park.
Mayor J. D. Hunt, City of Sebring.
Mr. R. P. Dunty, Jr., Attorney-Lake Placid.
Mr. H. T. Piety, Clerk, Board of Highlands Co. Comm. Sebring, Florida.

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tain invitations for themselves and their guests before noon Saturday from either Carl Prisoc, Jim Turnbull, Jim Anderson or Leon DeLaney. Members may call Carl Prisoc, GLendale 2-8431 for invitations.

Fire—

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nge at the home of Sarah Peterson on Pineland Ave.

Tuesday, December 24, just before lunch, defective wiring caused undetermined damage to Mack Douglas' (colored) residence at Lacey Hill. The damage was confined to the kitchen and back porch.

Avon—

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and Betty Shepard.

10th Grade: (All "A's") Glenda Barefield, Sandra Cook and Barbara Lewis. (No grade below "B") Jerome Antley, Carolyn Arnold, Clytee Coleman, Martha Elder, Cynthia Hallam, Joyce Hunter, Eulora Kelley, Joy McLemore, Claire Maxwell and Margie Reynolds. ("B" average) Robert Alwood, Priscilla Easterlin, Miriam Francisco, Steve Love, Clara Penny, Tommy Renfro, Jack Somerstien, Sharon Van Gordon and Edith Wilson.

9th Grade: (No grade below "B") Dale Batson, Frieda Bennett, Carolyn Biggs, Linda Griffin, Michael Harrison, Alice Hollingworth, Mary King, Doyle Lasseter, Hattie Leighton, Sally Nute, Donna Sue Pounds and Lawton Tootle. ("B" average) Earl Allison, Jimmy Bates, David Collyer, Tura Ann DeLaney, Patricia Hart, Betty Sue Mills, Curtis Nelson, Gwendolyn Nolin, Faye Watford and Cecelia Wenzel.

8th Grade: (All "A's") Marilyn Graetz and Joyce Antley. (No grade below "B") Ruth Border, Cathleen Crunkelton, Judy Gardner, Suzanna Harville, Ronnie Lasseter, Earl Mathews, Jack Seims, Anita Luscomb and Frankie Smith. ("B" Average) David Barefield, Robert Bates, James Langston, Linda Smith, Donald Laycock, Linda McClure and Judy Martin.

7th Grade: (All "A's") Martha Hopson and Marilyn Cook. (No grade below "B") Tommy Comstock, Vickie Harrison, Anne Johnson, Ann King, Rida Love, Andrew Miracle, Terry Oberle, Jimmy Shockley, Jo Ann Tootle, Bill Ward, Mary Wells, Harriett Crews, Robert Duggan, Zala Forizs and Barbara Chapman. ("B" Average) James Lyle, Terry McComick, Janice Mills, Sharon Nations, Pat Touchton, Tommy Hallam and Jack Hargreaves.

Commissioners—

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pillar D 7 Tractor and the bid was awarded to Jos. L. Rozier Machinery Company, Tampa. Total of bid $23,210, a $6,000 down payment and three annual lease payments of $6425 each.

The Board accepted a petition for closing a certain road in Lake June Heights Sub. and authorized publication of notice.

The Commissioners adopted a resolution assuring responsibility of maintenence of structure on East Chain of Lakes watershed.

County Attorney Dunty was instructed to write to Al Rogero about primray road consruction from certificate issued against secondary Road money and whether Polk County will do the same.

The Board authorized Tax Assessor P. G. Gearing, to increase auto expense to $125 per month.

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Dent, Court House, Sebring, and he will mail your license tag to you.

Prices of license tags are as follows: T Tag, $5.25; D Tag $10.25; Plain Tag $15.25; W Tag $20.25; WW Tag $25.25; Boat Trailer Tag $2.75; House Trailer Tag $10.25. All truck tags according to weight.

License tags will go on sale January 2, 1958 in Droit's office in the Court House in Sebring.

Christmas—

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as there were not enough lights in useable condition to string up and down Main Street as had been done in the past.

City Officials, after much consideration, decided to try to salvage enough lights to criss-cross at the three main inter-sections of Avon Park. Florida Power Corporation once again furnished the man power needed to put up the lights.

Quillian Yancey Joins Haley's Staff As Aide

Congressman James A. Haley today announced that Quillian E. Yancey, 1715 Huntington Street, Lakeland, Florida would join his Washington staff as a Legislative aide. Accompanying Mr. Yancey to Washington will be his wife the former Miss Helms of Wauchula.

Mr. Yancey was born in Georgia, but has been a resident of Florida since he was one year old. He attended Florida Public Schools and is a graduate of Florida Southern College at Lakeland. He also attended the Stetson University Law School.

Mr. Yancey is a veteran of World War II, having served in The U. S. Army. He served in Washington, D. C., for three years as a special agent for the Federal Bureau of Investigation. He formerly was associated with the Wakemen Corporation of Lakeland and the Florida-Georgia Tractor Company of Lakeland.

26 Visitors Register At Local Chamber

Twenty-six visitors registered at the Avon Park Chamber of Commerce office last week. A few of the visitors failed to list their home town and local address. The registeration book is the only way that the Chamber has of giving friends your address, so please include both local address and the name of your home town.

Visitors last week included: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cohen, Tampa; William H. Patterson, New Waterford, Ohio; Grace A. Newkirk, Canadaigua, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Farmer, Walhonding, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Art Wilmot, River Falls, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Tizard; Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hoffman, Perth Arboy, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Grubb, W. Hollywood; Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Nies, Gary, Ind.; Mrs. Fred J. Forbes, Lawrence, Mich., Mrs. Floyd Anderson and sons, Fioyd, Jr. and Richard, Defiance, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Calentine, Mr. and Mrs. Clark A. Denison, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Camp.

Methodist Church To Present Xmas Musical Sunday

There will be an Evening of Christmas Music at the First Methodist Church on Sunday, Dec. 22, at 7:30.

The Choir will present several special numbers by the group and by individuals and the congregation will participate in the singing of the more familiar carols.

All members, friends, and citizens of the community are cordially invited to attend the service.

City—

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be given to cities requesting it if they met with the civil defense plans.

George Costello, Lake Alfred City Manager, and President of the Ridge League for the 1957-58 term presided at the meeting.

Dinner music and entertainment was provided for the guests by the Avon Park High Orchestra under the direction of Gene Gorman, Jan Saylor was featured in a special tap dance number. Bobbie Sue Elder, Donna Sue Pounds, Betty Clair Foster and Sylvia Foster, students at APHS, were hostess for the evening.

Approximately 150 persons attended the meeting. Special guests of the City were Highlands County Commissioners; W. H. Prescott, Deputy Clerk of County Commissioners; Sheriff Broward Coker, County Judge Mervin Rehrer and Howard Livingston, State Representative.

Depositors—

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posit made. They will then have a chance to cast the ballot for the tree they consider to be the prettiest.

The Avon Citrus Bank will make the awards in accordance with the outcome of votes cast by the depositors.

Only—

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places are, G. L. Townsend, Bobby Rush, Jim Ridley, Roy Coats, Bill Fries, Jonny Lee, Earl Allison, James McCullough, Jack Hargraves and Pop Hutchinson.

A double eagle was a twenty-dollar gold piece.

Rotary News

James Turnbull, City Clerk of Avon Park, discussed the Problems of the local City Government with members of the Rotary Club at their regular luncheon meeting held Wednesday, December 11, at the Jacaranda Hotel. He discussed the financial situation of the City of Avon Park. He also pointed out certain changes which could be made to improve some of these problems. He suggested that different Civic organizations in Avon Park study the problems of the City to aid the Council, Mayor and City employer's in solving these problems.

The Rotary Club made a cash donation to aid the Christmas Basket Fund Committee in purchasing items needed for the baskets.

Visiting Rotarians included, Jim Massie, Waynesville, N. C.; E. F. Armstrong, Hicksville, Ohio; W. W. Owens, Frostproof, Jack Hancock, Sebring; Louis H. Nobel, Sturgeon Bay, Wis.; A. B. Cannon, Frostproof; Mervin Bishop, Lake Wales and Roger Miller, Sebring.

Guests visiting at the luncheon meeting December 11 were Horace Beal, guest of Bill Tuttle; Charlie Harris of Jacksonville, guest of Fred Montsdeoca and Douglas Todd of Orlando, guest of his brother, Ed Todd.

Annual Christmas Music At Baptist December 22

The First Baptist Church will present its annual program of Christmas music on Sunday evening, Dec. 22, at 7:30 in the church.

At this time the three choirs will participate in the program and the evening will be an outstanding musical treat. All members, friends and residents of the community are cordially invited to attend this

Prelude: "Christmas Fantasy", Clarence Kohlmann; Organ and Piano, Mrs. J. B. Coen and Mrs. W. B. Boxe, Jr.

"O Come, All Ye Faithful", Junior Choir.

Invocation.

"Christmas Carols", Junior Choir.

"Be Joyous, O Judea". Peery; Youth Choir.

"Arise, Shine", Hawley; Adult Choir.

Scripture.

"Star of the East", Kennedy; Duet by Joyce Antley Judy Martin.

"Gentle Jesus", Keating; Youth Choir.

"The Birthday of a King", Neidlinger; Solo by Clement McFarland.

Offertory "Joy to the World", Choirs and Congregation.

"O Holy Night", Adam; Organ and Piano, Mrs. Coen and Mrs. Bose.

"Holy Night, Peaceful Night", Hawley; Adult Choir.

"The First Noel", Adult and Youth Choirs.

"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing", Choirs and Congregation.

Benediction.

Postlude.

J. W. Martin is the director of the Youth and Adult Choirs and Mrs. Betty Sullivan is the director of the Junior Choir.

School News

A. B. Wilhite, Supervising Principal of the Avon Park Schools, lists the dates for Christmas holidays for all schools in Avon Park. Schools will close at the end of the school day on Friday, December 20, and will re-open on Monday, January 6, 1958 at the regular hour.

The Avon Park High School Glee Club and Band will present an outstanding program of Christmas music to the Parents Teachers Association tonight, and the same program will be presented during the closing Assembly program at the High School Friday afternoon.

Christmas Seal Sale

As we go into the last weeks of the Christmas Seal Sale the total report on Sat. was $2620. Of this amount 443 contributors in Avon Park had given $1001.00 or an average of about $2.25 per contribution. Sebring still heads the county with $1520 while Lake Placid reports $299.00. Mrs. Robert J. Thatson, Chairman of Avon Park is very anxious to reach her quota of $1600 - and has extended the campaign to Dec. 31st.

Why not answer your Seal Sale letter to day! Christmas Seals can be purchased at the Avon Citrus Bank.

J. Paxton Hill Sworn In As Commander

J. Paxton Hill, Army Engineer of Avon Park, was sworn in as Commander of the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary at the annual banquet of the Fifth Coast Guard District at Fort Pierce, Fla.

Commander Hill is also Motorboat Inspection Officer for the Fifth Division, which includes the Palm Beach Area where he is stationed.

Boy Scout News

Troop 156 of the Boy Scouts sponsored by the American Legion held a Board of Review at their meeting on Monday, December 16. Scouts Andy Miracle, Jimmie Lyles, and Steve Maxwell went before the board.

The Scouts will have a Christmas party at their meeting on Monday night, December 23, at their regular meeting time and place. All members of the troop and Explorer Scouts are invited to the party.

Mr. G. L. Harrison, Mr. Haywood Williams, Mr. Andrew Miracle and Eagle Scout Tommy Renfro have been helping the Scouts get their Christmas trees to sale. Nearly all the scouts have participated in this project.

Troop 157 of the Boy Scouts sponsored by the Rotary Club enjoyed a Christmas party in the Woodruff Heights Administration Building on Monday, December 16, at their regular meeting.

The room was decorated with Christmas decorations and a tree. During the evening the Scouts presented a gift to their Scoutmaster Fred Davis and Assistant Scoutmaster Franklyn Ward in appreciation of their work.

The Scouts exchanged Christ-gifts and each Scout brought a white present of a canned food to take to a needy family in a Christmas basket on Friday evening. Then the boys played games and ate refreshments of cupcakes and cokes.

Parents who accompanied their sons were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Perez, Mrs. Ed Sharpe, Mr. James Singletary, Mrs. Jeanette McDonald, and Mrs. Stuart Ward. Mrs. Fred Davis was a special guest.

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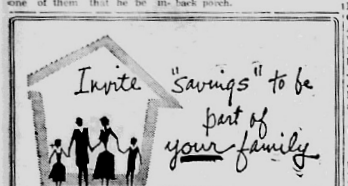

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Merry Christmas

Gale Meyer And G. L. Townsend Win Bicycles In Touchton Contest; Presentation Tonight

Gale Meyer and G. L. Townsend, Jr., winners in the Boy and Girl Contest, sponsored by Touchton Drug Store, will each receive a beautiful English Bicycle tonight, December 23, at 7 o'clock, when the presentation of twenty beautiful gifts will be made at Touchton Drug Store.

Prizes will be presented to the ten leading girls and the ten leading boys in the contest which closed Saturday night. The following children have all been notified to be on hand at Touchton's tonight at 7 o'clock to receive their prize.

Girls winning in the contest are: Gale Meyer, Gail Harris, Ann Gay, Rita Rich, Diana Whitlock, Mary Ann Durden, Deborah Gurganus, Judith Cothran, Nancy Wright and Trudie Mitchell.

The ten lucky boys who will receive prizes tonight are: G. L. Townsend, Jr., Jim Ridley, Bobby Rush, Bill Fries, Roy Coats, Jack Hargraves, Jonny Lee, Earl Allison, Steve Prisoc, and James McCullough.

Mrs. Worden And Biggs Attend Highway 27 Meet

Directors and Committee members of the Highway 27 Association met at a dinner meeting Tuesday, December 17, at Citrus Tower in Clermont.

Mrs. Anna Belle Worden a member of the Strip Map Committee, the Advertising Committee and the Membership Committee, and Hubbard Biggs, Director from Highlands County, attended the dinner meeting.

The new Strip map of Highway 27 was approved and it was announced that a half million of these maps advertising Highway 27 will be distributed beginning next month. The new membership decals for the association were also approved by the directors.

A director is appointed for each county which Highway 27 passes through. Directors from as far north as Tallahassee and as far south as Clewiston were present.



Touchton Drug Open Christmas Morning Only

Announcement was made this morning that Touchton Drug Store would be open Christmas morning at 8 o'clock and will remain open till 12 noon.

The store will be closed all afternoon and evening for the employees to enjoy Christmas with their families.



Notice

The office at the Avon Park High School will be closed December 24, 25 and 26, also January 1. The office will be open during the holidays on all other week days.

Schools will re-open for students on Monday, January 6.

Holidays For The City Hall

The City Hall will be closed for Christmas Holidays from noon Tuesday, December 24, through Christmas Day, December 25.

All offices at the City Hall will reopen at the regular time Thursday morning, December 26.

The City Hall will be closed on Wednesday, January 1, for New Years Day.



Episcopal Church Xmas Services

The schedule of services for the Church of the Redeemer on Christmas Eve and and Christmas day will be as follows:

Christmas Eve: Midnight Mass. 12 Midnight, Choral Eucharist and Sermon.

Christmas Day: Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a. m., Morning Prayer, 9:45 a. m., Holy Eucharist and Sermon 10:00 a. m.

All are welcome to attend these services at the Episcopal Church.



FARP Offers 5 Scholarships

The Florida Alcoholic Rehabilitation Program will offer Florida residents five scholarships to Yale University's Summer School of Alcohol Studies to be held June 29 - July 24, 1958, at New Haven, Connecticut.

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Rotary Club To Be Host To College Students

Members of the Avon Park Rotary Club will have college students, who are home for the holidays, as their guests at a special dinner meeting Monday, December 30, at the Jacaranda Hotel. Members of the Club invite the college students to dinner each year at this time.

Rotarians are reminded that this special meeting will take the place of the regular meetings scheduled for December 25 and January 1.



Santa Visited Schools Friday

To the delight of the school children Santa Claus visited the Avon Elemeutary, Ridge Day School, Hopewell Elementary and the colored kindergarten last Friday morning and presented candy to all the little girls and boys.

The candy, which was greatly enjoyed by the children, was furnished Santa by the Avon Park Rotary Club.



Ridge Fuel To Open In New Location Jan. 2

Announcement was made last Friday that the Ridge Fuel Company will be open for

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Jr. Class Annual Magazine Subscription Sale, Feb. 3

Announcement was made that the Junior Class of Avon Park High School will participate again this coming year in their annual magazine subscription sales starting Monday, February 3.

Sponsors of the Junior Class report that this subscription sale is not to collect donations and the business firms will not be called on. Those who purchased subscriptions from the Junior Class last year and desire new subscriptions this year, or anyone else interested in subscribing to nationally known magazines are requested to call the High School office during the day or Earl Varnes at his home after school hours.

Members of the Junior Class will also tour the homes of Avon Park for those desiring to subscribe to magazines. These sales will in no way conflict with any one in Avon Park.

The Junior Class must raise a certain amount of money each year to take care of their activities. The parents of the Junior students feel that the students should participate in the raising of the funds they need and thus accept their responsibilities. The selling of magazine subscriptions aids the purchasers as well as the Junior Class. So be on the look out for them and subscribe to your favorite magazine, and if you work and know you won't be at home when they call, please phone the High School office and make an appointment for them to visit you.



Rebel Quartet To Sing Here

The famous Rebel Quartet of Tampa will be presented to the residents of this area Thursday night, January 2, 1958, by the American Legion.

"The Rebels" singing all your favorits songs will be presented in the Avon Park High School Auditorium at 8 o'clock on the evening of January 2. Tickets may be purchased from any member of the American Legion; reserved seats $1.50; adults $1.00 and students 50 cents.

Sewer Line Installed On East Walnut

The Street Department of Avon Park has installed a sewer line on East Walnut from Verona to Lake Avenue. The new sewer line was connected last week.

Material for the new line was furnished by the First Baptist Church with the City suppling only the manpower to installed the new line. This is in accord with the agreement that the City has made whereby they will furnish the labor to put down sewer lines if the residents which will be served by the new line will furnish the materials.



Jerry Meeker Heavy Weight Boxing Champion

Jerry Meeker won the heavy weight boxing championship of the University of Miami intramural boxing tournament. To do this Jerry knocked out his first oponent in one minute of the first round, and won unanimous decisions over three other opponents.

One of his opponents was four time intramural champion, and a top contender for years in the Miami Golden Gloves, Chuck "Tigar" Allan. Allan was selected once to represent Miami in the Golden Gloves Tournament in New York City.

Jerry, a graduate of the Avon Park High School, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald W. Meeker. His father was once a famous professional wrestler but has retired from the ring and is owner of Meeker's Hi-

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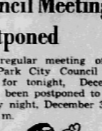
Council Meeting Postponed

The regular meeting of the Avon Park City Council scheduled for tonight, December 23, has been postponed to next Monday night, December 30, at 7:30 p. m.



Congregational Christmas Eve Service

The Annual Christmas Eve Communion Service of the Union Congregational Church will be held by candlelight on Thuesday evening, Dec. 24.

The Rev. John Pickens will conduct the service. The Rose Nativity Window, one of the two in the United States, designed by Henry Lee Willet of the Willet Studios in Philadelphia, will be lighted for this special service.

This will be an open communion and all citizens of the community are invited to attend the Christmas Eve Service.



First Baptist Xmas Program Tuesday Night

The Annual Sunday School Christmas Program of the First Baptist Church will be held Tuesday evening, Dec. 24, at 7 o'clock in the Church.

Following the program there will be a Christmas tree in the Social Hall. Carols will be sung and treats given out. All children of the church are invited to attend.

WAVP Will Broadcast "The Messiah"

A special treat for Avon Park area listeners was announced this week by WAVP for Christmas day. The station will broadcast a complete 2 hour presentation of Handel's "The Messiah".

This beautiful Christmas concert is by the New York Philharmonic Orchestra with Leonard Burnstein conducting and Adele Addison, Russell Oberlin, David Lloyd, William Warfield and the Westminister Choir as solosists.

The program sponsored by Touchton Drug Company and Eatons Department Store will be heard from 2 till 4 p. m. Christmas day over WAVP, 1390 or your dial.



Local Chamber Complimented

Four representatives from the Zephyrhills Chamber of Commerce visited the local Chamber office last Wednesday. They were highly impressed with the Chamber's bulletins and general information sheets.

The unique and colorful Christmas tree in the Chamber office really drew the visitors attention. This unusual tree is decorated with brochures from different cities of Florida and of course the brochure of Avon Park graces the top.



Fla. Ave. Baptist Church Program

The Florida Avenue Baptist Church will hold their annual Christmas Program in the Church at 7:30 on Monday, Dec. 23.

The children of the church will participate in the program and a film "The Greatest Gift" will be shown. After the program there will be treats for fellowship.

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Engagement Announced



MISS PATRICIA JEAN STRASSBERGER

Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Kempton have announced the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Jean Strassberger, to Arthur William Shephard, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Shephard.

Miss Strasberger was valedictorian of the 1957 graduating class of the Avon Park High School. While in high school she played basketball, worked on the annual staff and was vice-president of the senior class. At present she is a member of the freshman class at Florida State University in Tallahassee.

William Shephard graduated from Avon Park High School in 1957. While in school he played football, basketball, and participated in mny other activities. He is at present employed with Mr. Grant in Zephryhills.

Plans for the wedding will be announced later.

American Legion And Auxiliary Give Xmas Party

Members of the American Legion and the Legion Auxiliary enjoyed a Covered Dish Supper and Christmas Party at the Florida Power Clubhouse on Wednesday evening, Dec. 18.

The tables were decorated with candles of many colors and a nativity scene was used as the centerpiece. After the delicious supper the guests played Bingo and exchanged gifts under a lovely Christmas tree.

During the evening a collection was taken for the American Legion Crippled Children's Hospital in St. Petersburg. The Bingo prizes were donated to this collection also.

About thirty members of the organizations enjoyed the evening together.

Sr. Woman's Club Luncheon Jan. 3

The next meeting of the Avon Park Senior Woman's Club will be their annual Luncheon Meeting at the Jacaranda Hotel on Friday, Jan 3. The time has been changed from 12:30 until 1 o'clock.

The cost of the meal will be $1.70 plus tax and it is important that members make their reservations early. Reservations may be made to Mrs. S Elkhill, Chairman, or Mrs. Royal Coates, Co-Chairman.

Mrs. Graham Hall will be the main speaker and her topic will be "Persian Hospitality". The devotional message will be given by Mrs. F. W. Thiele.

It is urged that all members please remember to pay their dues on or before this meeting.

Engagement Announced



MISS CAROL GRAETZ

Rev. and Mrs. Herbert D. Graetz of Avon Park, Fla., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Carol to Mr. Richard Louis Fortner, III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Fortner of Mexico Beach, Florida.

The wedding will take place on Sunday evening, January 12, at seven o'clock in the Union Congregational Church of Avon Park with the bride-elect's father as the officiant.

Miss Graetz is a graduate of the Avon Park High School where she participated in the band and other extra-curricula activities. In her Junior year, she was treasurer of the class, president-elect of the Future Homemakers of America, and runner-up in an essay contest which brought her the Junior English Award. She was treasurer of her class, president of the F. H. A., and recipient of the band Arion Award in her Senior year. At graduation she received the Bailey Medal (Most thoughtful of others), and graduated as an honour student. She has completed her first year's work at Florida State University.

Mr. Fortner graduated from the Port St. Joe High School. He is a graduate of the Lively Technical Institute in Tallahassee, Fla., and has passed federal examinations and received an Airframe and Engine license from the Civil Aeronautics Administration which qualifies him for maintenance work on all types of aircraft.

After their mariags, the young couple plan to continue their education.

Barbara Chapman Honored With Going Away Party

Barbara Chapman, who has been visiting in Avon Park for the past several months, was honored with a going away party by a number of her school friends on Wednesday, Dec. 18 at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Lorant Forizs.

The boys and girls enjoyed a delicious ham and potato salad supper served by Mrs. Foriza, Emse Forizs and Mrs. Robert Duggan. After supper they danced and played games.

Barbaras friends presented her with an autograph dog and each signed it in order that she would always remember Avon Park.

There were about twenty-six boys and girls present and Zala Forizs was the host to the group.

Methodist Church News

The Welcome Class of the church held it's regular meeting and Christmas party in Wesley Hall on Tues. evening, Dec. 17.

The group planned the gifts for a needy family whom they will help with Christmas. They also brought gifts for a child to be used during the Christmas Children's Program.

Coffee and cake were served to the sixteen members present by the hostesses, Mrs. Mary Giddens and Mrs. Wiley Cothran.

Congregational Church News

The children of the Union Congregational Church enjoyed a visit from old Santa Claus, himself, on Friday, Dec. 20, in the Parish House.

After singing some Christmas songs and playing several games the boys and girls were startled by a loud knock and who should be at the door but old Santa! He had a small gift and a sack of candy for each of the delighted children.

Mrs. Fred Montsdeoca and Mrs. Kathleen Whitcomb, took charge of the program. Mrs. Doug Perry played the piano for the singing.

Locals.....

Dr. Floyd Norton, Director of Christian Education of the Michigan Baptist Convention and Mrs. Norton of Lansing, Mich., were recent guests at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Walter B. Hilton.

Mrs. Charlotte Smith and son, Steven, of St. Petersburg are spending the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Charles Shepherd. Mrs. Shepherd, the Smiths, and Mrs. Page Shepherd will spend Christmas day in Orlando with Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Shepherd and their family.

Jerry Meeker has arrived home from Miami University to spend the holidays with his parents.

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Joint Installation Service Fridav Leigh Chapter And Poincianna Lodge

The public is cordially invited to attend the joint Installation Services of Leigh Chapter 85, Order of the Eastern Star, and the Poincianna Lodge, No. 227, on Friday night, December 27, at 8 o'clock in the Masonic Temple on West Main Street.

Newly elected officers of Leigh Chapter will be installed by Mrs. Ione Keen of Fort Meade. She will be assisted in the Installation Ceremony by Mrs. Florence Heath, Wauchula, who will serve as Installing Marshal; Mrs. Laura Maxcy of Frostproof, Chaplain, and Mrs. Truella Bliss, Wauchula, Installing Secretary.

Officers elected the first of December who will serve Leigh Chapter during 1958 are; Mrs. Betty Tomlinson, Worthy Matron; Grady Tomlinson, Worthy Patron; Mrs. Gladys Hagan, Associate Matron; Kenneth Lewis, Associate Patron; Mrs. Loca Stuckey, Secretary; Mrs. Reba McWilliams, Treasurer; Mrs. Betty Graham, Conductress; Mrs. Ellis, Associate Conductress; Mrs. Helen Harris, Chaplain; Mrs. Marion von Burske, Marshal; Mrs. Cleone Anderson, Warder; Mrs. Grace Blanford, Sentinel; Mrs. Mildred Harris, Ruth; Mrs. Emma Lewis, Martha; Mrs. Elizabeth Lamb, Electa; Mrs. Gladys Simcox, Esther; Mrs. Bertha Meyer, Ada; and Mrs. Dorothy Wolverton, Organist.

Gus Thomas will serve as installing officer during the Installation Service for the Poincianna Lodge, newly elected officers to be installed are, Ralph Graham, Worshipful Master; Carl McWilliams, Senior Warden; Richard Hedrick, Junior Warden; J. N. Tomlinson, Treasurer and Kenneth Lewis, Secretary.

Many Attend Leigh Chapter Christmas Party

Leigh Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star held their regular meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 17, in the Masonic Hall.

A large number of members and visitors from other chapters enjoyed the lovely Christmas tree and party. After an exchange of gifts, Worthy Matron Mrs. Carl McWilliams was honored with a Christmas gift to show appreciation for her work this year.

Leigh Chapter held a special meeting for Initatory Work on Thursday, Dec. 19.

The next regular meeting will be the installation of new officers.

Fla. Ave. Baptist Church News

The Women's Missionary Union of the Church held its December meeting and Christmas party in the Social Hall on Thursday evening, Dec. 19.

After the program during which the Christmas story was read, a business meeting took place. The group made plans for taking a basket of Christmas fruits and foods to a friend who is a shut-in. The closing prayer was given by Mrs. Estelle Reynolds.

After the meeting delicious refreshments of coffee, cold drinks and cookies were served the thirty-two members present.

First Baptist Church News

The Fidelis and Philathea Sunday School Classes had a joint Christmas party in the Social Hall on Tuesday, Dec. 17, for more than twenty members of the two classes.

Mrs. Julia Holcombe was in charge of the entertainment. The group sang Christmas carols, exchanged gifts and played games during the evening.

Punch and cookies were served the class members by Mrs. Royal Coates and her group.

The Mary Evelyn Fredenberg Circle held its December meeting on Tuesday night, Dec. 17, at the home of Mrs. W. A. Meyer.

The Circle appointed members to take care of the refreshments for the Sunbeams.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by Miss Evelyn Johns and Mrs. Willis Robinson closed the meeting with a prayer.

Mrs. Meyer served sandwiches, fruitcake and coffee to Mrs. Earl Varnes, Mrs. Emil Lahr, Miss Evelyn Johns, Mrs. Malcom Crews, Mrs. Kelly McClure, and Mrs. Willis Robinson.

Locals . .

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heim and their three children of Jacksonville will spend Christmas with Mr. William Heim. Bill Heim of Miami will also be at home for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. George Altman, Jr., and their daughter, Carrie Lisa, of Sarasota will spend Christmas with Mrs. Altman's parents, Mr. and Mrs.

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WEEKEND DOUBLE SPECIAL
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2—"LURE Of The SWAMP" - Terrific drama of Florida's swamp lands actually filmed in the Everglades!

Sunday - Monday December 29, 30
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2—"The CAT GIRL" — To caress her meant DEATH!

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Personal Items

The R. M. Duthies of North Forest Ave. are expecting to have as their holiday guests their son, R. E. Duthie and family, of Elkhart, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Worden, Sr. will spend Christmas Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Knowles, in Deland. Saturday they will attend the wedding and reception of Miss Suzanne Knowles in Leesburg.

Friends will be happy to know that Mattie Wilkenson is home from the hospital and recuperating from her recent illness at her home on Lake Byrd.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nebel have arrived to spend the winter on Lake Byrd.

Mrs. Lamar Stevens of Tampa spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Jane Farrell, and Mrs. John Hood, her sister-in-law. The Hood family gathered for a picnic dinner reunion on Sunday.

W. A. Williams.

Laura Scott of Albany, Ga., is staying with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Tondee, while attending high school here this year.

Mr. Grady Pate of Sebring and Avon Park is in Walker Memorial Hospital after undergoing emergency surgery last week. He is doing well and will be home for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Wells and daughter, Jane, will leave Thursday to spend a week with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Watts and their four children, Cheryl, Chuck, Chanda, and Chipley in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pate spent last weekend in Lakeland with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Pate but returned for Christmas at home with their family.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thayer left Sunday to spend Christmas in Jacksonville with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles George.

Jack Thompson, United State Marine Corps, of Thomasville, Ga. is spending a few days with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack DeLaney. The DeLaney family and Jack will leave Christmas eve for Thomasville, to spend Christmas with Mrs. G. C. Thompson, Jack and Mrs. DeLaney's mother.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Gilbreath and their daughter, Paulette, will spend Christmas in Lake Wales with her mother, Mrs. J. O. Dorough, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Gilbreath.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Luttrell and their daughter, Beverly, of Washington, D. C., are spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, The Rev. and Mrs. Wilmer O. Luttrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis and their son, Alan, of Naples, and Mr. and Mrs. Reed Hase and their son, Reed, will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crews. Mrs. Hase is Mrs. Crew's sister and Frank Davis is her brother.

Mrs. H. A. Steinmeyer of Sanford will spend the Christmas holidays with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lee, and their family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Lee of Enterprise, and Mrs. Aldeen Taylor and her daughters, Susan and Beth, of Sanford, spent last weekend with their son and brother and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Johnson of Clearwater spent last weekend as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Ford at their home on Lake Lotela.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Goff and their children, Patty and John, will spend the Christmas holidays in Alachua with Mrs. Goff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Martin, former residents of Avon Park and now of South Bay, will spend Christmas with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carnes of Sebring, and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin DeShong and their children, Jan and Jay, will spend Christmas in Lakeland with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Johnston of Lake Viola, Lakeside Heights, have their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Raab, and grandson, Lane, of Indianapolis, Ind. with them for the holidays.

1st Lt. and Mrs. Gene Cruse and their daughter, Debbie, of Ft. Bragg, N. C. arrived Monday to spend the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Ford. Mrs. Cruse is the former Betty Rose Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Durrah Martin and their daughter, Patsy spent the weekend with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Martin, and their grandson, Bill, in Pompano Beach.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Collins during the Christmas holidays will be their children, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Collins of the University of Florida, Julius Collins, also of Gainesville, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Collins of Deerfield Beach, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wynn of Holy Hill.

The Staff of the Florida Congregational Christmas Conference held their annaul Christmas party with dinner at Griffen's Restaurant on Friday night with dessert and fellowship at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Maldwyn Parry afterwards. Those attending were Superintendent and Mrs. Robbins Ralph, Dr. and Mrs. William Tuttle, The Rev. and Mrs. John Pickens, The Rev. and Mrs. Parry, Mr. and Mrs. Brady Hopson, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hummon.

Miss Delores Martin, who is living with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Smith, and attending Avon Park High School, is spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Martin in South Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlin King and their children, Bub, Arlene, and Kathy, will spend Christmas in Ft. Lauderdale with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee Goodbread.

Weston New of Orlando will spend the Christmas Holidays with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Skipper.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Futch and their children, Jinny, Paul, and Earl, Jr., will leave Tuesday to spend Christmas in Jacksonville visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Futch, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. West.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Collins celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary on Dec. 22 with a supper at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. McClure. A number of their other children were present for this happy occasion.

Miss Pat Lagoni and her brother, Louis Lagoni, will spend Christmas in Orlando with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Lagoni, former residents of Avon Park.

Mrs. Louise Welden and her son, James Welden of Moultrie, Ga., will spend Christmas with Mrs. Welden's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Godwin, Jr.

The Rev. and Mrs. Maldwyn Parry held a Christmas Open House at their home on Lake Byrd on Sunday afternoon for their neighbors and nearby friends.

Mrs. John Giddens, Jr., and Miss Faye Watford attended the Christmas Dance at Florida Military School as guests of Mike Giddens on last Wednesday night. Mike returned home with them on Thursday to spend the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. James Montgomery and their sons of Toledo, Ohio, arrived Sunday to spend the holidays with Mrs. Montgomery's mother, Mrs. Charles Baker.

Mrs. Agnes Schwabauer of Chicago, Ill., is spending the winter with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dunn. Herbert Schwabauer, Mrs. Dunn's brother, is also visiting with the Dunns at present.

Miss Delores Stokey arrived home Friday from FSU in Tallahassee to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Stokey.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crittenden and their daughter, Laurie, left Friday to spend their Christmas vacation visiting his parents and her parents in Shellman, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Howard and their son, Roger, of Winston-Salem, N. C., and Mrs. Ocona Foxworth and her daughter of Tampa will be the guests of Mrs. Howard's and Mrs. Foxworth's mother, Mrs. G. D. Godwin, Sr., for Christmas.

Dr. and Mrs. Overley of Ft. Thomas, Ky. have arrived at the Avon Park Campground.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Burris of Coshocton, Ohio who are at the campground received word of the death of a grandchild at Coshocton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lickfelt and son Robert of Lansing, Mich. have arrived at their home on Lake Letta. Bob will return to the University of Michigan at Lansing soon.

Rev. E. E. Shiltz and son Jerome is spending Christmas at Lakeland.

Two more houses have been started on the Avon Park campground, one on Anoka and the other on Palmetto. Four other houses have been started since the last encampment.

Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Taylor of Elberton, Georgia have not been able to return to Avon Park, Mrs. Taylor has been seriously ill.

Guests of Mrs. Edna Jackson for the Christmas holidays are Mr. and Mrs. James H. Stutz and their children, Sarah Jane and Jimmy, of Toledo, Ohio. Mrs. Stutz, who is Mrs. Jackson's niece, and her family arrived Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kangeter of Haines City will spend Christmas with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Giddens. Nancy Giddens is visiting the Kangeters at present but will return home with them for Christmas.

Mrs. L. A. Stewart returned last week from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Velma Moseley, in West Palm Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crider and their sons, Tommie and Jimmie, of Rochester, N. Y. are spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Webb Hazen. Mrs. Crider is Mr. Hazen's daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Mazolli and their daughter, Linda of Orlando will arrive Christmas to spend the day with her mother, Mrs. Webb Hazen.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stodden and their children, Bonnie and Anita, of Orlando will spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McCabe, and his mother, Mrs. R. H. Stodden.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Kelsey for Christmas will be their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Terrell and their daughter, Kay, of Pensacola.

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WALKER MEMORIAL

To Mr. and Mrs. Billie Clark Cason a daughter, Lee Anne, born December 16. Birth weight 7 pounds, 2 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Johnston of Wauchula a son, Charles Alan, born December 16. Birth weight 8 pounds, 1 ounce.

To Mr. and Mrs. James P. Turnbull a son, Raleigh Henry, born December 17. Birth weight 7 pounds, 8 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lewis Brassell a daughter, Teresa Ruth, born December 17. Birth weight 6 pounds, 7 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Percy Lee Manley, Jr. of Zolfo Springs a daughter, Fatti Elaine, born December 17. Birth weight 7 pounds, 7 ounces.

To Mr.and Mrs. James Leonard Womble of Sebring a daughter, Carol Lynn, born December 18. Birth weight 5 pounds, 8 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Terrance Kenneth Fleck a son, Lawrence Dexter, born December 19. Birth weight 8 pounds.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Massey of Clewiston a son John Wesley, Jr., born December 21. Birth weight 6 pounds.

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Soil Conservation News

By Sam Polston

The Highlands Soil Conservation District assisted several cooperators in developing complete conservation farm plans. Among them were N. B. Jackson of Venus and Gerald Springer of Sebring. Mr. Springer plans to develop 760 acres of organic land in the Upper Fisheating Creek Marsh area to improved Pasture. He will plant a variety of grasses such as pangola, Argentine bahia in mixture with clover. Mr. Jackson will develop about 180 acres of flatwoods land to improved pasture. 100 acres will be planted to pangola grass and clover mixture and 80 acres to Pensacola bahia grass.

Forest Pearce of Okeechobee planted 80 acres of Pensacola bahia and hubam clover mixture this week on flatwoods land on his ranch at Lorida. Mr. Rollie Murray of Sebring planted 10 acres of Pensacola bahia grass on flatwoods land this week and 70 acres of clover bahia last week.

The Soil Conservation Service assisted Mr. John G. DuPuis, Jr. of Miami in staking out a 400 acre combination drainage and seepage irrigation system on his ranch at Venus this week. The area will be planted to improve pasture grasses in the near future.

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Entries for Beef cattle close December 15, 1957, and for Dairy cattle, January 13, 1958.

Showing of the two groups again will be divided, as it was this year, during the eleven days of the 1958 Fair which will run from February 4 through 15.

First to be shown will be Dairy cattle, confined to Ayrshire, Guernsey, Holstein and Jersey breeds, from Feb. 4 through Feb. 8. Prize money totaling $10,916 is offered by the Florida State Fair association. Special awards include $250 from the Ayrshire Breeders association. Open to all breeds in the 10-year-old cow class is a $272 award from the Florida Feed Dealers association.

"We expect the 1958 Dairy Cattle Show to be the largest in the Fair's 53-year history," said Mr. Huskisson, "and for judging we have chosen an outstanding authority in this field, C. Hilton Boynton of Durham, New Hampshire."

Showing of Beef cattle will run during the Fair's second week, Feb. 10 through 15. Judges will be Professor Robert A. Long from the University of Georgia, at Athens, and Donald L. Wakeman of the University of Florida, at Gainesville.

Five beef cattle breeds — Aberdeen-Angus, Braham, Hereford, Santa Gertrudis and Shorthorn — will be entered in the 1958 competitions. Two additional breeds, Charolaise and Brangus, are being entered for exhibition purposes only.

Competitive exhibitors in the Beef cattle show will vie for a grand total of $13,663 in cash awards, of which $11,000 is being offered by the Fair and $2,663 by breeders associations.

All preliminary arrangements for the Beef and Dairy cattle shows at the 1958 Fair, including processing of entries, again is being handled by M. E. Twedell, assistant manager of the Fair, with Elton Hinton again serving as Dairy and Beef superintendent.

Four-Laning Of U. S. 1 66 Per Cent Complete

The four-laning of U. S. 1 from the Georgia line to Florida City, is now 66 per cent complete for a distance of 265 miles, Wilbur E. Jones, chairman of the State Road Department, reported today.

Jones said 53 miles are now under construction and an additional 83 miles are in the current budget.

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Following is the status of four-laning by counties:

Nassau: 12.32 miles completed; 10.10 miles budgeted.

Duval: 34.10 miles completed.

St. Johns: 15.56 miles completed; 2.60 miles budgeted; 14.59 miles expected to be completed about January, 1958.

Flager: 11.48 miles completed; 7.30 miles expected to be completed about June, 1958; 4.91 miles expected to be completed about April, 1958.

Volusia: 25.91 miles completed; 5.62 miles budgeted; 5.08 miles expected to be completed about March, 1958; 6.40 miles expected to be completed about June, 1958.

Brevard: 21.97 miles completed; 24.31 budgeted; and portions of another 24.77 miles budgeted.

Indian River: 5.30 miles completed; 6 miles in budget; 7.01 miles expected to be completed about May, 1958.

St. Lucie: 17.57 miles completed.

Martin: 13.81 miles completed; 4.50 miles budgeted; 3.51 miles expected to be completed about January, 1958.

Palm Beach: 42.07 miles completed; 5.39 miles budgeted.

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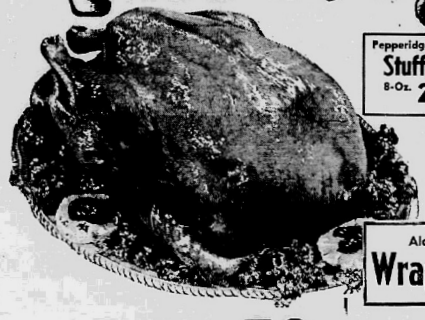

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Senator Spessard Holland

ON THE MARCH - Throughout my travels the rapid growth and development of Florida was evident. Home and business building is flourishing. New churches, schools, hospitals, libraries, public utilities and other structures necessary to full community life are being built as rapidly as possible; many miles of fine new highways have been built, are in course of construction, or are in the planning stage.
Most noticeable is the tremendous industrial development that is taking place. Industrial plants, large and small, are springing up rapidly. It was my pleasure to inspect a few of them, including the great Pratt-Whitney plant being built near West Palm Beach, the Glenn Martin plant near Orlando which was dedicated December 4; the American Cyanimid Co. plant still a-building, Escambia Chemical Corporation and Columbia National Corporation plants, all three near Milton, in Santa Rosa County. The last named is already producing from ore mined in Florida, Zirconium, a metal important in the atomic energy field. These new Santa Rosa County industries, added to the already large industrial concentration in neighboring Escambia County, are completely changing the economy of an area in Florida which heretofore has primarily been agricultural.
MORE IMPORTANT GROWTH - While Florida's material growth is a source of satisfaction to us all, more gratifying is the equally rapid progress our people are making in these things which, basically are more important to good living. Everywhere I found Floridians bending every effort to insure that the cultural, spiritual, health and educational values in their communities keep pace with the great expansion in population and material growth. This is the proper course if we are to maintain our appeal for good people from other parts of the country. Florida's future is truly bright and it is the responsibility of each of us to help keep it that way.
DATES AND PLACES - In a previous report I stated my itinerary through November 2. From that date to December 2 the schedule was completed as follows: Nov. 4--Orlando: Jaycee Luncheon; Orlando Book Fair, Parade of Homes; Nov. 5--Tampa: Rotary, Chamber of Commerce Congressional Action Committee; Nov. 6--Conferences in Bartow office; Nov. 7--Bartow: Annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet & Installation Night; Nov. 8--Mandarin: Community Club; Nov. 9--Jacksonville: University of Florida Alumni Breakfast, Florida-Georgia Game; Nov. 10--Jacksonville: Conference with Waterways group, Farm Bureau Federation Convention, JayCee TV Panel program; Nov. 11--Panama City: Veterans Day celebration, Visit to new Panama City Junior College; Nov. 12--Pensacola: Rotary, Chamber of Commerce Congressional Action Committee, Escambia County Chapter, U of F Alumni Association; Nov. 13--Milton: Kiwanis. Visit to new Santa Rosa County Industrial plants; Nov. 14-15--Atlanta: Meeting Board of Trustees Emory University, inauguration of new President of Emory; Nov. 16--Hunting turkeys with friends near Jacksonville (the Turkeys saw me first); Nov. 18--Daytona Beach: Florida League of Municipalities; Nov. 19--St. Petersburg: State Chamber of Commerce, Panel Program, Gulf Beaches Rotary; Lake Wales: Reception and Dinner for visiting German Food Purity team; Nov. 20-- Conferences in Bartow office; Nov. 21--Haines City: Chamber of Commerce annual banquet; Nov. 22-Orlando: Kiwanis, inspection of new Glenn Martin plant; Nov. 23--Tampa: Florida Citizenship Clearing House at University of Tampa; Nov. 24--Stuart; Dedication of new Martin County Library; Nov. 25--Bartow: Office conferences. Nov. 26--Lakeland: Florida Southern College Convocation; Evening at Plant City: Kiwanis, Farmers Night banquet; Nov. 27--Tampa: Kiwanis, Tampa Tobacco Table annual banquet; Nov. 28--Thanksgiving at home in Bartow; Nov. 29--Miami: Dedication of new Southern Branch of the Florida Baptist Children's Home at Kendall; "Cracker Politics" Awards Program, meeting with Chamber of Commerce Congressional Action Committee and with maritime interests; Nov. 30--Miami: U of F Alumni Breakfast & Executive Council meeting, Dade County Young Democrats Barbecue, Florida-Miami Game.
MERRY CHRISTMAS - Mary and I and my staff all wish for you and yours a Merry Christmas and a full measure of health, happiness and prosperity throughout 1958.

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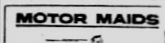

Tips for Safe Holiday Trips

By Jeanne Smith,
Dodge Safety Consultant

PLANNING a holiday trip to visit the family or friends? Don't spoil the reunion with an accident on the highway. Safety experts point out that there are more hazards to threaten a safe journey at this season than at any other time of the year.
Inclement weather and more hours of darkness make visibility poor and highways treacherous. And the holiday spirit often causes drivers to be less alert than usual.



Miss Smith

For a safe and pleasant trip, follow these suggestions from the National Safety Council:
1. Plan your trip so that as much of the driving as possible will be accomplished during the daylight hours.
2. Postpone your trip if the weather is bad or if hail, snow or sleet are predicted for the area in which you plan to drive. Consult the weather bureau for a forecast if you're in doubt.
3. Drive slowly and cautiously. Wet, slippery roads increase emergency stopping distances.
4. Assume that there are icy or wet patches on seemingly dry pavement — especially around curves, beyond hillcrests, on bridges and in shaded spots—and drive accordingly.
5. Be certain your car is in top mechanical condition before attempting any sort of trip. Check windshield wipers, defrosters, headlights, tail lights, brakes and tires. Use reinforced tire chains when the road is covered with snow or ice.
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Last Rites Held Saturday For Jesse J. Price

Jesse J. Price, 59, passed away suddenly Wednesday night, December 18. Mr. Price, a local merchant, was a native of McCrae, Ga., and came to Avon Park from Knoxville, Tenn. 12 years ago.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Nellie Price of Avon Park; four daughters, Mrs. Betty Rivers of England, Mrs. Jo Ann Cogburn of Wauchula, Johnnie Sue Price and Jennie Price Avon Park; one son, Jesse Price, Avon Park; one sister, Mrs. Sallie Howe, Ashburn, Ga., and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon in the Mizelle Funeral Home Chapel with The Rev. Bill F. Robinson officiating, and interment in Bougainvillea Cemetery.

Pallbearers were H. O. Murphy, H. J. Murphy, H. L. McCully, Louie Swiston, Hubert Sadler and R. Elder.

Mizelle Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

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cut.

Professional people and community leaders interested in attending should make requests for scholarship applications before January 6, to the Educational Director, Florida Alcoholic Rehabilitation Program, P. O. Box 1147, Avon Park.

Floyd Theatres Make Personell Changes

Mr. Robert Carr former manager of the Sevon Drive In Theatre has accepted a position with the Southern Life and accident Insurance Company. Mr. Carr will move to Avon Park where he will take over the Avon Park and Frostproof debit.

Mr. Stanley Buser formerly projectionist at the Florida Theatre, Sebring has been transferred to the Sevon Drive In as Manager.

Mr. Calvin Perdue from Greenville, Alabama will assume duties at The Florida Theatre as projectionist.



May all the joys of this Holiday Season be yours!

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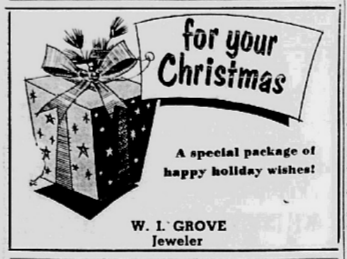
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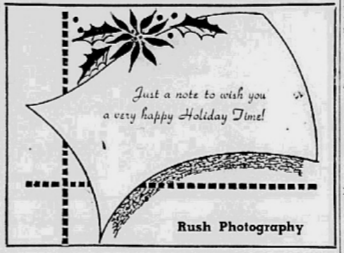

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Blessings of the Season

Best wishes to all for Yuletide happiness.

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Christmas cheer to everyone!

Leon's Sporting Goods

Meikrowave .....

—By Don Meikeljohn

Florida's tax situation is in the same boat as the miler that breaks the world's record, but still loses the race.

Although the sales tax—the bread and butter tax of state government—is soaring to new records, it is still lagging behind the predicted amounts.

This may call for some sharp reductions in state spending.

State officials haven't pushed the panic button as yet, but they are keeping a sharp eye on the sales tax collections. After the December reurns are in, some careful study of the sales tax structure is in line.

The problem boils down to this:

To meet the appropriations, the sales tax has to bring in about 52 per cent more than it did before the new sales tax went into effect.

So far, the increase has only been 39 per cent.

In other words, in the first five months, the sales tax is lagging some 13 per cent behind the expected amounts. It will take a big upswing to bring the percentages up.

Some folks tend to pass it off by saying, "Oh well, Christmas sales will bring it up," but they forget that in dealing with percentages, you would have to have a tremendous increase to make up the 13 percent from previous months.

From a money point of view, it means that the state must collect an average of $14,300,000 in each of the seven remaining months from the sales tax to stay on sound ground.

Otherwise, the State Budge Commission must begin cutting services or delaying buildings.

Sales tax collections in November were a record-breaking $11,111,315, but despite the record this was about $900,000 below predicted amounts.

At the same time, the sales tax take in the first five months of the fiscal year was just over $50,000,000—about $4,750,000 shy of predictions.

Comptroller Ray E. Green, who warned against too enthusiastic predictions on the sales tax income during talk on new taxes, says the big factor in the slump so far is in the building trades. This source produces roughly about 28 per cent of the revenuts.

Home construction is definitely off, and this in turn affects taxes in many ways. Construction workers don't have as much money to spend on taxable items, less taxable material is purchased, and allied sales for such things as appliances slack off.

Another significant trend is that the building industry shifts more to public works projects, on which the building materials are tax exempt in many cases.

A vicious cycle.

Green pointed out that the problem is not local. Other states, including New York, are experiencing similar difficulty. They too are also keeping a sharp eye on the sales tax returns—plus keeping the budget cutting ax sharpe.

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Harvey, the capitol cat that writes with his tail, took the day off and tagged along on a tour of the St. Regis Paper Company's seedling nursery and huge paper mill in Jacksonville. He has this to say:

The Cat's Meow
By Harvey

On my trip to Jacksonville, I met a fellow from Fitzgerald, Ga., who says they solved the probem of friction between Georgia Crakers and Yankees.

It seems Fitzgerald was formed back after the Civil War or War Between the States—take your pick—by some Yankees, who formed a colony. They put $10 in a pot and drew parcels of land.

After all these years, the Yankees have been absorbed by the Crackers, and they have a motto for the town that goes, "Fitzgerald, Ga., In Central South Georgia Where the Crackers and the Yankees Built is Wisely."

Some of the offsprings of the original settlers still live in Fitzgerald, and this fellow tells me, "Why, we don't even know the difference anymore."

Basketball Season To Open January 7

The Avon Park High School Devilettes wound up the third week of practice with the selection of fourteen girls for the A-string out of one of the largest groups of girls to turn out for basketball in some time.

Only one senior, Ann Rowland, returned to the varsity. Ann was high scorer last year, averaging around twenty-five points per game. Six juniors returned to the squad this year. Guelda Gaster, Frankie Thorp, Charlotte Albritton, Mary Lois Roberts, Pat Tondee and Betty Shepard. These girls all lettered last year and form the nucleus of the 57-58 Devilette Team. They will be bolstered with some new talent—sophomores Margie Reynolds, Miriam Francisco and Clytee Coleman; and freshmen Freda Bennet, Cecelia Weinzirl, Hattie Leighton and Tura Ann DeLaney.

The girls have been working very hard in practice and they hope to better their last year's record of eight losses and two wins. They look good in practice and from all reports will be able to wipe last years record out of the way with some fine playing.

Sally Sayers is the girls manager and Sallie Harrison is scorekeeper. All girls home games on Tuesday nights will be at 7:00 p. m. and Friday night games will be at 7:30 p. m. Boy's games will follow.

The basketball schedule:

Jan. 7 - Lake Placid, There, A - B Girls.
Jan. 10 - Sebring, Home, A - B Girls.
Jan 14 - Ft. Meade, There, A - B Girls.
Jan. 17 - Mulberry, Home, A Girls.
Jan. 21 - Frostproof, There, A - B Girls.
Jan. 24 - Lake Placid, Home, A - B Girls.
Jan. 28 - Lake Wales, Home, A - B (boys only)
Jan 31 - Arcadia, Home, A - B (boys only)
Feb. 4 - Frostproof, Home, A - B Girls.
Feb. 7 - Kathleen, There A Girls.
Feb. 11 - Ft. Meade, Home, A - B Girls.
Feb. 14 - Mulberry, There, A Girls.
Feb. 18 - Kissimmee, Home, A Girls.
Feb. 21 - Sebring, There, A - B Girls.
Feb. 28 - Kathleen, Here, A Girls.

Radio Station WAVP Schedule

Monday Through Saturday
5:00 a.m. Breakfast In The Barnyard
6:00 a.m. Orangeland Express
7:30 a.m. News Roundup
8:00 a.m. Orangeland Express
9:00 a.m. Coffee Break
11:00 a.m. Charlies Workshop
12:00 News Roundup
12:15 p.m. Jack Delaney
12:20 p.m. Roadside Chapel
12:30 p.m. Tater Charlie
2:00 p.m. Jims Corner
5:00 p.m. Sundown Serenade
Sunday
7:00 a.m. Easy Listening
8:00 a.m. Baptist Hour
8:30 a.m. Lawrence Welk Orch.
9:00 a.m. Voice Of Prophecy
9:30 a.m. Music For Sunday
11:00 a.m. Church Services
12:00 Sammy Kaye Orch.
12:30 p.m. Sunday News Roundup
12:45 p.m. Novelty Time
1:00 p.m. Sunday Concert
1:30 p.m. Just Beautiful Music
3:00 p.m. Billy Graham
3:30 p.m. Just Beautiful Music
News every hour on the hour; Headlines each half hour.

Ridge—

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business in their new location in the Brickell Building, 1 South Lake Avenue, on Thursday, January 2, 1958. For years Ridge Fuel Company has had its office in the Jacaranda Building.

The Ridge Fuel Company, distributors of Green's Fuel, has been in business in Avon Park since 1935 and is the only distributor of Green's Fuel in Highlands County.

In the new store will be a complete line of gas appliances, including stoves, automatic water heaters, heaters and refrigerators.

Jerry—

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ching Post Restaurant and Phillips 66 Service Station.

Jerry is in Pre-Med at the University of Miami and is expected to return to Avon Park Friday to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents.

Girl Scout News

Thirty-five Girl Scouts enjoyed a Christmas supper and party at the Florida Power Club house on Thursday, Dec. 19, after their regular meeting.

During the meeting the girls wrapped the gifts that they had made for their parents. Sonia Lawrence received her pin and became a member of the Girl Scouts. The Scouts then practiced singing Christmas carols as they plan to go carolling on Christmas eve. They will meet on the corner by the Methodist Church at 7 o'clock and plan to sing at different places until 8:30.

The Scouts membership cards will be given out at the next meeting on Thursday, Jan. 9. Miss Sally Nute and Miss Connie Booth, of Avon Park High School, are now assisting the Scout leaders, Mrs. Bob Lee and Mrs. N. H. Booth. Mrs. Garland Kelly visited the girls at their meeting on Thursday.

The troop committee had prepared the girls a lovely Christmas party at the Clubhouse with a delicious hamburger supper. The Scouts had a Christmas tree, exchanged gifts, and played games. Mrs. Floyd Wells, Mrs. Arlin King, Mrs. Mannin Kirkland, and Mrs. Robert Barben took charge of the party and all the mothers helped.

Bridge Club Has Christmas Dinner Party

Members of the Supper Bridge Club enjoyed a Progressive Dinner and Christmas Party Monday night, December 16, with Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Reeves of Wauchula, former members of the Club, as special guests.

Members met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Betts for the first course and from there went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Keller. Serving as hostesses with Mrs. Keller were Mrs. Doug Perry, Mrs. J. Paul Garber and Mrs. Bee Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Worden were hosts to the Club for dessert and coffee, after which an exchange of gifts was held. All enjoyed the beautiful Christmas tree and decorations. Prize for the evening was won by Dr. Reeves.

Do You Have

Have you filled the candy dishes for Christmas, if not try these quick and easy recipes and you are sure to get wonderful results.

QUICK FONDANT
2/3 cup (½ 15 oz. can) Eagle Brand Sweetened Condensed Milk.
1 teaspoon vanilla extract.
4 cups sifted confectioners' sugar.

Blend together Eagle Brand Sweetened Condensed Milk and vanilla. Gradually add confectioners' sugar while mixing until smooth and creamy. Use this fondant between nut meats or as a stuffing for dates; or form into small balls and roll in chopped nut meats, shredded coconut, grated chocolate, candied fruit. Or flavor and color the fondant as desired and form into round flat candies.

CHOCOLATE PEANUT CLUSTERS
½ lb. sweet chocolate.
2/3 cup (½ 15-oz. can) Eagle Brand Sweetened Condensed Milk.
1 cup whole peanuts.

Melt chocolate in top of double boiler over boiling water. Remove from heat. Add Eagle Brand Sweetened Condensed Milk and peanuts and mix well. Drop by teaspoonfuls onto buttered baking sheet or plate. Chill for several hours before serving.

October Sales Tax Shows Big Increase

November sales tax collections, based on October sales, totalled $11,111,315, an increase of $3,408,120, 44.2 per cent, over the $7,703,494 collected for the same month last year, and an increase of $935,262, 9.2 per cent, over the $10,175,253 collected the previous month this year. This is the highest monthly collection in the history of the sales tax in Florida.

Total sales tax collections for the five months this fiscal year (four months under the expanded tax) amounts to $50,194,592, an increase of $14,047,380, 38.9 per cent, over the $36,147,212 collected last fiscal year at this same time under the "Old" tax.

Although this month's collections fall below expectations (the percentage increase this November over last November of 44.2 per cent is slightly under the increase this October over last October of 46.9 per cent) the overall increase for the five months this year over last year of 38.9 per cent is a gain of 1.5 per cent over the first four months last year.) The big collection months are still to come and it is too early to make any accurate prediction about the adequacy or inadequacy of sales tax returns. The January collections, which will reflect Christmas season sales and the beginning of the winter tourist season, will give us a better picture of our financial position.

Gasoline tax collections during November, also based on October sales, amounted to $8,339,250, an increase of $752,637, 9.92 per cent, over the $7,586,613 collected during the same month last year, and an increase of $848,313, 11.32 per cent, over the $7,490,937 collected the previous month this year.

Total gasoline tax collections to date this fiscal year amount to $41,295,280, an increase of $3,479,887, 9.17 per cent, over the $37,824,393 collected to date last fiscal year.

Rotary News

Attorney Ernie Breed of Sebring explained the duties, responsibility and qualifications of a juror to members of the Rotary Club during the luncheon meeting Wednesday, December 18, at the Jacaranda Hotel. He stated that anyone selected for jury duty and serving as a juror should not prejudge the case before all facts are put before them. He explained how the attorneys questioned the jurors while they were being selected and why. He briefly outlined the courtroom procedure one might encounted when called as a juror.

Visiting Rotarians last week were Louis H. Nebel, Sturgeon Bay, Wis.; Harold Runyan, Cattlettsburg, Ky.; Dr. John Cox, Chattahoochee; A. M. Rose, Marion, S. C.; Bob Gay, Arcadia; Nat Porter, Fort Myers; E. F. Armstrong, Hicksville, Ohio; Richard Dutton, Sebring; Dick Dressel, Miami and Alex Robinson, Orlando.

Mrs. Anna Belle Worden was the guest of Doug Perry last week and Nimrod Frazier, Montgomery, Ala. was the guest or Lorant Foriz; Ralph Davis of Frostproof was the guest of Donn Duncan.

C. R. Ginn, on behalf of the Club, presented a Christmas gift to Miss Marcia Bilbee in appreciation of her serving as pianist to the Club for the past year.

Hunting Allowed Every Day From Dec. 25—Jan. 2

Tallahassee—Holiday hunting will be allowed every day December 25 through January 2 in all districts of Florida, according to A. D. Aldrich, director, Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission.

Hunters will have their choice of 13 major game species during the holiday period. Deer, turkey, bear, panther, quail, squirrel, rabbit, duck, geese, snipe, coot, woodcock and dove will all be legal game except in certain areas where special restrictions on deer and turkey prevail. Dove hunting closes December 29.

Deer may be hunted in all counties, except Washington, Holmes, Hardee, Manatee, Sarasota, Pinellas, DeSoto, Alachua, Bradford, Union, Gilchrist and Clay counties, and portions of Escambia, Santa Rosa, Polk, Hillsborough, Baker, Nassau, Columbia and Suwannee counties. Monroe County closed to Key Deer.

Turkey may be hunted in all counties except Hardee, Pinellas, Manatee, Sarasota, DeSoto, Alachua, Bradford, Clay and Union counties, and portions of Hernando, Polk, Hillsborough, Baker, Nassau, Columbia and Suwannee counties.

After January 2, hunting seasons, for all other than deer, panther and bear, revert to pre-holiday schedule, with hunting of resident game animals allowed on Saturdays, Sundays, Wednesdays and Thursdays in the Second and Fifth Districts, and every day in the remaining three Districts. Deer, bear and panther hunting closes statewide one-half hour after sunset January 2.

Hunting of migratory game birds—ducks, geese, snipe, coot, woodcock and dove is allowed every day throughout the state, with dove hunting closing at sunset December 29.

Aldrich made a special plea to all hunters to obey the game laws and observe the rules of hunting and field safety.

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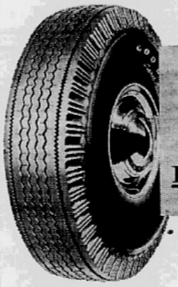

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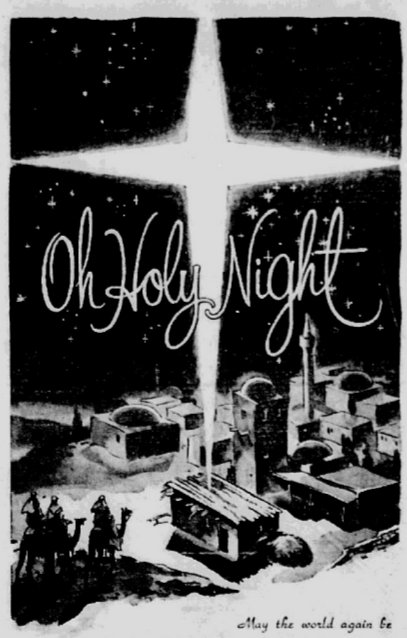

May the world again be blessed by the beautiful message of peace and good will that was born in the little town of Bethlehem so long ago.

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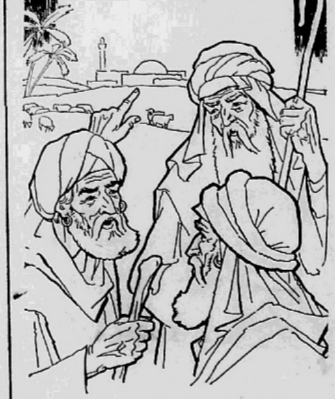
With the coming of the Christmas season, we extend to our friends the sincere wish that their holiday will be enriched with many blessings.



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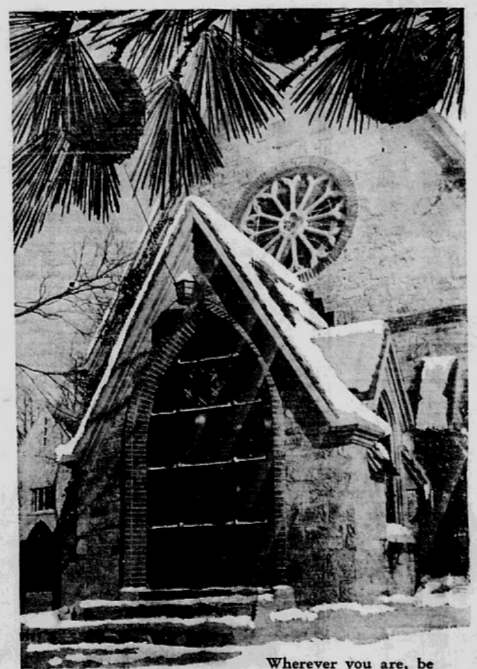

Wherever you are, be it in your home or the church of your choice, may your day be filled with the gladness of the Yuletide spirit.

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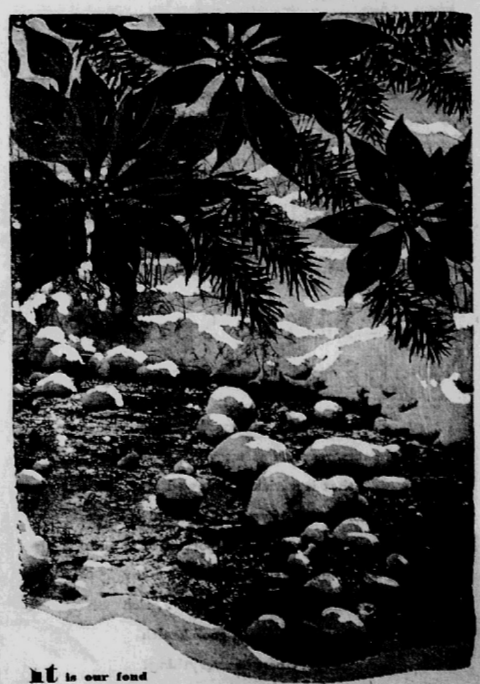

It is our fond hope that the enchanting beauty of the Christmas season will be mirrored in happiness for you and your family.

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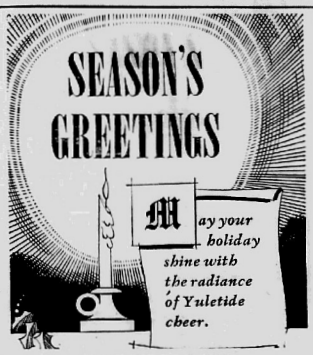

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May your celebration be wreathed in the happiness of the Yuletide season.
First Federal Savings & Loan Assn.
Sebring, Florida



CHEERS
A bright Christmas to our many friends!
POINSETTIA HOTEL

Season's Greetings and Happiness to All . . . .



MERRY CHRISTMAS
AND A
HAPPY HOLIDAY
TO ONE AND ALL!

AVON PARK AUTOMATIC LAUNDRY
5 S. Lake Ave.
Phone 2-6861

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a blessed Christmas



May the true spirit of Christ-child be reborn in all of us during the holy season.

Reed's Department Store

Wishing one and all a world of Christmas Joy

THE PURE OIL SERVICE CENTER
Joe Bass, Proprietor
Top Of Mall & U. S. Highway 27



We wish
all our friends
at this time of the year . . .
A season that sparkles
with holiday cheer!

AVON PARK MOTOR CO.
Your FORD — MERCURY Dealer
Avon Park, Florida



To each of our many friends, we wish a very happy Yuletide season

PALMS RESTAURANT



TO EVERYONE
STARLITE RESTAURANT



MEEKER'S Hitching Post RESTAURANT



Phillips 66

RESOLVE TO USE PHILLIPS PETROLEUM PRODUCTS IN 1958

CHRISTMAS JOY



May the light of the stately candles be your symbol of glowing happiness.

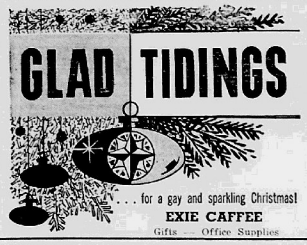
RAY'S BAKERY



And . . . a Christmas with all the trimmings!

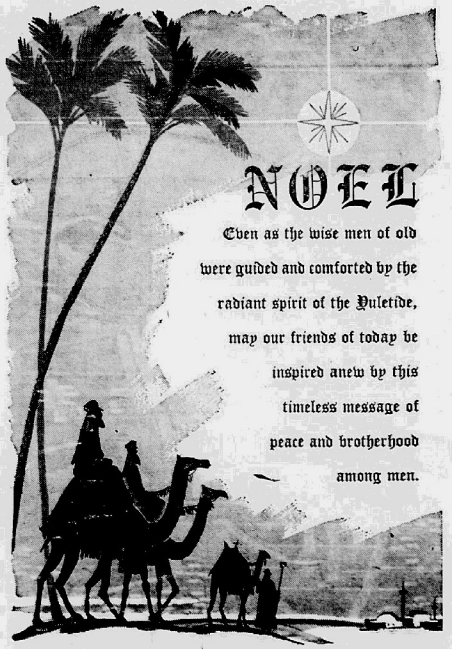
DUTTONS APPLIANCE STORES
Avon Park and Sebring

GLAD TIDINGS



. . . for a gay and sparkling Christmas!

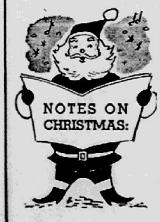
EXIE CAFFEE
Gifts — Office Supplies





. . . To all our many wonderful friends!

SUMNER'S RADIATOR SHOP
Wauchula Rd. — Phone GL 2-5431 — Avon Park



As the happy music of the season fills the air, we hope it will bring you much harmony and cheer.

HARDEN'S TAXI
Phone GL 2-2111



Holiday joy to you and yours!

Meyer's Upholstering & Shoe Shop



HI THERE!

In step with the season, we wish you a Merry Christmas!

B & C Plumbing Co.

COURTHOUSE OFFICIALS

BROWARD COKER
Sheriff

MERVIN REHRER
County Judge

MRS. HELEN PECK
Tax Collector

H. T. PIETY
Clerk

ROLAND X. DROIT
Supervisor of Registration

FRED WILD
Superintendent of Schools

P. G. GEARING
Tax Assesor

Season's Greetings One And All . . . .

Greetings

Joys of the Yuletide season to each and every one.



ORANGE BLOSSOM MOTEL
U. S. Highway 27 North, Avon Park

Joy to the World!



The Yuletide carols convey our sincere greetings!

LAKE BRENTWOOD MOTOR COURT
U. S. Highway 27, North
Avon Park

Merry Christmas



May this Holy Season bring with it many rich blessings for you and your loved ones. May it bring you health, prosperity, peace – and the very merriest Christmas Day ever.

TOUCHTON DRUG

the Shining Hour

The street is still.

Lights and music, bells and horns and voices have disappeared into the hush of snow that lays its gentle mantle on our hurried footprints.

The windows of the world are lit with joy, and holly wreaths cast long blue shadows on the quiet snow.

Beyond, where the air shimmers to the glow of stars, new bells begin their lovely and triumphant chime.

Now, as on this night for nearly two thousand years, the shining hour casts its hope and blessing on the earth once more, and Christmas comes.

May the joy of this season live in our hearts all the days of the coming year, and its spirit guide us toward peace among all men.

Merry Christmas from

I. H. FORD MOTOR COMPANY
309 W. Main Phone GL 2-2081
Avon Park, Florida



Christmas

Over the housetops the reindeer fly bringing Santa, his gifts - and our Very Best Wishes to you and yours for the Happiest Holiday ever!

CITY OF AVON PARK

JAMES P. TURNBULL
City Clerk - Auditor

HUE E. NUNNALLEE
City Attorney

E. A. DeLANEY, Sr.
Mayor

COUNCILMEN

ROBERT E. LEE, Pres.
P. A. McFARLAND, V. Pres.
ROLAND L. DILLEY
CLARENCE F. KING
M. KIRKLAND



To All Our Friends and Patrons

Christmas Greetings

Our Desire To Serve You In The Coming Year Is Exceeded Only By Our Appreciation For Your Loyal Patronage In The Year Now Coming To A Close.

Eaton's

YULETIDE GREETINGS



The carols of Christmas fill the air with our sincerest wishes for harmony and good cheer during your holiday.

The Standard Oil Company Service Stations in this section extend to all their customers "Seasons Greetings —

It has been our pleasure to serve you during 1957, and our desire to serve you in 1958.

JOE M. STILES, DISTRIBUTOR
STANDARD GASOLINE and LUBRICANTS
SEBRING, FLORIDA

Best Christmas Wishes



To All Our Friends and Patrons

Deckers Pure Oil Station



We're helping Santa wish you holiday joy!

CAPELL'S GULF SERVICE



Along with the many presents under your tree, please accept our best wishes for a Merry Christmas!

CARLSON WATCH SERVICE
22 E. Main St.



EDNA'S BEAUTY SHOP

Merry Christmas



To Everyone

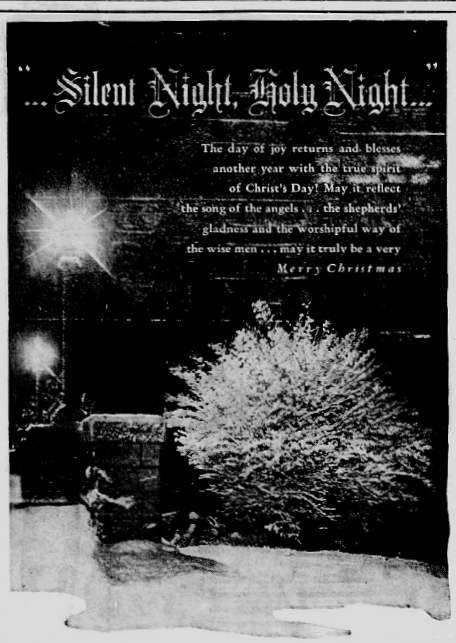
The Season's Greetings

Merry Christmas

Happy New Year

Ward's Department Store

Avon Park's Leading Dept. Store — The Fashion Center



May the world again be blessed by the beautiful message of peace and good will that was born in the little town of Behlehem so long ago.

TROPICAL STATE BANK

SEBRING, FLORIDA

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TO EVERYONE....

Speaking for all our Texaco Service Stations—we want you to know we appreciate your patronage in 1957 — and our desire to serve you in 1958 — To one and all A Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year—

MORRIS ADAMS

Make A Resolution To Use Texaco Products In 1958
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