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Weather Observer

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February 13	84	62	
February 14	86	64	
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Highlands County Fair Opens Monday P.M.

The annual Highlands County Fair will open Monday evening at 6 p. m. and run through Saturday, with official closing time set at 11:45 that night.

Feature of opening night will be the Beauty Queen preliminary contest at 8 o'clock when the girls will parade in bathing suits.

Tuesday will see judging of community booths at 11 a. m. Fair grounds opening at 1 p. m. and will be colored childrens day.

Wednesday the grounds will open at 1 p. m. and first on the program will be the Junior Livestock Judging contest; it will be white childrens day at the fair; Hobby Show judging will be at 2 p. m.; official livestock show judging will be at 3 o'clock; a showmanship contest for junior exhibitors will be held at 5:30. In the evening Judging of Girl Scout exhibits will be held at 7 o'clock and the popular Citrus Fruit Packing contest will be held at 8 o'clock.

The Dress Review will be held at 8 p. m. Thursday.

Friday the big livestock sale will be held at 2:30 and the Beauty Queen Contest finals will be at 8 p. m.

Saturday the fairgrounds will will be in the hobby division with ham radio operators maintaining a radio station at which visitors may talk to operators in other cities.

Judges for the Livestock Show will be F. M. Peacock, Les Hatcher and Lyle Wood. Auctioneer for the sale will be Kelly Hayes of the Okeechobee Livestock Market.



AVON PARK BEAUTIES PREPARE FOR Highlands County Fair Queen Contest. From left to right: Margaret Hazen, Judy Hunt, Mary Lois Roberts, Hazel Sassen, Judy Zinn, Clytee Coleman, Betty Sheperd, Martha Elder, Sammie Wright, Gina Lloyd and Bonnie Nagleschmidt.

Hurd on the Mall

BY GEN HURD

Special lighting effects will be used on the flower show patio. A Florida Power lighting expert, Wade Wilfong of St. Petersburg will show off the plants to best advantage by his use of light in the right places. Mr. Wilfong whose services have been made possible by the Florida Power Corporation, specializes in residential and garden lighting.

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Some of our young bopsters danced up a storm on the Roy Rogers show in connection with the State Fair in Tampa last Thursday. Those who saw the performance said they were mighty proud of the rock 'n rollers. Anne Johnson, Ann King, Beth Church, Bill Ward and Jack Seims were the cool cats who got acquainted with Roy. Dale Evans and of course Trigger, Jr. and the driver of "Nellie Belle".

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Avon Park is boasting some new businesses. We now have a new eating place, a music store and will soon have a shoe repair shop on the main street.

John Teter is the new proprietor of the Avon Park Music Company which opened recently, with Mrs. George Temple as his personable assistant. The store is well stocked with band instruments, organs, pianos, records, music and teaching materials as well as a large supply of cameras and photographic equipment.

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Pia and Louis Dellelo are dishing out some tasty food at their new Avon Park Cafe which opened recently. It's hard to find a table at lunch time, and if you go for Italian dishes your taste buds will fairly burst into bloom.

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Featured at the Fair in Sebring this year will be an amateur radio station, set up for the visitors who want to get a message anywhere in the country. Four of the local "ham" radio operators in the community will man the equipment loaned for the project by Roy Pixler. Those who will be on hand most of the day and evening as operators, are Bob Woodruff and Roy Pixler of Avon Park, Hank Webster and Dr. W. S. Coon of Sebring. So if you want to send greetings to Aunt Minnie in Minneola just go to the radio exhibit and tell the boys, they'll put it on the network which covers these United States.

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Those antique doll carriages which grace the top of the show case in Ward's Department Store are from the collection of Mrs. Elizabeth Ladrie, store owner. They are a hundred years old and were made by a famous baby-carriage company in New England. Mrs. Ladrie also has a collection of dolls some of which she used her artistic ability in restoring.

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Only 150 gallons of water was necessary to queich the fire on West Church Street outside the city limits last Saturday evening, so effective was the "fog" type of spray used by the firemen. The house owned by Ann Parker and occupied by Merle Hawkins suffered $2,000 worth of damage caused by defective wiring.

Firemen remarked that for the first time in history they had a fire brought to them - on a train. The Silver Meteor passenger train roared into town early one morning last week with its electrical storage compartment in flames and there was an exciting few minutes with busy firemen and frightened passengers milling around. One lady in night-

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Youth Center Building Benefit Basketball Games Friday Night In AP Red Devils Gymnasium

Saturday night, Feb. 21, at 7:30 is the time! The Avon Park High School Gym is the place! The Bloomer Girls and the Women Teachers will stage a basketball game the like of which has not been seen and will be remembered for many a day. And The Jaycees will do battle with the men teachers.

There will be a million laughs and who do you think will win? The Bloomer Girls or the Women Teachers? The Jaycees or the men teachers? The Youth Center Development Association will be able to use the proceeds to help build a new Center for the boys and girls of Avon Park and the audience will enjoy a rip-roaring evening of fun.

Tickets are priced at 75c for adults and 35c for students. Preschool children will be admitted free. Mrs. Ethel Harrison, at Touchton's Drug Store, Mrs. Wini DeLaney at Cove Realty, and Mrs. Edna Mae Cox at the City Hall are selling tickets for the games and they may also be purchased at the door.

Coach Joe Franza and Father Peter Watterson will be the officials for the galloping game. To inspire the teachers to great lengths of derring-do Mrs. Ethel McKelvaine, Mrs. Lena Suggs and Mrs. Mildred Myers will lead cheers for their co-workers. And there will also be even more surprise sideline entertainment that night. Gather together your family and friends and come—this spectacle won't happen again soon.

On the Women Teacher's team we have Mrs. Dot Tetey, Mrs. Chloe Lookhoff, Mrs. Andrew Miracle, Mrs. Lucy Derkman, Mrs. P. O. Goff, and Mrs. Charles Kempton. The others are too bashful to have their names announced and want to be surprise entries on Saturday night.

Bloomer girls who have been practicing faithfully in their ruffled outfits are Mary Dundee, Captain, Wini DeLaney, co-captain, Maxine Fries, Anna Dee Church, Annabelle Worden, Edna Mae Cox, Lou Shockley, Katie Rehrer, Clarice Ford, Mary Giddens, Margaret Turnbull, Kathleen Lee, Jeanette McDonald, Betty Sullivan, Mildred Ford, Catherine Stokey and Ethel Harrison. They're not bashful and all want to become stars!

Florida Power Offers To Buy Sebring Plant

Officials of the Florida Power Corporation met with the mayor and city council of the city of Sebring last Thursday night and tendered to them an offer to purchase the municipally owned power plant of that city for two and a quarter million dollars.

At the close of the called meeting Council President H. H. Pillinger said that the situation must be studied from all angles before any steps could or would be taken toward calling a referendum vote of citizens on the proposition.

The complete text of the proposal offered by the Power Corporation:

February 12

Honorable Mayor and
City Council
City of Sebring
Sebring, Florida

Gentlemen:

We submit herein a proposal to purchase your electric distribution system complete, including generating plant and all related facilities, for the sum of two and one-quarter million dollars, free and clear of all liens and encumbrances.

The proposal does not include the following items:

a. Cash on hand and in the banks to the credit of the City as of the effective date of the purchase.

b. Bills, notes and accounts receivable of the City as of the effective date of the purchase.

A further consideration in the proposal, is a thirty-year franchise which will provide revenue to the City through a franchise tax feature calling for 2 per cent of the company's gross sales of

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Land Purchase Set For New Youth Building

The Youth Center Development Association voted at a general membership meeting to purchase the land directly across from the school softball field as the site for a proposed new youth center building.

Tentative purchase price was set at $2,500, the original asking price of owners. A committee was appointed to discuss the purchase with Mr. Spicola of Tampa, who controls most of the parcel of land, and to write the owners of the smaller section of land, who lives in Virginia .

At an earlier meeting of the board of directors it was voted to invite Gail Hovey, president of the high achol student council, to work with John Crittenden in selecting an advisory council from the student body to work with the board.

At the general meeting Mark Wheeler, a Florida Power Corporation official, addressed the meeting and empahized the importance of gaining public cooperation and support, and discussed the numerous youth centers with which he has become acquainted in his work, their method of gaining support, type of buildings, management, etc. He promised full assistance and urged personal contact in securing land, getting members, and securing support.

Roy Seims and Andrew Miracle were added to the board of directors by vote of the general meeting.

The sale of memberships opened at the meeting, with 32 for adults and $1 for students. Contributions larger than these sums automatically includes membership, they reported.

Members secured at the meeting included: Belle Martin, $25; Mark Wheeler, $2; Mrs. Hurbert Coleman 5 memberships, $7; Mrs. Whitcomb and Donnie, $10; Mrs. Ethel Harrison and Vicki, $1; Mrs. Georgia Holland Ralph, $5; Lucia Luscomb, $5; Judy Hooper, $1; Anita Luscomb, $1; Wini Delaney, $2; Elizabeth Kempton, $2; Rev. Grantz, $2; Mrs. Jewel Shepherd, $2; Mrs. Charles Warrington, $2.

Mrs. Belle Martin gave the $25 donation for the honor of receiving the first membership card. This donation was from the Helping Hand Fund derived from the sale of rummage which had been donated by welfare and civic minded persons interested in aiding charitable organizations, needy families, and ministerial students in the colleges.

Overnight Camp For Lad And Dad Set By Scouts

Sam Polston, Camping and Activities Chairman of th Highlands District Boy Scout Committee has announced a Lad and Dad overnight camp at Highlands Hammock Park in Sebring, starting at 2:00 p. m., Saturday, February 28 and ending Sunday morning after breakfast, in time for everyone to attend church services.

Each Lad and Dad are expected to bring own food and camping equipment, or the purchase of food and cooking may be done on a troop basis, if preferred.

Mr. Polston stated he would like to have every troop in the district participate in this activity which is planned for Saturday night.



ALTON LaFLAM shows the 10 lb. 12 ounce bass he took from Lake Adelaide with a top water plug. This lunker puts him out in front in the Leon's Sporting Goods store fishing derby ay a wide margin.

Twelfth Annual Flower Show Set For February 26 At Youth Center

The Twelfth Annual Spring Flower Shower Show of the Avon Park Federation of Garden Clubs will be presented February 26 at the Youth Center Building on the Wauchula Road from 3 to 9:30 p. m.

Theme for the show this year is "Down To Earth". Chairmen Mrs. John P. Dawson and Mrs. I. H. Ford say that the show will feature simplicity of arrangements and the use of the many beautiful flowers that grow in Avon Park.

Scale of points to be used by the judges has been announced as twenty-five points each on design and distinction and originality; twenty points each on color and interpretation, and 10 points on condition.

The many committees active in advance work indicates the presentation of the finest show in the history of the event.

Committees: Schedule-Mrs. E. W. Hartt, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mrs. L. D. McGibeney, Mrs. C. C. Swihart, Mrs. J. L. Delegal, Mrs. H. C. Wright, Mrs. Mervin Rehrer and Mrs. W. V. Martin. Decorations-Mrs. W. J. Head, Mrs. H. E. Barker, Mrs. Walter Mandis, Mrs. R. C. Fries, and Mrs. J. A. Johnson. Horticulture-Mrs. E. A. Hartt, Mrs. George Kelsey and Mrs. Bertha Paher.

Classifications - Arrangements, Mrs. Paul Rumpsa and Mrs. L. D. McGibeney. Horticulture-Mrs. D. M. Ellis, Mrs. Alice Sherman and Mrs. Lester Tru. Entry-Arrangements ,Mrs. C. C. Seifert, Mrs. R. T. Stewart, and Mrs. Mabel Staggers. Horticulture-Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mrs. P. C. Boney, Mrs. Walter Mandis and Mrs. J. D. Coston.

Properties: Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mrs. George Walters, Mrs. Frank Camp and Mrs. R. H. Thayer. Judges: Mrs. George Kelsey and Mrs. Burt Outling. Hospitality: Mrs. J. W. Richmond, Mrs. Guy Decker, Mrs. H. C. Wright, Mrs. Alice Sherman, Mrs. Ruth Henderson and Mrs. R. T. Stewart. Potted Plants: Mrs. Charles Baker, Mrs. Charles Kempton, Mrs. F. S. Love and Mrs. C. H. Swartz. Dismantling Committee: Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mrs. R. H. Walters, and all members of both circles. Commercial: Mrs. R. E. Porterfield. Junior: Mrs. H. W. Coleman, Mrs. Arlin King, Mrs. C. B. Pixley and Mrs. J. C. Hardin. Publicity: Mrs. Genevieve Hurd and Mrs.R. M. Coats.

Awards: Mrs. A. C. Wester and Mrs. J. R. Rutherford. Finance: Mrs. R. L. Maxson, Mrs. H. J. Fenlon, Mrs. B. M. Dawn and Mrs. Viola Alderman. Conservation: Mrs. Mabel Staggers Refreshments: Mrs. Charles Baker and Mrs. R. M. Coats.

"An outstanding feature of the show will be a calendar prepared by members of the clubs which lists plants which have been found most suitable for landscape planting in this area. This calendar gives specific instructions for care of plants and is designed to be useful to all gardeners, and especially to new Florida residents. It will be on sale for a nominal sum at the show, they report.

Life Of Lincoln Now Available At AP Library

Students of Abraham Lincoln will be interested in knowing that the Avon Park Library now has on its shelves the famous "Life of Lincoln" by Carl Sandburg, the great contemporary Illinois poet.

The volume is one of a set of six volumes titled "The March of Democracy" by several important authors covering the lives and times of many famous and worthwhile Americans. They will be excellent reference books for those doing research as well as good enjoyable reading for all.

The library is indebted to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hayes Maxwell for this welcome addition to their non-fiction shelves.

Have you used the facilities of our library recently? They are for the use and pleasure of the community and all ages may find many profitable hours of enjoyment there. A large number of new books have been added recently and the library is constantly expanding. Miss Avis Slaughter, the gracious and efficient librarian, is always ready to help with the selection of books to fit every your li-

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Beauty Contest Is Highlight Of Highlands Fair

The annual Highlands County Beauty Contest, is feature of the Highlands County Fair, will see the contestants appear before the judges on opening day of the Fair, February 23, in a bathing beauty review.

The field will be reduced to ten at the bathing review and these finalists will appear on the night of February 27, at which time the Queen will be selected. Sammie Wright of Avon Park was runner-up to Coleen Hoy of Lake Placid last year. Miss Wright is again a contestant.

Avon Park contestants and their sponsors are: Mary Lois Roberts-Harris Cleaners; Betty Shepherd-Eaton's Dept. Store; Martha Elder-Metcalfe Hdwe. Store; Judy Zinn-Hotel Jackaranda; Clytee Coleman-WAVH; Judy Hunt-Rush Studio; Sammie Wright-Touchton Drug Store; Bonnie Nagleschmidt-Ward's Dept. Store; Hazel Sessen-Avon Park Motor Co.; Margaret Hazen-Delaney's Hdwe.; Gina Lloyd-Johns Ready-Mix; Lani Fries-Maxine's Art Studio.

Avon Park Booth At Fair Again Handled By C of C

The Avon Park booth at the Highlands County Fair will again this year be sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce and the committee is now busy with the design work.

At the 1958 Fair the Avon Park booth received an award of $75 for second place among community booths and an additional $25 for neatness.

The booth this year is being designed to present the resources of the area, the educational and industrial programs of Avon Park and individual hobbies of residents of the area.

Helen Tuten, Ophelia Baker and Faye Gordon, members of last year's prize winning booth, are again in charge of this work. Also on the committee are Jeff Barrow, C. T. Davee, John Giddens and Mrs. Mary Dundee. Fair booth chairman Anna Belle Worden is supervisor.

Baseball Field Being Readied For Big Season

A complete face-lifting job has been underway at Charles E. Head Athletic Field in preparation for the spring and summer baseball season.

The diamond has been completely leveled and lines made perfectly true. Grass seed has been planted in all areas where needed, and the inside parking area increased by approximately fifty percent. An additional 75 cars can now be accommodated, according to Roland Dilley who is in charge of the park.

Oi wooden post along the left field line from the dugout on have been replaced and sixty new bulbs have replaced burned out bulbs. Plans are underway for repainting of the grandstand also he said.

The park is under supervision of the City of Avon Park and Councilman Dilley is ball park chairman, with authority from the council to do whatever he feels is necessary to the maintainance and improvement of the park. Parks Superintendent Wm. Sykes and his crew has been doing the actual work.

The Avon Park Red Devils baseball team will play their games at this park again and Mr. Dilley said an intensive effort is being put forth to secure one or two tournaments here, either the Ridge District tournament or the state tournament. The state tournament, a full week event, depends a great deal on available housing, recreation and feeding facilities, he said.

An attempt is also being made to establish a plant that will attract a Triple A ball club for spring training in Avon Park and the committee feels that most requirements are now met.

Quarter Million Sought In Damage Suit

Mrs. Betty June Smith of Avon Park has filed a civil suit for $250,000 in circuit court at Sebring, the largest such suit ever filed in Highlands County.

Mrs. Smith has asked the quarter million dollars in the case of the death of her husband Grady Lee Smith last year. He was killed in a truck-car crash resulting in the death. [illegible]

Fishing Contest Draws Heavy Interest Here

Leon's Sporting Goods fishing contes that closes February 28 is drawing wide interest amongst fishermen of the area.

Alton LaFlam is leading the bass division with a 10 lb. 12 ounce lunker caught on a top water plug. J. A. Wise is running second with a 9 pounder also taken on a top water plug. Third is Pete Surrency with an 8 lb. 9 ounce bass. Mrs. Dorothy Elder is fourth with an 8 lb. 5 ounce, and George Christenson is fifth with a 6 lb. 8 ounce bass taken from Lake Tulane with a silver spoon and pork rind.

In the Speckled Perch division Clifford L. Craft is first with a 1 lb. 14 ounce specimen; Ralph Cohn second with a 1 lb. 12 ounce, and Rene Davis third with 1 lb. 9 ounce.

In the Blue Bream division C. E. Galvin is first with a 13 ounce; for second place George Kuhn and Louis W. Mallecamp are tied at 13 ounces each, next is Richard Derkman with a 12 ounce taken with a worm bait on Lake Lotela.

AP Alcoholic Center Draws AA Meetings

Alcoholics Anonymous groups from Miami to Macclenny, and from Flagler Beach to Fort Myers, have cooperated with the Florida Alcoholic Rehabilitation Program by holding regular A.A. meetings for patients at the Avon Park Center.

In less than two years, 40 of the state's 148 A.A. groups have participated in the meetings which are usually held Saturday night. Nine groups have held two or more meetings at the Center.

The purpose of these meetings is to acquaint patients with Alcoholics Anonymous, its purpose and method of operation.

Attendance at the meetings is voluntary and an average of more than 50 per cent of the patients in the Center at any given time have availed themselves of the opportunity to attend.

A.A. groups conducting the meetings have ranged in number of persons per group from three to eight.

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Winter Guest Club News

On Saturday evening our hostesses surprised the knife-and-fork group by gaily decorated tables in honor of St. Valentine's Day. Just short of one hundred persons were present to enjoy the bounties prepared by our skilful cooks. We have heard more than one of our number say they "just couldn't take" the potluck suppers any more, as they ate too much! We can well believe that; it takes a strong "no" power to pass those tempting, mouth-watering dishes and not sample each and every one. Seven states were represented, Michigan having the most present, 28, and New York second with 18.

On Friday evening Mrs. Lister and Mrs. J. Richmond were the holders of lucky numbers entitling them to costume jewelry at Eaton's Dept. Store. Mrs. Tony Wright won a certificate from Ward's Dept. Store, Mrs. Geo. Chadwick received a pass to Hilana Theater. Through courtesy of Mr. Floyd Oldham a large box of tangerines was placed in the clubhouse and three large bags of the fruit were won by Mr. Art Jordan, Mrs. Harry Gibson, and Mrs. Helen Stauber .There were 125 attending Friday's dance; this makes for a slightly crowded hall but no one minds that for a few weeks. If enthusiasm and smiling faces are any indication, all present were having a happy time.

Thursday evening there was a record attendance, over 200, at the Valentine's Day party. Mrs. Ira West was the master mind directing this affair, ably assisted by Mesdames Will Kuenzel, H. A. Smith, and Earl Amick. There were several patriotic songs by the audience, led by Mr. Robt. Hanford, Mrs. Earl Jackson at the piano. Mrs. Ira McClarren read an, "Ode to the Flag", an original composition. An original reading, "Rocking Chair Soliloquy", served to bridge the transition from patriotic theme to Valentines. Mrs. John Williams and Mrs. Earl Jackson played three numbers in a piano duet. These were, Melody in F, Rubenstein; Waltz, Gounoud; and, as an encore, Country Gardens, Percy Grainger.

The president, Mr. Glenn Miller, presented the candidates for election to the Board of Directors. Election night is Monday, January 23, 6 to 8 p. m. There will be annual reports, plus a surprise, (so we hear) so you had better plan the evening.

The card tables had been covered with valentine-decorated white paper covers and at each members entered, he was given part of a valentine to match up with another part held by some one; the object being to "unscramble" habitual groupings. That it did, and most successfully. Delicious, appropriately decorated cake and ice cream was served by the hard-working committee, their husbands, and several others who volunteered when they saw the situation had got "out of hand", so to speak. During the serving we were most pleasantly entertained by some recorded music, courtesy of Mr. C. C. Seifert. The committee tried valiantly to find a couple who had been married on St. Valentine's Day. Failing that, a number was drawn and Mrs. Clyde Krenerick was the lucky holder, winning a box of Schraft's delicious chocolates, packed in a really outsize, beautifully decorated valentine box. Mr. C. Gruber held the second lucky number, winning a gloxinia plant, donated by one of our members, Mr. H. A. Smith.

A men's quartet, Messrs. Iffland, D. Lindborg, Keiter, and Gibson, accompanied by Mrs. Gibson, sang songs appropriate for the day: Daisies Won't Tell, Let Me Call You Sweetheart, and Put On Your Old Gray Bonnet.

Thank you, Mrs. West and younr committee, for a most pleasant evening, concluding with everyone singing, Good Night, Ladies.

There were 6 tables of bridge last Tuesday. The high score was earned by Mrs. W. Rodgers, who received a chicken dinner at Griffin's Restaurant. Second-high was Mrs. June Tally; her prize was costume jewelry, Eaton's. Door prizes of tempie oranges, from Ben Hill Griffin were won by Mrs. Keiser and E. Ludington. Just what star were you born under, Mr. Ludington? You are about the luckiest person we've met.

Mr. C. Cynner and D. Christensen have qualified for entry in the State Amateur Doubles Tournament, held at Zephyr Hills, Monday 23 and Tuesday 24. Our best wishes go with these two cue-wielders; bring home the bacon, boys.

On Friday, Feb. 20, Arcadia will be here for a friendly tournament. They will bring their picnic baskets and be served coffee by our club. Come out and enjoy these good friends in the afternoon, and cheer our teams to victory.

Mrs. Flora and M. Lindborg won Wednesday's choose-your-partner event over H. Gibson and H. Shauger. The Consolation event was taken by E. and Chas. Gruber over R. Million and L. Pickell.

Saturday's potluck tournament was won by R. Million and H. Shauger over Y. Beall and E. Bolduc. In the consolation event E. and C. Gruber won over C. Kull and E. Patton.

The men's prizes Saturday were chicken dinners at Griffin's Restaurant, taken by Million and Shauger, as winners of the tournament. The ladies' prizes were won by drawing, Mrs. Alice McAdams and Mae Girten holding the lucky numbers which entitled them to costume jewelry at Eaton's.

On Monday evening, Feb. 16, 32 ladies brought beautifully boxed lunches which were numbered by the committee members. These numbers were then drawn and the holder of the number got to share the lunch with the good cook who prepared it. During the assembling, marking, etc. we had planned to enjoy shuffling. Because of the rain there was no shuffling but Mr. Miller provided some much appreciated music for our entertainment during that time. Following the attendant fun of drawing and lunch-sharing, cards were enjoyed by a goody number. Now, Mr. Miller, we have said in this column that you were in the special confidence of the weather man; "wha' happen?"

Remember, election night, Feb. 23. If you don't vote you have no right to criticize; these officers are your selection, says



MRS ROBERT BARBEN displays one of the outstanding creations to be shown at the Junior Woman's Club Fashion Show to be held Saturday at a luncheon in the dining room of the Hotel Jacaranda.

Peggy Shields And Martin O'Grady Married

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Shields have announced the marriage of their daughter, Peggy, to Martin O'Grady, son of Mr. and Mrs. Felix M. O'Grady, of Catskill, N. Y.

The young couple were married in Folkston, Ga. on Tuesday, Feb. 10. After a wedding trip in North Florida and visits with Mrs. O'Grady's family in Mariana, Hartford and Dothan, Ala. They will go to Pensacola, to make their home.

Mrs. O'Grady was employed with the State Farm Mutual Insurance Company in Jacksonville and her husband was stationed at the Naval Base there. Mr. O'Grady has now been transferred to Pensacola and the young couple will live there.

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...for the SMART LOOKERS!

It's the '59 Ford Ranchero—now from longer wheelbase to greater loadspace! Ranchero gives you the luxury and handling ease of a '59 Ford car . . . yet it hauls half-ton loads! New features include a 20% bigger windshield, increased body strength, new ride stabilizers.



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Longhorn CHEESE pound 45c

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Iona PEACHES 4-No. 2½ cans $1.00

Green Giant Great Big Tender Swt. Peas 6 17-oz. Cans $1

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Green Giant Cream Style Corn 6 303 size Can

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Beautiful Flower Arrangements Highlighted Library Silver Tea

One hundred and thirty-five guests enjoyed the Annual Library Silver Tea at the home of Mrs. W. C. Touchton on Lake Letta on Friday afternoon, Feb. 13.

The lovely home and the beautiful gardens were at their best in the glorious Florida afternoon. Many breathtakingly lovely arrangements of flowers graced the rooms. A arrangement of the new Kordes Perfecta roses, which are a very bright red, in a silver container caught all eyes in the living room. A special conversational point were several arrangements of Solangeana (Japanese) magnolias. Mrs. Touchton, Mrs. James Johnson, Mrs. Jack Head and Mrs. L. D. McGlhoney were responsible for the many beautiful flowers.

The tea table was covered with a Belgian lace cloth and held silver appointments. Following the valentine motif the table was centered with an arrangement featuring very large red carnations with dainty white cherry blossoms and foliage. Tiny hearts were also used in the arrangement and red heart shaped dishes held mints and nuts. Guests were served tea or coffee, dainty sandwiches, and a variety of delicious small cookies from this lovely table.

On the terrace many of the ladies enjoyed their tea while viewing the lovely green lawn stretching to the lake as well as the beautiful camellias and azaleas.

Receiving the guests were Mrs. Cecil Ogden, Chairman of the Library Committee, Mrs. John Townsend, president of the Senior Woman's Club, Mrs. James Turnbull, president of the Junior Woman's Club and Mrs. Touchton. Miss Sally Green, of Georgia, Mrs. Touchton's sister, greeted guests in the living room.

Hostesses from the Junior Woman's Club who helped with the tea were Mrs. Walter Mandis, Mrs. B. C. Ostling, Mrs. Norman Todd, Mrs. Andrew Miracle, Mrs. James White, Mrs. Wendall Smith, Mrs. Art Turner, Mrs. Donald Ford, Mrs. N. H. Booth, Mrs. Fred Jahna, Mrs. Guy Garrett, Mrs. Betsey Holden, Mrs. Sybil Peddleford, and Mrs. James M. Anderson.

Tea hostess was Mrs. R. R. Poterfield. Serving tea to the guests were Mrs. Ralph Kelley, Mrs. A. C. Wester, Sr., Mrs. Earl Hartt, Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mrs. E. G. Todd and Mrs. Walter Betts. Mrs. Walter Mandis and Mrs. Robert Barben were in charge of the Dining Room. Mrs. Clinton Harden, Mrs. Leo Duffy, Mrs. Alice Sherman and Mrs. Mabel Bucklew were in charge of the kitchen. Mrs. I. H. Ford was in charge of solicitations.

General chairman of arrangements for the Silver Tea were the members of the Library Committee, Mrs. Ogden, Mrs. Sherman, Miss Susan Tiffany, Mrs. Barben, Mrs. Mandis, Mrs. Harden, Mrs. Ford, and Mrs. Charles Metcalfe.

Anyone who was unable to attend the lovely tea and wishes to contribute to the library fund may contact Mrs. Cecil Ogden.

Avon Elementary Lunch Menu February 16-20

MONDAY
Beef and Potato Casserole
Lettuce and Tomato Salad
Hot Biscuits, Butter
Preserves
½ Pint Whole Milk

TUESDAY
Vienna Sausage
Buttered Corn
Pear Salad
Hot Rolls, Butter
½ Pint Whole Milk

WEDNESDAY
Spaghetti with Meat Sauce
Cabbage Slaw
French Bread, Butter
Sliced Peaches
½ Pint Whole Milk

THURSDAY
Baked Pork Links
Mashed Sweet Potatoes
Turnip Greens
Cornbread, Butter
Apple Crunch
½ Pint Whole Milk

FRIDAY
Fish Sticks
Hot Potato Salad
Green Limas
Fruited Lemon Jello
Raised Rolls, Butter
½ Pint Whole Milk

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

Hazel Howell, Manager

Charles L. Best In Newfoundland

Navy Ens. Charles L. Best, son of Mrs. Addie L. Best of 5 E. Pleasant st., Avon Park, Fla., and husband of the former Miss Merribel C. Martin of Kewanee, Ill., is serving with Airborn Early Warning Squadron 11 at the Naval Station, Argentia, Newfoundland.

The Squadron flies the Lockheed Radar Constellation as a unit of the North Atlantic Barrier which extends from Argentia to a point near Azores Islands.

Mr. Garfield Smith of Sea Forth, Ontario, Canada, have arrived to spend the remaining winter months with his cousin, Mrs. James Luxton.

Martha Moseley Is Six On Friday, The 13th

Martha Ann Moseley, who was born on Friday, February 13, 1953, celebrated her sixth birthday on Friday, February 13, with a birthday party for some of her friends.

Martha Ann is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Moseley and the party was held at her home. A Valentine motif was used for decoration and party horns and Valentine candy were given to the children as favors.

The birthday cake was a heart shaped cake decorated in red and white. Ice cream, orange juice, nuts and candy hearts were served the small guests with their cake.

The boys and girls played games in the yard and Martha Ann was lucky on her Friday the 13th birthday and won the "pin the tail on the donkey" contest. All the children were especially delighted with the Polariad pictures Mrs. Moseley took of the party. They could hardly believe that they were really seeing themselves at the party that very day. Mrs. Moseley also took some movies of the group.

Helping Martha Ann celebrate were Patty Turnbull, Beverly Wicker, Freddie Jahna, Steve Hart, Mike DeLaney, Winston Smith, Rickie Rich, Lee Barker, Winifred Davis, Joan Seims, Joan Young, Claire Lanier, Barbara Miller, Susan Skipper, Kathy Kirkland and Danny Bennett. Mrs. Roy Seims helped Mrs. Moseley serve the boys and girls.

Garden Clubs Practice On Arrangements

The Annual Flower Workshop of the Avon Park Federation of Garden Clubs was held on Thursday, Feb. 12, the regular meeting date for both circles, in the Avon Park Youth Center.

Preceeding the workshop, Founders Circle and Hibiscus Circle held short seperate business meetings.

Several members of both circles who have had much experience in arranging flowers and have won many ribbons in past flowers shows assisted the ladies in their practice arrangements. Avon Park has a number of women who are outstanding artists in working with flowers and the judges of past shows have always stated that the Avon Park show is one of the loveliest ones that they judge each season.

If the enthusiasm shown by the newer members and their practice arrangements are any indication there will be many more ribbon winners and another outstanding Flower Show on Feb. 26.

The residents of Avon Park who were interested in flower arranging whether members of the Garden Clubs or not were also invited to attend the workshop and profit by this instructive session. Several citizens took advantage of the Workshop and it is hoped that more will next year when the invitation is more widely publicized.

Another interesting part of the day was the showing of color films of beautiful English Gardens which had been taken by Mrs. Edna Pearce Lockett in England. Mrs. B. C. Ostling showed the films and all members were thrilled by the loveliness of the gardens.

Following the workshop Cokes and cookies were served to the tired ladies by the hostesses, Mrs. R. R. Porterfield, Mrs. Mervin Rehrer, Mrs. Charles Kempton and Mrs. Paul Rumpsa.

Mrs. Esther Ostling of Miami spent last weekend with her son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. B. C. Ostling, and grandson, Hoagie.

Miss Sandra Kelsey And Richard Reddick Exchange Vows Saturday



MRS. RICHARD D. REDDICK, JR.

In an impressive candlelight ceremony, marked by beauty and simplicity, Miss Sandra Imogene Kelsey became the bride of Richard Devon Reddick, Jr., at 7:30 o'clock Saturday evening, Feb. 14, at the First Methodist Church in Avon Park.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Kelsey of Avon Park. Mr. Reddick is the son of Mr. R. D. Reddick, Sr. and the late Kitty Lou Reddick, of Avon Park.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Wilmer O. Luttrell.

Palm fronds arranged in the shape of a fan formed a background for potted palms and baskets of white gladioli and pompons in the beautifully decorated church. Six branched candelabra on either side and behind the altar cast a soft illumination over the wedding party as the couple exchanged their nuptial vows.

Mrs. Earl Jackson, organist, and Mrs. Grady Wilson of Frostproof, vocalist, presented an interlude of nuptial music before the ceremony. Organ selections were "O, Jerfect Love", "Liebestraum", "Indian Love Call", "Because" and "Nocturne". Mrs. Wilson sang "Be My Love", "Oh, Promise Me" and "The Wedding Prayer", which she sang as the young couple knelt before the altar after the vows.

The traditional wedding marches were played, and the bridal party entered the church on a white carpeted aisle with the family pews designated by white satin bows entwined with lilies of the valley.

The tapers were lighted by Stanley Kelsey, of Tampa, brother of the bride, and Norman Bozeman of Avon Park.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was radiant in her bridal gown of imported alencon lace over whisper taffeta. The fitted bodice of alencon lace was encrusted with medallions of sequins. The very bouffant skirt of pose de soie over taffeta featured side medallions of alencon lace with side pleats of tissue taffeta ending in a pleated pouf flowing into a chapel train. Her wrist length veil of silk illusion fell from a jeweled crown of seed pearls and sequins. She carried a white Bible surmounted with white sweetheart roses centered with a white orchid.

Miss Kelsey's only ornaments were a single strand of pearls, a gift from the bridegroom, and for the traditional "something old" she wore the wedding band of her maternal grandmother, which was placed on her finger by her husband almost seventy years ago.

Mrs. Gordon Tyrrell, of Pensacola, attended her sister as matron of honor. Other attendants were Mrs. R. B. Backus of Gainesville, Mrs. James Pearce of Merritt Island, Miss Jewellene Newsome and Miss Devonah Reddick sister of the bridegroom, both of Avon Park. They wore crystal heart shaped pendants that were gifts of the bride. Flower girls were little Misses Holly and Candy Reddick, cousins of the bridegroom.

The attendants wore identical gowns of comet blue nylon lace taffeta, which featured bouffant ballerina length skirts. The pleated bodice had a deep v-neckline and midriff. They wore matching pumps, pearl encrusted head pieces with veils and carried heart shaped bouquets of yellow pompons.

The winsome flower girls, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reddick, wore long white nylon sheer dressed with blue heart shaped print motifs and blue sashes; and dainty flower headpieces. They scattered rose petals in the pathway of the bride from baskets entwined with blue and white ribbons.

The bridegroom was attended by his father as best man. Ushergroomsmen were Stanley Kelsey of Tampa, brother of the bride, Gordon Tyrrell of Pensacola, brother-in-law of the bride, R. B. Backus of Gainesville, Norman Bozeman, Bill Both and Virgil Tondee, Jr. of Avon Park.

Mrs. Kelsey, mother of the bride, chose a sapphire blue lace gown over taffeta with empire effect featuring a satin bow and trim with pleated blouse-on bodice back. She wore matching pumps and a white velvet cocktail hat. Her corsage was of pink rosebuds.

Mrs. Reddick, Sr., was attired in a pink lace gown over taffeta and wore a pink cocktail hat with matching accessories. Her corsage was of garnet red rosebuds.

Mrs. T. H. Maxwell and Mrs. Fred Reddick directed the wedding.

Mr. an Mrs. George Kelsey entertained at a reception in Wesley Hall immediately following the ceremony. Mrs. T. H. Maxwell and Mrs. Hubert Bussard greeted the guests at the door and Mrs. I. H. Ford presented the guests to the receiving line.

The bride's book was kept by Miss Judy Martin, a cousin of the bridegroom. A crystal bowl of blue tulle bags of rice tied with satin ribbon decorated the table and each guest was given a bag of rice as they signed the bride's book.

The bride's table was overlaid with an imported cutwork, hand embroidered cloth. A four tiered wedding cake surmounted with a minature bride and bridegroom in a heart shaped frame centered the table and was encircled by fern and white camellias. Three branched crystal candelabra at either end of the table held burning white tapers. Crystal compotes filled with dainty, decorated mints completed the lovely table appointments. Mrs. Charles Rucker of Lake Placid, aunt of the bride, and Mrs. J. W. Martin, aunt of the bridegroom, cut and served the cake after the newlyweds had cut the first slice. Mrs. Allen Knorr assisted with the serving of the cake to the guests.

Punch was served from a table overlaid with a cutwork cloth and decorated with fern and white camellias. Crystal compotes held nuts. Miss Eve Compbell, assisted by Mrs. Carl Lamb, poured the punch.

Baskets of white gladioli and pompons were placed at vantage points around the hall. Mrs. Jerome Shiltz furnished background music at the piano.

Others assisting with the hospitalities were, Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, Mrs. Wilmer O. Luttrell, Mrs. W. M. Renfro, Mrs. Colin DeShong, Mrs. W. P. O'Steen, Mrs. Virgil Tondee, Sr., Mrs. T. O. Martin, Mrs. Raymond Gerrard, Mrs. David McDaniel, Misses Peggy Bussard, Claire Maxwell, Pat Tondee and Martha O'Steen.

For traveling the bride changed into a beige knit suit with black accessories and the white orchid lifted from her bridal bouquet. Following a wedding trip the couple will be at home in an apartment on East LaGrande Street in Avon Park.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding included: Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Smith and Mrs. Mary Bell of Tampa; Mrs. M. C. Weir and her son, James Weir, of Coral Gables; Mr. and Mrs. Teller and their family of St. Petersburg; Dr. and Mrs. Marvin Reddick of Lake Wales; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Blake and their family of Tampa; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cleveland and their family of Bradenton; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Duty of Lake Wales; Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Livingston of Frostproof; Mrs. Frank Burch, Mrs. Judson Twitty, Mrs. Beatrice Galloway, Mrs. Louise Etheredge and Miss Helen Hayes, all of DeSoto City; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kelsey, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Kelsey and their family, and Mr and Mrs. Walt Driggers, all of Orlando; Mr. J. W. Kelsey and Mrs. Jimmie Williams of Lake Placid; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Payne, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Jones, Dr. H. V. Weems, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Schumacher, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schumacher, all of Sebring; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Johnston of Stuart, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Carbine, of Massena, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Tyre of Frostproof, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Backus of Frostproof; Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Day of Gainesville, and Thomas Maxwell of Miami.

S. Y. Moseley Jr. Birthday Party

"Ship Ahoy" Party marked the eleventh birthday of S. Y. Moseley, Jr. on Thursday afternoon, Feb. at his home on North Anoka.

The guests played games inside and enjoyed playing sailing with their sail boat favors and also trying out the ball point pen favors. S. Y. took pictures of his party with a camera which he had received for a birthday gift and everyone had their picture made several times.

The boys and girls were served birthday cake, ice cream and soft drinks and they all helped S. Y. open his birthday gifts.

Celebrating with S. Y. were Vaunda Bennett, Dorothy Grose, James and David Stocker and Tom La-Flam. Mrs. S. Y. Moseley, Sr. served her son's guest and helped with the interesting party games.

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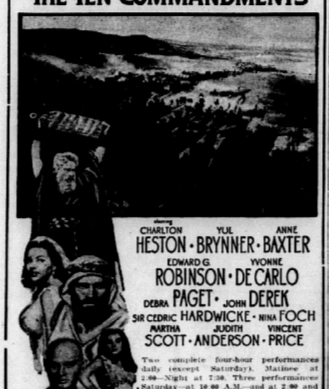
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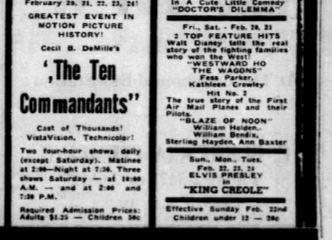
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Kelsey - Reddick Wedding Party Honored At Buffet Supper Friday

Miss Sandra Kelsey and Richard Reddick and the members of their wedding party were honored with a lovely buffet supper before the wedding rehearsal on Friday night, Feb. 13, at six o'clock.

The supper was held in the Palm Room of the Jacaranda Hotel with Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Reddick, Sr. and Miss Devorah Reddick, the hosts for the wedding party of their son and brother.

The long banquet table was covered with a white cloth and held a centerpiece of red and white carnations featuring dainty red hearts. Red candles in crystal holder adorned the table and running down the center of the table were red and white camellias with a background of ivey. Dainty valentines were used as placecards of the guests.

The buffet table was highlighted with twin heart cakes saying "Dick Loves Sandra" on one and "Sandra Loves Dick" on the other. A delicious congealed salad in a heart shape also had the initials of the young couple. The valentine motif was carried out on the buffet table also.

The bride-elect and the bridegroom-elect presented gifts to their wedding party during the evening. Mrs. Julia Holcombe and Bill Hudson provided beautiful and appropriate music for the happy party.

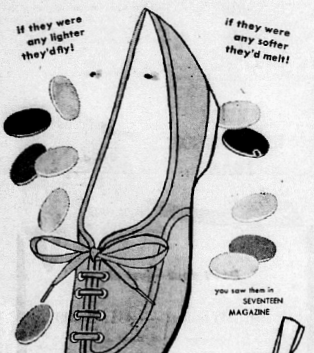
After the delightful supper the wedding party went to the church for the rehearsal.

Guests enjoying the lovely evening were Miss Sandra Kelsey, Richard Reddick, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Tyrrell of Pensacola, Mr. and Mrs. George Kelsey, Stanley Kelsey of Tampa, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Backus of Gainesville, The Rev. and Mrs. Wilmer O. Luttrell, Miss Eve Campbell, Bill Booth, Norman Bozeman, Virgil Tondee of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wilson of Frostproof, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reddick and their daughters, Holly and Candy, Miss Jewellene Newsome, Mrs. Edna Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. James Pearce of Merritt Island.


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Woodmen Circle District Meet In Wauchula

The Supreme Forrest Woodmen Circle will have a District Meeting on Wednesday, Feb. 25, in Wanchula at the W. O. W. Building at 2o'clock.

There will be no Executive Meeting and it is hoped that many of the Avon Park members will be able to attend this important meeting.

The sudden death of the National President of the organization, Mrs. Florence Jensen in Omaha, Nebraska, on Jan. 31, was a sad blow to the members all over the United States. Mrs. Jensen and her husband were former residents of Florida and they both attended the District Meeting in Wauchula last year. All circles in the United States will drape their Charters for ninety days in her memory.

Mrs. Addie Holden, her sister and State Manager of the Florida circles of Jacksonville, passed away suddenly on July 1956.

Brownie Scout News

Girls of the Brownie and Girl Scout Troops are agerly looking forward to the Family Covered Dish Supper on Friday night, Feb. 20. This will be the first joint meeting of the groups and the first time parents and families have been invited to meet together. Parents are urged not to let your Brownie down--cover a dish and attend with your daughters.

Troop 2 and Troop 5 met in the Armory on Tuesday, Feb. 9, for their meetings. After the ceremonies and a brief meeting the girls went to the Playground in Donaldson Park. The leaders then worked on plans for the coming Mother-Daughter Banquet on March 17 in Wesley Hall. Mrs. Ollie Gentry and Mrs. Sibyl Peddleford served refreshments to the girls.

Troop 4 had a delightful picnic in Highlands Hammock on Saturday, Feb. 15, with fifteen Brownies present. Miss Carol Beck, State Naturalist, took the girls on the tour of the Hammock and they saw many alligators, from tiny babies to large-ones, turtles, rabbits, birds and a deer. The deer was the first one that Mrs. Fred Davis, their leader, had ever seen except in zoos--she was even more thrilled than the girls. Miss Beck told the girls many interesting facts about wildlife and they enjoyed it throughly. At lunch each girl ate her sack lunch and the leaders furnished soft drinks. Driving the girls to the Hammock were Mrs. Clara Mae Bennett, Mrs. Betty Chestnutt, and Mrs. Mary Ellen Ward.

Troop 7 of the Second Grade Brownies will have its Investiture Services on Friday afternoon, Feb. 20, in the Brownie Hall in Woodruff Heights. Parents of the girls are cordially invited to attend the ceremony. At their meeting last Friday the girls worked on invitations for the Investiture service with Mrs. Tom Hallam, assistant leader.

Troop 6 of the Second Grade Brownies were treated to a Surprise Valentine party at the home of Mrs. Lewis Miller on the Bombing Range Road. A lovely heart shaped valentine cake with pink icing and heart shaped jello molds were used for refreshments. Favors were valentines with their names and then each Brownie made a valentine for exchange with their friends. Fifteen girls enjoyed the delightful party and Mrs. J. N. McDugald helped the leaders Mrs. Hazel Townsend, Mrs. Audrey Bennett, Mrs. Joan Holmberg and Mrs. Kylene Thompson with the transportation.

Mrs. H. K. Ottley Funeral Service Held Monday

Mrs. Harriet K. Ottley, 80, passed away Sunday morning at Walker Memorial Hospital after a long illness.

Mrs. Ottley and her husband, Edward Ottley, came to Avon Park to make their home in the 1930's from New Jersey. Mr. Ottley died several years ago. Mrs. Ottley was a member of the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer and a well known resident.

Funeral services were held on Monday morning in the Church of the Redeemer at 10 o'clock with the Rev. Peter Watterson officiating at the Requiem Celebration of Holy Communion. Interment was in Bougainvillea Cemetery.

Invite Rebekahs To Attend Chapter Meets

The Eleanor Seaverns Rebekah Lodge No. 65 met on Monday night, Feb. 16, in the Bricked Hall for its regular meeting.

A cordial invitation was extended by the Eleanor Seaverns Lodge to all visiting Rebkahs to meet with the local group at their meetings on the first and third Monday of each month.

The Triple Link Club will meet in the Brickell Hall on Monday night, Feb. 23, at 8 o'clock. Each member will entertain the group with a short skit and members are invited to bring their friends.

Mrs. Mamie Armstead and Mrs. H. H. Reddick will be the co-hostesses for the meeting.

The Ten Commandments' Filmed On Very Ground That Moses Trod

The monumental dramatization of the life of Moses, Cecil B. DeMille's Production "The Ten Commandments," marks the first time in film history a Biblical story has been given the added majesty and meaning of authentic Biblical settings. Scenes for the VistaVision, Technicolor DeMille masterwork, which opens a five days engagement at the Hilana Theatre Friday, February 20, were shot on a three-month location trip to Egypt by DeMille, Charlton Heston and a picked crew of technicians on the very ground the Book of Exodus describes.

The three-hour, thirty-nine-minute Paramount film, which stars Charlton Heston, Yul Brynner, Anne Baxter, Edward G. Robinson, Yvonne De Carlo, Debra Padget and John Derek, along with a massive supporting cast of stars and 25,000 extras, contains key scenes made on the shores of the Red Sea in Egypt, in the deserts of the Sinai Peninsula and on the slopes of Mount Sinai in the very places where the Scriptures tell us Moses saw the Burning Bush and heard the Voice of God.

The tremendous sets recreating the gates of the Pharaoh's city, through which the great mass of Israelite pass in the Exodus scene—screen history's biggest—were built on ground Moses worked as Prince of Egypt.

Little Theatre Working On Their Premiere

The tempo of activity among the members of the Ridge Theatre Guild is mounting daily as preparations proceed readying the premiere production of "My Three Angels" for presentation on March 6 and 7 at the Woodlawn School Cafetorium.

The cast of all local businessmen and housewives are rehearsing regularly under the direction of Allan Entz, Jr. Now that everyone knows his lines, long hours are being spent on voice projection, entrances, exits and all the little tricks of the trade that lift the performance above amateur acting to near professional level, the aim of every good little theatre group.

Ray Clark, Technical Director, and his crew are busily hammering, sawing and painting the sets. Ken Schring as Lighting Director is tangling and untangling yards of wiring trying angles and colors to the best advantage.

Doug Moring, Costume Director, has taken the measurements and has the costume designs completed on paper. Sewing machines are humming in several living rooms while busy hands fashion these sketches into materials.

The Furnishing Committee with Paula Blum as Chairman are searching their homes and the homes of their friends and local merchants' show rooms seeking just the right chairs, tables and desks to fit the scenes. The Properties Committee under Gen Hurd are hunting among many other things a live chicken and two Christmas trees.

Janet Entz and Betty Ann Kuhn as CoChairmen of Ushers are lining up the prettiest girls in town to show you to your seats.

The Publicity Committee of Jack Tew and Maebelle Abney are designing posters that soon will greet you on the streets heralding the important announcement that Little Theatre is here at long last.

The Membership Committee is working hard selling you all about the Ridge Theatre Guild, its aim and purpose, in Sebring, Avon Park and Lake Placid.

Add them all together and you have the Ridge Theatre Guild at work in earnest on their first production, "My Three Angels".

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Final Lecture By Dr. Berg Is Set For Monday

The final lecture and book review in a series of six which Dr. William V. Berg has been giving at the Avon Park Junior High School, will be held in room one, first floor, Monday at 7:30 p. m. -- there is no admission charge.

"The Psychology of the Soul" is the topic for this concluding lecture. One of the books on which Dr. Berg will base his discussion of this provocative subject is Arvid Runestam's "Psychoanalysis and Christianity", translated from the Swedish by Oscar Winfield.

It brings out the point that the turmoil of the present day has "greatly increased occasions for anxiety, while means for finding necessary tranquility and peace of mind have not been augmented. This is the state of affairs that has brought the man of today into a desperate need -- need for healing, need for soul cure."

The author then points out that although psychotherapy seeks to bring peace to distraught souls, and in many instances may be of advantage, it merely treats the symptoms, and cannot restore spiritual or genuine peace.

In his book the author concludes that the Christian notion of what man is and can become, must be the guide in soul care, because "Christian soul care deals with a psychology which enlists the power of God in behalf of the human soul."

Fish And Game Club Set County Wide Contest

The Highlands County Fish and Game Club announces sponsorship of a county-wide fishing contest with prizes being donated by Avon Park, Sebring and Lake Placid business firms.

There will be two divisions, one for men and boys and one for women and girls.

Prizes will be awarded at the club building located at Lakemont on the club's regular meeting nights March 5, April 2 and 7, with three prizes to be awarded.

One prize will go to the man or boy with the largest bass caught in Highlands County; one to the lady or girl with the top bass; and the third prize will go as a consolation selected from the entries at large.

Rules call for the bass being caught in Highlands County, and for this contest the waters of the Kissimmee River are included. The winner must be present at the meeting to receive the award.

Prize donors are Delaney's Hardware, Leon's Sporting Goods, and Metcalfe Hardware in Avon Park; Lake Placid Firestone and Polk Hardware in Lake Placid; Hinckley-Durrance Hardware, King's Hardware, People's Firestone Store, Robbin's Sinclair Service, Ira Simmons Service Station, Western Auto Supply, Ken Wilson's Hardware and Bob Wolfe's Sports Center of Sebring.

A grand prize will be awarded May 7 for the largest fish caught during the three months period. Upon entering a fish the sportsman will take his entry to one of the weighing stations located at the various places of business. The merchant will officially weigh the fish and certify it to the officers of the club.

Local Teachers Initiated At Naples Meeting

Three chapters of Delta Kappa Gamma, Honorary Women Teachers Organization, met at the Ocean Beach Hotel in Naples on Saturday, Feb. 14, for a birthday luncheon of the organization and to initiate a number of new members.

Miss Sarah Sellers, a fifth grade teacher in the Avon Park Elementary School, and Mrs. Alice Sherman, a retired teacher and librarian of our local elementary school, were initiated at the luncheon. Mrs. Vivian O'Connor of Lake Placid also received the honor of initiation into Delta Kappa Gamma. From the three chapters represented at the meeting there were a total of seventeen new initiates.

Attending from Highlands County were Mrs. Mary Robers, Miss Julia Titus, Mrs. Juanita Goodbread, Miss Millie Pearson, Miss Sellers and Mrs. Sherman.

Thirteen Lucky Number For Edith Wilson

Miss Edith Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Wilson, and thirteen of her friends were entertained with a birthday party honoring Miss Wilson on her thirteenth birthday on Friday, Feb. 13.

Edith was born on a Friday, Feb. 13 and this is the second time that her birthday has fallen on a Friday during the intervening years. Miss Wilson is not at all superstitious and feels that thirteen is her lucky number.

The birthday party at the Wilson home combined the superstition and Valentine themes. Several clever games using various superstitions were played and all the guests enjoyed them. A target heart was shot with a bow and arrow for more fun and none of the guests felt that thirteen people made an unlucky party.

The different and delicious birthday cake was made of pink and green sherbert. Punch was also served the guests. Mrs. Wilson served her daughter's guests.

On January 19, several airlines operating out of Florida will file petitions and exhibits with the Civil Aeronautics Board to operate transcontinental flights from Florida to California.

Mighty Jumbo Wrestles Two Men Here Friday

Mighty Jumbo, 517-pound bearded giant, and glamour girls will see action at the Avon Park Armory Friday, February 20, as Promoter Cowboy Luttrall continues his all-star wrestling cards with action starting at 8:00 o'clock.

Winner of a wrestle royal in his previous Avon Park appearance, Mighty Jumbo will take on two opponents this time under Australian tag team rules. Black Jack Dillon and Gypsy Joe have agreed to face the super heavyweight.

Jumbo will be his own partner which means the only rest he will have is between falls. Dillon and Gypsy Joe will be allowed to alternate in hopes of wearing their opponent down. The match will be two out of three falls, one hour time limit.

Rita Cortez, the dark-haired glamour girl from Mexico, and Judy Glover, dynamic Florida blonde from Monticello, are matched in the other two out of three falls event. Both girls are highly ranked and the match should produce terrific action.

Dental Health Group Named

Mrs. Edna D. Cox and Mrs. James W. Parker were named to represent Avon Park on a Tri-County Dental Health Committee covering Highlands, Glades and Hendry counties.

Plans for the formation of this group were completed at an organizational meeting held at Lake Placid and will cooperate with Dr. William F. Hill, Jr., medical officer for the three counties, and Dr. Floyd S. DeCamp, director, bureau of dental health, Florida State Board of Health.

Civic organizations of six cities in the Tri-County area elected two representatives of each to serve on the committee. Besides the Avon Park members, the committee will be composed of: Clewiston - R. C. Nowling and Mrs. S. C. Fry; LaBelle -- Mrs. C. P. Gaulding and Robert Byrd; Lake Placid - Jessie Tuck and E. D. Holcomb, Jr.; Moore Haven - Mrs. Mack Greene and A. E. Wells; Sebring - W. G. Lee and A. J. Kahn.

E. D. Holcomb, Jr., was elected chairman of the group; A. J. Kahn, vice-chairman, and Mrs. S. C. Fry, secretary.

A meeting to draft aims and formulate plans to institute a dental health education program for the schools of the three counties will be called soon, they reported.

4-H Club Group Attends State Fair Saturday

More than two hundred and forty 4-H boys and girls from Highlands County joined the thousands of 4-Hr's from all over Florida at the State Fair in Tampa on Saturday, February 14.

Seven school buses from Highlands took the children who were honored with a police escort nearly all of the way and straight through Tampa to the Fairgrounds. Many interested and responsible parent accompanied the group making each adult in charge of only five children while at the fair. All the parents remarked on the splendid manner in which the children from Highlands and the other counties behaved.

The highlight of the trip was an inspiring speech from that favorite of all time and all ages, Roy Rogers and Dale Evans, his charming wife. Roy spoke especially to the 4-H group and told them he was once a member of their worthwhile organization himself. The children enjoyed watching him present the awards to the winners of the livestock prizes.

The group enjoyed the many excellent exhibits and saw nearly everything at the fair. A footsore and weary group returned to Avon Park that night.

Mrs. Catherine Brabson, Home Demonstration Agent, and R. E. Mansfredt, County Agent, arranged the trip for their 4-H Clubs and accompanied the children. Parents attending the fair with the group from Avon Park were Mrs. Lester Betts, Mrs. Bill Luscomb, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bennett, Charles Warrington, Mrs. Jim Runkle, Mrs. Wiley Cothran, Mrs. Durrah Martin, Mrs. J. C. Wright, Mrs. Jack Hutchinson, Mrs. L. A. Renfro, Mrs. Reams, and David McDaniel.

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Senior Class Play Friday, Feb. 27 Will Be Charming 3 Act Comedy

"Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" a three act comedy by Cornelia Otis Skinner and Emily Kimbrough, will be presented by the Senior Class of the Avon Park High School Friday, February 27, at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium.

The three act comedy is adopted from a best selling book of the same name and is filled with the excitement of an ocean voyage plus the romantic background of Paris, France. An enchanting movie was also made from the popular story several years ago.

As a brief preview of the fun in store for the audience at curtain time here are some character sketches about the people to be met in the play. The Steward, played by Bill Parrish, is a hard-working man who doesn't understand young girls and finds them far too much for him as who doesn't? Mrs. Skinner, the mother, played by Pat Tondee, is exquisitely refined and rather conservative with a gracious manner. Cornelia Otis Skinner, the heroine of the play who later developes into a famous actress and authoress, portrayed by Robby Faye Arnold, is a tall, handsome, vital girl who is very direct and down to earth when not acting out a little scene for herself. Otis Skinner, the famous Broadway actor and father of Cornelia, Reggie Butler, is expansive and charming in a slightly theatrical way but always dignified.

Emily Kimbrough, the other heroine and co-authoress of the story, Peggy Bussard, is a delicately pretty girl who is rather naive but not in the standard, wide-eyed manner; rather she repeats absurdities in a calm, matter-of-fact fashion. The Purser, Wayne Kempton, is a crisp business-like man with a poker face. Betty Shepard is the trim and businesslike Stewardess. Dick Winters, Gail Hovey, might be called a "wise guy" except that he is not at all offensive about it and his sophistication is easy, charming, and offhand. Admiral, Tommy Doubleday, is a florid, overly-gracious professionally charming man. Harriet St. John and Winifred Blaugh, Pat Batson and Melba Draughan, are crisp, breezy, matter-of-fact and hardly aware of the other people past whom they breeze. Joe Perez plays Lee McEvey, a straight-forward earnest youth who would probably be classed as an eager beaver by his friends. The Inspector, Mary Lois Roberts, is a super-efficient, brusque, and sharp-eyed person. Therese, Salie Harrison, is pretty and doll-like. Madame Elise, Charlette Albritton, is an efficient and garrulous French grande dame. Monsieur De La Croix, Robert Church, is a showy and overdramatic in an elegant way, Franch gentleman. The Window Cleaner, Bryan Kempton, is easy friendly and talkative.

Tickets will be on sale from the members of the Senior Class. The prices are: Students, 35c; Adults, 75c; and reserved seats, $1.00. Make plans now to enjoy the evening with the Senior Class and these interesting characters will make your hearts young and gay also. The delightful comedy will give all ages an evening of merriment.



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State Sec. Met With Students

Dr. Victor Johnson, Executive Secretary of the Student Councils of Florida, met with the Avon Park High School Student Council on Thursday, Feb. 19.

Members of the local group made reports to Dr. Johnson about the activities of the Student Council During the discussion which followed he was able to offer many good suggestions for future work.

Special Teacher Program Given At PTA Meeting

Fifty-five parents of the Avon Elementary PTA heard the three teachers of exceptional children speak on their work at the Thursday night, Feb. 12, meeting of the group.

Mrs. Ethel McKelvaine explained some of the numerous projects that her classes in creative writing have taken up this year. She gave a brief outline of her purposes for this special class for children who need to be given more than the routine classroom work. Mrs. McKelvaine also has classes for pupils who have fallen behind in their work for various reasons and require more direct attention than the class room teacher can give them to catch up. She stated it was very gratifying to see the happiness of the boys and girls as they found with this special help they could again overcome many of their difficulties.

John Teter, teacher of several special classes in science for children who have indicated special capacities along this line, told the parents that his main desire was to help the children learn to think problems through for themselves. He mentioned several projects which children in his group had undertaken and displayed some of the posters they had done.

During his talk Mr. Teter gave a through study of the cause and symptoms of brain injury to boys and girls. He also told the parents and teachers some of the traits to look for that might indicate emotional trouble or brain injury in children.

Miss Mildred Myers, Speech Correctionist of the Avon Park School clearly explained how she helped the boys and girls learned to speak distinctly and overcome bad speech habits and defects. By the use of charts she showed some of the important sounds and discussed their importance in speaking. Many child speak indistinctly because of "baby-talk" habits which are so strong that they need special help to overcome them.

Miss Myers, John Teter, and Mrs. McKelvaine are part of the Highlands County School System's program to aid the exceptional pupil. They all work with the children individually or in smaller groups than in the regular classroom and by this method are able to give the pupils more intensified help that they can get in the classroom. Some of the results of their work have been quite amazing.

A business meeting followed the program, with Mrs. Maldwyn Parry, President, presiding. Several committee reports were given and members were reminded that Avon Elementary T-Shirts and Candy were on sale at the meeting.

The Second Grade Roommothers served refreshments after the meeting from a lovely table decorated with red tapers in a valentine heart. Coffee and gaily decorated valentine cupcakes were served.

Fathers counted two points in the attendance count that night and a number of men were present. The Attendance Banner was won by a three-way tie of Mrs. Ruth Drawdy's third grade, Mrs. Jewel Shepherd's third grade and Mrs. Douglas's second grade.

Esther Williams Swimming Pools

Cub Scout News

The Annual Blue and Gold Cub Scout Banquet will be held on Thursday, February 26, at 6:30 in the Avon Elementary Cafetorium on West Winthrop Street.

Morris Paige of Wauchula, Highlands District Scout Executive, will be the guest speaker at the meeting and several awards will be given to the Cubs who have earned Badges or Pins.

All Cubs, parents, brothers and sisters, and friends are invited to bring their Covered Dishes and table service and attend the Banquet. The Banquet is always a covered dish supper and all parents are reminded that Cubs get very hungry.

The Cub Scout Committee is pleased to announce that Mrs. Jerry Capell has volunteered to take Den 4 which was leaderless for a short time. The Cubs of Den 4 have been meeting at Mrs. Capell's home once a week and the boys are very happy to be active again. Mrs. Capell's volunteering is especially appreciated as she had no children of her own of Cub age. There are still boys enough for another Den and any volunteers would be appreciated.

Business Women To Send Girl To Girls State

A Junior Class girl will be sent to the Annual Girl's State in Tallahassee this summer by the Business and Professional Women's Club for the second year.

The members of the Club voted to send a Junior Girl to this educational week at their meeting Monday night, in the Florida Power Lounge. The American Legion Auxiliary has been sending one girl for a number of years and for the first time last year the Business Women made it possible for another worthy girl to attend this meeting. Many civic organizations have had the enjoyable opportunity of hearing last year's representatives, Miss Pat Tondee and Miss Eve Campbell speak on their trip. The value of Girl's State has proven itself many times to the girls of our own community and thus to the community itself.

A report was given on the returns of the Green-Savers Sale. Several enjoyable social events were planned as money raising projects by the members. Residents are asked to watch for a Bake Sale by the members of the Business Women's Club in front of the Bank in the near future.

Twenty-five members were present for the meeting. Mrs. Ruby Hendry of Tampa, sister of Mrs. Exie Caffee was a guest at the meeting and Mrs. Elizabeth Ladrie was welcomed at a new member by the group. Mrs. Mary Ladri was welcomed as a new member to the group and will attend the next meeting.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses, Jean Ricketts, Emma Bussard, Minnie Weeley, and Elizabeth Mizell, at the close of the business meeting.

Bridge and canasta were then played with Miss Millie Pearson and Mrs. Julia Holcombe winning the two high score prizes for bridge, and Mrs. Gladys Smith and Mrs. Gen Hurd taking the two high canasta prizes.

Students from Avon Park the Forrest Lake Academy in Maintland who made the honor holl this term were Jean Schmidt, a senior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Schmidt; Marvin Elliott, a senior, son of Mrs. Gladys Elliott and Wesley Carlson, a junior, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Carlson.

Magazine Sales Of Junior Class Breaks Records

The Junior Class of the Avon Park High School proudly announces that $1547.91 in magazines were sold during their Annual Magazines Sales which was held from Feb. 4 until Feb. 16.

The class will receive over $500 for their Senior Class Trip expenses next year and sold a few more magazines than were sold last year. Nearly all of the Junior Class members were able to help in this project and all members of the class wish to thank the residents of our community who so graciously helped them by taking subscriptions.

The Magazine Sale is an annual project of the Junior Class and residents of the community may wish to keep this in mind when subscribing for their favorite magazines. The Juniors are able to match any special offers for certain magazines.

The Curtis Publishing Company will award prizes of stuffed animals and a total of $25 to the members who sold the greatest number of subscriptions. This prize is a special bonus because the 1959 Juniors topped the 1958 Juniors sales.

Skip McCormick won the first prize and will receive $10. Second prize was won by Martha Elder for a $5 cash prize. Joy McLemore, third prize, will receive $3 and Claire Maxwell, fourth prize, $2. Winning $1 were the next highest juniors Sherman Drawdy, Bobby Alwood, Edith Wilson, Jimmie Cothran and Bruce McWilliams. Ellis Watson and James Ivery are class sponsors.

All Girl Scout Troops To Have Supper Friday

The Girl Scout and Brownie Troops of Avon Park will hold a Covered Dish Supper in the Avon Elementary Cafetorium on Friday, Feb. 20, at 6:30.

All Girl Scouts, Brownies, their families and friends are cordially invited to attend this gathering. Each family is asked to bring an ample covered dish of their favorite food and their own table services including cups and glasses.

The leaders and hostesses are asked to be at the Cafetorium by 6:15 and serving will begin as soon as possible after 6:30.

Troops 1 and 3 of the Girl Scouts will present five minute skits for the group.

Scout Barbara Wiggins and Mrs. Clifton Wiggins, Scout Executive, of Winter Haven will be special guests at the meeting. Barbara has achieved great heights in Girl Scouting and recently went to Australia with the Scouts. She will talk to the girls for five minutes on her experiences.

This will be the first Covered Dish Supper of the Brownies, Scouts, and their families and all are urged to attend.

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Girl Scout News

Troop 1 of the Avon Park Girl Scouts sponsored by the Junior Woman's Club met on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 11, in their King's Court Administration Building Scout Hall for its regular meeting with twenty-four girls and their four leaders present. The girls finished their reports on Birds an dworked on County Fair Exhibits. They also practiced on a skit for the Scout and Brownie Banquet on Friday, Feb. 20. Mrs. Jerry DuRose served the Scouts refreshments.

Troop 1 meets each Thursday afternoon at three fifteen in the King's Court Scout Hall.

Troop 3 of the Avon Park Girl Scouts, which was organized this year and is sponsored by the Woman's Society for Christian Service of the First Methodist Church, meets on each Tuesday afternoon at three in the Woodruff Heights Scout Building.

At their meeting on Tuesday, Feb. 9, the girls, with the help of their leaders, Mrs. Jim Runkle and Mrs. Roy Ladwig, finished the Litter Bug Baskets and these trash containers will be on display at the Garden Club's Flower Show on Feb. 26 in the Youth Center.

Each Scout had made a notebook of her own design at home and displayed them at the meeting. This project is one of the requirements for the Second Class Scout examinations. The girls then practiced for plays which each patrol will give as part of their Dramatics requirement. Refreshments were served by Scout Nellie Faye Barker and her mother.

Residents and friends of the Girl Scouts are reminded to look for exhibits from Troop 1 and Troop 3 in the Highlands County Fair's Scout Display. Mrs. Jack Hutchinson will deliver the girls exhibits to the Fair on Friday afternoon, Feb. 20, if they will have them in their respective meeting Halls.

Lew Gargaunu attended a Westinghouse Special School and Meeting in Jacksonville on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. J. A. Franks and her daughter, Lynda, of Auburndale, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Tyson for Saturday and Saturday night.

Don't forget the Benefit Basketball Games on Saturday night . . . all information in Sun this week.

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Births

WALKER MEMORIAL

To Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Singletary, a daughter, Sylvia Rose, born on Feb. 9. Birth weight 6 pounds 8 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Arthur Cooper of Sebring, a son, Paul Edward, born on Feb. 14. Birth weight 6 pounds 5½ ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Curtis Nobles of Ft. Green, a daughter, Bertha Jo, born on Feb. 14. Birth weight 6 pounds 11 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Felix Rutkosky of Sebring, a son, Henry Randal, born on Feb. 15. Birth weight 8 pounds 5½ ounces.

Mrs. McDaniels, the hostess and the sixteen friends present enjoyed helping Miss Kelsey open their parents and friends.

A good crowd of teenagers enjoyed using the Center on Saturday night, Feb. 14, for the usual evening of fun. Mr. and Mrs. Keith Collyer and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dunne were chaperones.

High School Pl. Meets Tonight

Dr. Victor B. Johnson, Assistant Director of the State Guidance Program, will be the outstanding speaker at the meeting of the High School PTA tonight, Thursday, February 19.

The meeting will be a Covered Dish Supper at 7 o'clock in the High School Cafetorium and all parents, teachers and friends are urged to bring their covered dish and table service and attend.

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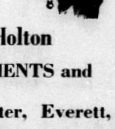
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Kelsey - Reddick Wedding Party Honored At Buffet Supper Friday

Miss Sandra Kelsey and Richard Reddick and the members of their wedding party were honored with a lovely buffet supper before the wedding rehearsal on Friday night, Feb. 13, at six o'clock.

The supper was held in the Palm Room of the Jacaranda Hotel with Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Reddick, Sr. and Miss Devorah Reddick, the hosts for the wedding party of their son and brother.

The long banquet table was covered with a white cloth and held a centerpeice of red and white carnations featuring dainty red hearts. Red candles in crystal holder adorned the table and running down the centr of the table were red and white camellias with a background of ivey. Dainty valentines were used as placecards of the guests.

The buffet table was highlighted with twin heart cakes saying "Dick Loves Sandra" on one and "Sandra Loves Dick" on the other. A delicious congealed salad in a heart shape also had the initials of the young couple. The valentine motif was carried out on the buffet table also.

The bride-elect and the bridegroom-elect presented gifts to their wedding party during the evening. Mrs. Julia Holcombe and Bill Hudson provided beautiful and appropriate music for the happy party.

After the delightful supper the wedding party went to the church for the rehearsal.

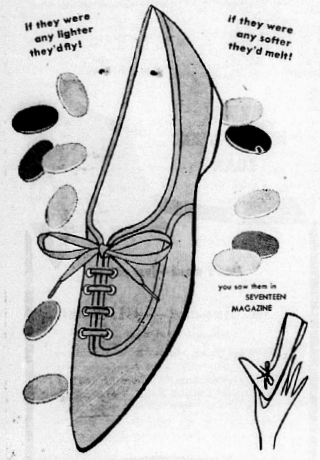
Guests enjoying the lovely evening were Miss Sandra Kelsey, Richard Reddick, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Tyrrell of Pensacola, Mr. and Mrs. George Kelsey, Stanley Kelsey of Tampa, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Backus of Gainesville, The Rev. and Mrs. Wilmer O. Luttrell, Miss Eve Campbell, Bill Booth, Norman Bozeman, Virgil Tondee of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wilson of Frostproof, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reddick and their daughters, Holly and Candy, Miss Jewellene Newsome, Mrs. Edna Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. James Pearce of Merritt Island.



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Woodmen Circle District Meet In Wauchula

The Surpreme Forrest Woodmen Circle will have a District Meeting on Wednesday, Feb. 25, in Wauchula at the W. O. W. Building at 2o'clock.

There will be no Executive Meeting and it is hoped that many of the Avon Park members will be able to attend this important meeting.

The sudden death of the National President of the organization, Mrs. Florence Jensen in Omaha, Nebraska, on Jan. 31, was a sad blow to the members all over the United States. Mrs. Jensen and her husband were former residents of Florida and they both attended the District Meeting in Wauchula in 1956. All circles in the United States will drape their Charters for ninety days in her memory.

Mrs. Addie Hobler, her sister and State Manager of the Florida circles of Jacksonville, passed away suddenly on July 1956.

Mrs. H. K. Ottley Funeral Service Held Monday

Mrs. Harriet K. Ottley, 80, passed away Sunday morning at Walker Memorial Hospital after a long illness.

Mrs. Ottley and her husband, Edward Ottley, came to Avon Park to make their home in the 1930's from New Jersey. Mr. Ottley died several years ago. Mrs. Ottley was a member of the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer and a well known resident.

Funeral services were held on Monday morning in the Church of the Redeemer at 10 o'clock with the Rev. Peter Watterson officiating at the Requiem Celebration of Holy Communion. Interment was in Bougainvillea Cemetery.

Brownie Scout News

Girls of the Brownie and Girl Scout Troops are agerly looking forward to the Family Covered Dish Supper on Friday night, Feb. 20. This will be the first joint meeting of the groups and the first time parents and families have been invited to meet together. Parents are urged not to let your Brownie down--cover a dish and attend with your daughters.

Troop 2 and Troop 5 met in the Armory on Tuesday, Feb. 9, for their meetings. After the ceremonies and a brief meeting the girls went to the Playground in Donaldson Park. The leaders then worked on plans for the coming Mother-Daughter Banquet on March 17 in Wesley Hall. Mrs. Ollie Gentry and Mrs. Sibyl Peddleford served refreshments to the girls.

Troop 4 had a delightful picnic in Highlands Hammock on Saturday, Feb. 15, with fifteen Brownies present. Miss Carol Beck, State Naturalist, took the girls on the tour of the Hammock and they saw many alligators, from tiny babies to large ones, turtles, rabbits, birds and a deer. The deer was the first one that Mrs. Fred Davis, their leader, had ever seen except in zoos--she was even more thrilled than the girls. Miss Beck told the girls many interesting facts about wildlife and they enjoyed it throughly. At lunch each girl ate her sack lunch and the leaders furnished soft drinks. Driving the girls to the Hammock were Mrs. Clara Mae Bennett, Mrs. Betty Chestnutt, and Mrs. Mary Ellen Ward.

Troop 7 of the Second Grade Brownies will have its Investiture Services on Friday afternoon, Feb. 20, in the Brownie Hall in Woodruff Heights. Parents of the girls are cordially invited to attend the ceremony. At their meeting last Friday the girls worked on invitations for the Investiture service with Mrs. Tom Hallum, assistant leader.

Troop 6 of the Second Grade Brawnies were treated to a Surprise Valentine party at the home of Mrs. Lewis Miller on the Bombing Range Road. A lovely heart shaped valentine cake with pink icing and heart shaped jello molds were used for refreshments. Favors were valentines with their names and then each Brownie made a valentine for exchange with their friends. Fifteen girls enjoyed the delightful party and Mrs. J. N. McDugald helped the leaders Mrs. Hazel Townsend, Mrs. Audrey Bennett, Mrs. Joan Holmberg and Mrs. Kylene Thompson with the transportation.

Invite Rebekahs To Attend Chapter Meets

The Eleanor Seaverns Rebekah Lodge No. 65 met on Monday night, Feb. 16, in the Brickell Hall for its regular meeting.

A cordial invitation was extended by the Eleanor Seaverns Lodge to all visiting Rebkahs to meet with the local group at their meetings on the first and third Monday of each month.

The Triple Link Club will meet in the Brickell Hall on Monday night, Feb. 23, at 8 o'clock. Each member will entertain the group with a short skit and members are invited to bring their friends.

Mrs. Mamie Armstead and Mrs. H. H. Reddick will be the co-hostesses for the meeting.

'The Ten Commandments' Filmed On Very Ground That Moses Trod

The monumental dramatization of the life of Moses, Cecil B. DeMille's Production "The Ten Commandments," marks the first time in film history a Biblical story has been given the added majesty and meaning of authentic Biblical settings. Scenes for the VistaVision, Technicolor DeMille masterwork, which opens a five days engagement at the Hilans Theatre Friday, February 20, were shot on a three-month location trip to Egypt by DeMille, Charlton Heston and a packed crew of technicians on the very ground the Book of Exodus describes.

The three-hour, thirty-nine-minute Paramount film, which stars Charlton Heston, Yul Brynner, Anne Baxter, Edward G. Robinson, Yvonne De Carlo, Debra Padget and John Derek, along with a massive supporting cast of stars and 25,000 extras, contains key scenes made on the shores of the Red Sea in Egypt, in the deserts of the Sinai Peninsula and on the slopes of Mount Sinai in the very places where the Scriptures tell us Moses saw the Burning Bush and heard the Voice of God.

The tremendous sets recreating the gates of the Pharaoh's city through which the great mass of Israelites pass in the Exodus scene—screen history's biggest—were built on ground Moses walked as Prince of Egypt.

Little Theatre Working On Their Premiere

The tempo of activity among the members of the Ridge Theatre Guild is mounting daily as preparations proceed readying the premiere production of "My Three Angels" for presentation on March 6 and 7 at the Woodlawn School Cafetorium.

The cast of all local businessmen and housewives are rehearsing regularly under the direction of Allan Entz, Jr. Now that everyone knows his lines, long hours are being spent on voice projection, entrances, exits and all the little tricks of the trade that lift the performance above amateur acting to near professional level, the aim of every good little theatre group.

Ray Clark, Technical Director, and his crews are busily hammering, sawing and painting the sets. Ken Sebring as Lighting Director is tangling and untangling yards of wiring tying angles and colors to the best advantage.

Doug Moring, Costume Director, has taken the measurements and has the costume designs completed on paper. Sewing machines are humming in several living rooms while busy hands fashion these sketches into materials.

The Furnishing Committee with Paula Blum as Chairman are searching their homes and the homes of their friends and local merchants' show rooms seeking just the right chairs, tables and desks to fit the scenes. The Properties Committee under Gen Hurd are hunting among many other things a live chicken and two Christmas trees.

Janet Entz and Betty Ann Kuhn as CoChairmen of Ushers are lining up the prettiest girls in town to show you to your seats.

The Publicity Committee of Jack Tew and Maebelle Abney are designing posters that soon will greet you on the streets heralding the important announcement that Little Theatre is here at long last.

The Membership Committee is working hard telling you all about the Ridge Theatre Guild, its aim and purpose, in Sebring, Avon Park and Lake Placid.

Add them all together and you have the Ridge Theatre Guild at work in earnest on their first production, "My Three Angels".

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Fish And Game Club Set County Wide Contest

The Highlands County Fish and Game Club announces sponsorship of a county-wide fishing contest with prizes being donated by Avon Park, Sebring and Lake Placid business firms.

There will be two divisions, one for men and boys and one for women and girls.

Prizes will be awarded at the club building located at Lakemont on the club's regular meeting nights March 5, April 2 and 7, with three prizes to be awarded.

One prize will go to the man or boy with the largest bass caught in Highlands County; one to the lady or girl with the top bass; and the third prize will go as a consolation selected from the entries at large.

Rules call for the bass being caught in Highlands County, and for this contest the waters of the Kissimmee River are included. The winner must be present at the meeting to receive the award.

Prize donors are Delaney's Hardware, Leon's Sporting Goods, and Metcalfe Hardware in Avon Park; Lake Placid Firestone and Polk Hardware in Lake Placid; Hinckley-Durrance Hardware, King's Hardware, People's Firestone Store, Robbin's Sinclair Service, Ira Simmons Service Station, Western Auto Supply, Ken Wilson's Hardware and Bob Wolfe's Sports Center of Sebring.

A grand prize will be awarded May 7 for the largest fish caught during the three months period. Upon entering a fish the sportsman will take his entry to one of the weighing stations located at the various donors places of business. The merchant will officially weigh the fish and certify it to the officers of the club.

Thirteen Lucky Number For Edith Wilson

Miss Edith Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Wilson, and thirteen of her friends were entertained with a birthday party honoring Miss Wilson on her seventeenth birthday on Friday, Feb. 13.

Edith was born on a Friday, Feb. 13 and this is the second time that her birthday has fallen on a Friday during the intervening years. Miss Wilson is not at all superstitious and feels that thirteen is her lucky number.

The birthday party at the Wilson home combined the superstition and Valentine themes. Several clever games using various superstitions were played and all the guests enjoyed them. A target heart was shot with a bow and arrow for more fun and none of the guests felt that thirteen people made an unlucky party.

The different and delicious birthday cake was made of pink and green sherbert. Punch was also served the guests. Mrs. Wilson served her daughter's guests.

On January 19, several airlines operating out of Florida will file petitions and exhibits with the Civil Aeronautics Board to operate transcontinental flights from Florida to California.

Final Lecture By Dr. Berg Is Set For Monday

The final lecture and book review in a series of six which Dr. William V. Berg has been giving at the Avon Park Junior High School, will be held in room one, first floor, Monday at 7:30 p. m. -- there is no admission charge.

"The Psychology of the Soul" is the topic for this concluding lecture. One of the books on which Dr. Berg will base his discussion of this provocative subject is Arvid Runestam's "Psychoanalysis and Christianity", translated from the Swedish by Oscar Winfield.

It brings out the point that the turmoil of the present day has "greatly increased occasions for anxiety, while means for finding necessary tranquility and peace of mind have not been augmented. This is the state of affairs that has brought the man of today into a desperate need -- need for healing, need for soul cure."

The author then points out that although psychotherapy seeks to bring peace to disturbed souls, and in many instances may be of advantage, it merely treats the symptoms, and cannot restore spiritual or genuine peace.

In his book the author concludes that the Christian notion of what man is and can become, must be the guide in soul care, because "Christian soul care deals with a psychology which enlists the power of God in behalf of the human soul."

Local Teachers Initiated At Naples Meeting

Three chapters of Delta Kappa Gamma, Honorary Women Teachers Organization, met at the Ocean Beach Hotel in Naples on Saturday, Feb. 14, for a birthday luncheon of the organization and to initiate a number of new members.

Miss Sarah Sellers, a fifth grade teacher in the Avon Park Elementary School, and Mrs. Alice Sherman, a retired teacher and librarian of our local elementary school, were initiated at the luncheon. Mrs. Vivian O'Connor of Lake Placid also received the honor of initiation into Delta Kappa Gamma. From the three chapters represented at the meeting there were a total of seventeen new initiates.

Attending from Highlands County were Mrs. Mary Roberts, Miss Julia Titus, Mrs. Juanita Goodbread, Miss Millie Pearson, Miss Sellers and Mrs. Sherman.

Mighty Jumbo Wrestles Two Men Here Friday

Mighty Jumbo, 517-pound bearded giant, and glamour girls will see action at the Avon Park Armory Friday, February 20, as Promoter Cowboy Luttrall continues his all-star wrestling cards with action starting at 8:00 o'clock.

Winner of a wrestle royal in his previous Avon Park appearance, Mighty Jumbo will take on two opponents this time under Australian tag team rules. Black Jack Dillon and Gypsy Joe have agreed to face the super heavyweight.

Jumbo will be his own partner which means the only rest he will have is between falls. Dillon and Gypsy Joe will be allowed to alternate in hopes of wearing their opponent down. The match will be two out of three falls, one hour time limit.

Rita Cortez, the dark-haired glamour girl from Mexico, and Judy Glover, dynamic Florida blonde from Monticello, are matched in the other two out of three falls event. Both girls are highly ranked and the match should produce terrific action.

Dental Health Group Named

Mrs. Edna D. Cox and Mrs. James W. Parker were named to represent Avon Park on a Tri-County Dental Health Committee covering Highlands, Glades and Hendry counties.

Plans for the formation of this group were completed at an organizational meeting held at Lake Placid and will cooperate with Dr. William F. Hill, Jr., medical officer for the three counties, and Dr. Floyd S. DeCamp, director, bureau of dental health, Florida State Board of Health.

Civic organizations of six cities in the Tri-County area elected two representatives of each to serve on the committee. Besides the Avon Park members, the committee will be composed of: Clewiston - R. C. Nowling and Mrs. S. C. Fry; LaBelle - Mrs. C. P. Gaulding and Robert Byrd; Lake Placid - Jessie Tuck and E. D. Holcomb, Jr.; Moore Haven - Mrs. Mack Greene and A. E. Wells; Sebring - W. G. Lee and A. J. Kahn.

E. D. Holcomb, Jr., was elected chairman of the group; A. J. Kahn, vice-chairman, and Mrs. S. C. Fry, secretary.

A meeting to draft aims and formulate plans to institute a dental health education program for the schools of the three counties will be called soon, they reported.

4-H Club Group Attends State Fair Saturday

More than two hundred and forty 4-H boys and girls from Highlands County joined the thousands of 4-H's from all over Florida at the State Fair in Tampa on Saturday, February 14.

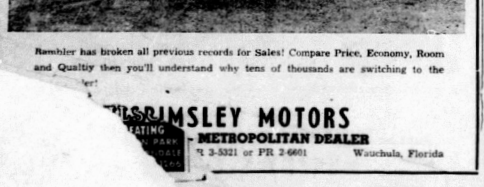
Seven school buses from Highlands took the children who were honored with a police escourt nearly all of the way and straight through Tampa to the Fairgrounds. Many interested ano responsible parent accompanied the group making each adult in charge of only five children while at the fair. All the parents remarked on the splendid manner in which the children from Highlands and the other counties behaved.

The highlight of the trip was an inspiring speech from that favorite of all time and all ages, Roy Rogers and Dale Evans, his charming wife. Roy spoke especially to the 4-H group and told them he was once a member of their worthwhile organization himself. The children enjoyed watching him present the awards to the winners of the livestock prizes.

The group enjoyed the many excellent exhibits and saw nearly everything at the fair. A footsore and weary group returned to Avon Park that night.

Mrs. Catherine Brabson, Home Demonstration Agent, and R. E. Marsdroff, County Agent, arranged the trip for their 4-H Clubs and accompanied the children. Parents attending the fair with the group from Avon Park were Mrs. Lester Betts, Mrs. Bill Luscomb, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bennett, Charles Warrington, Mrs. Jim Runkle, Mrs. Wiley Cothran, Mrs. Durrah Martin, Mrs. J. C. Wright, Mrs. Jack Hutchinson, Mrs. L. A. Renfro, Mrs. Reams, and David McDaniel.

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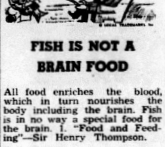
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Senior Class Play Friday, Feb. 27 Will Be Charming 3 Act Comedy

"Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" a three act comedy by Cornelia Otis Skinner and Emily Kimbrough, will be presented by the Senior Class of the Avon Park High School Friday, February 27, at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium.

The three act comedy is adopted from a best selling book of the same name and is filled with the excitement of an ocean voyage plus the romantic background of Paris, France. An enchanting movie was also made from the popular story several years ago.

As a brief preview of the fun in store for the audience at curtain time here are some character sketches about the people to be met in the play. The Steward, played by Bill Parrish, is a hard-working man who doesn't understand young girls and finds them far too much for him as who doesn't? Mrs. Skinner, the mother, played by Pat Tondee, is exquisitely refined and rather conservative with a gracious manner. Cornelia Otis Skinner, the heroine of the play who later developes into a famous actress and authoress, portrayed by Bobby Faye Arnold, is a tall, handsome, vital girl who is very direct and down to earth when not acting out a little scene for herself. Otis Skinner, the famous Broadway actor and father of Cornelia, Reggie Butler, is expansive and charming in a slightly theatrical way but always dignified.

Emily Kimbrough, the other heroine and co-authoress of the story, Peggy Bussard, is a delicately pretty girl who is rather naive but not in the standard, wide-eyed manner; rather she repeats absurdities in a calm, matter-of-fact fashion. The Purser, Wayne Kempton, is a crisp business-like man with a poker face. Betty Shepard is the trim and businesslike Stewardess. Dick Winters, Gail Hovey, might be called a "wise guy" except that he is not at all offensive about it and his sophistication is easy, charming, and offhand. Admiral, Tommy Douberley, is a florid, overly-gracious professionally charming man. Harriet St. John and Winnifred Blaugh, Pat Batson and Melba Draughan, are crisp, breezy, mattei-of-fact and hardly aware of the other people past whom they breeze. Joe Perez plays Lee McEvey, a straight-forward earnest youth who would probably be classed as an eager beaver by his friends. The Inspector, Mary Lois Roberts, is a super-efficient, brusque, and sharp-eyed person. Theivese, Salie Harrison, is pretty and doll-like. Madame Elise, Charlette Albritton, is an efficient and garrulous French grande dame. Monsieur De La Croix, Robert Church, is a showy and overdramatic in an elegant way Franch gentleman. The Window Cleaner, Bryan Kempton, is easy friendly and talkative.

Tickets will be on sale from the members of the Senior Class. The prices are: Students, 35c; Adults, 75c; and reserved seats $1.00. Make plans now to enjoy the evening with the Senior Class and these interesting characters will make your hearts young and gay also. The delightful comedy will give all ages an evening of merriment.



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State Sec. Met With Students

Dr. Victor Johnson, Executive Secretary of the Student Councils of Florida, met with the Avon Park High School Student Council on Thursday, Feb. 19.

Members of the local group made reports to Dr. Johnson about the activities of the Student Council During the discussion which followed he was able to offer many good suggestions for future work.

Special Teacher Program Given At PTA Meeting

Fifty-five parents of the Avon Elementary PTA heard the three teachers of exceptional children speak on their work at the Thursday night, Feb. 12, meeting of the group.

Mrs. Ethel McKelvaine explained some of the numerous projects that her classes in creative writing have taken up this year. She gave a brief outline of her purposes for this special room for children who need to be given more than the routine classroom work. Mrs. McKelvaine also has classes for pupils who have fallen behind in their work for various reasons and require more direct attention than the class room teacher can give them to catch up. She stated it was very gratifying to see the happiness of the boys and girls as they found with this special help they could again overcome many of their difficulties.

John Teter, teacher of several special classes in science for children who have indicated special capacities along this line, told the parents that his main desire was to help the children learn to think problems through for themselves. He mentioned several projects which children in his group had undertaken and displayed some of the posters they had done.

During his talk Mr. Teter gave a through study of the cause and symptons of brain injury to boys and girls. He also told the parents and teachers some of the traits to look for that might indicate emotional trouble or brain injury in children.

Miss Mildred Myers, Speech Correctionist of the Avon Park School clearly explained how she helped the boys and girls learned to speak distinctly and overcome bad speech habits and defects. By the use of charts she showed some of the important sounds and discussed their importance in speaking. Many child speak indistinctly because of "baby-talk" habits which are so strong that they need special help to overcome them.

Miss Myers, John Teter, and Mrs. McKelvaine are part of the Highlands County School System's program to aid the exceptional pupil. They all work with the children individually or in smaller groups than in the regular classroom and by this method are able to give the pupils more intensified help that they can get in the classroom. Some of the results of their work have been quite amazing.

A business meeting followed the program, with Mrs. Maldwyn Parry, President, presiding. Several committee reports were given and members were reminded that Avon Elementary T-Shirts and Candy were on sale at the meeting.

The Second Grade Room-mothers served refreshments after the meeting from a lovely table decorated with red tapers in a valentine heart. Coffee and gaily decorated valentine cupcakes were served.

Fathers counted two points in the attendance count that night and a number of men were present. The Attendance Banner was won by a three-way tie of Mrs. Ruth Drawdy's third grade, Mrs. Jewel Shepherd's third grade and Mrs. Douglas's second grade.

Esther Williams Swimming Pools

Cub Scout News

The Annual Blue and Gold Cub Scout Banquet will be held on Thursday, February 26, at 6:30 in the Avon Elementary Cafetorium on West Winthrop Street.

Morris Paige of Wauchula, Highlands District Scout Executive, will be the guest speaker at the meeting and several awards will be made to the Cubs who have earned Badges or Pins.

All Cubs, parents, brothers and sisters, and friends are invited to bring their Covered Dishes and table service and attend the Banquet. The Banquet is always a covered dish supper and all parents are reminded that Cubs get very hungry.

The Cub Scout Committee is pleased to announce that Mrs. Jerry Capell has volunteered to take Den 4 which was leaderless for a short time. The Cubs of Den 4 have been meeting at Mrs. Capell's home once a week and the boys are very happy to be active again. Mrs. Capell's volunteering is especially appreciated as she had no children of her own of Cub age. TThere are still boys enough for another Den and any volunteers would be appreciated.

Business Women To Send Girl To Girls State

A Junior Class girl will be sent to the Annual Girl's State in Tallahassee this summer by the Business and Professional Women's Club for the second year.

The members of the Club voted to send a Junior Girl to this educational week at their meeting Monday night, in the Florida Power Lounge. The American Legion Auxiliary has been sending one girl for a number of years and for the first time last year the Business Women made it possible for another worthy girl to attend this meeting. Many civic organizations have had the enjoyable opportunity of hearing last year's representatives, Miss Pat Tondee and Miss Eve Campbell speak on their trip. The value of Girl's State has proven itself many times to the girls of our own community and thus to the community itself.

A report was given on the returns of the Oven-Savers Sale. Several enjoyable social events were planned as money raising projects by the members. Residents are asked to watch for a Bake Sale by the members of the Business Women's Club in front of the Bank in the near future.

Twenty-five members were present for the meeting. Mrs. Ruby Hendry of Tampa, sister of Mrs. Exie Caffee was a guest at the meeting and Mrs. Elizabeth Ladrie was welcomed at a new member by the group. Mrs. Mary Ladri was welcomed as a new member to the group and will attend the next meeting .

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses, Jean Ricketts, Emma Russard, Minnie Wesley, and Elizabeth Mizell, at the close of the business meeting.

Bridge and canasta were then played with Miss Millie Pearson and Mrs. Julia Holcombe winning the two high score prizes for bridge, and Mrs. Gladys Smith and Mrs. Gen Hurd taking the two high canasta prizes.

Students from Avon Park the Forrest Lake Academy in Maintland who made the honor holl this term were Jean Schmidt, a senior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Schmidt; Marvin Elliott, a senior, son of Mrs. Gladys Elliott and Wesley Carlson, a junior, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Carlson.

Magazine Sales Of Junior Class Breaks Records

The Junior Class of the Avon Park High School proudly announces that $1547.91 in magazines were sold during their Annual Magazines Sales which was held from Feb. 4 until Feb. 16.

The class will receive over $500 for their Senior Class Trip expenses next year and sold a few more magazines than were sold last year. Nearly all of the Junior Class members were able to help in this project and all members of the class wish to thank the residents of our community who so graciously helped them by taking subscriptions.

The Magazine Sale is an annual project of the Junior Class and residents of the community may wish to keep this in mind when subscribing for their favorite magazines. The Juniors are able to match any special offers for certain magazines.

The Curtis Publishing Company will award prizes of stuffed animals and a total of $25 to the members who sold the greatest number of subscriptions. This prize is a special bonus because the 1959 Juniors topped the 1958 Juniors sales.

Skip McCormick won the first prize and will receive $10. Second prize was won by Martha Elder for a $5 cash prize. Joy McLemore, third prize, will receive $3 and Claire Maxwell, fourth prize, $2. Winning $1 were the next highest juniors Sherman Drawdy, Bobby Alwood, Edith Wilson, Jimmie Cothran and Bruce McWilliams. Ellis Watson and James Ivery are class sponsors.

All Girl Scout Troops To Have Supper Friday

The Girl Scout and Brownie Troops of Avon Park will hold a Covered Dish Supper in the Avon Elementary Cafetorium on Friday, Feb. 20, at 6:30.

All Girl Scouts, Brownies, their families and friends are cordially invited to attend this gathering. Each family is asked to bring an ample covered dish of their favorite food and their own table services including cups and glasses.

The leaders and hostesses are asked to be at the Cafetorium by 6:15 and serving will begin as soon as possible after 6:30. Troops 1 and 3 of the Girl Scouts will present five minute skits for the group.

Scout Barbara Wiggins and Mrs. Clifton Wiggins, Scout Executive, of Winter Haven will be special guests at the meeting. Barbara has achieved great heights in Girl Scouting and recently went to Australia with the Scouts. She will talk to the girls for five minutes on her experiences.

This will be the first Covered Dish Supper of the Brownies, Scouts, and their families and all are urged to attend.

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Girl Scout News

Troop 1 of the Avon Park Girl Scouts sponsored by the Junior Woman's Club met on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 11, in their King's Court Administration Building Scout Hall for its regular meeting with twenty-four girls and their four leaders present. The girls finished their reports on Birds an dworked on County Fair Exhibits. They also practiced on a skit for the Scout and Brownie Banquet on Friday, Feb. 20. Mrs. Jerry DuRose served the Scouts refreshments.

Troop 1 meets each Thursday afternoon at three fifteen in the King's Court Scout Hall.

Troop 3 of the Avon Park Girl Scouts, which was organized this year and is sponsored by the Woman's Society for Christian Service of the First Methodist Church, meets on each Tuesday afternoon at three in the Woodruff Heights Scout Building.

At their meeting on Tuesday, Feb. 9, the girls, with the help of their leaders, Mrs. Jim Runkle and Mrs. Roy Ladwig finished the Litter Bug Baskets and these trash containers will be on display at the Garden Club's Flower Show on Feb. 26 in the Youth Center.

Each Scout had made a notebook of her own design at home and displayed them at the meeting. This project is one of the requirements for the Second Class Scout examinations. The girls then practiced for plays which each patrol will give as part of their Dramatics requirement. Refreshments were served by Scout Nellie Faye Barker and her mother.

Residents and friends of the Girl Scouts are reminded to look for exhibits from Troop 1 and Troop 3 in the Highlands County Fair's Scout Display. Mrs. Jack Hutchinson will deliver the girls exhibits to the Fair on Friday afternoon, Feb. 20, if they will have them in their respective meeting Halls.

Lee Garganus attended a Westinghouse Special School and Meeting in Jacksonville on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. J. A. Franks and her daughter, Lynda, of Auburndale, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Tyson for Saturday and Saturday night.

Don't forget the Benefit Basketball Games on Saturday night . . . all information in Sun this week.

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Births

WALKER MEMORIAL

To Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Singletary, a daughter, Sylvia Rose, born on Feb. 9. Birth weight 6 pounds 8 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Arthur Cooper of Sebring, a son, Paul Edward, born on Feb. 14. Birth-weight 6 pounds 5½ ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Curtis of Nobles of Ft. Green, a daughter, Bertha Jo, born on Feb. 14. Birth weight 6 pounds 11 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Felix Rutkosky of Sebring, a son, Henry Randal, born on Feb. 15. Birth weight 8 pounds 5½ ounces.

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Mrs. McDaniels, the hostess and the sixteen friends present enjoyed helping Miss Kelsey open their parents and friends.

A good crowd of teenagers enjoyed using the Center on Saturday night, Feb. 14, for the social evening of fun. Mr. and Mrs. Keith Collyer and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dunne were chaperones.

High School P1, Meets Tonight

Dr. Victor B. Johnson, Assistant Director of the State Guidance Program, will be the outstanding speaker at the meeting of the High School PTA tonight, Thursday, February 19.

The meeting will be a Covered Dish Supper at 7 o'clock in the High School Cafetorium and all parents, teachers and friends are urged to bring their covered dish and table service and attend.

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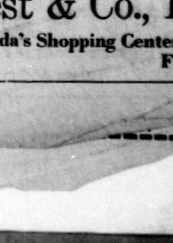
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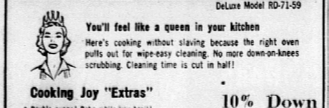
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PERSONAL NEWS ITEMS

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pate Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jerald Hendrix and their sons, Jerald and Timmy. The Hendrix are stationed at the Air Base and will be leaving Friday to make their home in Tampa where he will be stationed at McDill Field.

Frances Ann Hartwell celebrated her sixteenth birthday at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. C. Hartwell, on Lake Lillian last Thursday night. A number of her school friends helped Frances Ann mark this important day with a birthday celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Metcalfe and their daughter, Cindy, the week church and Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Bass Guests and their son, Rossi, spent evening Thursday and Friday in Tampa sey. Re seeing the Florida State Fair. Mrs. G The group stayed in the same sola, Sta otel with Roy Rogers and Dale sey. Sta Evans and the children were Mr. and thrilled when the Rogers family Gainesv had breakfast next to their table Wilmer in Friday morning. Cindy and Campbell lossi made the acquaintance of Bozeman he driver of the famous car phis, Mi Nellie Bell in the elevator and well, M were delighted with this exFrost perience also.

Mrs. William J. Becker had as her guests last week at her home in Holly Shores on Lake Lotela two sets of old friends who each stayed for several different nights. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hoover of Evanston, Ill. and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hoge of Phelps, Wisconsin.

Mrs. Katie Bell Green of Winter Haven is visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mayor and Mrs. E. A. DeLaney. Mrs. DeLaney and her sister spent last weekend in Sarasota visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Peeples and their family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Whitehurst and their daughters, Sarah and Velma, spent last weekend in Jacksonville and Starke on a business and pleasure trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Elliott of South Bay and former residents of Avon Park spent last weekend here visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Delaney and their sons, Tim and Allan, spent Saturday fishing on the Kissimmee River. Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Ruhlman, Mrs. Delaney's sister and brother-in-law, of West Palm Beach, arrived Saturday night for a visit and returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Day of Gainesville and Thomas Maxwell of Miami visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Maxwell last weekend. The visitors all attended the Kelsey-Reddick wedding. Charles Maxwell, T. H. Maxwell's father, who has been staying in Avon Park returned with Mr. and Mrs. Day to Gainesville and from their went on to his home in Sparta, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Skipper flew home from Atlanta, Ga. on Saturday night after having attended a Southeastern District Meeting of the Monsanto Chemical Company there. They were away six days.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Booth and their children, Susan and Steve, went to Bradenton on Sunday and while there saw the landing of DeSoto and some of the pageant. The Booth family was delighted with the festival and thought the lovely old costumes were very eye-catching. They also witnessed the excitement concerning the "Impeach Collins" boat while the Governor was speaking. Huge crowds of people were present for the festivities.

Arriving Thursday morning for a visit with Mr. and Mr. Jack DeLaney were Mrs. DeLaney's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Baker of Norman Park, Ga. and Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Roberts, friends also of Norman Park. The three families enjoyed a fishing trip on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Padgett of Whitman, Ga. were recent visitors with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Padgett and their son, Lanse.

Dr. and Mrs. B. C. Ostling will leave Thursday for Jacksonville where Dr. Ostling will attend the Cardio-Vascular Seminar. This is the sixth annual meeting of this group.

Mrs. D. T. Lockett has returned home after a visit in Miami. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis English, her son-in-law and daughter, accompanied her home for a brief visit before returning to Miami.

Miss Millie Pearson and Mrs. Pauline Bragg were called to Goldsboro, N. C. last Monday due to the sudden death of their brother-in-law, T. Frank Jones, who died on Sunday night, Feb. 8, in the Duke Hospital, Durham, N. C. after a brief illness. Funeral services were held on Tuesday and Miss Pearson returned by train to Avon Park. Mrs. Bragg stayed in Goldsboro with her sister, Mrs. Jones, for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Herring of South Hill, Va. were the weekend guests of Judge and Mrs. Mervin Rehrer. The Herring were on their way to Ft. Lauderdale for several weeks vacation. They are old friends of Judge Rehrer and are also originally from Pennsylvania.

Pastor and Mrs. Kenneth Wright of the Seventh Day Adventist Church are moving into the parsonage on Lake Lillian this week. Mrs. Wright, President of the East Coast Dorcas Federation, will preside at a meeting of the group in Ft. Pierce on Tuesday where Carl Guenther of Washington, D. C. and recently returned from Korea will report on mission work and orphanages there. On Wednesday, Mrs. Wright presided at the Ridge Area Dorcas Federation in Wauchula.

Ron Wilson was surprised with a party on his birthday, Tuesday, Feb. 10, by his wife and a few close friends at the home of Mrs. Daisy Nader. The group and the surprised Ron enjoyed delicious birthday cake and ice cream together.

Dr. and Mrs. Harvey Maness of Anderson, Mo. were the guests of their old friends, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Chamberlain, last week.

Mrs. T. M. Weekley has just returned from a four weeks visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Weekley, and her new grandson, Lance David, at their home in Huntington, Ind. On her return trip Mrs. Weekley crossed the Wabash River the day before it flooded it banks and became choked with ice. For the four weeks she was there Mrs. Weekley said the weather was mostly below zero and was happy to get home to sunny Florida despite a delightful visit with her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Murphy have returned to their home in Flat Rock, N. C. are spending several weeks at their ranch here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest O'Heath of Chicago are the guests of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Williams. They plan to stay for several weeks and the Williames will show them our section of Florida while here.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Savage this week were her sister, Mrs. Selinda Blount, and her son, Lincoln of Miami.

Frank Love and his son, Steve, took Rida Love, Ann King, Anna Johnson, Janie Wells, Beth Church and Donna Gayle Carroll to the State Fair in Tampa on Thursday.

Mrs. H. E. Pelham spent last weekend in Tampa with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Lightsey and their family.

Dr. and Mrs. Ely O. Merchant were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Parrish in Pompano Beach last weekend and Col. and Mrs. Mylon Merchant were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Merchant also in Pompano. The three merchant men are brothers and Mrs. Parrish is a niece. On Saturday night the group attended the Alumni Dinner of Amherst College, Amherst, Mass. at the Boca Raton Hotel. Arthur Vining Davis, owner of the hotel and millionaire, is a graduate of Amherst College also. The Avon Park Merchants returned home on Sunday after a delightful weekend.

Mrs. R. L. Padgett and Mrs. Stuart Ward drove a car of boys, Lanse Padgett, Bill Ward, Jack Sims, Robert King and Mike Ward, to Tampa to see the Florida State Fair on Thursday. They all enjoyed seeing the Roy Rogers Show and the other attractions at the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tyson of Lakeland were the guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon on Sunday.

Lawrence Pate, of the United State Marine Corps, arrived home from Japan on Jan. 24 for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pate. Lawrence will be here until March 5 and then go to Paris Island for further assignment with the Marines. He reports seeing a lot of beautiful scenery in Japan and other places but that nothing ever looked as good as Avon Park to him last month. Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Stoll and their family of Tampa, Mr. and Mrs. Connor Jowers of Ft. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Pate and their daughter, Linda, and Hubert Pate have all been home to visit their brother.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Thompson and their son, John, spent Sunday touring Sanibel and Captiva Islands.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Worth Rodgers of West Lake Grande Street are the Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Allen and their baby son, Rodger, of Pittsburgh, Pa. and Mrs. Ewing Lambert of Fairmont, W. Virginia. Mrs. Lambert and Mrs. Allen are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers.

Lt. Jim Wilhite, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wilhite, is now taking Flight Training at the Gary Army Air Field in San Marcos, Texas. He will be stationed there for the four months course.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl B. Dunckel, resired residents of Canajoharie, N. Y., are the guests of Mrs. Florence Stebbins for a stay in Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Allen of Leechburg, Pa. are making their first visit to Avon Park and like this area of our lovely Ridge Section very much.

Members of the Covenant Circle of the Congregational Church are asked to take notice of this important announcement which arrived too late for the regular Church News. The members of the circle and interested ladies of the church will visit a Migrant Working Center in Belle Glade on Wednesday, Feb. 25. This trip has long been planned as part of the group's mission work and reservations much be made immediately so that transportation for all may be arranged. Those wishing to attend are to call Mrs. Ralph Kelley of Mrs. Clyde Krenerick for reservations.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal C. Fries have had as their guests at their home on Lake Isis, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cornelius of Elmira, N. Y.

Mrs. Charles Shepherd has recently returned form a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Charlotte Smith, and grandson, Steve in St. Petersburg. Steve, who has been a visitor here often, was the winner of a competive examination, and has received an eight weeks musical scholarship to Chatuagua, N. Y.'s famous music camp. Steve is a junior in high school in St. Petersburg and an accomplished musician, playing the piano, pipe organ and base violin.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nebel have as their guests at their home on Lake Byrd his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Nebel of Sturgen Bay, Wis. who arrived yesterday for a visit.

Misses Sally and Judy Todd of Jacksonville, were visitors with their grandmother, Mrs. W. C. Touchton and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Todd the week end of Feb. 7 while Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Todd, their parents, and Becky and Nancy, their sister, visited in Tampa and attended the Florida State Fair.

Walter Mandis accompanied his daughter, Ann and niece, Linda Dobbins, to the State Fair in Tampa on Saturday. They went to the Roy Rogers show and the girls liked it a great deal.

Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald have as their guest his mother, of Lake City who will spend this week with them.

Mrs. E. D. Penton of Ft. Lauderdale arrived last weekend to spend this week with her friends, Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Moseley and their children.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Mitchell and their daughter, Trudy and Nancy spent last weekend in Orlando visiting her family. A niece an nephew who have been living in Hiawaii with their father had returned to make their home with Mrs. Mitchell's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Winslow, and the members of the family gathered for a family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Kull have as their guests, Mrs. Olive Kervin, Mrs. Kull's sister and her friend of Detroit, Michigan. They plan to visit for two or three weeks and have just finished a trip to Nassau.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Baldree of Keystone Heights was the recent guest of her sisters, Mrs. L. D. McGibony and Mrs. Tressie Albritton, at Hollyhurst.

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Avon Park Lakes News

About seventy ladies took part in the Dessert Bridge held at the Clubhouse last Thursday afternoon. Fifteen tables of cards followed the serving of the dessert. Two door prizes were awarded in addition to the beautiful pastel-shaped organdy aprons given to the winner at each table. A Bake Sale was furnished by the committee which resulted in a complete sellout.

Thursday evening, February 12, at 7:00 o'clock the newly formed Board of Governors met to name the committees required for the ensuing year and to transact any necessary business. The following committees and members were named: Building: L. E. Duncan, Ch., O. J. Castine, E. Kestitch, J. J. Lynch, O. D. Miller - Public Works; A. M. Luyben, Ch., A. Barlow, P. E. Bennett, A. S. Cushing, F. A. Pfeiffer, - Public Relations & Publicity; R. W. Murdick, Ch., Mrs. A. Barlow, Mrs. O. J. Castine, Mrs. C. G. Coburn, Mrs. Thad Keefe, - Entertainment & Sports; Mrs Thad Keefe, Ch., Mrs. O. J. Castine, Mrs. L. E. Duncan, O. A. Lee, Mrs J. L. Stotts, - Membership & Finance; J. L. Stotts, Ch., C. G. Coburn, Mrs. O. A. Lee, Mrs. A. M. Luyben, Mrs R. W. Murdick, - House & Equipment Maintenance; H. B. Welsh, Ch., Mrs. J. J. Lynch, P. H. Parker, Mrs. M. E. Sattler, L. A. Wentworth. The Board adjourned until the second Thursday evening in March.

Last week, Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tinkle of Wyandotte, Mich. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lynch of Carpenter Rd. This past Monday the Lynch's were hosts to Mr. and Mrs. W. Walters of Miami and daughter Mrs. John Wade of Batavia, N. Y., and Mr. Lynch's sister, Mrs. Henry Zunner of Buffalo, N. Y.

A group of persons gathered in the Clubhouse Saturday evening to receive instruction in square and folk dances under the guidance of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Krenerick. It is planned to have another class two weeks hence when a larger class is expected.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Luyben of Southampton Road this past week have been Mr. and Mrs. Evan B. Brewster and granddaughter, Marjean Elizabeth Haramis of Akron, Ohio. Mr. Brewster, an attorney, represents Mr. Luyben in his area and also is associated with him in several business ventures in Akron. The Brewsters plan to return to the "cold country" about March 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Kirkpatrick entertained Mr. and Mrs. Jack O. Englhardt and daughters Elizabeth and Patricia for two days before leaveing for Miami. Another guest was Mr. Robert Engelhardt of Lovaine, Ohio, Assistant Superintendent of the National Tube Division, spending several days here before going to St. Petersburg with his hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Muzzall of Ft. Lauderdale spent two days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kostitch at their home on Nautilus Drive. Mr. Muzzall was here on business with the Sunray Corp. which is conducting a considerable building project north of here on Route 27.

Thomas E. and Nellie E. Roles of Nautilus Drive have sold their home to Harold C. and Helen L. Woodruff of Oakhill, N. Y. The Woodruffs, who operate a general store in Oakhill, are staying in Sebring for the season, and will probably not occupy their house here until next fall. The Roles will stay on until April.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Woolen, and daughter Debra, who have been staying at the O. A. Lee home, have returned to Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Luyben are expecting Mr. Luyben's sister-in-law, Mrs. Cora L. Luyben, of Kansas City, Mo., to arrive at Tampa Airport on Saturday evening, Feb. 21st, for an extended visit with them at their home on Southhampton Rd.

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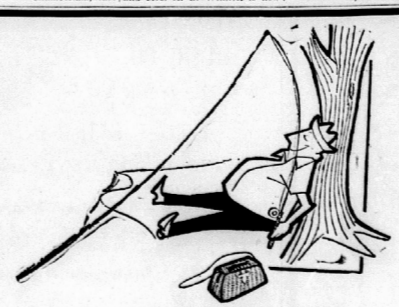
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Church News . . .

First Baptist

Radio Station WAVP will broadcast the 11 o'clock Church Services every Sunday morning over the air. All friends are cordially invited to listen to these services.

The Training Union Workers' Council will be held on Friday, Feb. 20, at 7 o'clock. All workers and officers are urged to attend.

Soul Winning Study Courses for all age groups in the church were held on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evening. On Monday evening, On Monday for adults "Personal Soul Winning" was taught by the Rev. R. C. Lamb, One Tuesday for young people "Winning Others to Christ" was taught by Jerald Dunn and on Wednesday the Rev. Joseph Folmar taught "Intermediate Fishers" for intermediates. Tonight, Thursday, the Junior Workers will tench "Jesus Saves" for the juniors.

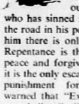
The Annual Tourist Day Dinner will be served on Sunday, Feb. 22, after the morning service in the church. All guests who have been attending the church are invited to attend and enjoy this annual fellowship dinner.

The Helen Demaree Circle met at the home of Mrs. Bertha Skipper on Tuesday for its regular monthly meeting with six members and three visitors present. Mrs. Aden Childress was also a guests of the circle. Mrs. W. C. Touchton taught the interesting study lesson. After the meeting delicious refreshments were served the members by the hostess.

The Wilma Leach Circle, which was newly organized in January, met on Thursday night, Feb. 12, in the home of Mrs. R. F. Camp, Jr. Mrs. Danny Willis is chairman of this circle and the members attending were Mrs. Donald Ford, Mrs. Ron Wilson, Mrs. Jerold Dunn, Mrs. James Ivey and Mrs. Jeanette Andrews, Mrs. Harold Gwendt, President of the W. M. U., was a special guest of the circle.

Mrs. Jerold Dunn presented a very interesting and informative program on the various way money for missions was used. After the meeting Mrs. Camp served the members refreshments.

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Have you ever lived at the end of the road? From such a place there is only one way out. The man who has sinned is at the end of the road in his personal life. For him there is only one way out. Repentance is the only road to peace and forgiveness from sin: it is the only escape from eternal punishment for sin. Christ warned that "Except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish" (Luke 13:3).

How can we "repent and believe" as Christ demands? To repent, we must change our minds toward sin, toward ourselves, and toward God. We must turn from sin, and trust in Christ to bring forgiveness for our sins. When any sinner responds in repentance and faith to God's offer of salvation through Christ, God works a miracle in his heart. This miracle the Bible calls a "new birth" (John 1:12-13 and John 3:7). This transformation makes an individual a "new creation in Christ." The Apostle Paul wrote, "If any man be in Christ, he is a new creature; old things are passed away; behold all things are become new" (2 Corinthians 5:17).

Do you want to be saved from the ruin that sin brings? Then turn to Jesus, who said of himself, "The Son of Man is come to seek and to save that which was lost" (Luke 19:10).

"God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life." (John 3:16). Man becomes a Christian when he puts sin out and puts Christ in at the very center of his life.



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When we see how much God loves us we begin to see our sins and realize how much we need God's forgiveness. Our own experience confirms Paul's statement that "all have sinned" (Romans 3:23).

The prophet Isaish who lived many years before Jesus, told us not only that all have sinned, but foretold the good news that God would provide his Son, Jesus, to bear for us the penalty of our sins. "All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way; and the Lord hath laid on him (Jesus) the iniquity of us all." (Isaiah 53:6).

Jesus offers you this salvation from sin as his free gift and as an expression of divine love. You may accept it today.

Are you refusing God's cure for sin that destroys spiritual life? He offers you eternal life on the simple conditions of repentance from sin and faith in the Lord Jesus Christ. Begin now with the prayer which Jesus promised God will understand, "God be merciful to me a sinner" (Luke 18:13). Believe, "Whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved" (Romans 10:13).

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First Christian

Sunday evening service at 7 o'clock each Sunday are being held in the church with members of the congregation taking turns leading the services. On Sunday, Feb. 15, Fred Dyvis was in charge of the service and Bill Hudson sang.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scott, minister and his wife, Mrs. J. A. Sikes and Misses Karen and Paulette Sikes, and Miss Charlene Burrescia, held church service in the Hillcrest Nursing Home on Sunday afternoon, Feb. 15.

The Junior Class of the church met on Sunday afternoon, Feb. 8, in the home of their teacher, Mrs. Paul Lacey, with seven members present. The group sang "Bless Be The Ties That Binds" and repeated the Lord's Prayer in unison. Geraldine Jones lead the devotional message using the 23rd Psalm. Charlean Burrescia read the minutes of the last meeting and a business meeting was conducted by the president. The group then worked in their workbooks using a drawing lesson "Sign Language in the Sancturay" as their text.

Bible games were then played and Geraldine Jones and Cynthia Thompson assisted the hostess served refreshments. Guests at the meeting were Karen Sikes and Dorothy Thompson.

First Methodist

Dr. William Arnett of Wilmore, Kys. opened the Revival Service in the church on Sunday morning. He is at present a professor of Christian Doctrine at Asbury Seminary. Services have been conducted each evening at 7:30 and each morning at 10. There will also be services on Thursday evening and Friday morning and evening. All are welcome to attend and hear this outstanding evangelist.

Circle 2 met on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 10, at the lovely new home of Mrs. Steve Roberts on Lake Damon for its regular monthly meeting. There were thirty present with eight visitors enjoying the meeting. The Rev. Lewis taught the study lesson. Mrs. Virgil Tondee, Chairman, presided over the business meeting. Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Roberts, and a social hour enjoyed by all.

Circle 3, The Breakfast Circle, met on Tuesday morning, Feb. 10, for its regular monthly meeting with twenty members present at the home of Mrs. Lester Truex. After a delicious breakfast served by the hostess, the members held their business meeting. Several plans for the coming months were discussed by the members during the meeting. A chapter of the study book was discussed and studied. The next meeting of the Circle will be at the home of Mrs. T. O. Martin with Mrs. Cooper serving as cohostess.

Circle 1 postponed their regular monthly meeting, which is always a luncheon, on Tuesday, Feb. 10, in order for the members to be able to attend the Annual Shrove Pancake Day at the Church of the Redeemer.

Circle 4 met on Monday night, Feb. 9, for its monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. David McDaniel with Mrs. Bob Lee assisting as co-hostess. Mrs. Bob Young and Mrs. Carol Tomlinson were introduced to the sixteen members present as new members. Miss Clara Gilmer gave the devotional message and study lesson. Refreshments were served by the hostess and a visit enjoyed by all present.

Episcopal

The Lakeland Deanery Meeting will be held in St. Paul's Episcopal Church on Feb. 26 in Winter Haven. Those planning to attend are asked to contact Mrs. Samuel Stewart.

The Executive Board of St. Margaret's Auxiliary of the Church of the Redeemer will meet on Wednesday, March 4, following the 9 o'clock Corporate Communion Service. The Board will meet in the Parish House.

An impressive service in the Church of the Redeemer was held on Friday night, Feb. 13, for the World Day of Prayer. Members of all congregations in Avon Park joined for this annual service.

The Annual Shrove Pancake Day on Tuesday was attended by a large group of the residents of community. The members of St. Margaret's Auxiliary wish to thank all who came and all members who worked at the Pancake Day.

Congregational

The Evening Circle of the church will meet on Monday night, Feb. 23, for its regular meeting in the Educational Building at 8 o'clock. All members of the church are invited to attend this meeting.

The Young Adult Club met on Saturday night, Feb. 14, for its meeting with a number of couples present. A delicious covered dish dinner in the Dining Room of Lake Byrd Lodge was followed by an evening of visiting. Hosts for the supper were Mr. and Mrs. Phil Weber and Judge and Mrs. Mervin Rehrer.

The Ladies Aid met on Wednesday, Feb. 11, for their monthly covered dish luncheon an important business meeting was held with Mrs. P. C. Boney, president, presiding.

Plans were made for the Ladies Aid to take care of the Annual Fish Fry sometime in March, at Lake Byrd Lodge. A discussion was also held on a Fellowship Council Luncheon to be held in March. The Ladies Aid is proud to announce that members of their group has now finished the draperies for the Social Hall of the Education Building. These will be hung in the near future and will add to the beauty of the room.



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The Valentine theme was used for the decorations in the home and each guest was given a dainty valentine to wear as they entered. From a lovely table decorated in red and white the guests were served delicious dainty homemade cookies and hot fruit punch.

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The money from the game will go into the fund for the building of a Youth Center for the teenagers of Avon Park and Mr. Andrew Miracle, Director of the Center, urges all boys and girls to attend the game and bring their parents and friends.

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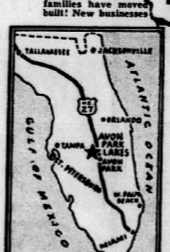
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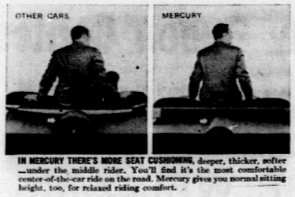
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New winter guests at the hotel are Dr. Lester Lemow of Passaic, N. J.; and Mr. and Mrs. J. Martin and their children of Park Forrest, Ill. A large number of winter visitors are now at the hotel to enjoy the lovely climate of Avon Park.

The Dining Room has been busy for the past few weeks with many special dinners for groups of the surrounding area. Last Wednesday night the Peace River Scottish Rite held their monthly dinner and meeting in the Dining Room.

On Friday morning the Boy Scout Fund Raising Drive kicked-off their day of work with a breakfast for the twenty-five men working. Saturday afternoon the Palm Room was beautifully decorated and a delicious dessert served to a large number of ladies enjoying a dessert bridge.

The Coffee Shop reports that on Sunday, Feb. 8, the largest crowd in its history was served and a number of people had to be turned away. There were Sunday diners from all the surrounding town and Avon Park present.

On Monday night the Brethern Choir of the Church of the Brethern of Sebring honored its director, George Frantz, and The Rev. Merle Wyant, pastor. There were forty members present for the dinner.

Florida's non-farm employment has nearly doubled during the last ten years while neighboring Georgia and Alabama have shown increase of 25 per cent in non-farm employment, during the same period.

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Models will show the newest lines in fashions for all ages and sizes with Mrs. Glenna Ward narrating the event. Several of the lastest fashion innovations will be shown and a number of basic cottons in the newest spring colors will also be seen.

This year the Fashion Show will be a Luncheon in the Dining Room of the Jacaranda Hotel at one o'clock on Saturday, Feb. 21. Because of the limited seating space only one hundred and fifty tickets will be on sale. Be sure and get your tickets early from any Junior Member or in the Jacaranda Hotel.

The theme of the Show will be George Washington's Birthday and lovely background decorations along this line will add to the lovely clothes.

Mrs. James Parker and Mrs. Donald Ford are general chairmen for the show. Mrs. Cecil Skipper, Poster Chairman; Mrs. Sibyl Pedelford and Mrs. Walter Mandis, Publicity; Mrs. Fred Jahna and Mrs. Ford, Models; and Mrs. Robert Barben, Mrs. Jim White and Mrs. J. C. White, Tickets; are the other members of the committee. All members of the Junior Club are working on some phase of the show.

Remember only one hundred and fifty tickets will be sold so make your plans now and get tickets to the Annual Fashion Show.

Think your Christmas Card list is big? According to the Florida Egg Commission, Florida poultrymen sent out over 750,000 Christmas and New Years greetings during the recent holidays, in the form of carton inserts placed in individual cartons of Florida produced eggs.

Go To Church On Sundays

Honor Roll List Contains 137 Students Names

The names of the boys and girls of the Avon Park High School and Junior High School who are on the Honor Roll for the third six weeks of this year have been announced.

The Honor Roll is for students who receive a "B" or better average on all their work and the boys and girls are to be congratulated for their effoprts in the field of scholarship.

Honor roll students for the 12th grade are: Bobby Faye Arnold, Patricia Batson, Betty Lou Baughan, Peggy Bussard, Reggie Butler, Eve Campbell, Leroy Farless, Salie Harrison, Elizabeth Howell, Gail Hovey, Wayne Kempton, Nellene Morrison, Penny Prescott, Frankie Thrpp, Pat ny Prescott, Frankie Thorp, Pat via Watson.

Junior honor students are: Jerome Antley, Carolyn Arnold, Glenda Barefield, Clytee Coleman, Sandra Cook, Maurine Draughon, Priscilla Easterlin, Martha Elder, Lani Fries, Cindy Hallam, Enlora Kelley, Barbara Lewis, Steve Love, Ralph Luscomb, Claire Maxwell, Paul McFarland, Joy McLemore, Clara Penny, Margie Reynolds, Jack Somerstein, Roger Wilde, and Edith Wilson.

Tenth graders making this scholastic honor are: Jimmy Bates, Dale Batson, Freda Bennett, Carolyn Biggs, Connie Booth, Arthur Cody, David Colyer, Tura Ann DeLaney, Morris Gay, Suzanne Harvin, Linda Griffin, Raymond Hall, Michael Harrison, Hugh Haynesworth, Alice Hollingsworth, Reba Jones, Mary King, Carolyn Kreigh, Hattie Leighton, Sharon Manning, Betty Sue Mills, Curtis Nelson, Sally Nute, Donna Sue Pounds, Faye Watford, Cecillia Wenzirl, and Norman Willis.

Honor students in the ninth grade are: Joyce Antley, David Barefield, Bobby Bates, Ruth Border, Nancy Cooper, Naome Elder, Marilyn Graetz, Suzanne Harvill, Ronnie Lasseter, Valorie Lyle, Anita Luscomb, Judy Martin, Earl Mathews, Jack Seims, Eddie Sharpe, Frankie Smith, and Linda Smith.

Named to the honor roll in the eighth grade are: Donna Gayle Carroll, Roy Coats, Marilyn Cook, Harriett Crews, Robert Duggan, Tommy Hallam, Virginia Maness, Sharon Natins, Pat Sasser, Bill Ward, Carol Beckham, Valorie Hopson, Ann King, Rida Love, Jimmy Lyle, Janice Mills, Andrew Miracle, Terry Oberle, Jimmy Shockley and Janie Wells.

The seventh graders lead the group with the most students making the honor roll. They were Morris Adams, Christine Albritton, Martha Black, Susan Booth, Carol Childress, Linda Dobbins, Sharon Lee, Sadie Welch, Sherrill Wells, Linda Durrance, Judy Westberry, Andrea Himnard, Bruce King, Sonia Lawrence, Beverly Laycock, Eric Lou Lewis, Linda Liles, Nettie Massey, Pamela Mason, Alice Niblett, Bonnie Oberle, Lanse Padgett, Emily Christensen, Devorah Reddick, Carolyn Rewis, James Reynolds, Lynda Shepherd, Wayne Singletary, Geraldine Smith, David Stocker, John Thompson, Donald Whitcomb and Ann Milton.

Avon Park is very proud of this boys and girls and the Avon Park Sun wishes them great success as they continue their school careers.

Osteopaths Now Send Patients To AR Center

Osteopathic physicians may now refer patients to the Florida Alcoholic Rehabilitation Program for treatment, according to E. A. Sherbert, Administrator.

Approval of the changes in rules of admission was made January 15 by the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions in Tallahassee. The Advisory Council of the ARP had approved it two days earlier.

In requesting the new rule, the Florida Board of Osteopathic Medical Examiners was represented by Kenneth Ballinger, attorney.

The necessary ARP admission forms are being sent with a letter of explanation to members of the Florida Osteopathic Medical Association.

Marion Turner Celebrates Eighth Birthday

Marion Turner celebrated her eight birthday on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 11, with a Valentine Birthday Party at her home.

The birthday cake was a lovely valentine with red and white icing and valentines were used for decorations. Party horns were given to the guests as favors.

The boys and girls played games in the yard with Jimmie Parker winning a prize for his skill in dropping clothes pins in a bottle. Marion and her friends enjoyed opening her many lovely gifts after the games.

Birthday cake, ice cream, and punch were enjoyed by the children. Marion is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Art Turner. Mrs. Turner was assisted with the party by Mrs. P. O. Goff, and Mrs. T. M. Weekley, Marion's grandmother.

Helping Marion celebrate were Jimmie Parker, Susan Booth, Patty Goff, Marilyn Smith, Sharmon Atkins, Julie Beth Jordan, Patty Lou Hallam, Ann Mandis, Jerry Wicker, Gene Landress, Joey Martin, and Roxanne Bahar.

Florida is the most urbanized state in the South, being 43 per cent urban and 57 per cent rural.

Ridge Theatre Guild Premier Production Set

The premier production of the Ridge Theatre Guild will be presented March 6 and 7 at the Woodlawn School Cafetorium in Sebring according to an announcement made to the membership by Allan Entz, Jr. President, at a meeting held Monday.

The Guild has chosen the Broadway and movie hit, "My Three Angels" as their initial production; and a sneak preview Monday evening met with enthusiastic support reflecting the diligent work of the cast since November under the able direction of Mr. Entz.

All committees were activated at this important meeting and the buzz of activity will soon be heard as the production progresses into the final stages for presentation to the public.

The Ridge Theatre Guild is chartered as a non-profit organization and invites membership throughout Highlands County. A membership fee of $5.00 entitles a member to participation and attendance in three productions. Membership Chairmen of Sebring, Avon Park and Lake Placid report a total membership of 75 to date. Anyone interested in membership may contact Mrs. R. P. DeLaney, Jr., Glendale 2-5602.

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Wauchula
Phone PR 3-6191

Real Estate Transfers

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

Carl E. and Daisy M. Royer, to E. B. and Gertrude S. Saylor E½ of E½ of SW¼ of NW¼ of NE¼ 3-35-29. $900.

Charles R. and Celia I. Maxwell, lot 13 and portion lot 12, blk. 419, Highlands Towers. $12.50.

Margaret Isabella and Lowell A. Hodgins, to Donald and Olive B. Fillinger, lot 40, blk. 130, Lake View Place Add. $1100.

San Felipe Corporation, to George H. and Dorothy Jean Vining, lot 7, blk. 8, Lake Blue Estates. $2500.

James M. Jr., and Lucy H. Coursey, to Nolan L. and Frances Roper, and D. D. and Florence M. Cunningham, SW¼ of SW¼ of 23-36-29, less the South 163 ft. thereof. $50,000.

Frances E. and I. P. Reese, and Fransue M. and W. W. Baxter, to John J. and Mollie E. Huber, lots 22, 23, 24, blk. 88, Kenilworth Park SD. $2100.

J. B. and Sybil Turner, and T. P. and Missouri C. Turner, to Henry Miller, lot 7, blk. 92, Lake Lillian SD. $300.

E. Ray and Jane H. Wells, to Jesse A. and Emma M. Terp, lot 46 and E½ lot 47, blk. 16, Rash and Winter SD. $2000.

Norval W. and Virginia M. Neel, to Adrain and Julia Little, S80 ft. of S 180 ft. of frac SW¼ of NE¼ W of Blvd. in 24-34-28. $20,000.

Avon Park C of C, Inc., to Carrie H. Clifton, lots 10305 to 10309,inc., Unit 32, Avon Park Lakes. $1500.

Ferdinand Krizanec, to Drury S. and Lottie M. Tuttle, lots 1 and 2, blk. 256, Sebring Summit Unit No. 1. $3800.

Katherin M. and George B. Waggaman, to Hilda Lazarus, lands in T30S, R31E. $55,100.

Wayne W. and Helen R. Albright, to Tom W. and Annie L. Kinnery E 60 ft. of S½ lot 7, blk. 24, 22-33-28. $500.

W. F. Cricks, to Cleo W. O'Berry, lot 7, blk. J. DeSoto City, 22-35-29. $400.

Mid-State Investment Corp., to Daw and Maude Kelly, lot 6, blk. 417, Hillcrest Heights. $2400.

Richard R. and Ella Albright, to Darl R. and Margaret P. Finley, lot 132 and W½ lot 133, Lakeside Heights SD. $1000.

Annie E. Evers, to Karl and Anna Mae Stoll, lot 20, Mc-Corkle's SD, 22-33-28. $500.

John C. and Lena Schwall Wright, to Donald L. and Mary E. Brassell, lot 15, blk 1, A. B. Canter's SD, $9500.

James D. and Carolyn Pipkin, to David Elmer and Kathryn R. Cox, lots 6, 7, 10, 11, blk. 10, Lake Letta Estates SD, $7300.

Carl E. and Daisy M. Royer, to Bill J. and Joyce M. Pittman, W½ of E½ of SW¼ of NW¼ of NE¼ 3-35-29. $900.

The aim of the law is to protect Florida merchants against out-of-state operations which not otherwise bear a similar tax. If the tax were not collected from the out-of-state concerns, it would result in unfair competition.

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TEN (10) ACRES—just outside City limits—Nice oak trees — excellent investment.

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Southland Trailer Park News

The Ladies Chat and Sew Circle of the park met on Thursday afternoon in the Recreation Hall with sixteen ladies present. Delicious refreshments were served and Mrs. Kolk acted as hostess in the absence of Mrs. Jack Baldwin. These sessions give the ladies of the park from all over the United States a chance to become better acquainted, exchange receipes, and other ideas of trailer living.

The weekly Friday night card party in the hall was well attended as usual with twenty-four residents enjoyed the card games and fellowship.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Adaire of Columbus, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Powell, and Lauren Ames went to Okeechobee fishing last Wednesday. After a good catch the Adaires went on to Ft. Pierce for a few days visit while the others return to Avon Park.

Fisherman at the Park are really bringing back something beside stories of the one that caught away" now. Everyone has been having marvelous luck. Ben Henningham, John Slater, and M. T. Powell have caught beauties in the local lakes recently.

A card party in the Recreation Hall was given on Thursday night by Mr. and Mrs. A. Willmot in honor of their friends. A group of Master Masons from the Park visited Poinciana Lodge last Monday night for a very enjoyable evening. The group agreed that the Degree work of the new officers was excellent.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Cole of Montreal, Canada, are touring the nearby scenic spots with their hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baldwin. Last week the four friends went to Miami, West Palm on Wednesday, Clearwater on Saturday, and to Bok Tower on Sunday. The Coles are very impressed with our lovely Ridge. Mr. Harry Regent took care of Southland while the Baldwins were away.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Olson have moved to Ft. Meade to make their new home. Friends wish them all the best there.

Mr. and Mrs. George Heffernan, spending their second winter in the Park, had many visitors on Sunday from Sarasota and Canada. Ed Senical of Sarasota visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hanson Sunday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harris this week are his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Harris of Additon, N.Y. They are looking for an apartment and plans to spend the balance of the winter here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wells had several visitors from Briney Breezes Trailer Park in DelRay Beach on Sunday. Harry Hutchison returned home from a visit to West Palm Beach where he attended the funeral of his sister-in-law, Mrs. E. G. Hetrick who passed away Feb. 3.

Mr. Charlie Fensterman, a resident of Southland, has been taking part in Trap Shoot Meets in Tampa and St. Petersburg in the past several weeks. At one time he shot in the National Trap Shooting Tournaments and still enjoys this fascinating and exciting sport very much.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Willmot last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Al Jensen of Vero and Mrs. Mae Kalk of Clearwater. Mr. and Mrs. John Breyer have had as their guests this week Mrs. Essie Pinker and Miss. Helen Yost of Philadelphia, Pa., and Mrs. Milaved Nixon and Mrs. Helen Griffenberg of Palmyra, New Jersey.

On a recent Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Powell attended the birthday celebration of her aunt, Mrs. Mary Lawrence of Avon Park, who was ninety years young that day. Best wishes to Mrs. Lawrence from everyone.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cole left by plane on Monday for their home in Montreal, Canada, after a delightful several weeks visit with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baldwin. Friends from their home had written that it was 20 degrees below zero there and they hope to return Soth soon.

SPECIAL
TRUCK LOAD OF GROCERIES AT
AUCTION
Saturday, Feb. 21st
6:00 to 11:30 P.M.
COME EARLY. Bid, Buy and Have Supper
SPECIAL ITEMS FOR
AUCTION
1—A1 32 Colts Revolver
1—A1 410 Shot Gun 3 Shot
1—A1 Office Desk
2—A1 Office Chairs
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1—New Universal Elec. Irons
2—New ¼ in. Elec. Drills
2—New ½ in. Elec. Drills
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2—New Ram Sabre Saws
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2—New Reclining Chairs
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Red Devils To Open Baseball Season March 10

The Avon Park High School "Red Devils" baseball team has announced the 1959 schedule with Arcadia furnishing the competition for the opening game March 10 at Arcadia.

The first home game will see Kissimmee coming to Avon Park March 13 for a 7:30 p. m. game.

March 17 the Red Devils will play at Mulberry. March 20 Arcadia will come here. Kathleen will invade the Red Devils Stronghold March 24; then the team will play three straight games away from home, at Lake Wales March 26, at Winterhaven March 31 and at Sebring April 3.

The next three games will be under the lights at home, with Winterhaven April 4, Lake Placid April 7, and Frostproof April 10.

They will play Kissimmee, there, April 14, and Ft. Meade, there, April 17. They will play their final home game at home with Sebring's Blue Streaks coming to town April 21, Mulberry April 24, and Okeechobee April 28.

The Ridge Conference tournament will be held April 30 through May 2.

D.A.R. To Give Washington's Birthday Tea

Patriots Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will commemorate George Washington's birthday with a Tea from the hours of three until six on Sunday, Feb. 22, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Mandis on Lake Letta.

All Daughters of the American Revolution and their friends are invited.

Florida's road building set an all-time record in 1958 with more than $113,000,000 in road projects put under contract during the year.

LEGAL NOTICE
COUNTY TAX ASSESSORS ROUNDS

In accordance with the Laws of Florida, I will make my official TAX ROUNDS at the time and place scheduled below.

The law provides that every owner or agent having Real Property, Tangible Personal or Intangible Personal Property make a Tax Return in same to the County Assessor of Taxes on or before April 1st of each year. The law further provides that all tax payers claiming HOMESTEAD, DISABILITY OR WIDOW'S EXEMPTION make application for same before April 1st of each year.

Listed below is my schedule of TAX ROUNDS for 1959.

Venus, Fairfax Crossing, 21, Monday, Feb. 23rd, 2 till 5 p.m., Post Office.

DeSoto City District—Precinct 19, Wednesday, Feb. 25th, 2 till 5 p.m., Waldron's Store.

Placida, Brighton and Basinger District—Precincts 19 and 20, Friday, Feb. 27th, 2 till 5 p.m., Placida Post Office.

Lake Placid District—Precinct 22, Wednesday, Feb. 11th, 10 a.m. to 12 Noon.

Sebring District—Precincts 8 thru 17, Monday, Feb. 16th, 9 a.m. till 5 p.m., Courthouse.

Avon Park District—Precincts 1 thru 7, Wednesday, Feb. 18, 19 a.m. till 5 p.m., Thursday, Feb. 19th, 8 a.m. till 5 p.m., Friday, Feb. 20th, 9 a.m. till 5 p.m., L. Estelle Parks Office.

I will be pleased to meet all persons who wish to discuss their County Tax Returns, Valuations, Homestead and other exemptions and such kindred matters at the time and places set forth above.

E. G. GEARING
Highlands County Tax Assessor
Pub: Jan. 29, Feb. 5, 12, 19.

INVITATION TO BID
The Board of County Commissioners, Highlands County, Florida will receive SEALED BIDS until 10:00 A.M., March 3, 1959, for the following equipment: One new motor grader with the following approximate specifications: Weight 23,000 lbs., engine 113 HP, tires 9.00-20 10 ply front, 13.00-24 12 ply rear, blade 12 ft., open steel bowl, hydraulic moldboard shift, tandem drive. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Two used units to be traded in on the above.
JAMES O. CREEL
Chairman
Dated February 3, 1959.
Pub: Feb. 19, 26

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND
HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLOR.
CHANCERY NO. 3852
SUIT TO QUIET TITLE
D. G. BENNETT and S. Y. MOORLEY
Plaintiffs
vs.
J. V. GOODRICH, et ux, et al,
Defendants
NOTICE TO FILE ANSWER
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY:
To: J. V. Goodrich and Catherine H. Goodrich, his wife, whose addresses are unknown to Plaintiffs, and who are not known to be living or dead, and unknown persons or parties having interests as heirs, devisees, grantees, assignees, lienors, creditors, trustees or otherwise by, through, under or against said J. V. Goodrich and Catherine H. Goodrich, his wife, and unknown spouses claiming an interest in the following described real property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:
Lots 1 and 2, Block 1, Highlands Heights Subdivision, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 2, Page 52, Public Records of Highlands County, Florida, and the following located in Section 19, Township 35 South, Range 29 East:
Beginning at the Southeast corner of Lot 2, Block 1, Highlands Heights Subdivision, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 2, Page 52, Public Records of Highlands County, Florida, and run thence South 100 feet; thence West 100 feet; thence North 100 feet; thence East 100 feet to the point of beginning.
You are hereby required to file your answer or other pleading to the complaint filed in the above entitled cause, in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, Highlands County, Florida, on or before March 16, 1959, and if you fail to do so, a decree pro confesso will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint.
WITNESS my hand and official seal this 3rd day of February, A.D. 1959.
(SEAL)
H. T. DIPPY
Clerk Circuit Court
By: Ruth Hancock
Deputy Clerk
HUGH E. KINNAIRD
Attorney for Plaintiffs
Suite 5 Lake Building
Avon Park, Florida
Pub: Feb. 19, 26, March 5, 12

IN THE COURT OF THE COUNTY JUDGE IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF THOMAS O. GOODLEY, Deceased.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
All creditors of the Estate of Thomas O. Goodley, 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 or such 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, his agent or his attorney, or it will be forever barred. Dated this 12th day of February, A.D. 1959.
STELLA G. DOUGLAS
Executrix of the Estate of Thomas O. Goodley, deceased
Mattie W. Tompkins
Attorney for Estate
Avon Park, Florida
Pub: Feb. 19, 26, March 5, 12

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. 26952, Laws of Florida, 1951, 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 following name, to-wit: AVON PARK MUSIC CO. under which I am engaged in business at 34 West Main St., Avon Park, Florida.
That the party interested in said business enterprise is the undersigned, to-wit: Thelma W. Teter, 14 West Main St., Avon Park, Florida.
Dated at Avon Park, Highlands County, Florida, this 5th day of February, A.D. 1959.
Pub: Feb. 12, 19, 26, March 5, 1959

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Choice of Two Vegetables or Salad
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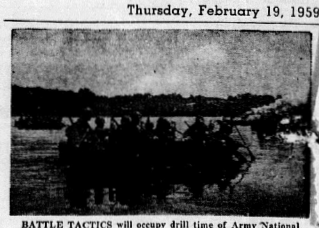
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BATTLE TACTICS will occupy drill time of Army National Guardsmen. The entire Army Guard is now engaged in unit training. Like the infantrymen above, National Guardsmen follow Active Army training programs.

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gown, fur coat and bare feet was explaining how she had elected to come by train instead of on the plane with her husband.

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Little "Junior" was loving his mother and explaining that he cared for her just a speck more than his Dad, just a half a virtue, he declared. He's a doctor's son.

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Want to grab on to some goodies for the weekend? Members of the Business Women's Club will have them for you Saturday morning on the Bank corner. It's a bake sale, proceeds to go to a worthy cause, of course.

—o—

A group of Episcopal Young Churchmen will be on hand to wash your cars Saturday morning from 8 a. m. to 2:00 p. m. for only a buck. There will be about fifteen young people shining and polishing at Lewiston's Shell Station, 200 W. Main. Arrangements for the car wash are being made by Sammie Wright and Steve Love.

Florida Power—

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electric energy to residential and commercial customers within discussion.

Sincerely yours,
W. J. Clapp
President

wjcejp

The offer was directed to the mayor and council. The utilities are managed by a legislatively created Sebring Utilities Commission, and the county voted at a meeting Tuesday night to confer with the commission.

Power Company officials told the meeting that all eligible production employees would be invited to join the power corporation in their operation.

Officials of the corporation say they are awaiting a reply from Sebring on the proposal.

Power Corporation officials at the meeting included W. W. Snow, St. Petersburg, executive assistant to President W. J. Clapp, who signed the offer; J. G. Gravlee, Lake Wales, division manager; and George Woodham of Avon Park, district manager. The City's corporate limits during the first ten years, 3 per cent during the second ten years, and 4 per cent during the remainder of the life of the franchise.

Thank you very much for the opportunity of presenting this proposal. We trust that you will give it serious consideration and careful study, and that you will favor us with an early reply, or with an invitation for further

Hollenberg & Wolfe

A man never gets so rich that it's possible that a college education doesn't always pay, but that doesn't release Pop from his financial obligation.

Marvin Holloway, president and general manager of the Peninsula Motor Club, AAA, says findings of American Automobile Assn. surveys predict that Florida will continue to be the No. 1 tourist state in 1959.

The modern theory seems to be that a dollar saved is just a good time lost.

Dennis Crews Celebrates Third Birthday

Dennis Crews, son of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Crews, celebrated his third birthday on Saturday Feb. 15, with a family birthday party at his home.

Dennis, born on St. Valentin's Day, also enjoyed a valentin celebration with his birthda party. His birthday cake was a lovely large chocolate cake decorated with yellow roses.

Before the cake and ice cream were served Dennis and his family were treated to a delicious Barbeque Chicken supper with all the trimmings. All the members of the family enjoyed helping Dennis open his many lovely birthday gifts and cheered the birthday boy when he blew out three candles on the lovely cake.

Helping Dennis celebrate were his parents, Mr and Mrs. Malcolm Crews, his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. George Bowers of Lake Placid, his cousins, Sylvia and Patricia Bowers, his grandmother, Mrs. Florence Stebbins and his baby brother.

So You Want To Know

Orpha J. Brown, Psychologist Highlands County Schools

VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE — Guidance, testing and counseling help each student to learn more about his individual achievements, abilities, aptitudes and interests. The guidance program helps him to get a sense of direction, helps him to make decisions about his future career. He gets assistance in locating information about jobs or colleges and is encouraged to seek answers to such questions as: What do I want to do when I leave high school? What kind of vocational career would be interesting to me? What am I cut out to be? Am I qualified to attend college?

College and Career Days such as are held annually in Highlands County Schools help the student to make vital decisions about his future. Psychological and aclevement tests are given to all twelfth grade students thrnogout the state. Students interested in trying for Scholarships may register at each high school for the Scholarship Qualifying Test and for State Scholarships for Teaching or Nursing.

Students not planning to attend college may take during their senior year a battery of tests offered to them free by the State Employment Service. These tests are given at the high school the student attends and are followed up with individual counseling by the Employment Service to determine the most suitable job for each student.

The University of Florida has submitted a proposed budget of over one and a half million dollars for its nuclear science program in the coming biennium.

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