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Three Christmas Parties Given By Fla. Power Employees Club

The children of the Florida Power Employees Club enjoyed a Christmas party in the Power Employees Club enjoy Fla. Power Clubhouse on Monday afternoon, Dec. 23.

Over one hundred children and adults were served delicious Christmas cookies and cold drinks upon their arrival at the party. Jo Ann Kelly, Karen DeLaney, Georgianne Godwin,

and Sherry Wells led the group in coral singing. Mrs. Charles Mosley read the children a Christmas story. Then in a whirlwind of excitement who should arrive on the scene but dear old Santa Claus.

Under a beautifully decorated Christmas tree Santa gave each boy and girl a small gift and a stocking filled with candy. All the children left the party happy and excited.

Mrs. Ed Sharpe, Mrs. Richard Birt, and Mrs. Ed Albritton were on the Gift Committee. Mrs. Leamon Kelly purchased the candy. The tree and other decorations were arranged by Mrs. Melvin Green and Mrs. E. A. DeLaney, Jr. The refreshment committee was Mrs. C. S. Warrington, Mrs. Floyd Wells, drinks, cookies, Mrs. G. D. Godwin, Jr., Mrs. W. W. Sherertz, Jr., and Mrs. J. C. Murphy.

The Teen Age Children of the Florida Power Employees Club were entertained with a Christmas Party and Buffet Supper on Monday evening, Dec. 23, at the Florida Power Clubhouse.

The clubhouse was decorated for Christmas and the tables were centered with candles and angel's hair. After the delicious supper of Bar-b-que Chicken, the group exchanged small gifts from under a lovely tree. Each employee child brought one guest to enjoy the festivities and altogether there were twenty-four teen agers present.

Dancing to the music of the club record player ended the evening. Chaperones who also assisted with preparations for the party were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wells, Mrs. Emory Cribb, Mrs. C. I. Wells, Mrs. H. R. Doublerley, and Miss Fay Gordon.

The Florida Power Clubhouse was the scene of the annual Florida Power Employees Club Buffet Supper on Saturday night, Dec. 21, with more than ninety members and wives present.

The decorations of the clubhouse were greenery, candles, Christmas lights, and balls. The buffet was a turkey and ham supper with all the trimmings and featuring a number of different homemade pies for dessert.

Floyd Wells, President of the Employees Club, presented Mr. C. I. Wells and Mr. Ray Hubbard with Christmas gifts after the supper.

A tape recorded was recording under the buffet table during the serving of the dinner and this was played back to the amusement of the surprised group after supper. The conversations afforded some good laughs to all.

Mrs. Robert Henderson and Mrs. Robert Harden were in charge of the arrangements for the lovely supper.

Avon Park Campground News

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Certain and son of Bensenville City, N. C. recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Loy Wyant.

Rev. and Mrs. Harley Martin of Quincy, Ohio and children left today (Thurs.) after spending several days with Rev. and Mrs. Chester Lewis the parents of Mrs. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. William Clark and family of Elberton, Ga. left yesterday (Wed.) after spending a few days in a cottage.

Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Overley will soon leave to hold a revival at Orlando beginning Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Starbuck and children of Willard, Ohio called on Rev. E. E. Shultz.

Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Roe, Winifred, Rev. E. E. Shultz, Terence called on former church members at Lake Worth, Fla. yesterday (Wed.) Rev. Roe and Rev. Shultz have served the same church in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Wyant and family recently visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Loy Wyant.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Burris had their son of Ohio University, Athens, Ohio visit them along with three students of Ohio State University.

There was a community get together dinner on Christmas day in the large dining hall.

Florida Power Auxiliary To Meet Jan. 2

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Florida Power Employees Club will hold its regular monthly meeting on Thursday evening, Jan. 2, at 8 o'clock in the Florida Power Clubhouse.

The program will be on various kinds of handwork with demonstrations given. All members are reminded of this meeting.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our appreciation to everyone for the kindness and sympathy showed to us in the passing of Mr. J. J. Price.

Sincerely,
The Family

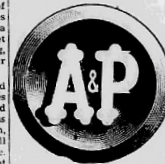
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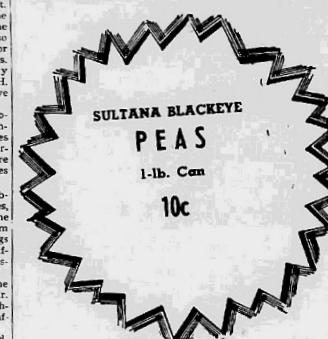
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Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Scanlon and their children, Bob, Linda, and Glenn, of Tallahassee, arrived last Tuesday for the Christmas week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reddick and their daughters, Holly and Candy, attended the dedication of the new Educational Building and the consecration of the new parsonage at the first Methodist Church in Lake Placid on Sunday. Mr. Reddick had helped design the parsonage. After the service the congregation ate lunch on the grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Ruhman of West Palm Beach spent last weekend with their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. DeLaney and their family.

A Christmas reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Ray Wells had these guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Parrell and their sons, Donald and Bruce, of

Tampa; Mrs. D. B. Farnell, their children, Quentin and Mrs. Harmon Atkins and Shannon, Mr. Theo Weisbayer, and Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Huebner.

Mr. W. B. Dick motored Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wharton and Mrs. C. C. Bridges to Tampa last Thursday for sightseeing.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Rogers and their three children, and Mr. and Mrs. James A. Rogers and their two daughters of Clewiston spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Rogers. Mrs. James Rogers' father, Mr. George Boney, joined the group.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kirkland of Tampa spent last Monday and Tuesday with their daughter and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mannin Kirkland.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Young of Charleston, Ill. are winter guests in Avon Park spending the time in the home of Mrs.

G. A. Stebbins.

Thomas Edwards of Raleigh, N. C. is visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Lewis and other relatives in Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Roux had all eight of their children with them for Christmas. Celebrating the holidays together were Lt. Col. and Mrs. Earl G. Hunt of Eglin Field, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Crutchfield and their daughters, Sandra, Gloria, and Janice, of Milton, the Rev. and Mrs. J. O. Witt and their sons, Jackie and Tommie, of Homeland, and the Rev. and Mrs. Dean Martin of Shadyville, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Peoples and their children, Jackie, and Mrs. J. O. Witt and their Christmas with her family, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. DeLaney, Sr. and his mother, Mrs. Ouida Peoples.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Fields and their children of Green, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Riker of Gainesville, Fla. spent Christmas with their mother, Mrs. F. C. Chisholm.

Mrs. J. R. Hunter of Ft. Lauderdale spent Saturday in Avon Park. The Hunters were residents of Avon Park during the

war while he was stationed here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Davidson of Lake Worth spent Christmas with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reddick and their family. Other guests for the day were his sisters, Mrs. E. L. Bell of Tampa and Mrs. M. W. Tillis of St. Petersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. David Wallace of Plum Island, Newberry, Mass., arrived last week to spend the winter at the Velvet Shores Apartments on Lake Lotela.

Mrs. Etha Gerlock and her children, Sandy and Chip, spent the weekend before Christmas and Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dunison and Mrs. E. A. Harris attended the funeral of W. S. Yearwood in Ft. Meade on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Powell left Christmas day for McRae, Ga., to visit his parents for several days.

James R. Alexander of Great Lake Naval Training Station arrived home for Christmas in Kentucky, spent Christmas in Zephyrhills visiting his parents,

mother, Mrs. Ruby Alexander, until the first of the new year.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Alexander, Jr., of Ft. Lauderdale, returned from a trip to Bluefield, W. Va. on Christmas eve in time to spend Christmas with his mother and brother.

Miss Karen Kirkland and Miss Margaret Wendt left Thursday on the Silver Meteor to spend nine days with Margaret's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hall, in Washington, D. C.

Mr. L. L. Trout of North Baltimore, Ohio, and his grandson, Judson Trout of North Baltimore, and another grandson, Clarence Trout of Cincinnati, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dick. The boys will return home but Mr. Trout will spend the winter here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Weber and their daughters, Janet, Kay, and Kathleen, of Plain City, Ohio, were the holiday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walker of Highlands Lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cook and their children, Sandra and Kenny, spent Christmas in Zephyrhills visiting his parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cook.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kempton for Christmas were their daughters, Misses Mikal Kempton and Patsy Strassberger; and Mrs. Kempton's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Page of Tampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Mahr of Englewood and Indiana spent Christmas with their niece, Mrs. Anna Streith, and her family.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Camp, Jr. and their daughters, Laura and Lynn, of Clearwater, will visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Camp, Sr., and her mother, Mrs. J. L. Wells, this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stimson, Brent, of Brown City, Michigan, visited their cousin, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stimson last week.

Guests of the Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Gillbreath last Wednesday were Mrs. Roy Lawson and her son, Howard with his children, Elaine and Mary Ann, of Morven, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Tomlinson of Jacksonville, and Mr. and Mrs. David Flint and their daughter, Lola, spent Christmas as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cox and Mr. and Mrs. P. DeLaney.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rogers and their children, Judy, Jack, and Jimmie, of Knoxville arrived for Christmas week with his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Rogers, and her mother, Mrs. Daisy Nader.

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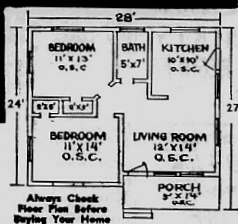
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WHEREAS, with all these endowments Florida's greatest asset is the people who have developed its resources, built its facilities, and added to its attractions—who have, in fact, made Florida world famous; and
WHEREAS, Florida plays host to millions of visitors each year, who are, and properly should be, welcomed with courteous hospitality in the best tradition of the South; and
WHEREAS, courtesy is the first requisite of good public relations, cultivates friendship, promotes good business, and benefits everyone both psychologically and materially.
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Le Roy Collins, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Florida, do hereby proclaim January 6-12, 1958, as
AUTUMN COURTESY WEEK
initiating a year-round program of courtesy—during which Chambers of Commerce, civic organizations, and other business groups and enterprises of this State are earnestly requested to conduct suitable activities to stimulate interest at the local level promoting the practice of courtesy among all citizens, especially those catering to the tourist trade, public service personnel, police, and other civic employees, and all those having contact with visitors and new residents, to the end that Florida—southernmost of Southern States—may parallel the warmth of its semi-tropical climate with the warm hospitality of its citizens.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Florida to be affixed at Tallahassee, the Capital, this 20th day of December, A.D., 1957.
LeRoy Collins
GOVERNOR
ATTEST:
R. A. Gray
SECRETARY OF STATE

Services For Lester Truex Wednesday A.M.
Lester Truex, 68, passed away early Tuesday morning, December 31, at Walter Memorial Hospital. Mr. Truex was a native of Elkhardt, Ind., and came to Avon Park from Elkhardt four years ago to make his home here.
He was a member of the First Methodist Church, Winter Guest Club where he served on the Board of Directors, American Legion, and a veteran of World War I.
Mr. Truex is survived by his widow, Mrs. Clara M. Truex of Avon Park; two daughters, Mrs. Harold W. Klemm, Avon Park and Mrs. Everett Knox, Lake Forest, Ind.; two sons, Louis Miller and Robert D. Miller, both of Elkhardt, Ind.; two sisters, Mrs. Frank Wittmer, Elkhardt, Ind. and Mrs. Owen Wogoman, Goshen, Ind.; two brothers, Loren Truex of Wakarusa, Ind. and Merlin Truex of Elkhardt.
Funeral services will be held at the First Methodist Church in Avon Park, Wednesday morning, January 1, at 9:30 a.m. with the Rev. Wilmer O. Luttrell officiating. Following the funeral the remains will be forwarded to Elkhardt for services and interment.
Palbearers will be Duke Christensen, Ray Millon, Martin Lindborg, Moody Beck, Dan Lindborg, and Charles Brush.
Misselle Funeral Home was in charge of the local arrangements.

Rogero—
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The \$6,000,000 estimated cost needed for four-laning US Road 25, approximately \$450,000 of this amount has been budgeted by the State Road Department for four-laning US 27 from the West end of the Mall north to the Park County line.

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(3) From South Lake Placid to State Road 700 (DeSoto City) (11.04 miles), \$1,475,000.
(4) From State Road 700 to State 64, (14.369 miles), \$1,800,000.

The 9.5 mile Skipper Road has been estimated by the State Road Department Engineers at \$450,000 (\$300,000 of secondary funds would be used to build 6 miles, and \$150,000 primary and secondary funds for 3 miles), and an estimated \$500,000 to build the link between Lake Placid and Sebring.
The recent requests of the city officials of Avon Park, Sebring and Lake Placid, have been approved by Rogers, and he has asked the State Road Department to authorize the Bartow District engineer to go ahead with the projects requested in the three municipalities.

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WHEREAS, Florida plays host to millions of visitors each year, who are, and properly should be, welcomed with courteous hospitality in the best tradition of the South; and
WHEREAS, courtesy is the first requisite of good public relations, cultivates friendship, promotes good business, and benefits everyone both psychologically and materially.
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Le Roy Collins, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Florida, do hereby proclaim January 6-12, 1958, as
AUTUMN COURTESY WEEK
initiating a year-round program of courtesy—during which Chambers of Commerce, civic organizations, and other business groups and enterprises of this State are earnestly requested to conduct suitable activities to stimulate interest at the local level promoting the practice of courtesy among all citizens, especially those catering to the tourist trade, public service personnel, police, and other civic employees, and all those having contact with visitors and new residents, to the end that Florida—southernmost of Southern States—may parallel the warmth of its semi-tropical climate with the warm hospitality of its citizens.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Florida to be affixed at Tallahassee, the Capital, this 20th day of December, A.D., 1957.
LeRoy Collins
GOVERNOR
ATTEST:
R. A. Gray
SECRETARY OF STATE

SEEN BY THE STROLLER
In the Bougainvillea Cemetery, a pleasant place by the way for a stroll now and then, is a stone the inscription on which would certainly intrigue anyone's curiosity. It is not a monument, but a very broad flat stone lying prone upon a grave and bearing the simple wording: "O. M. Crosby, Founder." That is all. No date, no information about the deceased. No hint in place or hope of Heaven for him. Only the name and cryptic word "Founder."
Just who was O. M. Crosby, and what did he found or create? There are a few people in Avon Park who knew him once, a few more perhaps who remember him though not very lovingly. He was in fact the father of Avon Park, and he cut quite a figure for a while in the early days. Coming down into Florida some seventy years ago he bought a large tract of land in this area for \$2.50 per acre and proceeded to develop it. Hiring an Irishman to survey the land he laid it off in building lots, streets etc., and then advertised for buyers. He even published a small newspaper called the "Homestead," but which some wit named the "Home-sucker," which for a time had a considerable circulation. In a very few years he had a quite respectable village here, with settlers from many States in the Union and some from abroad, and the most of them engaged in the production of oranges and pineapples. Every body was happy and prospects were rosy when suddenly calamity struck.
It was the "big freeze" of December 1917 and February 1918, two freezing spells in one winter leaving everything, pineapples, young citrus, garden stuff black and ruined. It was too much for the new settlers, many of whom left their cabins to the elements and went away. It was the blow that in a sense killed father, meaning, of course, ruined him in the face he went back to New York, then finally to the Peabody where he died. It is fitting that his remains be finally interred in the cemetery of the city which he founded, which also was his downfall. O what a fall was that, my countrymen, said Mary Anthony over Cassa. R. L. to over O. M. Crosby says ROBBICK STOLLER

Last Rites Held Tuesday For Mrs. Barksdale
Mrs. Lucy Barksdale, 72, wife of the late J. J. Barksdale, and grandmother of Vernon Tyson of Avon Park, passed away Sunday noon, December 31, in Lakeland. She had been a resident of Lakeland for the past fifty years, moving there from Moultrie, Ga. She was a charter member of the Southside Baptist Church, and a member of the TEL and WMU chapters.
She is survived by five daughters, Mrs. Harry Tyson, Mrs. M. N. Caschier, Mrs. T. L. Lowe, Mrs. Carl Ford, Mrs. A. N. Burrows, a son, J. B. Barksdale, West Palm Beach, two brothers, Joe Henry, Hopewell, and Ben Henry, Bay Pines, a half brother, John Henry, New Port Richey; 18 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.
Funeral services were held Tuesday morning, December 31, at the Southside Baptist Church in Lakeland, with interment in the Rose Lawn Cemetery.

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