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**Weather Report**
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Weather Observer

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| April 30 | 87 | 64 | — |
| April 29 | 87 | 65 | — |
| May 1 | 90 | 69 | — |
| May 2 | 90 | 68 | — |
| May 3 | 90 | 68 | — |
| May 4 | 93 | 51 | — |
| May 5 | 95 | 52 | — |

# Youth Center Building Fund Drive Opens Monday

## Open House At Walker Memorial Wednesday To Mark Observance Of National Hospital Week Here

There is a door that always opens in this community. When the windows of homes and stores are dark and the city is sleeping, through this door a light can be seen. It is the hospital. May 10-16 is National Hospital Week and will be observed by communities throughout the nation. Walker Memorial Sanitarium and Hospital of Avon Park will have open house on Wednesday, May 13, between the hours of 2 - 4:30 p. m. Guided tours will be provided for those desiring to get a "closeup" of the medical and surgical facilities available to the citizens of Highlands and surrounding counties at Walker Memorial.

In an age filled with tremendous medical advances, the hospital stands high in position of importance in any community. Even in smaller medical institutions today, services are routine which a few years ago would be done only in great medical centers.

Although medical advance has reduced the need of hospitalization for a given group of patients, there are other groups having hope of recovery because of these advances. Diseases prevalent years ago are almost nonexistent today.

The national theme for hospital week this year is "More Roads to Recovery". Good medical care combined with efficient hospital care have increased opportunities for recovery tremendously during the past half century. Two decades have been added to the span of life since the year 1910.

Roads to recovery have increasingly centered in the hospital. For effective diagnosis and treatment in a growing number of conditions, the doctor must be able to call upon the teamwork of skilled professional and technical workers. It is the responsibility of the hospital to see that skilled help and an ever-growing array of scientific tools and supplies are constantly ready to serve twenty-four hours a day.

It is more or less taken for granted today that maternity care will be in the hospital. As a result, the hospital has become the community birth place. In 1935 less than 37 per cent of all births occurred in hospitals. By 1945 the percentage had risen to 79 and in 1956 over 95 per cent were hospital births. The maternal death rate decreased from 58 for every 10,000 births in 1935 to 4 in 1956.

The increase in range and volume of hospital service mounts year by year. For example, the clinical laboratory is not a new type of hospital service, yet complicated procedures and special equipment have multiplied the number of useful tests many fold. As a result, many more tests are being performed to diagnose illness and check the progress of treatment. The increase of complexity of care has not increased the need for the average patient to spend more time in the hospital, on the contrary it has been decreased one and one half days since World War II.

Interest in hospital costs have grown as more people are using hospitals than ever before and even those who are not hospitalized are concerned with costs of prepayment protection. The operating cost of non-profit hospitals must be met through payment of patient bills. Recently the local institution found it necessary to do as most hospitals were already doing of requiring some advance payment. However, the requirement is considerably under the usual amount.

For the year 1957 it cost medical institutions an average of about $26.00 for each day of patient care. The increase in total costs in community hospital service since 1946 amounts to about 260 percent. Part of the increase in costs is the result of inflation; but the real increase is the result of expanding services.

The hospital stands ready 24 hours a day around the year to meet the most unpredictable needs. It must be ready for every emergency. One week is hardly enough time to salute an institution which never closes its doors.

## Circuit Court Cases Settled Out-Of-Court

Judge Clifton M. Kelly advised reporting jurors in circuit court Monday that all pending cases had been settled out of court and they would not be needed.

Five civil actions had been set for the session including one for $75,000 in the auto death of Troy Harold Odom, 8, in Avon Park last year. Howard Odom, his father, had sued Mrs. Ada Jackson Elder, driver of the car, and her husband Noe Lee Elder.

No announcement was made of the amounts in the settlement of the five cases.

## Organ Seminar At Sebring Baptist Church

A church organ seminar on the Hammond Organ will be presented by pipe organist Jon Sprong at the First Baptist Church in Sebring Friday at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Sprong served as visiting Organist-Choirmaster at the Calvary Church in New York City for several months.

In recent weeks Mr. Sprong's name has been associated with the nation's first complete broadcasts of religious services in stereophonic sound, emanating from station WFLA in Tampa.

All are invited to attend this seminar.

## Health Dept. Sets New Hours

The Highlands County Health Department has announced new hours from May 11 through October 2 from 8 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Clinic hours during August will remain the same as usual, from 9:30 a. m. to 11 a. m.

## Red Devils Whip Mulberry And Lose To Sebring

After losing two regular season games to Mulberry the Avon Park Red Devils came from behind in the first round of the Ridge Conference baseball tournament to whip Mulberry 5-2.

Mulberry scored twice in the first inning and held the lead until the bottom of the fifth when the Red Devils tallied one and came back in the sixth with four more.

Hovey was the winning pitcher, going all the way for Avon Park, striking out seven, allowing only two hits, and walking six.

Sebring won their opening game 4-3 from Lake Placid, also coming from behind to victory. Lake Placid scored in the first frame, and Sebring got two in their half of the same inning and two more in the bottom of the fifth. Williams was the winning pitcher.

In the finals a record crowd saw the Blue Streaks down the Red Devils 7-0 behind the superb pitching of Foster, who allowed only two hits, struck out fifteen, and allowed no walks.

Bass and Antley divided pitching duties for the Red Devils.

## Summer Science Camp Program Offered By FSU

An increasing number of science summer programs as well as various types of year length programs and scholarships for both students and teachers are becoming available. Interested students and their parents are urged to inquire about these opportunities.

The State University is again conducting a two weeks summer camp. Thirty scholarships, which will pay all expenses in attending the science camp, are provided through funds from the National Science Foundation.

The University of Florida has received funds from the National Science Foundation (NSF) for the purpose of putting on a Summer Research Participation Program for Secondary School Students. The NSF will pay the following subsistance and expenses allowances for each participating student: a. Room rent in the dormitory; b. Food allowance of $2.50 per day for 56 days; c. Travel - - one round trip at four cents per mile.

To have his application considered, the student (boy or girl) must be regularly enrolled in a public high school in Florida as a Junior. He must have had biology and/or be taking chemistry or physics. No student will be considered a candidate until the following have been received: 1. Completed application form. 2. Science teacher's recommendation. 3. Two character references from qualified people. These should also refer to candidate's seriousness of purpose. 4. Health certificate. 5. A statement by the applicant of not over 100 words in his or her reason for wanting to attend the program. 6. Consent of parent or guardian for student's application.

Complete applications sent to the Director, Dr. Luther A. Arnold, Director, NSF Summer Program, 143 Norman Hall, University of Florida, Gainesville, Fla., must be postmarked not later than May 10, 1959, if they are to be considered. For additional information, contact your local high school science teacher.

## Automatic Baseball Pitcher

A large group of interested citizens have opened a drive for funds to purchase an Automatic Baseball Pitching Machine to be used by the Midget League, Pony League, American Legion and High School Red Devil teams. It was pointed out that this machine is needed for the young players and will be under supervision of the high school coach, though not school property but will be community property. Approximately cost of this venture will be $400. Checks may be left at the Sun office and made to William A. Meyer, treasurer of the group.

## Plans Underway For Expanded Midget League

Approximately twenty interest parents and fans met at the office of Joe Perez Tuesday night to make plans for a bigger and better midget league for Park.

Plans were perfected for four teams to be sponsored by Florida Power Corporation employees, Lions Club, Rotary Club and First Baptist Church.

Team managers appointed were Grover Bates for the Rotary team; Jack Hutchinson and Durrah Martin for the Lions team; Raymond Cook and Gerald Dunn for the First Baptist Church team; J. C. Walker, Arlin King, Milton Stokey and Ed Albritton for the Florida Power group.

Tryouts for 10 to 12 year olds will be held within the next several days, they report. Last year's roster will be carried out.

Plans call for official play to start on June 2. Francis LaFlam will be league umpire and Fred Davis will be official score keeper.

## P. J. Gustat, Jr. Given $700.00

Band Director P. J. Gustat, Jr. of Sebring High School was giving $700 for his services and the School Band will receive $100 from Sebring City Council, voting unanimously in a recent meeting. It is the usual procedure to enable the Band to function commendably throughout the Summer.

## Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Governor of the State of Florida has declared the week of May 10th through May 16th to be observed as Hospital Week and,

WHEREAS, the City of Avon Park desires to officially recognize the hospitals in this community,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, E. A. DeLaney, Sr. by the power and authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Avon Park do hereby officially declare the week of May 10th through May 16th to be observed as Hospital Week.

E. A. DeLaney, Sr., Mayor
City of Avon Park, Florida

## Applications Are Being Received By Golf Group

The Avon Park Golf Group has announced that applications for memberships will now be received.

Information may be received from Vernon Tyson at Touchton Drug, William Meyer at the Avon Park Sun, Bob Lee at Eaton's Department Store, and William Briscoe at the Avon Citrus Bank.

Work has been progressing rapidly on the club and the nine hole course, they say, and play has been underway for some time.

## Ridge Theatre Guild Gives Some Behind The Scenes Highlights

By Lorraine Craven

We of the Ridge Theatre Guild thought you readers might be interested in a trip behind the magic scenes of the theatre. Where, as you who took part in the "Follies" know there is a lot of human interest.

This is the place where people, who were a week ago indifferent strangers are now close together in a bond of human relationship, laughing, crying, worrying, sympathizing, cooperating and in a few tense moments barking at one another. But always, after it's all over and the house lights fade out on the last act, comes that wonderful feeling of accomplishment, no matter how small the bit, that of fellowship, of new friendships made strong by playwrights like Thornton Wilder, who know so well how to present life with an impact that is at times jolting.

This is where we laugh at the quips of the witty ones, laugh at the sight of a fellow worker idly twirling an egg-beater back stage between acts. This will become a very realistic lawn-mower in the next scene.

We laugh at the silly hats and get-ups that Grandma wore so proudly. We grow serious at the mention of an actress's worry about her child at home who has a flu symptom. We sympathize with those who have back-stage jitters and are in a frenzy of forgotten lines. We share the responsibility of those who are at the business of throwing the right light at the precise second, those who must see that each button and hook is sewn in place, each milk bottle is tapped as the milk-man leaves a quart, and the mammoth job of herding thirty people quietly into space not much larger than an elevator.

We marvel at those like Frank Rinald, who love the theatre so much they drive as much as seventy miles to each rehearsal, then with their voices and movements carry us raptly into the world of make-believe.

Here we sit on stage waiting for a cue to say perhaps one line. The line itself doesn't seem too important, but as it is woven into the pattern it becomes a thread of the all-significant blanket effect.

We listen to the lines of the actors and actresses, and, when they are said with emotion, we hold back the tears that well up

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## One Cent Sale On At Touchton's

The Liggett-Touchton Drug Store has their famous One Cent Sale underway and are offering great savings in the customary sale of buy one at regular price and get another for only One Cent extra.

The big sale will end Saturday night, according to store manager Vernon Tyson.

## Registration Of First Graders Set For Monday

All parents having children who will begin school next year in the first grade of the Avon Elementary School are urged by Principal George Kelsey to bring their children for registration in the new Avon Elementary School Ofice on West Winthrop St., Tuesday, May 12.

Pupils with last names beginning with the letters A through L are asked to come between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning and pupils with names beginning with the letters M through Z may come between 1 and 3 in the afternoon on Tuesday, May 12.

This pre-school round-up is very important as plans are made for next year's first grades on a basis which includes the number of Tuesday's registrations. By registering your child on May 12 you may do yourself as a parent and the county school system an assistance in helping them prepare for your first grader.

Dr. William S. Hill, Jr. and Mrs. L. E. Rankin, R. N. of the Highlands County Health Department will be present on Tuesday to give thorough physical check-ups to the pre-school children if parents desire this service. The check-ups will be without cost and provide a wonderful opportunity for parents to become aware of such physical conditions as diseased tonsils, decayed teeth, and other situations that may then be remedied before school starts in the fall.

It will be necessary for all parents to bring to the May 12 Clinic a copy of the child's birth certificate or other accurate evidence or proof of the child's age. No child will be allowed to enter the first grade without this proof of their age.

The school administration urged that all parents make a point to register their children for first grade on Tuesday, May 12.

## Lake Byrd Conf. Center Names New Managers

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sears of Hollywood, Florida, have been appointed managers of Lake Byrd Conference Center, effective about May 20.

Mr. Sears has had more than thirty years experience as a professional Boy Scout executive, and at present is in charge of the South Broward County Council. He is a native of Pennsylvania and received his education at Mansfield State Teachers College and Bucknell University. His scout experience has been broad, including management and building of camps and responsibility for program and public relations.

Mrs. Sears, also from Pennsylvania, is a graduate of Beaver College. Both are life-long Congregationalists and are charter members of the new First Congregational Church of Hollywood.

## Prisoners Skip From Avon Park Institution

Two prisoners, one convicted of murder and the other for manslaughter, escaped from the Avon Park Correctional Institution Saturday and triggered a man hunt throughout the area by approximately 50 Highlands County lawmen along with personnel from the institution.

Elbert Norwood Tomlin, 56, serving a life term for murder in Polk County, and Olin Kelly, 64, serving ten years for manslaughter in Pinellas County, were the escapees.

Authorities report the men have not been captured but that an alert is being maintained for them.

## Kick-Off Breakfast Will Signal Start Of Community-Wide Effort

The Avon Park Youth Center Building Development Association membership and fund raising drive will go into high gear Monday with an all-out community-wide solicitation.

The city and community has been divided into sections with team captains in charge and a committee of workers selected for each.

A final briefing meeting will be held with association president, Mrs. John Townsend and drive chairman Fred Davis working with team captains to perfect all phases of the drive prior to the kick-off breakfast which will be held Monday morning at the Jacaranda Hotel Coffee Shop.

Workers will start directly from the breakfast to begin a systematic solicitation of every house and business establishment in the area.

Funds are being sought to help defray cost of erection of the proposed new Youth Center Building on the land across Lake Avenue from the Junior high school. Memberships in the association will be sold at the same time.

Team captains are Willa Padgett, Clarice Ford, Garland Kelley, Helen DeShong, Hazel Townsend, Jewel Beane, Jack Flaggert, Mary Ellen Ward, Margaret Duggan, David Lanier and Wini DeLaney.

The association, formed last fall, is in the process of purchasing the land and has had considerable concession promised from various members of the building profession on cost of labor for construction of the building. An estimated figure between $20,000 and $25,000 has been given. Several hundreds of dollars has been raised by the Ways and Means committee under chairmanship of Mrs. Mary Durden by various promotions and rummage sales.

Mrs. Townsend has urged that everyone be prepared to meet the workers with a contribution check or the price of a membership in the association. She points out the importance of the youth center to the community and the importance of a building to house it in a more centrally located place and built for the purpose so that it may serve the need in a more practical manner.

A display ad has been running in the Sun for the past few weeks with just the letters: BPEYOT Many persons have inquired as to the meaning, but have been told they would know soon. The letters stand for: Build Today For Our Youth Of Tomorrow and has been accepted as the slogan of the association's effort to raise funds for this important new building.

## Red Devil Circus To Perform At Frostproof Sat.

The now famous Red Devil High School Circus will show at Frostproof Saturday night with half the proceeds going to the Avon Park Youth Center Building Development Association fund drive.

This fine annual attraction, going out of town this year for the first time, was presented at Wauchula a week ago and was acclaimed one of the finest events ever held there.

All performers are students in the Avon Park High School, Junior High and Elementary School, with the exception of Bill Dunn of Sebring, a former trapeze artist with Ringling Brothers circus, who has trained the high trapeze performers in the show and serves as director for them in their thrilling act.

Many trapeze acts, tight wire act, trampoline, bicycle act, clowns, and various other circus features are presented in a professional manner by the students in an exhibition that runs for more than two hours.

## County Speech Contest Awards Are Announced

Avon Park students took second, third and fourth places in the annual speaking contest sponsored by the Highlands County Soil Conservation District and the Avon Citrus Bank.

Harold Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jackson of Sebring took top honors. This made the third time in the past four years for him to take first place in this event.

Jimmy Mills, Frankie Thorp and Bobbie Faye Arnold of Avon Park finished in that order. Delano Arner of Sebring took fifth place in the event.

William Briscoe of the Avon Citrus Bank presented checks to the contestants at the close of the event.

Florida Bankers association annual awards for agricultural practices in the county were presented to the Ellington Ranch; Robert B. Oxer; and the Citrus Division of Consolidated Naval Stores Co., of Lake Placid.

## Monday Will Be Holiday For All Students While Teachers Work

Monday, May 11, will be a holiday for students of the Avon Park Schools and a work-day for the faculties of the Junior and Senior High Schools and the Elementary Schools.

Faculty personnel will use his day to correct, grade and study the Standarized tests that have been given to all the children of the community during this week. The results will then be recorded so the teachers may discuss them with students and their parents thus assuring that full benefit of the tests will be received by the pupils this year.

This week has been a busy one for the students in Highlands County as all students except Seniors are participating in the county wide testing program, reported A. B. Wilhite, Supervising Principal.

Several very effective standardized tests to help determine the abilities and achievements are being used. Last week elementary pupils in grades one, two, and six took the California Tests of Mental Maturity and this week grades three through eight are taking the Cooperative Achievement Tests, covering English, Social Studies, Science and Math.

Miss Patti Hill, director of testing and guidance in the junior and senior high schools, is administering the test with the assistance of the various teachers according to their class schedule. All of these tests require the greater part or all of a student day to give. The results give much information to the teachers, parents and the students.

Testing in the elementary school is being done by the individual classroom teacher on an individual grade basis.

The Senior Class has already taken similar test under the direction of the State of Florida in twelfth grade testing program. These were given last fall.

## Two Red Devils On Conference All-Senior Squad

The Ridge Conference All-Senior baseball team, announced by conference president Joe Barton, includes two from Avon Park, Red Devils.

Tommy Douberley, center fielder and pitcher, and Gale Hovey, first base and pitcher, were the Red Devils honored.

Others named to this select team were Bill Brace of Arcadia; Bob Butler, Kathleen; Wayne Cobb of Lake Placid; Kenney Gailbreath of Mulberry; Julius Foster, Earl Lanier, and Hewey Lanier of Sebring.

Honorable mentions went to Buddy Edgemon of Lake Placid; Roland Frazier of Mulberry; and Dave Putnam of Kissimmee.

## Sebring Council Asks No Action By State On Airport Authority

By Pearl Yeager

At a special meeting Monday afternoon, Sebring City Council took unanimous action in sending instruction to Representative Howard Livingston and Senator Doyle Carlton in Tallahassee that no action be taken by them in the matter of creating a Sebring Airport Authority.

Report had been made of a petition supposedly being circulated to create such an Authority, implying that Council, which is the supervising agency, and Manager N. B. Graybill, successor to Allen C. Altvater, were being criticized because of the fact that the new manager's salary was raised $600 a year, and that of the manager's secretary raised from $160 monthly to $216. This report neglected to state that the former secretary was the former manager's wife, and that his son was also on the payroll at approximately $100 weekly.

Council's investigation brought out the fact that on June 30, 1952 the City of Sebring adjusted the Airport accounts, marking off $10,560.00 past due rent of the 8th Air Depot. No record of an action by Council at that time can be found in the minutes of the City records, as far back as 1950.

The information was verified by City Clerk Jack Stroup, at the City office.

A meeting is being held at an early date to determine future action to be taken in regards to practical disposition of many items of machinery and equipment which have been and are now being used by tenants at the Field, for which no rental or other compensation has been paid. The worth of this equipment is believed to be considerable.

Apparently Council feels that supervision of the Air Terminal should remain in their hands for the present time.

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## "TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY"

By Russell Kay

On his late show recently Jack Parr told of an amusing experience that happened to him not long ago. He said that a friend urged him to make an investment in a Florida power concern.

Jack confessed that he knew very little about stocks and even less about power companies, but his friend was so sold on Florida and its future and so insistent that he decided to buy the recommended stock.

Not knowing that there were two big power companies operating in the state with names quite similar, he became confused and bought a different stock than the one his friend had named.

"I was so dumb," Jack said, "I bought the wrong stock and you know it has been going up ever since." He did not state which stock his friend had recommended or which stock he bought, but which ever he bought he was mistaken when he said it was the "wrong" stock. He probably would have been just as fortunate had he followed his friend's instruction, for you can't go "wrong" on such a Florida investment.

Had he become a stockholder of the Florida Power Corporation and attended a recent stockholders meeting I am sure he would have been tremendously impressed for he would have mingled with over 800 fellow stockholders and gotten to know some mighty important people who were signally honored on the occasion, the 199 FPC Pioneers. These are the employees who have been with the company for 25 years or more.

He would have found the meeting more like a county fair than a stockholders gathering for President W. J. "Bill" Clapp of Florida has his own ideas about such events and thinks they should be folksy without any traces of staid formality which usually attends them. He further took the opportunity to pay tribute to "power people", those faithful employees who through the years have helped to create the organization.

Employees, who had helped build success, mingled with the investors who had provided the money for tools and equipment and it was indeed a happy and impressive gathering.

As the guests mucked on delicious fried chicken and other delicacies they cemented acquaintances and expressed with equal pride their gratification over past records and their ut-most confidence in the future. There was little discussion of money, buildings or machinery, but plenty about the people who used such equipment so effectively and profitably. It was unique in the annals of stockholders meetings and a credit indeed to President Clapp and his co-executives who had brought it about.

Business and industry is much more than finance, buildings, machinery and equipment. It is primarily people, human beings, who through their able, faithful service work as a team to advance the welfare of all identified with the project. Each an important cog, doing an important job, whether it be the stockholders whose faith causes them to put up the necessary money to provide costly tools and equipment or the hard working employees who use this investment to build a worthwhile organization that serves their fellow man and helps make life more worth living.

We congratulate Florida Power Corporation on this well deserved recognition of "Power People" and its enterprise in bringing stockholders and employees together on such a happy occasion in order that they might become better acquainted and more appreciative of the important part all play in the march of worthwhile industrial progress.

## Bridal Shower Honors Lynelle Griffin At Wesley Hall Friday

The ringing of concealed alarm clocks led Miss Lynelle Griffin, bride-elect, to several delightful surprises on Friday night, May 1, at a miscellaneous bridal shower in her honor at Wesley Hall.

A lovely blanket for her new home, a gift from the hostesses, was found by Miss Griffin when she located one alarm clock and a hope chest decorated with a large ribbon of blue and yellow was filled to the overflowing with more lovely gifts for the popular young couple. This treasure was also revealed by an alarm ring.

Miss Griffin located the hope chest which was topped with a picture of the honoree and her bridegroom-elect on the stage of Wesley Hall and was helped in opening her lovely gifts by her mother, Mrs. Williard Griffin, and Mrs. Elizabeth Lastre, mother of the bridegroom-elect.

The hostesses for the lovely shower presented Miss Griffin with a corsage of yellow roses upon her arrival. Hostesses were Mrs. Virgil Tondee, Mrs. Hubert Bussard, Mrs. Mack Flowers, Mrs. Charles McCormick, Mrs. Virgil Still, Mrs. Parnell O'Steen, Mrs. Wiley Cothran, Mrs. Frazier Watford and Mrs. Earl Rich.

Yellow and blue were used as the color motif of the shower. The refreshment table was covered with a white linen cloth and featured a lovely arrangement of blue lace flowers and double golden marigolds. Punch with iced floats of fruits in the shape of a blue daisey, cake squares of blue with yellow roses and mints were served the large group of friends from the lovely table. An arrangement of yellow roses with a miniature bride was an eye-catching sight on the piano.

A very special original poem "Lynelle's Wedding Day", written for the occasion by Mrs. Mack Flowers, and read by Mrs. L. H. Ford was a bit of charm for all the guests and the bride-elect. Mrs. Jerome Shiltz sang "The House With Love In It" during the evening. The friends present then enjoyed helping the bride-elect open the many lovely gifts.

Miss Griffin's marriage to Elliott M. Ladrie will be an event of May 12 in the First Methodist Church.

## Hubbard Biggs To Participate In Convention

Hubbard Biggs, prominent Avon Park insurance agent, will represent this city at the 55th annual convention of the Florida Association of Insurance Agents May 21-23 at the Robert Meyer Hotel in Jacksonville.

More than 1,000 delegates from virtually every county in the state are expected to attend the convention. The session will feature addresses by Archie Slawsby, Nashua, N. H., president of the National Association of Insurance Agents, and other industry leaders.

## Southland Trailer Park News

Many hundreds of visitors from all over the United States call at the Park throughout the year while they are in Florida seeking information and Southland is often a small Chamber of Commerce for this area. Last week visitors from California, Alaska, and Canada stopped for information and a look at the Park where they are always welcomed by the management and the regular residents of the Park. Sunday and weekend visitors are always very numerous.

Southland is also ashmed to again report that its shufflers walked off with the honors at the weekly Winter Guest Tournament when Harold Arms and John Slater, both residents, won the Pot Luck Tournament and then played the weekly consalation winners and won that match also. Congratulations to these two gentlemen and the other fine shufflers in the Park are always flying around.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Elethrope have returned to their summer home in Hammond, N. Y. and had hardly gotten settled when Mrs. Elethrope fell and fractured her hip. Her friends are sorry to hear this and wish her well.

Leaving at six o'clock Monday morning for their summer homes were Mr. and Mrs. S. Kolk for Goshen, N. Y. and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hanson for Chippewa Bay, N. Y. However, no one leaves here at any time without a farewell wish from the management and residents and friends were on hand to see them go and wish a happy trip.

Good news from Mrs. Effie Norris of Ft. Myers, mother of A. L. Graza, reports that she is doing well after her recent hip fracture.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Brasswell have left the Park to take up residence in their new home in the Lake Lillian Subdivision and all wish them well there.

## Florida Cattle Hardest Hit By Screwworm

Cattle bore the brunt of screwworm infestations in Florida during 1958 and the first 50 days of 1959.

Total number of confirmed cases in the state during that period were only 864, according to figures released today at headquarters here of the State-Federal Screwworm Eradication Program. Of the total, 92.6 per cent of the cases occurred in cattle.

Newborn animals were hardest hit by the costly livestock pest, with 73.8 per cent of all cattle cases discovered in navel wounds. Sources of other cattle infestations and their percentages included: castrations, 5; dehorning, 9.2; branding, 0.1, and other wounds, 11.9.

The figures include only the first 50 days of this year because the last confirmed screwworm case in Florida and the Southeast was reported February 19 last.

## Tee talk



This week DON FINSTERWALD gives you the inside story on the SNEAD-LEONARD ABC-TV ALL-STAR GOLF MATCH

With eleven scalps on his belt, Big Chief Sam Snead faced the Canadian brave, Stan Leonard, at the Miami Country Club. They battled for 18 holes before the paleface from up North went down to defeat . . . giving Snead his twelfth scalp and a total of $26,000 on All-Star Golf. This is a lot of wampum to earn just for ambushing some other golf warriors in the noon-day sun.

Snead jumped into the lead at the very first hole by sinking a 43-foot putt for a birdie 3. He finished the first nine with 4 birdies and one bogey for a very sweet 31. Leonard had to content himself with a par 35, leaving him 4 strokes behind the lot Mr. Snead. After 12 holes, Leonard was 4 strokes down . . . then he started to chop away at Snead's lead, stroke by stroke. On the 13th, he birdied and on the 15th, he sank a 5-foot putt for a birdie 4, closing Snead's lead down to 2 strokes. On the 16th, Snead cooperated by 3-putting for a bogey 4, and he repeated the same performance by 3-putting on the 17th green for a bogey 5 . . . evening the match with 65 strokes for both pros.

As they teed off on the 18th, the situation was very tense. This is the closest that Snead had come to defeat for many, many weeks on All-Star Golf. Leonard stepped up and drove 200 yards, out-hitting Snead by some 15 or 20 yards. But Snead came through, as he always seems to do on All-Star Golf. He put the pressure on Leonard with a beautiful four-iron that went 175 yards to stop 25 feet from the pin. Leonard pushed his 6-iron hole high, but side of the green. His pitch shot went 8-feet past the pin. Snead then proceeded to hole out in the conventional 2 putts, and Leonard, with a chance to even the match, missed his 8-footer for a bogey 5, for a final score of 70 against Snead's 69.

Next week, I will give you the inside story on George Bayer vs. Sam Snead. George is the giant hitter who smacks the ball a country mile. If Bayer's putter is working, this Munsingwear Golf Reporter may yet give you news that Mr. Snead received a paltry $1,900 instead of $2,000 for his day's play on All-Star Golf.

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## Long Term Scout Camp Training

Sam Polston has announced a long term Scout Camp Training Course will be given at Kegan Camp, Dundee, Florida on May 15th and 16th. The Course will be limited to not more than five scouts from each unit, with at least one adult leader. Those attending the Course should bring tentage, personal equipment, food, cooking gear, Scout Handbook, Field Book, Handbook for Patrol Leaders, Handbook for Scoutmasters, knife and axe.

The training will include all waterfront activities except canoeing and rowing; cooking methods; menu planning; cooking gadgets aids; fire starters and types of firres; pioneering and rope work; nature and scouting skills in camp; bait casting; archery; and skeet shooting.

Check-in time will be 3 - 5 p. m., Friday, May 15th. All reservations should be sent to John Dannenbarger, Box 2043, Lakeland, Florida by May 9th.

## Alcolines

By Charley Stookey

"If all you are doing for an alcoholic is taking the bottle away, then for God's sake let him drink."

These are the words of an alcoholic. He goes on to explain how for many years liquor was his uneasy friend. There were many things he thought he couldn't have done if alcohol hadn't given him a boost. It made the way easy for him over the rough spots of life. It calmed his nerves, he claimed.

He tells of having been shy and bashful with strong feelings of inferiority in his younger days. He kept going through life in a furtive manner, "looking over his shoulder," so to speak. Very early in the game he learned that about six shots of "the magic stuff" made those feelings vanish.

This man admits it wasn't the taste of the Bourbon he was after, but the feeling he got when he drank it. It gave him a false feeling of peace and calm he was seeking, and the unreal courage to do things with which he was confronted.

That is why this alcoholic drank. The feelings alcohol brought were so valuable to him and he had such a tremendous need for them that he would gamble with everything in life to get it. This alcoholic threw away his family, his respectability, everything, in order to get the feeling he needed.

Fortunately this man became aware that there was more wrong with him than drinking too much--he was emotionally immature. Upon first learning that a doctor had labeled him with that term he was furious, not knowing what it meant and feeling that it meant he was stupid.

He then began to realize that his drinking was a personality problem, a spiritual problem, an internal problem, and that it is always on the job.

Today this man is leading a normal life. He holds a good job and is a respected member of his community, all because he recognized the trouble as an illness, and he found help.

It is estimated there are 100,000 persons in Florida who suffer from alcoholism, and that in addition at least five others are directly affected by each alcoholic.

Can they be encouraged and persuaded to find help? It's available.

## Jr. Womans Club Family Picnic Wednesday Night

A real old fashioned picnic supper will be served the members of the Avon Park Junior Woman's Club, their husbands, and children, at Lake Byrd Lodge on Wednesday evening, May 13, at 6 o'clock.

The family gathering will be the last meeting of the Junior Club until next fall and members will be contacted as to food to bring. A large crowd is expected and all Juniors are urged to bring their families and join the fun. Entertainment will be provided after the supper and plans will include fun for all ages.

Hostesses for the Picnic are Mrs. Fred Jahna, Mrs. Robert Barben, Mrs. John Crittenden, Mrs. Jeff Barrow, and Mrs. Ralph Hill.

## Legion Aux. To Meet Monday

The American Legion Auxiliary will hold its monthly meeting on Monday night, May 11, at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. louise Fields on North Butler Avenue.

Mrs. Dorothy Sasser, recently elected president, will report to the group on the important Constitution Conference held in Ft. Myers recently. Final plans for Poppy Day in May will also be discussed during the business meeting.

Another important item of business will be the planning of the annual installation supper meeting of the Auxiliary and the Legion in June. Mrs. Demos Mandis will give a report on El Salvador as part of the observance of Pan American Day.

All members are urged to attend this important business meeting.

## Girl Scout Meet Wednesday Night

All residents of Avon Park who are interested in the youth of our community are cordially invited to attend a meeting sponsored by the Girl Scouts of America on Wednesday, May 13, at 8 o'clock at the City Pier in Sebring.

The meeting is the culmination of a year's work of a group of interested persons who have been meeting for the past year to study the needs of girls in Polk, Hardee and Highlands County.

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## Senior Woman's Club Contributes $100 To Youth Center Bldg. Fund

The Avon Park Senior Woman's Club held its closing meeting on Friday, May 1, with a Covered Dish Luncheon in the Woman's Club Building and the Club will not meet again until next fall.

The clubhouse was adorned with lovely spring flowers for the occasion and a beautiful table abounded with delicious food. After the delightful luncheon which was arranged by the hostesses, Mrs. A. Duffey, Chairman, Mrs. C. Harden, Mrs. M. Merchant, Mrs. J. Richmond and Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, the business meeting, with yearly reports from several committees, was held.

Mrs. S. Norris lead the group in a prayer stressing the power of the women of the world and mentioned Christian Herter as an excellent choice for Secretary of State while also saying that the Berlin situation would likely be in the crisis state for some time to come.

Mrs. S. Eikhill then introduce Mrs. C. W. Mims, of Lake Wales, Director of District9 of the Florida Federation of Woman's Clubs. Mrs. Mims gave an outstanding report on the work being done by the 11,500,000 members of the United States Woman's Club and stressed the value of teamwork and gave examples of what can be accomplished when all clubs work together for a common good. "Progress Through Understanding", the theme for the year with th egoals of increased stimulation of both moral and spiritual value through woman's club work, was cited as the ideal by Mrs. Mims. A local woman's club's good reputation in the responsibility of each club member.

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## Shipwreck Ball Planned For Youth Center

A Shipwreck Ball on Saturday, May 16, at the Youth Center will be an evening of fun for all members of the Teen Club. Decorations, refreshments, and wonderful music will all be a part of the evening at no cost to the members as it will be given by the members of the Chaperones Committee and Executive Board of the Youth Association.

All boys and girls are reminded to keep this date in mind and start now concocting an appropriate costume for the Shipwreck Ball.

The Center was open on Saturday night with Mrs. Roy Seims and Mrs. Anita Renfro serving as chaperones. It is also open each Wednesday afternoon. Plans for the coming dance were made at an Executive Board meeting of the Youth Association on Friday afternoon.

## Miss Sue Porter Honored With Bridal Shower

Miss Sue Ann Porter was the honored guests at a miscellaneous bridal shower on Tuesday night, April 28, in the Social Hall of the Florida Avenue Baptist Church.

Miss Porter, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Porter of Avon Park, is the bride-elect of Martin David Eischen. Upon her arrival the lovely bride-elect was presented with a clever original corsage made of kitchen utensils for her new home.

About thirty-two friends gathered for the evening with a number of games on a wedding theme being enjoyed by all. Mrs. Lloyd Sheffield and Mrs. Haswood Williams planned and conducted the games. Everyone enjoyed helping Miss Porter open the many lovely gifts she received for her new home.

Delicious refreshments of home made cookies and Cokes were served the guests by Mrs. Letha Rewis. The ladies of the Women's Missionary Society of the church were the hostesses for the lovely miscellaneous shower.

## Birthday Party For Susan Booth Enjoyed Thursday

Susan Booth and a number of her friends celebrated Susan's eighth birthday with a party on Thursday afternoon, April 31.

The boys and girls gathered at the home of Susan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Booth on Highlands Lake, for an afternoon of play and fun with the birthday celebration. Games in the yard were enjoyed by all and everyone helped Susan open her many lovely birthday gifts. The favors, which were given a lot of use at the party, were balloons with whistles for all the children.

Susan's birthday cake was a large beautiful one topped with four ballerina dolls. Birthday cake, ice cream and Cokes were served the guests. Assisting Mrs. Booth with the party were Mrs. James Parker, Mrs. H. K. Biggs, and Mrs. Francis La Flam. Special guests at the party were Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Roberts, Susan's great uncle and aunt.

Helping Susan celebrate her birthday were Patty Goff, Larry LaFlam, Jimmie, David and Anita Parker, Sandra Whitlock, David Hill, Gregg Henderson, Debbie Garganus, Emily and Bonnie Rowland, Cathy Bennett, Marion Turner, Louis Bennett, Eugene Landress, Windy Holmberg, Marcia McDugald, Fran Thompson, Jeannine DuBose, Patty Lou Miller, Ann Mandis, Jimmie Loughan, Chris Parry, Steve Walker, Paul and John Church, Susan Biggs, Marilyn Sue Smith, Lynne Frizell, Mary Sue Massey, Juanita Houze, Joey Martin, Cathy Teeter and Steve Booth, Susan's brother.

## Girl Scout News

Troop 1 of the Avon Park Girl Scouts opened their meeting on Thursday afternoon, April 31, with group singing lead by Diane DuBose. Plans were discussed by the girls and their leaders for a final party before the troop disbands for the summer. Then the girls reviewed their badge requirements. A skit from Romeo and Juliet by Scouts Joan Kelly, Patsy Martin, and Judy Wester entertained the audience with a good laugh. Then a dramatization of "Swannee River" was given by Scouts Trudy Mitchell, Beth Sullivan, Judy Walker and Patsy Martin using real boats for the clever play. Mrs. Betty Sullivan served the troop delicious refreshments in the yard of the Scout building.

The Troop had a good time rehashing their very successful camp-out last week. Scouts taking part in the camping were Ann Barben, Sandra Biggs, Jeanette Budd, Charlene Burreseu, Karen DeLaney, Diane DuBose, Judy Elliott, Marjorie Hall, Joan Kelly, Nina Laye, Patty Laughan, Cindy Metcalfe, Patsy Martin, Pat Prescott, Bobby Sasser, Mary Ann Skinner, Beth Sullivan, Paulette Sikes, Bonnie Sue Townsend, Judy Walker and Judy Wester.

Troop 3 finished their sewing projects with Mrs. Jim Rankie, Mrs. E. B. Poff, and Mrs. Roy Ladwig. The girls made surprises for their mothers for Mother's Day and also passed their sewing badge requirements. Jack Hutchinson and Scout Pep Hutchinson were present at the Tuesday afternoon meeting to help the

## Winter Guest Club News

It is nine-fifteen on a sunny summerlike morning. Hasting down the street towards the Guest Club comes a fair lady with unusual celerity. From west Lake street come two more, also uncommonly fast three cars, almost breaking traffic speed limits, are heading for the Guest Club grounds. Great Scott, what's going on? What's the so great hurry all about? Oh, nothing much, only there is but one shady court for the shufflers, and the first ones there get the cream, so to speak. How nice it would be if the Board of Control could sometime or other get a second shade awning erected. What of it if it might cost a nickel? Who wants to play shuffle board under a broiling sun? Who, asks the Stroller? Whoo-hoo, says the owl. And that's all the answer we get.

It was a pleasure to see Mr. Weiss here the other day. He was a much liked and active member of the Guest Club here for several years, and right clever with his cue on the courts. Now he belongs to Winter Haven. Likewise Bill Daibler, active here for a number of years and well liked too, also slipped off to that burg a year or so ago. What can be the attraction up there? A 64-dollar question and nobody knows the answer. Our genial housekeepers, Mr. and Mrs. Ford are also away . . . on a short vacation in Alabama.

Wednesday evening's pot-luck tournament brought out a goodly number of aspirants for the Hall of Fame. The two lucky ones were Mrs. Beal and Mr. Peters; next in line were Mrs. Corneau and Mr. Kuil, if there is any consolation in that. There must be for they all looked happy.

Exactly fifty terpsichoreans had a grand get-together on Friday evening, and danced and danced and danced. Yes, that's true; they really did. Thirty stayed for coffee afterwards. Oh, yes, and donuts too. But their numbers are ebbing. Three couples are due to leave this week. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown left on Sunday for Minnesota.

The usual tip-top pot-luck supper happened on Saturday evening attended by quite a number more or less, and after that came the usual pot-luck tournament on the courts. A goodly number was on hand for that, eight or ten courts in use. When the battle of cues was over Messrs. Arms and Slater were found victorious, with Messrs. Gibson and Fritts close behind. And after that the four had another set-to with Arms and Slater again victorious. No doubt then whose names should be registere din the H. of F.

Final item. There's a smiling young laddie named Flaggert, a modest man, never a braggart, though he has good reason for pride. A nice pot of money he won for a job he dun for the Sun, and that's no jewel to hide. There was quite a contest but he won it, and we are all glad that he dun it. So says The Stroller.

## Elementary PTA To Install New Officers

Installation of the new officers of the Avon Elementary PTA will be held at the last meeting of the year on Thursday night, May 14, in the Avon Elementary Cafetorium on West Winthrop Street.

A Covered Dish Supper at 7 o'clock will preceed the business meeting and each member is urged to bring a covered dish and their own table service. Mrs. Stuart Ward is in charge of the supper.

After the supper and installation of officers a short business meeting, concluding the year's program, will be held and the group will not meet again until next fall. All members, parents, teachers, and friends, are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

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## We Reap What We Sow

(Continued from last week)

(A lecture to Our Lady of Grace Discussion Group, Tuesday evening, April 21, by Edward I. Fenlon, Ph.D., retired professor of philosophy of Brooklyn College of the City of New York, now a resident of Avon Park. In the interest of brevity the Professor has ommitted textual references).

Let me now come more immediately to the main point. What is incontestably true of each individual soul is no less true of groups of individuals. The same indentical principle is true of families, is true of every other type of society, and is therefore true of nations. All of them, with never an exception, reap what they sow. History is as clear as crystal on this point. The philosopher-historian, following the course of ages, can point out this principle in the fall as well as in the progress of any nation. If, therefore, we find many of the nations today plunged into a veritable chaos of thinking and of acting, with no sound norms to guide their leaders or legislators, we may be positively assured, that they are reaping precisely what they have sown. All of them, with never an exception, let me repeat, are now reaping what they have sown. Their histories may go back very, very far; but the hour of reaping comes for them. Hence, as we think of a Hitler, of a Stalin, of a Lenin, of a Mussolini, of a Tito, of a Khrushchev, etc., etc., let us not think of them as causes. Let us, rather, view them as effects of long series of evil causes in the histories of their respective countries. Evil men do not spring from vacuums, no more than you or I. They came of causes, evil causes; for, all of them, without exception, spring from the lush soil of rebellion, pride, ambition, vain philosophies, deceit, greed, Sensuality. The ground had been prepared for them or they could not have succeeded in mounting into power. When Mussolini was placed in his temporary prison on the mountain-top, having been apprehended in Rome, Hitler at once showed his hand. He had an air-plane drop down to Mussolini in a bag, a handsomely bound set of the works of Nietzsche, the German philosopher who, incidentally, died insane. And what did Nietzsche not do to Hitler's character and to thousands upon thousands of Hitler's most ardent followers? And whence came Nietzsche? Nietzsche's Christianity, an ardent Christianity at first, was wrecked by reading Schopenhauer's "The World as Will and Idea." And Schopenhauer was infected from many quarters, not the least from corrupt French sources, so that he wrote matters, some matters, that were positively unfit for publication. And so we could go back and back, remembering that all these men, and many others, had their myriads of followers, some of them professors in the various colleges and universities. Germany was conditioned, indeed, to reap what she had sown or permitted to be sown, and the end is not yet.

Two of the so-called greatest philosophers of modern times were Germans Kant and Hegel. Many schools of philosophy other than German have been affected by Kant, schools, colleges, and universities all over the world, very notably English and American schools. Kant has done untold harm to doctrinal religion, and has been instrumental in spreading agnosticism whereever he is known. Hegel, on the other hand, gave the world as a bastard offspring no less a leader than Carl Marx, the philosophy of whom is now working its evil course in every nation in the world. We know this evil as Communism and godless Socialism, no less. And now you can go back and trace the evil influences on both Kant and Hegel, some of it emanating from no less a nation than Britain, especially in the person of the Scotchman, David Hume, the most pronounced sceptic in all of modern times. Now today, we have even in our own colleges and universities any number of professors who are sowing these seeds of evil. They are devotees of Kant, or Hegel, or Marx, or Hume, or Comte, or, in instances, of all of them. And, once more, the nations, including our own, are reaping and may continue for long to reap, what is being continuously sown. And the sowing often goes back very far, as we have hinted. Modern Russia was poisoned from German sources, and see how the Bear has turned to poison the prisoners.

Now, then, keeping in mind the great basic principle that I have emphasized, let me divide what will follow into three relatively brief points:

I. The Loss Of Spiritual Values And Its Consequences; II. Godless Education In the Nations; III. The Church The Leaven Of The Nations.

(Continued next week)


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## Motorcade Will Feature Leesburg Melon Festival

A motorcade, under the direction of Dick Jones, Chairman and President of Leesburg Jaycees, packed with beautiful girls and Watermelon Festivals officials will tour Central Florida, Tuesday May 12, 1959 getting people acquainted with the area's biggest event. The Watermelon Festival will be held in Leesburg May 22 and 23, 1959 and promises to be the biggest and best since 1930, when the first such attraction was held.

The motorcade, gaily decorated new cars adorned with signs calling attention to the Festival, will start at the Leesburg Community Bldg. at 7:00 a. m. and will visit Umatilla, Eustis, Tavares, Mount Dora, Zellwood, Plymouth, Apopka, Orlando, Ocoee, Winter Garden, Clermont, Groveland, Mascotte, Terrytown, Webster, Bevilles Corner, Bushnell, Coleman, Wildwood, Belleview, Ocala and Silver Springs. From the past reception given the touring group, this year's Festival crowd may top the expected 75,000. People in all the towns on the route turn out to cheer and wave.

Top entertainment is planned for the Festival. Another big feature will be the watermelon eating contest. This annually provides plenty of laughs. And everyone at the Festival will get into the watermelon eating act, for free watermelon will be served to all who attend. In addition, there'll be a long parade of floats, a beauty contest with entries from a host of Florida cities, a midway with plenty of food and drinks to offer the crowd and a spectacular fireworks display, are all in the making.

## A Unison of Hearts

OCCASIONALLY, through the press and other media, a nation will express a warm affection for an individual or for another nation. Such an expression of love is spontaneous, natural, and uninhibited. It is always welcome and is sorely needed to offset national animosities and misunderstandings.

National unity, inspired by a deep sense of charity, recalls a verse in the Bible, which says of God, the supreme Father of all men (Ps. 33: 15), "He fashioneth their hearts alike; he considereth all their works."

Love makes all hearts alike and employs the simple expediency of reflection to bring this situation to pass. God, reflecting His own perfect nature, sees this reflection, or expression, individualized everywhere. This order, or law, is illustrated by the individual reflection of the sun in each dewdrop.

Were we all to recognize this law, we would seek love in the one source from which it comes. We would realize that the love which is spiritual and enduring is not locked up in the so-called mortal frame of friend or relative. It is, on the contrary, forever imparted infinitely from the central spring of such abiding and perfect love. Only God, divine Love, can father love which is steadfast, always satisfying, and never ending.

Mary Baker Eddy, the Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science, writing in "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," says (p. 113), "The vital part, the heart and soul of Christian Science, is Love." This Science, or knowledge of all good, is the expression of the Love that is God.

Natural affection for good is the result of knowing the reality of good. Thus scientific knowing and true love are one. Men's hearts beating together for some achievement which will promote the common good is evidence of an unselfish affection. It is proof that their knowledge of God has mounted to a higher level of understanding. Their hearts have been fashioned alike through divine grace. These hearts have yielded willingly to the power of Love, the force of good.

John's Gospel is filled with the unction of love. Throughout its pages is traced the love of Christ Jesus for God and for all his fellow beings. Speaking to God concerning his followers, Jesus said (John 17:26), "I have declared unto them thy name, and will declare it: that the love wherewith thou hast loved me may be in them, and I in them."

Christian Science, which derives its sanction from the Bible, teaches that this "I," which Jesus prayed would be with all men, is the Christ-idea, the Christ-spirit, and Christ-love. True love characterizes man individually. And when all men demonstrate this love, hearts are made alike. Then is the worthy achievement to help the race seen wedded to the hope which lies back of that affectional desire.

Mrs. Eddy explains in her "Miscellaneous Writings" how the belief of heart disease can be healed in Christian Science. She says (pp. 50, 51): "The human affections need to be changed from self to benevolence and love for God and man; changed to having but one God and loving Him supremely, and helping our brother man. This change of heart is essential to Christianity, and will have its effect physically as well as spiritually, healing disease."

Everyone speaks today of the shrinking of the world, as swiftness of means of travel shortens communications between different areas of our planet. Actually, what is taking place is that men are coming closer together spiritually. Their concept of God is slowly but progressively becoming more nearly the same over the earth. The day is approaching when none will challenge the law of God, but all will accept it gratefully, namely, that "he fashioneth their hearts alike." — *The Christian Science Monitor.*

## From The Office Of Jim Haley

Washington, D. C. — While presiding as Chairman of the Hospital Subcommittee of the House Veterans' Affairs Committee last week, I found another example of unsound budgeting of Federal money. In this case, the VA Hospitals are becoming the loser.

For the past few years, the VA has requested sufficient funds for maintenance and needed repairs for its Hospitals. However, the Bureau of the Budget has consistently denied the request. As a result, the VA has an accumulated maintenance deficit of approximately $16 million. This, of course, means that if the VA does not have sufficient funds for repairs and maintenance, what may be a minor repair will eventually become a major overhaul requiring much more money. It is clearly an unsound practice. The VA appears to have handled the matter in a reasonable manner. When funds are limited, and the VA is faced with either providing medical care or repairing a leaky roof, naturally they provide the medical care. They have no other choice, However, the VA operates 170 hospitals, valued at $5 billion, and it is down right foolish to fail to make the repairs as needed and allow deterioration of these installations.

It is simply a case of the Bureau of the Budget acting without sufficient consideration of the facts. I certainly want, and expect, the Government to reduce waste and unnecessary Federal spending. However, when the Budget Bureau denies approval of a request for funds to meet necessary maintenance costs, as indicated in this case, they are being penny wise and pound foolish. Certainly, they can turn their attention to a more productive and profitable area in denying requests for funds. They could refuse requests for Government limousines, of which we have far too many, and they could have a "field day" in cutting away the excess and inflated budgets of the foreign aid program.

At the next meeting of the House Veterans' Affairs Committee, I plan to recommend approval of funds for the next fiscal year to provide for part of the accummulated maintenance needs.

OUR FISCAL SITUATION: I have consistently maintained that one of our greatest problems is our fiscal situation.

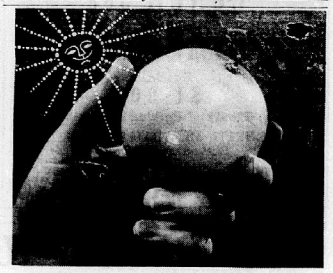
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# Church News . . .

### First Methodist

Circle 1 of the church will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, May 12, at 1 o'clock in Wesley Hall with a luncheon for members and guests. Circle 2 will meet on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Virgil Tondee. Circle 3 will meet for breakfast before its meeting on Tuesday morning and Circle 4 will meet on Monday night.

The members of the Chancel Choir were entertained by the church with a real chicken banquet in Wesley Hall on Friday evening, May 1. Mrs. Wilmer O. Luttrell, director of the choir, and Mrs. Frank Henderson, director of the Chancel Choir, cooked the delicious chicken supper with all trimmings for the twenty-four excited boys and girls who are between the age of 4 and 7.

The small banquet tables were centered with arrangements of lovely spring flowers and each place was graced with a nut cup of pastel napkins. Cake and ice cream ended the delicious meal and the Cherubs throughly enjoyed their real banquet. The boys and girls were being treated for their excellent work in the choir this year.

The Cherub and Lyric Choirs will sing at the Mother's Day Services on Sunday morning, May 9, and then disband for the summer. The Chancel Choir will also sing on May 9 and will continue until the middle of June before disbanding for the summer.

Members of the Chancel Choir and their wives or husbands will enjoy a Covered Dish Supper in Wesley Hall on Thursday evening, May 7.

### Fla. Ave. Baptist

The Zurrah Martin Circle met on Thursday night, April 31 in the church with five members present. Mrs. J. G. Harrell taught the study lesson from Acts 11 and a short business meeting was held. Members present were Mrs. Harrell, Mrs. Eva Moore, Mrs. Grace Pickett, Mrs. Tom Bean and Mrs. May Wingate.

Men of the Brotherhood served a delicious supper to more than one hundred members of the Orange Blossom Associational Brotherhood on Monday night, April 27. All present enjoyed an inspiring program and the men made all arrangements for the food and program.

### Episcopal

The Episcopal Churchwomen of the Church of the Redeemer will hold their annual business meeting at the home of Mrs. Dennis Mandis on Lake Letta on Wednesday, May 13. The day's program will begin at 12 noon with a Covered Dish Luncheon. Each member is asked to bring her own table serve and a covered dish and coffee, tea and bread will be taken care of by the hostesses.

Anyone wishing transportation for the luncheon may contact Mrs. Frank Love or Mrs. James A. Johnson. Following the luncheon yearly business reports will be given. Co-hostesses with Mrs. Mandis are Mrs. Walter Betts, Mrs. F. G. Kinyon and Mrs. Rodney Fields.

### Congregational

The Ladies Aid of the church will meet on Wednesday, May 13, for its regular Covered Dish Luncheon and Business meeting at 12 o'clock in the Social Hall of the Educational Building. All ladies of the church and winter visitors are cordially invited to attend this always delightful luncheon meeting. Plans for the summer meetings will be discussed during the business meeting.

The Evening Circle of the Church met on Monday night, April 27, in the Young Adult room and elected officers for the coming year. Mrs. G. M. Whetstone was chosen president with Mrs. Ethel Williamson for vice president. Miss Mildred Myers was elected secretary and Mrs. C. Brooke Henderson will serve as treasurer.

Mrs. Cecil Skipper reviewed the book, "Middle East Pilgrimage" for the group and plans were made for more work on the Nursery Building during the business meeting. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Hue Nunnallee and Mrs. J. C. Walker.

The Bible School of the Congregational Church has been set for June 10 through June 19. There will be classes for all children of the Sunday School and their friends. Further plans will be announced at a later date.

A Sunday School Picnic will be held on Sunday afternoon, May 17, at Lake Byrd Lodge for all the members of the Sunday School and their families. Swimming and games will be a part of the program with a delicious picnic supper afterwards.

The Summer Youth Conference of the Florida Congregational Christian Conference will begin at Lake Byrd Lodge early in June. A program of worship, study, handicrafts, sports and recreation is planned for the boys and girls during each of the four one week camps. Boys and girls who have completed grades six through twelve are eligible to attend the camps and boys and girls from all over Florida are expected at the camps.

### Seventh Day Adventist

2500 people participated in and were in the audience for the second Annual Music Festival sponsored by the Educational Department of the Florida Conference of Seventh Day Adventist Churches at the Forest Lakes Academy near Orlando last weekend.

280 boys and girls from Adventist schools all over Florida between the grades of 6 and 10 took part in the outstanding musical presentation. There were eleven school bands with the recently organized Highlands Lake Academy Band and their director, Victor McKunas, taking part in the band selections. The local band did their part excellently and all of the many Avon Park residents who attended wer proud of them. A trumpet quartet rendition of "Praise Him" drew approval from all.

Five of the local group sang in the Festival Choir and a marvelous program of sacred music was given on Friday night and Saturday. Frances Ann Hartwell of Avon Park was at the piano during the Saturday afternoon session.

On Saturday night the festival was ended with secular music and marching by the various bands. Boys and girls from the Highlands Lake Academy taking part were Ronnie Brown, Curtis and Rodney Carlson, Betty, Joe, and Shirley Mae Crawford, Frances Ann and Kay Hartwell, Roy Hughes, Lindsay Sharon, Bill Lloyd, Mark Luddington, Larry Payne, Paul Richardson, Ronnie Schmidt, Donald Trawick and James Whitt.

### First Baptist

This week has been designated at Christian Home Week in the church and the theme for the week is "When The Children Are In". Sunday was suggested as Christian Home Day. Monday was Home Dedication Day and Thursday is Family-At-Home-Night with the suggestion that all families make a special point to spend this evening at home together. Next Sunday will be Family Day in the church and it is hoped to have all families present in all of the services and that they may sit together as far as possible.

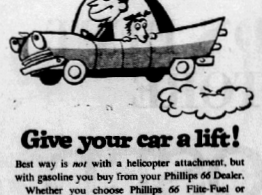
The Associational Girl's Auxiliary Council met on Monday night at the Lake Placid Baptist Church. Mrs. Johns of the Baptist Children's home was the outstanding guest speaker. A number of local members attended the meeting.

Plans for the Vacation Bible School are being worked out and the date has been set for June 15 through June 24. More information will be given as plans are worked out.

Miss Elizabeth Howell of Avon Park won second place in the District Better Speakers Tournament recently is congratulated on her fine record.

The Carolyn Crenahaw Circle met on Tuesday night, April 28, in the home of Mrs. James Turnbull for its regular month ly meeting with six members present. Mrs. Gerald Wicker opened the meeting with a prayer and Mrs. Willis Robinson presented the inspiring program on honoring the Lord's Day. Sentence prayers concluded the meeting after business was conducted and Mrs. Turnbull served delicious refreshments during the Social Hour which followed.

The Young Women's Association met on Monday night, April 27, for a light supper in the Social Hall. After the delicious supper the six members present enjoyed an enlightening program on ministry to the deaf which was followed by a business meeting.

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## Lynelle Griffin Announces Plans For Wedding

Plans for the marriage of Miss Lynelle Griffin and Elliott M. Ladrie on Tuesday, May 12, at 7:30 in the First Methodist Church of Avon Park have been announced.

The Rev. Wilmer O. Luttrell will perform the double ring ceremony and a program of nuptial music will be presented by Mrs. Edna Jackson, organist, and Mrs. Shirley Lindsey, soloist.

Miss Griffin will be given in marriage by her father and Miss Linda Griffin, sister of the bride-elect will be maid of honor. Bridesmaids will be Mrs. Jane Logan, sister of the bridegroom-elect, and Miss Mary Lois Roberts.

Jim White will serve his brother-in-law as best man. Usher-groomsmen will be Wayne Cribb and Seth McCormick.

Little Miss Cindy White, niece of the bridegroom-elect will be flower girl and Chip Gerlock will serve as ring bearer.

A reception will be held in Wesley Hall immediately following the church service. All friends and relatives of the young couple are invitted to attend the wedding and reception.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Williard Griffin of Avon Park and Elliott Ladrie is the son of Mrs. Elizabeth Ladrie of Avon Park also.

## Leigh Chapter To Host Worthy Grand Matron Fri.

Mrs. Perla Rogers, Worthy Grand Matron of the Order of the Eastern Star of Florida will make her official visit to Leigh Chapter No. 87 on Friday, May 8.

A buffet dinner in the Jacaranda Hotel for Stars and their husbands will honor Mrs. Rogers on Friday and members are urged to call Mr. Royal Coates as soon as possible for their reservations.

Following the dinner Leigh Chapter will meet with Mrs. Rogers in the Masonic Hall and all members are urged to attend. Mrs. Rogers was recently elected Worthy Grand Matron at the Blue Star Session in Tampa.




How often have you heard someone say — sometimes boastfully — "I'm one of those people who just can't wear a watch". They generally follow this with a seemingly plausible explanation of how their body gives off electricity which is absorbed by the watch mechanism causing it to be inaccurate despite the best efforts of watchmakers.

Are these people correct? Is there such a thing as "personal magnetism"?

Personal magnetism can be interpreted several different ways. No one will dispute, for example, the existence of a poetic meaning to the phrase as it applies to appearance and personality traits to which every Marilyn Monroe or Elvis Presley fan will agree.

One of the first persons to express the belief that the human body possessed magnetic powers was an Austrian physician named Franz Mesmer. In 1775 he applied his theory in the treatment of the sick but today as study of his methods reveals that his 'cures" were effected more by auto-suggestion and hypnosis and that his magnetic theory was just incidental to the cure. The word "mesmerism" was coined in his honor.

In the latter part of the 19th Century it was scientifically proven that an electrical potential existed in the human body. This has actually been measured and is used today in the diagnosis of disease. Now, if there is an electrical current in the body there must be a magnetic field. But is this human magnetic field strong enough to affect the running of a watch? We checked with the Hamilton Watch Company who, in 1957, created the world's first electric watch. This watch, in which electric and magnetic power have been harnessed, marks a new era in timekeeping and qualifies Hamilton, as its creator, to speak with authority on this subject.

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## Gordon M. Lee Funeral Rites At Gainesville

Gordon Monroe Lee, 48, 1815 N. W. 7th Ave. Gainesville, retired, formerly of the state road department division of tests, passed away at Alachua General Hospital following an extended illness on May 3, at 3 p. m.

He was born March 18, 1911 in Rockmart, Georgia, son of Mrs. Gertrude Connell of Avon Park and the late Emmett Rogers Lee. He was a member of the Church of Christ and the B.O.O. Elks in Gainesville. He had lived in Gainesville for the past 19 years.

He was a graduate of the University of Florida and a member of the Alumni Association. He was with the Division of Tests for 17 years, retiring on January 1, 1959.

Funeral services will be held at the Jones Funeral Home on Thursday morning at 10:30 with Evangelist H. E. Phillips of E. University Avenue Church of Christ officiating. Burial will be at 4 p. m. in Winter Haven.

Survivors include his wife Mrs. Agnes Inman Lee; a step1 daughter, Miss Lillian Rutland of Arlington, Virginia; his mother and step-father Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas Connell Sr., of 900 North Lake Avenue, Avon Park; a half-brother, William Thomas Connell Jr., also of Avon Park; and a half-sister, Mrs. Robert Hill Fulford Sr., of 7007 S. Indian River Driver, Fort Pierce; a niece and newphew, Miss Marsha Lee Fulford and Master Robert Hill Fulford Jr.

## Winter Resident Dies In Ohio

Mrs. William Beall, Lake Letta, received a phone call Saturday telling of the death of Calvin Schwartz, of New Philadelphia, Ohio, in the Dover Hospital at Dover, Ohio, where he had been admitted earlier in the day and undergone surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Schwartz are well known in Avon Park, having been here each winter for the past thirteen years and were in their trailer home on Lake Byrd this winter, having left the first of April.

Mr. Schwartz has been employed for many years as Greens keeper at the New Philadelphia Country Club and two years during his stay in Avon Park had charge of the greens at Pinecrest Lodge. His wife, Mildred, who survives, substituted and taught school in Avon Park.

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An investigation is then made by the Post Office Department's Inspection Service. If their findings justify action to ban the material from the mails, the Department's General Counsel then issues such an order. If the sender of the obscene literature protests the Department's ruling, the matter may then be taken to the nearest United States District Court for decision.

## Welch Family Honored With Turkey Dinner

The J. F. Welch family was honored with a Farewell Mother's Day Turkey Dinner on Sunday, May 3, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Albright on Lake Blvd.

Mr. and Mrs. Welch left Monday for a vacation in Kentucky and Tennessee and their daughter, Miss Clara Bell Welch, will return home with them in three weeks for a visit within Avon Park.

Enjoying the delicious dinner and family party were Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Welch and their children, Franklin, Glenn, and Mae Frances, Mrs. Valeria Hargreaves and her son, Jack, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Albright, and their baby son, Mark.

## Art Exhibit Is Open To Public

Residents of Avon Park, the surrounding areas and communities are cordially invited to visit an Art Exhibit sponsored by the Avon Park High School Art Department in the lobby of the Jacaranda Hotel Friday evening, and Saturday.

The Exhibit will be open at 6 o'clock Friday evening and is open to the public and the entire day Saturday until 8 o'clock, in the evening. Hugh Bahar, Art Teacher of the Avon Park High School, urges all to make a point to attend and view the works of the senior and junior high students.

Besides the pupil art exhibits the Adult Education Classes of Art in Avon Park and Frostproof will have their work on display. Make plans now to stop at the Jacaranda Hotel this weekend for a view of this interesting exhibit.

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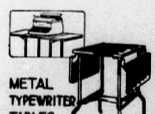
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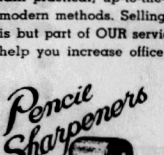

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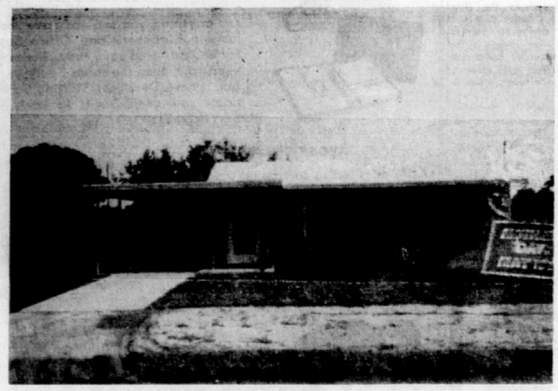
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## Betty Lou Baughan Honored At Miscellaneous Shower Monday

A miscellaneous bridal shower on Monday night, May 4, honored Miss Betty Lou Baughan, bride-elect of Lawler Wells. The delightful shower was held in the Social Hall of the First Baptist Church and seventy-five friends were present to wish the young couple well.

Pastel bouquets of mixed garden flowers gave a charming note of color to the room and the lovely honoree was presented with a corsage of white roses from the hostesses when she arrived. Two large tables covered with white cloths and tulle net adorned with dainty nosegays held the opened wedding gifts for the guests to view and the young couple received many lovely things for their new home.

In a few words each guest wrote out an answer to the question "What Do You Think of Marriage?" in the guest book for the bride-elect to keep. The answers to that ponderous question caused much merriment.

Mrs. Janet Willis and Mrs. Gloria Wooten harmonized on the lovely "Let Me Call You Sweetheart" and Mrs. Willis sang "Always". Two very witty and clever musical readings were given by Miss Elizabeth Howell accompanied by Mrs. Julia Holcombe at the piano.

Refreshments were served the guests from a beautiful table covered with a white lace cloth over green and with crystal appointments. Tall white tapers burned in the crystal candelabra and the crystal punch bowl was surrounded with fragrant white gardenias. Dainty cake squares decorated with wedding bells and cool green fruit punch were served by the Misses Clytee Coleman, Bobby Faye Arnold, and Elizabeth Howell.

The hostesses presented Miss Baughan with a lazy Susan matching her chosen china. Mrs. Harold Guerndt, Mrs. E. A. Martin, Mrs. Mozelle Arnold, Mrs. C. A. Stinson, Mrs. Ophelia Rhiner, Mrs. Daisy Nader, Mrs. Paul McFarland, Mrs. Sam Howell, Mrs. Julia Holcombe and Mrs. L. W. Wicker were hostesses for the bridal shower.

Mrs. Wooten, Mrs. Willis, and Mrs. E. Ray Wells assisted Miss Baughan in opening her lovely gifts and the bride-elect invited all her friends to her wedding in June.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Herbert A. Baughan and Lawler Wells is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Ray Wells, both families are residents of Avon Park.

## DAR Installs Officers At Chapter Meet

Mrs. Ben Hill Griffin, Sr. first chaplain of Patriots Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, was the installing officer at the Monday, May 4, meeting of the chapter in the home of Mrs. William C. Shaeffer in Sebring.

Officers installed by Mrs. Griffin for the 1959-60 year were: Mrs. Clyde C. Swihart of Avon Park, Regent; Mrs. William C. Shaeffer of Sebring, Vice Regent; Mrs. Demos Mandis of Avon Park, Chaplain; Mrs. I. H. Ford of Avon Park, Recording Secretary; Mrs. Howard G. Livingstone of Sebring, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. Robert Disher of Sebring, Treasurer; Mrs. Martin F. McGee of Sebring, Registrar; Mrs. William Lockett of Ft. Bassinger, Historian; and Mrs. Howard V. Weems of Sebring, Librarian.

Mrs. W. H. Areson, Defense Chairman, reported on the UNESCO organization and its many diversified activities throughout the world. Her talk included much valuable information from many sources and held the interest of all members.

Mrs. Frederick W. Sington of Birmingham, Ala. was welcomed as a new member to Patriots Chapter. The Monday meeting was the last meeting of the group until October and the October meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Howard Livingstone in Sebring. However the chapter will be active during the summer with several observances for important days and with school awards and projects.

Mrs. Schaeffer's spacious home was beautifully decorated with garden flowers and iced refreshments were served the members from a lovely table. Mrs. C. R. Disher and Mrs. C. Cadieu assisted Mrs. Schaeffer as co-hostesses.

## Barney Rubel Denied Lease

Barney Rubel was denied a continuing lease of Sebring Woodcraft accommodations at Sebring Air Terminal by Sebring City Council in a decision favoring Louis Martinelli as being the active head of Sebring Woodcraft. Rubel appeared before Council representing that he had formed the company, and planned to furnish more capital. The matter was referred to a committee for hearing with both men present.

## WWI Vets To Meet

World War One Veterans and their Auxiliary will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock at the Pier Building in Sebring.

## Clytee Coleman Nominated For Achievement

Miss Clytee Coleman, Avon Park High School Junior, has been nominated for the annual Achievement Awards program, sponsored by the National Council of Teachers of English.

In its second year the Awards program is being conducted throughout the nation to grant recognition to outstanding high school seniors for excellence in English. The writing abilities and literary awareness of each nominee will be judged by local state committees. The winners will be announced in January of 1960 by the Council, and the names of the Award winners will be sent to every U. S. College and University with the recommendation that these students be considered for scholarship assistance.

"There were more than 2,000 nominees for the first Awards," said J. N. Hook, Executive Secretary of the National Council of Teachers of English, "and we expect about 5,000 for this second round." Hook also asserted that the quality of writing submitted by last years winners and runner-ups was very high.

Founded in 1911 the Council is a professional, not-for-profit organization of teachers of English at all levels. Currently the circulation of the Council's five professional publications is over 51,000.

Miss Coleman is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Coleman and has been an outstanding student leader in the local high school. She has received her entire school education in the Avon Park Schools.

## Burris Name Submitted

The name of Gordon J. Burris was submitted to the Senate for confirmation as Postmaster of Sebring by President Eisenhower, as of recent date. Mr. Burris has been Acting Postmaster for approximately a year, following the term of R. N. Durrance, who retired at that time.

## Garden Club News

Founders Circle of the Avon Park Federation of Garden Clubs will hold its regular monthly meeting on Thursday morning, May 14, at 9:30 at the home of Mrs. W. J. Head with Mrs. Ernest Armstrong serving as co-hostess.

Hibiscus Circle of the Avon Park Federation of Garden Clubs will meet at the home of Mrs. Alice O. Sherman on Thursday afternoon, May 14, at 3 o'clock for its regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Jewel Delegal will assist Mrs. Sherman as co-hostess.

A film of flower arranging will be a part of the day's program.

Six members of the Avon Park Circles attended the President's Council for presidents and program chairmen of District 9 in Bartow on Friday, May 1, and the meeting was held in the Fair Buildings.

An excellent program containing much information for the use of local garden groups was presented. The District 9 Director suggested that each local unit stress Conservation, leading the lists of the State Federation of Garden Club projects this year, in their local group. Conservation heads the list of projects with Junior Gardening and Horticultural following.

Representing Founder's Circle was Mrs. B. C. Ostling and Hibiscus Circle was represented by Mrs. L. D. McGiboney, Mrs. P. C. Boney, Mrs. Ray Rutherford, Mrs. J. D. Costain, Mrs. Guy Decker and Mrs. George Kelsey. The members will report to their respective circle concerning this important meeting at the May meetings.

## Degrees Awarded By FHA And Plans Made For Picnic

Degrees of Achievement were presented to a number of hard working members of the Future Homemakers of America at their monthly meeting on Monday night, May 4, in the homemaking department.

As part of the requirements for being a member of the FHA the girls work towards achieving these degrees. A Key is given for the Junior Homemaking Degree and this is earned by learning the rules, purposes, history and showing interest in the organization as well as by working in the local chapter. The Chapter Homemaking Degree which is marked by a Scroll is earned by work in the local chapter for at least one semester, completing two semesters of homemaking courses, cooperating on FHA projects, and showing others the work of the organization by each members individual efforts.

The third or final degree is the State Degree and the local chapter at present has no members who have achieved this honor but several plan to next year. The State Degree requires a large amount of work in homemaking, school, home in homemaking, community, school, home and state service from the candidates.

An impressive candlelight ceremony saw the presentation of Junior Degrees to the following Linda Smith, Anita Luscomb, Eulora Kelly, Joyce Antley, Linda Griffin, Sally Nute, Anna Ziegler, Mary Pearce, Marilyn Graetz, Martha O'Steen, Sharon Manning and Frankie Smith. Chapter Degrees awarded to Anita Luscomb, Sally Nute and Edith Wilson.

Plans for the FHA picnic in Highlands Hammock on Monday, May 11, were discussed during the business meeting which followed. A delicious picnic supper will be furnished by Mrs. Violet Moxley, FHA Sponsor, and club members, and the group will meet at 4 o'clock at the high school and return home at 8 o'clock. Each girl may invite one person as a guest and transportation will be provided by those desiring it.

## Vacation Driving Safety Means Watch Road Signs

Driving on your vacation this year? If so, you'll see a lot of road signs. Just how well do you know them -- the "signs of life" for you and your family? Take this test and find out.

1. An eight-sided sign -- red with white lettering -- means (a) no passing, (b) step, (c) yield right-of-way.

2. Rectangular signs -- white with black (or other color) lettering state the (a) road conditions, (b) altitude, (c) law.

3. The newest of the standard traffic signs -- the triangle -- is yellow with black lettering. It means you should (a) yield right-of-way, (b) stop, (c) expect a railroad crossing ahead.

4. A round yellow sign ahead means just one thing -- you're approaching a (a) dead end, (b) school crossing, (c) railroad crossing.

5. A diamond-shaped sign tells of (a) unusual conditions ahead, (b) a roadside park, (c) a hospital zone.

Answers:

1. (b) Come to a full stop opposite any eight-sided sign, whether it's red with white lettering or yellow with black lettering. Both signs mean stop. And be sure the way's clear before proceeding.

2. (c) The signs state the law -- for example, speed limits, parking retrictions and turning and passing regulations.

3. (a) This means you're required to slow down or stop for other cars at intersections. Even if the intersection isn't marked with a yield right-of-way sign, it's smart to let the other car go ahead, the National Safety Council says. "Better to lose a right and save your life."

4. (c) According to the Council, you should always be ready to stop when approaching a railroad crossing.

5. (a) Diamond-shaped signs warn of any dangerous or unusual conditions ahead -- curves, side roads, hills, intersections, dips, bumps or school zones. Use extra caution until you've passed the danger zone, the Council warns.

"Traffic signs, signals and devices, and pavement markings," it says, "are signs of life -- your life lines. They protect you. Respect them."

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## Ridge

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in our eyes. We listen to the quiet sniffles of those in the audience and know they too are touched. We have the urge to giggle out loud at the actor who must sit perfectly quiet in the burial ground scene and who keeps trying to blow a tickling hair off his forehead.

Then we are quickly transported back to the burial ground by the words of Faye Reeds and Don Caldwell, only to suppress the urge to cry again. We contemplate on the better tone of Lamar Simpson who plays the part of a man who "has seen a pack o' trouble", a choir master who has taken to dink, and finally taken his own life.

We laugh at the disdainfully protective attitude of a brother for his kid sister, we feel the mixture of fear and reluctance and far-off happiness of those about to marry. We laugh at and yet feel a lot of sadness for the goings on of the town gossip, Myri Nell Simpson and Molly Lyman bring out the "mother feelings in all of us. And any man will be in sympathy with the problems of the fathers, played by Jack Tew and Wally Pioty.

So if you want to find something of yourself, your friends and loved ones in every scene, as only "Our Town" can bring it to you, spend an evening with us, either this Friday or Saturday night. It's only a short few miles to an evening you won't soon forget.

The Ridge Theatre Guild has been organized to bring a touch of culture to the community and pleasure to its members. You'll not only enjoy the show but you'll be amazed at the acting ability of your neighbors in Avon Park, Sebring and Lake Placid. Tickets are available at Cove Relty.

## Shaded Comfort Standard On New Oldsmobiles

Oldsmobile has assured modern motorists of additional passenger comfort by providing not only tinted but heat-resistant glass too as standard equipment on the rear window of all 1959 SceniCoupe models.

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The special heat-resistant shading is achieved by spraying a ferrous oxide on the inside of the glass during the manufacturing process. The ferrous oxide works its way into the glass during the cooling, creating a permanent shade band in the tinted glass.

Safety plate glass is used exclusively in all windows of all 1959 Oldsmobile models, regardless of the tinting or shading.

## *The Luckless Legion* by Irwin Caplan




**14,160 were killed and 937,900 injured in motor vehicle accidents on weekends in 1958.**

## Sebring Lions See World Series

Sebring Lions had box seats last week for the 1958 World Series when a film of that great event was shown at their meeting.

Dale Miller, formerly general manager of the Cleveland Indians, major league ball club, was guest of the club and had secured the color film for showing at the meeting. Lion Walter Rehman was in charge of the program.

This fine film, produced by the makers of Louisville Slugger bats and Spalding baseball equipment, presented the highlights of the hard fought seven game series played in Yankee Stadium and County Stadium at Milwaukee. Guests at the meeting included Earl Rich of Avon Park, Maurice Paige of Wauchula, Guy Collings of Bainbridge, Indiana, and Marvin Kahn of Sebring.

The first man to sell on the value of your goods is yourself.

Go To Church On Sundays

Only way to get along with some people is to get along without them.

## Rebekah Lodge Meeting Held Monday Night

Members of the Eleanor Severns Rebekah Lodge held their regular meeting Monday night with a good crowd present.

Mrs. Bertha Barker and Mrs. Lula Crawford, representative from this lodge, gave an interesting report of the events taking place at the Rebekah Assembly of Florida, which was held in Ft. Myers.

Others attending the Assembly from this lodge were Mrs. Helen Harris, Mrs. Bertha Kelley and Mrs. Cora Wray.

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# PERSONAL NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. Jessie Lee and daughters Barbara, Erie Lou, and Art Kelley, Mrs. Jim Luxton and her cousin Garfield Smith of Canada, spent Sunday in Bradenton the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Houze. After a picnic dinner they drove to Anna Marie Beach where they all enjoyed a swim in the gulf.

Guests of Dr. and Mrs. John Kraeer and John, Jr., this week were their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Faber of Springfield, Ohio. The Fabers spent the six winter months at Riveria Beach and returned home after their visit in Avon Park.

Mrs. Beatrice Hughes of Lakeland spent last weekend visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Tyson, and her granddaughter, Nancie Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklyn Ward and their family had as their guests last weekend and this week Mrs. Ward's brother and sister-in-law and their two children of Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shuman of Springfield, Ohio, were also guests of Dr. and Mrs. John Kruse last weekend. The Kruse family were former residents of Ohio and have been fortunate to have many of their friends and relatives visit them in Avon Park.

Remember to bring your rummage to the Helping Hand for Mrs. T. O. Martin to sell for the benefit of the new youth center building.

Bill Pardee of Ft. Campbell, Ky., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Pardee at their home on Lake Lotela on a leave from his army post.

Airman Buddy Harrison, son of Police Chief and Mrs. Leland Harrison, left Sunday for Cheyenne, Wyoming, where he will be stationed at the Air Base there.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tondee of Georgia were the guests of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Tondee, last week. The Frank Tondees had also been visiting their son and his family in Canal Point.

Mrs. Jack Hutchinson and her children, Donna Sue, Pep, Betty, Jackie and Carol returned home Sunday night after attending the Annual Florida State University Circus in Tallahassee last weekend. They also visited with their daughter and sister, Miss Judy Pounds, who is a freshman at FSU and Donna had the added fun of staying in the dormitory with Judy.

Mrs. G. L. Townsend, Miss Vivian McKenzie and Erskine Northrup visited Mrs. Northrup in the Morrell Hospital in Lakeland on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stevens left Monday for their home in Luddington, Michigan, where they will spend the summer months and return again to Lake Anoka for another winter here next fall. They planned trips with friends and relatives in New Jersey and Chicago on the trip north.

Miss Mary Ann Wolverston has returned to Nurses' Training in the Orange Memorial Hospital after having just spent a month's vacation with her mother, Mrs. Dorrett Wolverston and visiting other relatives here.

Judge and Mrs. J. E. O'Neill who spent the winter months on Lake Anoka left Monday for their summer home in Dodgeville, Wisconsin. They plan to return next fall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thomason, winter residents, will leave this week with their daughter for a return trip to their home in Blue Ridge, Ga.

Gen. and Mrs. Charles Dissenger and Mrs. Mary Ellenberger left last week for their mountain home in their beautiful Wayah Valley near Franklin, N. C. They plan to be gone for an extended visit to this lovely mountain site.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Heim spent last weekend visiting his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heim, and their children in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hayes, Sr. of Springfield, Ill., have purchased the John Vanbrick home on Lake Anoka Beach and plan to return next fall and become permanent residents of Avon Park.

Sunday before last the Jack Hutchinson family enjoyed a delightful family trip to Gasprilla Island and Boca Grande. They picnicked and explored this famous old island with all having a wonderful day. Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson and their children, Donna, Pep, Betty, Jackie and Carol made the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Jennington of Salem, Va. have purchased a lakefront lot on Lake Tulane and plan to build a permanent home there next fall. A very interesting note about the Bennington is that he helped build the Jacaranda Hotel in 1926 and they both loved the beauty of friendliness of Avon Park and promised themselves then that when they retired they would come here to live. Now their dream is coming true and our community is happy to welcome them.

Dr. and Mrs. B. C. Ostling attended the Florida Medical Meeting in Miami on Saturday and Sunday. They saw former residents, Dr. and Mrs. Lorant Forizs now of Tarpon Springs and enjoyed a visit with them while away.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. DeLaney and their children, Karen, Tim and Alan, spent the weekend with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wells and their children, Mike, Sherry and Kim, former residents at their new home in St. Petersburg. On Sunday the group enjoyed deepsea exploring and picnicing around Mullet Key in the large boat which the Floyd Wells have recently gotten.

Mr. and Mrs. Dare W. Allen of Brattleboro, Vt. have purchased a lot on East State Street and plan to build a new home when they return this fall.

Jack DeLaney was the guest of honor at a birthday celebration at his home on Sunday, May. 3. After a delicious dinner Jack was surprised with a red and white birthday cake holding several candles. Helping Jack celebrate this important day were Mayor and Mrs. E. A. DeLaney, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. DeLaney, Jr. and their sons, Herbie, Dale and Chris, Mr. and Mrs. Thevenow DeLaney and her son, Pat, Mrs. Jack DeLaney and Tura and Eddie DeLaney, Hattie Leighton and Louis Wainwright.




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## Brownie Scout News

The mothers of Brownie Troop 4 will be entertained with a Mother's Day Tea on Saturday afternoon, May 9, in the Palm Room of the Jacaranda Hotel from 2 until 3:30 o'clock. The Brownies of the troop will be the hostesses and the girls have planned surprises and entertainment for their mothers. Each girl had taken part in the planning and the whole troop is eagerly looking forward to the occasion. All mothers are urged to make this important date with their third grade daughters. Mrs. Bill Meyer served refreshments to the girls after they completed their Mother's Day surprises.

Troop 6 for the second grade Brownies met on Wednesday afternoon for its weekly meeting and the girls continued work on their scrapbook projects with the help of their leaders, Mrs. Hazel Townsend and Mrs. Audrey Bennett. Plans were made for a Mother's Day surprise during the meeting also. Mrs. N. H. Booth served the girls refreshments.

Troops 2 and 5 of the Brownies enjoyed a visit to the Avon Park Sun at their meeting on Tuesday, April 27. The fourth grade girls and their leaders, Mrs. Ruth Felknor and Mrs. Edna Gentry were given a royal welcome at the newspaper and shown all the machines and office equipment necessary for printing a newspaper. The Brownies were especially impressed with the folding and cutting machines and all were delighted when the printer's made them lead casts saying Troop 2 and Troop 5. Mrs. Hue Nunnallee served the girls refreshments after their exciting visit.

Troops 2 and 5 are looking forward to their "Flying Up" ceremonies on the last Thursday in May when they will become Girl Scouts. Troop 3 of the Girl Scouts will conduct the ceremonies and entertained the girls. A surprise Mother's Day gift is also planned by the troops.

If the sun moved closer to the earth we could save a lot of coal.

Go To Church On Sundays

## Births

WALKER MEMORIAL

To Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. Bennett of Avon Park, a daughter, Donna Geneva, born on April 28. Birth weight 6 pounds 14 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Grady R. Johnson of Frostproof, a daughter, Jeanne, born on April 27. Birth weight 6 pounds.

To Mr. and Mrs. John C. Freeland of Sebring, a son, Robert Frederick, born on April 29. Birth weight 10 pounds 8 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Nolan A. McByrer of Venice, a son, Jimmie Lee, born on May 2. Birth weight 6 pounds 11 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. James M. Andrews of Sebring, a son, Thomas Wilson, born on May 2. Birth weight 8 pounds 15 ounces.

## Chit - Chat

By Pearl Yeager

The Pleasure of Working — third on the Christmas Card list of things to be Remembered! About this, I could write reams!

So many folks speak of work as a hated thing, as something they would be so happy not to have to do, as something it would be Heaven to be without. Sometimes it may be just because they are tired, temporarily, or because they are doing work unsuited to their temperaments or skills; maybe sometimes it is just because they are lazy.

But, whatever the reason - they know not whereof they speak! What is the reason for living, with nothing to accomplish? What compares with the satisfaction of a job well done - any kind of a job, from digging a Good ditch or sweeping a Clean street to designing a beautiful building or interpreting the Law of the Land.

What happens to people when they no longer have the incentive and the challenge and the stimulation of work? Look around you! Who are sluggish and fat, uninteresting and uninspired? Those without work.

Not those with hobbies, which are play because of intense interest, but synonymous with work, just the same! Not those with dependents who demand a loving service, given with no thought of selfish compensation!

And when does one begin to stop living and start dying? When no absorbing work enlivens the days, creating a real fatigue, making the night a time of needed rest; when the weeks go by in deadly monotony and a routine develops into a rut; when the chief item of thought is one's comfortable self, expending the least effort possible - Life passes by unheeded and mental death takes over. Please God, never let that happen to Me!

Dr. H. A. Baughan will enter Walker Memorial Hospital in Avon Park, Fla. on Tuesday, May 12 to unddergo major abdominal surgery. It is expected hat he will be out of his dental office until the later part of July.

## Awards Received By Cub Scouts At Pack Meeting

"Down on the Farm" was the theme of the original skits presented by the Cub Scouts at their monthly pack meeting Thursday in the Elementary Cafetorium for the entertainment of the large group of parents, families and friends.

The Rev. John Pickens led the group in a number of gay songs and then awards were presented to the Cubs who had earned them. Den 1 Cubs receiving awards were Mike Nolin, Silver Arrow: Chuck Warrington, two Silver Arrows; Robert Crews, Bob Cat and Den Cubs were John Mason, 1 year pin; John Townsend, 1 year pin and Bobby Rush, 1 gold Arrow and 2 Silver Arrows.

A special guest at the meeting was Cub Gary Moore of Pennslyvania who came with his grandfather, Rev. Pickens. Den mothers are: Den 1 - Mrs. Charles Warrington and Mrs. Bill Bennett, Den 2 - Mrs. Betty Walton; Mrs. Stuart Ward, Den 3; and Den 4, Mrs. Thomas Capell.

Den 4 won the attendance banner for having the greatest number of parents, friends, and family present on Thursday night.

Two types of pre-fabricated bird house for large and small birds were given each den by John Townsend. Bennett and Mosely and Bagwell Lumber donated the lumber and the Cubs will enjoy putting them together for use by the feathered friends of the community.

The gay skits concluded the meeting and Cubmaster Barben mentioned plans for the next meeting in May. Den 3 presented a very clever skit on Canada, The Land of the Mounties with, authentic costumes and an exciting theme. Den 1, using "Down on the Farm" as their theme gave a real country square dance complete with costumes and lovely farm ladies. In their skit the Cubs of Den 2 were dressed as farm animals and gave an amasing skit from the animals viewpoint. Den 4 Scouts planted a vegetable garden, which after a through watering, sprouted (Cub dressed in appropriate costumes). All friends and interested parties are cordially invited to spend an evening with the Avon Park Cub Scouts on the last Thursday of each month.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to all those who in any way helped to lighten our burden at the time of the loss of our loved one. Especially do we wish to thank those who sent cards and flowers.

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## Avon Park Lakes News

The Women's Group met last Thursday with 12 present. The afternoon was spent in playing shuffleboard and cards. Mrs. Norman Cook was hostess.

The following roads in Unit 4 have been hard surfaced: Avon Blvd., Ponderosa and Logan, and park area smoothed. Other roads recently surfaced are: Highlands Blvd., Slemsen, Geneva, Unicorn, Foxglove, Tanager, Rosedale and Wisteria.

Mr. and Mrs. Osgood Lee left for Jessup, Ga. last week, due to the death of a niece.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Edmundson had as guests, Mrs. Edmundson's sister, Mrs. James Tyree and children, of Miami. Mr. and Mrs. Tyree have now moved to Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ackerman of Fort Lauderdale, visited over the weekend with Mrs. Ackerman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Barlow.

## Funeral Service For Culverhouse Child Held Fri.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon for Michael Edward Culverhouse, two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Culverhouse.

Services were held at the Muzelle Chapel with Kenneth A. Wright, pastor of the Walker Memorial Church officiating, assisted by Elder Herman Ray, chaplain at Walker Memorial Hospital.

The child passed away early Thursday morning at a Winter Haven Hospital. Wednesday evening he was enjoying his evening meal and while laughing he choked and went into a convulsion from which he never recovered.

Besides his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Culverhouse, he is survived by a twin brother Charles Edmund "Chuckie"; a sister Melinda, and another brother Bobby; his grandmothers Mrs. Hazel Seeley of Avon Park and Mrs. Culverhouse of Sebring; aunts, uncles cousins, and a host of friends.

Pallbearers were all uncles, they were: L. S. Seeley of Sebring, J. E. Seeley of Jacksonville, E. C. Culverhouse of Sebring and Dr. G. V. Fuller of Macon, Georgia.


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## Boy Scout News

Troop 186 of the Avon Park Boy Scouts sponsored by the American Legion is in the process of making plans for a camp-out which will last one week when school is out. The boys have been making detailed plans for the trip at their last few meetings and several adults have been secured to accompany them. More adults are needed however and volunteers will be appreciated. A full program of camp activities is being laid out by the Scouts.

A Board of Review was held at a recent meeting and Scout Billy Miracle went before the Board for his Citizenship in the Home Merit Badge.

Troop 187 sponsored by the Rotary Club held a camp-out on Arbuckle Creek on Friday night, May 1, with sixteen Scouts and Scoutmaster Bill Thompson taking part. The boys left Friday afternoon and made camp on Arbuckle. Swimming tests were then held with a number of Scouts passing various swimming merit badge requirements.

Under the direction of Scoutmaster Thompson the boys cooked all their food and were happy to report it was delicious. Part of their program was a through cleaning of all equipment before returning home on Saturday. Campfire ceremonies were held that evening and fishing, swimming, games, and campcraft were on the program for Saturday morning. The Scouts returned home late Saturday afternoon.


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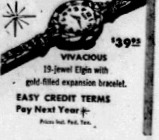
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## Decorator's Digest

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**Which is more important—Fashion or Style?**

These two terms do not mean the same thing, and should not be used interchangeably. We often say, "This is the latest style," when we really mean, "This is the latest fashion."

Fashions should be referred to as a fad—a changing thing which comes and goes with the seasons. The popularity of a fashion is determined by our own whim, or our desire for "something new and different."

Style refers to an established design. It has a lasting quality which has been tried and retried, and which has withstood the test of time. A woman may be dressed in the latest fashion, but this may be a poor choice for her own individual figure or her established way of life, and consequently places her in a "look-of-style" category.

Style in home-furnishings, as in anything, consists of good design, excellent materials, and fine craftsmanship. Furniture styles which have been cherished by generations of home-makers are beautiful designs, crafted by excellent artisans from fine hardwoods. Their beauty has been enhanced by the advance of time. The patina of the beautiful hardwoods used by the creators of these cherished heirlooms has become more beautiful with each passing year. These pieces are and always will be in great demand by astute home-makers.

Many of the beautifully designed, finely crafted pieces being made today will assume a place of honor in tomorrow's households. Some of today's fashions will become tomorrow's styles. Our legacy for future generations depends on our awareness of and demand for fine-woods, fine designs, and fine craftsmanship.

Send 10 cents for booklet "Know Your Hardwoods" to Decorator's Digest c/o this newspaper.

## More About Extinct Birds

By Bird Woman

We wrote recently about the Passenger Pigeon which is now extinct, owing to the carelessness and the ruthlessness of the white man, and his uncontrollable greed, when he came to this country and found such an abundance of the birds.

And like so many of our wild life and natural resources, it never occurs to many, that there will be a tomorrow, and other generations will like to enjoy the beauties of the wild and have the natural resources at their disposal, for their pleasure and their necessities. And that when these resources are gone they can never be replaced.

Now we would like to consider a bird that was a native to our state, and also to the Carolinas, the Carolina Parakquet, or as we commonly spell it Parakeet. This bird was also abundant, and again history repeats itself and it seems that this word GREED is the only adequet was of expressing why this beautiful bird is now extinct.

This parakeet was a vivid green with bright yellow head and neck, and there was red on their faces and around their eyes, little touches of yellow along their wings, showed that a perfect artist had used his perfect touch in planning these beautiful birds of the wild.

These lovely birds soared in flocks among our groves and woods and they made an unforgettable sight, they were the same type of bird that we see tamed or caged today, but what we see today are not native birds, that is they did not descend from the Carolina Parakeet, but were brought over some years ago from Cuba or the Keys, and as they were so easily propogated, the country is now over run with them in cages.

But it is unlawful to import them now, as they belong to the Parrot family and are subject to Parrot fever, occassionally we read where parties have been caught importing, or rather smuggling them into the country, but the heavy penalty for this does not encourage the traffic, and the small profit does not compensate for the risk of being apprehended.

No doubt the Indians used a certain amount of them for food, before the white man took over and drove them to the swamps, and everglades or sent them west to reservations, but as with other game, they killed for food and not for profit, for they seemed to live so much closer to nature than the white man did, and have a keener insight to nature, and realized that if they killed too much of the game, that in a short time they would not have food at all, so their hunting was mostly done from day to day.

The Carolina Parakeet had one trait, that we would admire in the human race, but is often lacking, and this trait was loyalty to others of the flock, for if one of their number was killed or hurt and fell to the ground the rest of the flock would drop to the ground around it and seem to try to help it so it could continue with the flock.

This virtue became the undoing of this faithful bird, for unscrupulous hunters would take advantage of it and wipe out the whole flock.

We have an autographed book by an ornithologist who in the earlier days knew as much about the wild life of florida as any living man. He tramped the woods of the state to observe, not to kill, and he affirms what many others have said that the last of these birds known to be alive died in northern Florida in 1904.

One man records that he hunted the parakeet for the millinery trade, and he would have as many as five hundred skins at one time ready to ship, and for these he received the magnificent amount of ten cents each.

We have been asked if it were not possible for the wild parokeet to get a start in the state again? As so many escape from their cages, and it is a very unusual thing to find one of them again, or have them to return to their homes.

But this does not seem plausible, as the food they are accustomed to eating cannot be found in the wild, and they will soon starve unless they fortunately hear the calls of other caged birds and come to them, we have had that experience when we had our birds outside, but when we caught them they were usually so starved and exhausted that if we could revive them at all, they never got back to normal.

The native parakeets fed chiefly on wild fruits, figs and berries which at that time was plentiful, before the timbers were cleared off, but now would be very scarce.

So let us chalk up the PARROQUET, as the second reason that people are so concerned about birds, and their protection. We often see on T.V. pictures of people jubilantly showing long strings of fish that they have caught, and we wonder what they are going to do with all of them, surely their family cannot use all of them, and we don't believe they have that many friends to give them to, and we can't help but think what a useless waste, just to be able to brag how many they have caught.

It that is sportmanship, it's a different slant to it than we have been able to comprehend.

So if any one feels happier that they have helped exterminate a whole specie of useful and beautiful wild life of any kind, we would suggest that they be "exposed" to a Psychiatrist, and by the time they had worn the pad on his couch thin, at least the relaxation might make them see things in a different light.

The Bible says that not even a sparrow falls without the Father knowing it, but we brazenly wipe out a whole specie that the wonderful Creator has put here for our use and enjoyment, and seem to think nothing of it.

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Moves are now underway for large annexation programs in a number of Florida cities including Jacksonville and Daytona Beach.

## Mary K. Kuhn In Navy At Lakehurst, N. J.

Wave Mary K. Kuhn, airman apprentice, USN, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Kuhn of Camp Wignmann, Avon Park, Fla., is scheduled to graduate June 19 from the 13-week Aerographer's Mate School at the Naval Air Technical Training Unit, Lakehurst, N. J.

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| DESCRIPTION OF LAND | Section | Township | Range | Acreage | NAME OF OWNER | Amount of Taxes and Costs |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| TOWN OF PABOR COLONY SUB-DIVISION An appox. 1 acre tract out of NE cor. of Lot 1 Hi 36-foliy deed in DB. 145 pg 600 | 8 | 35 | 28 | 2 | Hillside Nursery | 19.11 |
| UNIT NO. 1 LAKE LILCAN Lot 21, Blk. 53 | 8&9 | 35 | 28 | | Ina Preuss | 7.31 |
| Lot 20, Blk. 53 | | | | | Edith B. Townley | 7.31 |
| Lot 7 & 8, Hi. 55 | | | | | Avon Homes, Inc. | 12.70 |
| Lot 1, 2, 3, Hi. 6 | | | | | Joseph Valentine | 0.46 |
| AVON PARKS LAKES UNIT 12 Lots 5 blk 4 6641 | 7 | 33 | 28 | | Wm. Bushelf | 4.06 |
| Lots 6417 & 6420 | 7 | 33 | 28 | | Mamie Moore | 4.31 |
| UNIT 32 Lots 10692 & 10693 | 6 | 33 | 28 | | Robert W. Mellow | 4.31 |
| REID HILL FARMS RESUB Lot 4, Hi. 36 | 18 | 33 | 28 | | M. L. House Estate | 2.21 |
| TOWN OF AVON PARK Lot 1 | 15 | 33 | 28 | 10 | | |
| OAK PARK SUB Lot 9, Hi. 14 | 20 | 33 | 28 | | Edward Hutchings | 1.75 |
| Lot 10, Hi. 14 | | | | | Edward Hutchings | 1.75 |
| SUB. OF LOTS 5-7-8 Block 3 | 21 | 33 | 28 | | | |
| Parcel in Sweet Home | | | | | Betty Ruth Bell | 160.28 |
| TOWN OF AVON PARK Lot 3 between RR's | 22 | 33 | 28 | | Charles W. Gilliard | 53.60 |
| H. B. SMITH SUB. S. 80 ft. Lot 15, Hi. 18 | 22 | 33 | 28 | | Messrs. Todd & Austley, Trustees | 9.11 |
| Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, Hi. 19, 11, 14, 15, Hi. 19 | 22 | 33 | 28 | | James & Rosa M. Ward | 3.49 |
| Lots 2 &3, Hi. 61 | | | | | | |
| Lot 10, Hi. 17 | | | | | Mrs. Harriet Ottley | 3.31 |
| FLUMERFELT SUB. Lot 3, Hi. 1 | 23 | 33 | 28 | | Betty J. Smith | 141.68 |
| Lot 2 of Lot 2 of Lot 13, Hi. | | | | | Dorothy Fields | 94.76 |
| TOWN OF AVON PARK W. 56 ft. of S. 100 ft. of Lot 14, Block 3 | 23 | 33 | 28 | | Ruley Murphy, Jr. | 3.46 |
| W½ of Lot 14, Hi. 3 | | | | | W. P. Thomas | 3.71 |
| | | | | | Mildred Basemore & Verna Bevels | 4.17 |
| | | | | | County Line Groves, Inc. | 56.72 |
| Lot 8 | | | | | Minnie Linnis | 28.44 |
| SKIPPER & LANIER SUB. E. 156 ft. of S½ of Lot 7 | 26 | 33 | 28 | | W. R. & Elijah J. Downs | 13.24 |
| PALMCO HEIGHTS Lots 1, 2, 9, 15, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, Hi. 8 | 26 | 33 | 28 | | | |
| WASHINGTON PARK RE-S. Lots 11, 13, 14, Hi. 8 | 26 | 33 | 28 | | The Blitch Co., Inc. | 24.87 |
| ASA LEWIS SUB. Lot 3, Hi. 8 | 26 | 33 | 28 | | Mrs. Gertrude R. Baker | 8.28 |
| | | | | | Pearl Bankhight Estate | 24.37 |
| MARSH SUB. Lot 24, Hi. 8 | 26 | 33 | 28 | | Edna Mae Harvey | 1.33 |
| HATCHELLS SUB. N½ of Lot 8, Bl. 2 | 26 | 33 | 28 | | Rowena M. Morrison | 1.55 |
| S½ of Lot 8, Bl. 2 | | | | | Harry & Lois Sims | 2.61 |
| S. 54 ft. Lot 10, Bl. 2 | | | | | Neal Caswell, Jr. | 3.46 |
| Lot 4, Hi. 5 | | | | | Unknown | 14.98 |
| Lot 26, Hi. 6 | | | | | Lillie Mae Brodus | 3.60 |
| S. 45 ft. Lot 8, Hi. 8 | | | | | Jettice J. Ivey, Estate | 15.83 |
| PRICE & GOR. HAMS SUB. Lot 8, Bl. A | 27 | 33 | 28 | | Frank M. Simons | 5.60 |
| Lot 5-7 inc. Bl. C | | | | | Carrol White | 17.56 |
| W 3/5 of Lot 4 & E 16⅔ ft. of Lot 5, Block F | | | | | Touchton Trust | 15.98 |
| MARSH RESUB. Lot 9, Hi. 1 | 27 | 33 | 28 | | Clara C. Moses | 1.55 |
| Lots 10 & 11, Hi. G | | | | | L. S. & Grace Pickett | 3.89 |
| ADD. TO MARSH SUB. Lot 1, Bl. D, N. 25 ft. | 27 | 33 | 28 | | Florence Moses | 1.23 |
| Lot 9, Bl. D | | | | | Dane & Merlies Evans | 3.46 |
| OAK RIDGE SUB. SECTION A Lots 5 & 7 to 12 Inc. Block 2 | 29 | 33 | 28 | | J. F. Cherry Estate | 2.69 |
| Lot 5, Bl. 21 | | | | | J. F. Cherry Estate | 1.75 |
| Lots 15-24 inc. Block 28 | | | | | J. F. Cherry Estate | 2.69 |
| PARDEES SUB.— Lots 1 to 4 inc. | 35 | 33 | 28 | | W. L. & Ruby Phillips | 7.49 |
| LAKE SEBRING Lots 1 to 27, Bl. A | 34 | 33 | | | | 56.27 |
| Lots 1-5, inc. Bl. B | | | | | I. T. M. Inc. | 56.27 |
| Lots 1-24 inc. Bl. C | | | | | I. T. M. Inc. | 77.69 |
| LAKE JACKSON BLVD. SUB. | 31 | 34 | 28 | | F. P. & Ann C. Cheatie | 22.73 |
| RECREATION PARK | 36 | 34 | 28 | | A. G. Graves | 2.46 |
| Lot 24, Bl. 218 | | | | | | |
| COUNTRY CLUB ADD. Lots 7 & 8, Bl. AA | 31 | 34 | 29 | | Harrietta K. stiles | 7.81 |
| Lots 25 & 26, Bl. AA | | | | | Lydia E. Kennedy | 24.96 |
| S½ of NE ¼ Lot 6 | 29 | 33 | 28 | | Edwin C. Thompson Estate | 14.13 |
| RIDGE GABLES Lot 7, Bl. 7 | 29 | 33 | 29 | | Hiram S. Becker | 1.75 |
| Lot 8, Bl. 7 | | | | | | |
| LAKE LETTA ESTATES Lot 7, Bl. 31 | 31 | 33 | 29 | | E. J. Wood, Jr. & Ruth Wood | 2.61 |
| Lots 3 & 4, Bl. 5 | | | | | E. J. Wood, Jr. & Ruth Wood | 9.44 |
| SEBRING GARDENS Lot 4, Bl. 14 | 18 | 34 | 29 | | Georgia Hylnop Estate | 2.69 |
| LAKEVIEW PLACE SUB. Lot 23 & S. 25 ft. Lot 24, Bl. 111 | 20 | 34 | 29 | | Harry Taylor | 4.42 |
| Lot 6, Bl. 131 | | | | | Roger C. & Edna Snell | 4.36 |
| IND ADD. TO COLORED SCHOOL ADD. Lot 23, Bl. 859 | 20 | 34 | 29 | | Charles McKinney | 24.87 |
| LINCOLN HEIGHTS SUB. Lot 28 | 21 | 34 | 29 | | Mellie Mae Brantley | 1.33 |
| Lot 31 | | | | | Bennie Peanford | 1.56 |
| WASHINGTON HEIGHTS SUB. Lots 12 & 13, Bl. 236 | 21 | 34 | 29 | | Katie Barr | 2.78 |
| Lot 17, Bl. 286 | | | | | Edmund Henry | 25.38 |
| Lot 29, Bl. 297 | | | | | Edmond Henry | 25.38 |
| HILLCREST HEIGHTS SUBDIVISION Lot 11, Bl. 468 | 21 | 34 | 29 | | Jennie Evans | 2.61 |
| Lot 22, Bl. 415 | | | | | Simons & Al J. Bass | 5.37 |
| Lots 8 & 9, Bl. 414 | | | | | Jim & Minnie Farrell | 4.31 |
| Lot 11, Bl. 415 | | | | | J. W. & Arlie L. Morris | 2.61 |
| Lot 5, Bl. 417 | | | | | J. W. Walter Inc. | 25.99 |
| Lot 6, Bl. 417 | | | | | Mid-State Investment | 85.05 |
| HIGHLAND VIEW SUB. Lot 2, Bl. 1 Inc. Block 1029 | 21 | 34 | 29 | | Ida G. Kerney Wilson | 3.34 |
| TOWN OF SEBRING N½ Lot 4, Bl. A | 28 | 34 | 29 | | Mid. State Investment Corp | 85.05 |
| Lot 11, Bl. 32 | | | | | H. A. Wilkinson | 2.39 |
| Lot 7, Bl. 39 | | | | | H. G. Culpepper | 2.41 |
| TOWN OF SEBRING 7TH ADDITION Lots 5-15-16, Bl. C | 25 | 34 | 29 | | Edmond Henry | 6.39 |
| Lot 5, Bl. G | | | | | Frances McCrary | 1.56 |
| Lot 15, Bl. F | | | | | Henry W. Fancher | 159.21 |
| Lot 16, Bl. F | | | | | Earl & Dorothy Brown | 43.57 |
| Lot 9, Bl. H | | | | | S. T. & Mildred Berry | 1.56 |
| BUENA VISTA MANOR Lots 8, 9, 12, 13, 14, Block 421 | 33 | 34 | 29 | | Emma Schroeder | 12.85 |
| Lots 5-12 inc., Bl. 422 | | | | | Emma Schroeder | 5.44 |
| GOLF VIEW SUB. Lots 1, 2 & 3, Bl. 228 | 33 | 34 | 29 | | A. D. Young | 89.25 |
| ALTAMONT PLACE ADD. Lot 3, Bl. 286 | 33 | 34 | 29 | | Fenna Schroeder | 4.82 |
| JONESVILLE SUB. Lot 2, Bl. 4 RD 45, page 294 | 3 | 35 | 29 | | Charlie Campbell | 4.34 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| OAKLAND SUB. Lots 4, 5, 6, 14, 15, 16, Block 3 | 3 | 35 | 29 | | R. E. Womack | 14.77 |
| Lot 17, Bl. 3 | | | | | Mrs. Hough | 1.71 |
| HIGHWAY ACRES SUB. Lot 4, Bl. 2 | 5 | 35 | 29 | | Milton A. Addison | 82.69 |
| FLAMINGO GARDENS Lot 2, Bl. | 17 | 35 | 29 | | John McDonald | 2.53 |
| Lots 23, 24, Bl. 7 | | | | | Christel Miesner | 6.14 |
| Lot 18, Bl. 10 | | | | | Clarence Goudie | 3.60 |
| FLAMINGO ESTATES Lot 19, Bl. 16 | | | | | Hilda Herst | 2.53 |
| CARVA HILLS SUB. Lot 14, Bl. 218 | 15 | 35 | 29 | | Arch Gardner | 2.56 |
| Lot 5, Bl. 222 | | | | | Miss Catherine Bell | 2.53 |
| Lots 5-14, Bl. 225 | | | | | George D. Davis | 14.86 |
| Lot 12, Bl. 225 | | | | | Mrs. Ethel O. Reynolds | 2.53 |
| DESOTO CITY 2ND SUB. Lots 1 to 5 Inc. Bl. 9 | 19&15 | 35 | 29 | | Adam Alexander | 61.88 |
| Lots 11 & 12, Bl. 12 | | | | | Katherine G. Barton | 4.14 |
| Lots 1 & 2, Bl. 19 | | | | | Annie Ruth Shaw | 10.80 |
| Lot 16, Bl. 19A | | | | | M. Landy | 2.53 |
| E. 2.9 of Lot 8, All Lots 4 & 5 & W. 1/3 lot 6, Bl. 27 | | | | | Katherine G. Barton | 7.98 |
| Lot 21, Bl. 83 | | | | | Zomala Carpenter | 19.13 |
| Lots 4 & 5, Bl. 85 | | | | | Willie Beckham | 10.02 |
| Lots 11, 10, 88 | | | | | Oliver Wright | 2.53 |
| All Irreg. Tract out of Bl. of SW¼ | 15 | 36 | 29 | | Mrs. C. E. Gause | 12.49 |
| A Tract Approx. 40 x 165 ft. out of NW¼ Rec. Road | 26 | 36 | 29 | | R. E. Barnes, et al | 17.74 |
| A Tract out of Hubbard Drive. Sec. deed | 26 | 36 | 29 | | R. A. DeVille | 9.28 |
| UNIT NO. 1 LAKE GROVES RESUB. Lots 4, 5, Bl. 2 | | | | | W. A. Prescott | 1.73 |
| Lot 34, Bl. 4 | | | | | Orpha Sanford | 1.33 |
| Lot 52, Bl. 4 | | | | | J. F. Miller | 1.33 |
| Lots 54 & 55, Bl. 6 | | | | | W. I. Bostwick | 1.33 |
| Lot 23, Bl. 7 | | | | | Mary Goodall Estate | 1.33 |
| Lot 24, Bl. 7 | | | | | Rick Rafferty | 1.33 |
| Lot 13, Bl. 15 | | | | | Mrs. Annette Doerzas | 1.33 |
| Lot 14, Bl. 15 | | | | | R. L. Metzger | 1.33 |
| LAKE GROVES SUB. Lot 12, Bl. 16, 17, 22 | | | | | James O. Waldron | 1.33 |
| Lot 21, Bl. 17 | | | | | Effie Weeks | 1.33 |
| Lots 3 & 4, Bl. 18 | | | | | Bobby J. Peters | 1.33 |
| LAKE GROVES RESUB. Lots 1, 2, Bl. 6 | | | | | J. E. Hathaway, Jr. | 18.91 |
| Lots 26 & 27, Less E½ of E½ & Lots 28, 29, Bl. 6 | | | | | J. E. Hathaway, Jr. | 162.98 |
| LAKE SEBRING HEIGHTS W½ of Lot 7 & 101 E½ of SE¼ of NE¼ | 1 | 37 | 29 | | R. H. Reno, Jr. | 21.25 |
| N½ of RR½ & SE¼ of RR½ & SW¼ of SE¼ | 17 | 35 | 29 | 5 | Horace Barwick Estate | 2.24 |
| VENUS PALM HEIGHTS Lots 23, 24, Bl. 5 | 18 | 39 | 29 | 160 | W. F. Eisenlaub | 27.85 |
| VENUS BAYVIEW Lots 33 to 39, Bl. 4 | 24 | 39 | 29 | | Mrs. Fred Parker | 1.73 |
| Lots 13, Bl. 5 | 26 | 35 | 29 | | E. A. Hamilton Estate | 1.81 |
| Lots 36-42, Bl. 5 | | | | | Fannie Haile | 1.81 |
| VENUS MANOR SUB. Lots 10, Bl. 12 | | | | | Mollie Johnson | 2.61 |
| HIGHLANDS PARK, SEC. D Lot 19, Bl. 8 | 33 | 36 | 30 | | Otis Whitehurst | 1.73 |
| Lots 10 & 11, Bl. 29 | | | | | John A. Heppler | 3.45 |
| HIGHLANDS PARK, SEC. C Lot 29, Bl. 18 | | | | | Velta Mandeville | 5.39 |
| Lots 13 & 14, Bl. 29 | | | | | Major R. E. Barch | 5.15 |
| HIGHLANDS PARK, SEC. R Lot 16, Bl. 2 | | | | | Rose A. & H. D. Zuckerman | 9.38 |
| Lots 4 thru 8 & 31, Bl. 3 | | | | | George C. Plumb | 3.45 |
| | | | | | L. G. & Olive A. Bunk | 11.57 |
| LAKE BLUE ESTATES Lot 4, Bl. 5 | 30 | 36 | 30 | | Robert C. Schwekke | 11.49 |
| S. 40 ft. of N. 80 ft. of SW¼ of NW¼, lying between RR's & W. Rec. Line | 31 | 36 | 30 | | J. F. Barwick Estate | 5.79 |
| Begin at a stake 380 ft. E. of NW cor. of SW¼ of NW¼ & run E. 84 ft. to RR R/W then SW along RR 97 ft. thence W 87 ft. thence N 35 ft. | 31 | 36 | 30 | | N. B. Cline | 17.90 |
| Begin at a stake 520 ft. South of NW cor. of SW¼ of NW¼ & run E. 84 ft. to RR, then SW along RR 120 ft., then W 8 ft. then N 225 ft. to beg. in SW¼ of NW¼ | 31 | 36 | 30 | | R. A. Allen, Sr. & Wife | 19.77 |
| LAKE GROVES RE-SUB. Lots 18 to 22 Inc. Block 1 | | | | | J. K. & W. H. Stuart | 128.10 |
| Lot 1, Bl. 2 | | | | | John Page | 47.54 |
| Lot 7, Bl. 2 | | | | | J. E. Hathaway, Jr. | 9.37 |
| Lot 11, Bl. 2 | | | | | D. W. Payne | 3.45 |
| 2ND SUB. OF HOFFMAN'S GROVE Lots 16, 18 | 6 | 37 | 30 | | Orpha L. Porter | 3.45 |
| Lots 20, 10, 22 | | | | | Bob & Laura Collier | 10.74 |
| Lots 23, 24, Bl. 1 | | | | | Mary A. Meech | 3.02 |
| J. H. DRIGGERS SUB. Lot 14, Bl. 9 | 31 | 36 | 30 | | C. Jr.& Jeannette A. Wise | 47.44 |
| All | 1 | 37 | 30 | 640 | D. C. Scott | 271.85 |
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| SMOAK BROS. ADD. Lot 21, Bl. 5 | 6 | 37 | 30 | | J. E. Hathaway, Jr. | 9.51 |
| REPLAT OF LOMA PARK Lot 5, Bl. 1 | 6 | 37 | 30 | | John L. & Mabel C. Pope | 21.85 |
| LAKE SIRENA ADD. NO. 1 Lot 17, Bl. 1 | 6 | 37 | 30 | | S. W. Williams | 2.60 |
| HOFFMAN'S LANDS ADD. Lots 4, 5, Bl. 1 | 6 | 37 | 30 | | George T. Bowers | 2.60 |
| Lots 3 & 4, Bl. 2 | 6 | 37 | 30 | | Jack R. & Blanche E. Lennon | 182.64 |
| Lots 1 thru 10, Bl. 3 | | | | | Louise Maxfield | 5.02 |
| Lots 1 thru 10, Bl. 4 | | | | | | |
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| Lots 1 thru 10, Bl. 11 | | | | | | |
| Lots 1 thru 10, Bl. 12 | | | | | | |
| PARK HOFFMAN'S HIGHWAY 2ND ADD. Lots 1, 2, Bl. 28 | 1 | 37 | 30 | | Ruther Lee Sailor | 2.60 |
| Lots 1, 16, 17, Bl. 31 | | | | | Isaac Drayton | 2.60 |
| Lots 1, 16, 17, Bl. 32 | | | | | E. D. Williams | 2.60 |
| Lots 1, 16, 17, Bl. 33 | | | | | Arthur Bullard | 2.60 |
| A tract out of NW¼ of Road 17 S of Bond Rec. Bk. 83 Page 316 Sec. Line & Tract Bounded by SAL R/W, Rd 17 & Lot 27 Less R/W | 9 | 37 | 30 | 3.83 | African Episcopal Church | 2.60 |
| LAKE RIDGE ESTATES Lot 19 & Boat Basin | 17 | 37 | 30 | | Jack R. & Blanche E. Lennon | 443.21 |
| Lot 28, Bl. 2 | 17 | 37 | 30 | | Wm. R. & Shirley Best | 18.39 |
| LAKE PLACID SHORES Lot 21 | 17 | 37 | 30 | | Lyle D & Aureta Flesher | 86.19 |
| Lots 1, 2, 150 ft. of SE¼ of NE¼ | 5 | 38 | 30 | 4.5 | Otto G. Raulerson | 3.89 |
| FLORIDA HIGHLANDS Lot 10, Bl. 1 | 1&5 | 35 | 31 | | Charles & Janet Dean | 11.76 |
| Lot 7, Bl. 1 | | | | | Edward Mangiove | 11.93 |
| Lot 8, Bl. 1 | | | | | John Morgan | 11.93 |
| Lot 4, Bl. 5 | | | | | Harrison P. Thurman | 11.93 |
| Lot 5, Bl. 5 | | | | | James Rogers | 11.93 |
| Lot 8, Bl. 8 | | | | | Wilson Guthrie | 11.76 |
| Begin at SW Cor. of SW¼ of SW¼ & Run E. 416 ft. to POB then N. 330 ft. E. 325 ft. S. 429 ft. W. 49 ft. S. 330 ft. W. 276 ft. to POB | 35 | 35 | 32 | | Jos & Evelyn Prescott | 25.19 |
| CORNWELL SUB. Lots 1 & 2, Bl. 2 | 1 | 36 | 32 | | Unknown | 1.09 |
| Lots 1, 2, Bl. 3 | | | | | | |
| Lots 1, 2 & 3, Bl. 4 | | | | | Addie M. Hart | 1.09 |
| RESUB. SEC. 1 BRIGHTON Lots 1 & 4 of S. 198 ft. of E. 330 ft. | 17 | 35 | 32 | | Jessie Sabiel | 1.09 |
| Lots 32 & 33, Tract 1 | | | | | Edward Cawston | 1.09 |
| Lots 1, 2 & 3, Tract 2 | | | | | Edward Cawston | 1.09 |
| | | | | | W. R. PERROTTI, Tax Collector, Highlands County, Fla. | |

# PERSONAL NEWS ITEMS

Dr. Curtis Sears office will be closed May 9 and 10 while he attends a two-day meeting in Orlando where he will study the latest advanced ways of correcting spinal and nerve conditions.

Dr. D. C. Hartwell, staff physician at Walker Memorial Sanitarium and Hospital, attended the Annual State Medical Convention in Miami Beach May 3-8. Mrs. Hartwell accompanied the doctor to the convention.

The Musical Shiltz's were at the Myakka City Methodist Church last Sunday night, they are returning for this Friday night. Sunday night they will be putting on a program for Rev. Jack Witt at the Homeland Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Durrah Martin and their daughter, Patsy, left Saturday to spent the weekend with their daughter and son-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. James Sizemore and their children in Marianna. They returned home on Monday.

Celebration of a double birthday for Mrs. P. O. Goff and Hugh Bahar was held on Saturday night week at Tomae's in Sebring. The room was decorated with appropriate greetings and a delicious beautiful birthday cake added to the lovely meal. Joining in the party were P. O. Goff, Mrs. Bahar, and Mr. and Mrs. Art Turner. This was the second year that the group has celebrated the birthdays together.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Coker and their son, Ray, of Lakeland, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Harrell. The familes enjoyed a fish fry on Arbuckle Creek on Saturday with a large number of relatives and friends catching and eating the delicious fish.

W. F. Wagner, retired minister of the First Christian Church of St. Petersburg, visited the local Christian Church on Sunday and enjoyed a visit with friends in Avon Park.

Mrs. Norman Todd and her son, David, and Mrs. E. G. Todd left Tuesday by plane from Tampa for Seattle, Washington. There they will visit relatives of Mrs. Norman Todd's before going on to her former home in Mission City, British Columbia, Canada, for a six weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kennedy. A special reason for the trip is the wedding of Mrs. Todd's sister, Miss Margaret Kennedy, on May 16.

Mrs. Joy O'Steen and her daughter, Martha and Sus, and Miss Betty Sue Mills, spent Saturday in Lakeland.

Mrs. Ralph Kelley spent five days last week visiting in North Miami with her friends, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thayer left Saturday for Mont. Vernon, N. H. where they will open their lovely inn, Thayer Manor, for the summer season. They plan to return to their home on Lake Angelo in the fall.

Would anyone having rummage, cloths, dishes, pots, pans, etc. to donate to the Youth Center Development Association please contact Mrs. Gladys Young. A drive for funds is now underway and any help would be appreciated. Mrs. T. O. Martin will sell the rummage for the group at the Helping Hand.


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## Lynelle Griffin And Elliott Ladrie Honored

Miss Lynelle Griffin and Mr. Elliott Ladrie were guests of honor on Tuesday evening, April 28th, at a patio supper and surprise kitchen shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Ford. Hostesses for the event were Mrs. Helen Harris, Mrs. Donald Ford and Mrs. I. H. Ford.

After a delicious fried chicken supper on the patio by the lake, the guests assembled in the Ford home where Mrs. Donald Ford directed several amusing games. Mrs. P. A. McFarland was the winner and was presented a prize.

Mr. Virgil Still, dressed as a chef, brought in the kitchen shower of gifts and in an amusing way presented them to the surprised honored couple. Following the opening of the gifts a dessert course of rainbow ice cream and cup cakes was served.

In addition to the honorees those attending the enjoyable occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Willard Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. James White, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. McFarland, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Still, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Crews and little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frazier Watford, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Antley, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly McClure, Mrs. Elizabeth Ladrie, Mrs. Oscar Bridges, Mrs. Jim Logan, Misses Linda Griffin, Mary Lois Roberts, Nancy and Fay Watford, Mr. Donald Ford and Mr. I. H. Ford.

Miss Griffin and Mr. Ladrie are to be married May 12th at the First Methodist Church of Avon Park.


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## CRACKER POLITICS

By ALLEN MORRIS

Tallahassee.—There's a new voice, crisp yet friendly, being heard nowadays in the Senate and its committees.

It's the voice of Senator Ed H. Price, Jr., who's practicing a philosophy he embraced during World War II (26 combat missions as a pilot commander): that the citizen has as much of an obligation to serve his country in peace as in war.

Price is a businessman, and a highly successful one. He's executive vice president of Tropicana Products, Inc., one of the nation's big processors and distributors of citrus. He has other interests, including the manufacture of refrigeration equipment.

There can be no suggestion of personal betterment - not even, say, the ethical advertising the lawyers may gain as legislators - from Price's representation of the 36th District (Manatee, Sarasota and Charlott"counties).

"It's trite to say, but I don't know how else to put it, that I think we have a real need in the Legislature for conscientious businessmen," observes Senator Price. "Their experience and their energies could be applied to the objective analysis and solution of the problems of the state."

Price spoke out with authority on a traffic safety measure although as a freshman he was reluctant to take the Senate floor. But, as the operating head of the company with perhaps the largest privately-owned fleet of Florida trucks in interstate commerce, he possessed first-hand knowledge of some aspects of the highway problem no other Senator had.

Ed (he was named Edgar but never called that) Price has a commanding physical presence (185 pounds, six feet) plus a Florida background which gives him an understanding of the forces involved in such political causes as legislative apportionment.

He was born in Jacksonville (on New Year's Day, 1918), lived in Williston, went to high school in Sarasota, attended the University of Florida (where he was, like so many of those governmentally prominent today, an SAE), and long ago decided the lower west coast was the place above all where he wanted to live. He resides in Bradenton, the hometown of his wife, the former Elise Ingram. They have a son, Jerald Steven.

Price's wartime resolve to give freely of his time to civic labors didn't mean starting near the top of the area ladder as a Senator. Already, to cite just a few of his grassroot activities, he has been a school trustee, housing authority chairman, Boys Club director, Red Cross chairman, blood bank director, and Salvation Army director.

Before running unopposed for the Senate last year, Price had been on the fringe of state affairs for a number of years, largely through his affiliation with the Florida Agricultural Council (executive and legislative committee) and, in another sphere, as a member of the Board of Control in 1957-58. But, he concedes, "being on the inside, as a Senator, is completely different."

He was campaign manager in his area for George Smathers, Dan McCarty and LeRoy Collins. Interestingly, campaigning for Collins pitted Price against the interests of Acting Governor Charley E. Johns, with whom he now sits in the Senate. "Charley has treated me very cordially and very decently," reports Price, with Johns helping the freshman move some of his legislation.

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Incidently, some who have been critical of Johns in the past willingly gave him full marks for the restraint he maintained during his committee's investigation of homosexuality at the University of Florida. Both John and Committee Counsel Mark Hawes are alumni of the University, and with the cooperation of the school's administration they were able to conduct an investigation that, while extremelythorough, caused no lasting harm to the institution.

In short, although the committee made no effort to gloss over the unfortunate situation that ha ddeveloped at the University, neither did it allow its investigation to deteriorate into a headline-hunting circus. Too often, legislative investigation groups tend to follow one course or the other.

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Cracker Crumbs - Don't count Public Utilities Commissioner Alan S. Boyd of Miami out of the '60 gubernatorial race. He's still analyzing his chances in a number of fields. These include (1) running for governor, secretary of state or attorney general, (2) offering for reelection to the RR&PU Commission, or (3) returning to private enterprise. He's a lawyer. What happens in the Legislature on senatorial apportionment and similar big county issues may help make up Boyd's mind, as it will that of others surveying the opportunities in running for governor or the cabinet . . . The reelection of Mayor-Commissioner Haydon Burns of Jacksonville puts him strongly in the contention for the '60 governor's race . . . E. V. Fisher, formerly of DeLand and resident here since Governor Dan McCarty named him motor vehicle commissioner, also is being mentioned as a candidate should Secretary of State R. A. Gray decide to retire . . . Charming Anne Gautier, wife of veteran Senator E. William Gautier of New Smyrna Beach, has compiled a dictionary of teenage phrases - the better to understand their 13-year-old twin daughters, Patricia and Priscilla. The phrases run from "fringed," meaning you're left out of something," to "Hydramatic personality," a "shiftless character".

## Donald Edwards To Train At Fort Jackson S. C.

Private Donald L. Edwards, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Edwards, 133 S. Prospect, Avon Park, Fla., has been assigned to Company B, 1st Battalion, 1st Training Regiment at Fort Jackson, S. C., for eight weeks of basic combat training.

Upon his arrival at Fort Jackson, he was issued clothing and given a complete physical examination and a comprehensive battery of aptitude tests to determine the Army duty assignment for which he is best fitted.

As part of his basic training he will be taught rifle marksmanship under the Army's new TRAINFIRE program. In TRAINFIRE, he will learn to use an M-1 rifle by firing at pop-up targets at varying ranges and on terrain which duplicates combat areas.

He will also be taught drill, tactics, camouflage, military courtesy, first aid and other subjects. He will learn how to throw a grenade, fire in pitch darkness, crawl under barbed wire with machine gun fire overhead, and defend himself in simulated chemical, biological and radiological warfare situations.

During his seventh week of training, he will march 13 miles with full field pack to a bivouac area to spend a week living in the field and learning to integrate the skills he has been taught.

After completing basic training, he normally will receive a two-week leave before reporting for his next assignment.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to all who supported me in the recent Avon Park Subscription Drive which I was winner of the first place award. I could not have done this without your help. Thanks.

Mrs. Hazel Townsend

## National Youth Fitness Week Is Proclaimed

President Eisenhower has proclaimed May 3-9 as National Youth Fitness Week. He said in part, ". . . the ongoing strength of our nation depends upon the health of our young people . . . we must always strive to improve the fitness of our youth by determined and coordinated efforts."

Such determination and effort is evidenced today by more than 2,250,000 young people throughout the country who have solemnly pledged "their health to better living." They are the nation's 4-H Club members. Health represents one of the four H's of the symbolic green and white four-leaf clover which has identified these dedicated youth for nearly 50 years. The health activity is only one of the many facets of 4-H club work designed to build better citizens for the future.

The national 4-H Health program has four specific objectives outlined by the Cooperative Extension Service. They are: (1) learn that physical and mental fitness depends on health (2) acquire desirable personal health practices and attitudes (3) share responsibility for improving family and community health (4) develop leadership, character, citizenship.

When the boys and girls have advanced their project work sufficiently, their records are entered in competition for awards provided by Eli Lilly and Company which supports the 4-H Health program nationally.

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MINNIE McMILLAN, Plaintiff
vs.
JIMMY McMILLAN, Defendant

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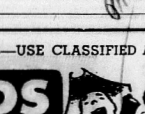
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## Real Estate Transfers

Real Estate transfers recorded at the Highlands County Court House through Tuesday of this week are listed below. Corrective deeds have not been listed, since they apparently are not bona fide sales. (Sale prices are indicated by the amount of documentary stamps attached to deeds.)

Reas, Lawrence E. and Alberta M. to Hendereson, Harold E. and Margaret S., land in 21-35-30. $1000.

Reas, Lawrence E. and Alberta M. to Durrance, Phil and Ernestine, land in 21-35-30. $1000.

Post, C. W. and Lou Edd and Post, William and Charlotte Naylor to Durten, Redmond P. and Elizabeth J., farms 54, 55, 56, in 34-34-29. $45,000.

Highlands Park, Inc. to Robert F. and Margaret V. Haeberle, lots 19 and 20, blk 6, Sec. B, Highlands Park Estates. $600.

Hoffman, Viola to McDaniel, Charles A. and Miriam D., lot 13, blk. 85, 6th Add. to Sebring. $2700.

Kuhlman Company to Schubert, Kurt E. and Hildegard H., Tract "G" Lake Josephine SD 2. $3500.

Anderson, J. G. Jr. and Lillian M. to Lloyd, F. R. and Grace E., lot 6 of Tioga Pl. and parcel of land adjacent thereto. $8000.

Avon Park C of C, Inc. to Cecelia G. Parrott, lots 13017 to 13019, inc., Unit 41, Avon Park Lakes. $900.

Avon Park C of C, Inc. to Arthur G. Parrott, lots 13048 to 13050, inc., Unit 41, Avon Park Lakes. $900.

Orange Blossom Estates, Inc. to Peter A. Brogle, lots 370 and 371, Orange Blossom Estates, Unit 1. $565.25.

Orange Blossom Estates, Inc. to Leon T. Wilson, lots 368 and 369, Orange Blossom Estates, Unit 1. $565.25.

Orange Blossom Estates, Inc. to Bernard Rotta, lots 134 and 135, Orange Blossom Estates, Unit 1. $565.25.

Orange Blossom Estates, Inc. to William Hurxthal Miller, lot 16, blk. 8, Orange Blossom Estates, Unit 8. $1515.25.

Orange Blossom Estates, Inc. to W. J. Reeves, lot 23, blk. 13, Orange Blossom Estates, Unit 8. $1515.25.

Orange Blossom Estates, Inc. to Harold G. Haupt, lot 22, blk. 13, Orange Blossom Estates, Unit 8. $1515.25.

Avon Park C of C, Inc. to Margaret C. Roemer, lots 688 and 689, Unit 2, Avon Park Lakes. $600.

Avon Park C of C, Inc. to Robert and Margaret Lewis, lots 9 to 12, blk. 56, Unit G, Avon Park Lakes, Red Hill Farms Add. $1200.

Highlands Homesites, Inc. to Marion Taylor Dungan, lot 6 blk. 16, Sec. D, Highlands Park Estates. $400.

Highlands Park, Inc. to John D. Lange, lot 1, blk. 22, Sec. B, Highlands Park Estates. $500.

Avon Park C of C, Inc. to Frank L. and Julia G. Barrett, lots 13282 and 13283, Unit 42, Avon Park Lakes. $600.

Highlands Homesites, Inc. to Thomas Melisonsi, lot 25, blk. 12, Sec. D, Highlands Park Estates. $400.

Diedrichson, H. J. and Greta to Malolepsza, Victor and Anna, lot 30 ft. lot 12, and lot 42, Avon Park Lakes. $600.

Edington, Paul and Doris Opal to Brinson, Austin S. and Mary Ruth, lots 5 and 6, blk. 3, Sylvan Shores Est. SD. $3500.

Bennett, Archie F. and Gracie S. to Pickens, John E. and Mary G., NE¼ of lot 2, blk. "C" of SD of SE¼ of SE¼ 15-33-28. $10,500.

Northrop Construction Company to Heldreth, Joseph A. Tr., lots 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, blk. 3, lots 63, 65, 69, 71, blk. 3, Erin Park SD. $10,000.

Kroker, Fred E., as Tr. and Ind. and Ethel W. to Bruning, John M., lot 10, Sebring Hills. $4200.

Kuhlman Company to Elder, R. B. and Sarah G., Tracts "D" and "E" Lake Josephine SD No. 2. $6000.

Kuhlman Company to Boechino, Angelo and Hilda, Tract "F" of Lake Josephine SD No. 2. $3500.

Pendleton, Mayme Lou to Vaughan, Robert E. and Alda Grace, lot 3, blk. 12, less 100 ft. x 100 ft. in NE corner and 80 ft. E. and W. x 100 feet N and S in SW corner of said lot, 21-33-28. $1000.

Highlands Park, Inc. to William H. and Evelyn R. Dossey, lot 4, blk 14, Sec. C, Highlands Park Estates. $500.

Fred E. Kroker, as Tr. and Ind., and Ethel W. Kroker to Charles R. and Louise M. Wink, lot 698, Sebring Hills. $800.

Fred E. Kroker, as Tr. and Ind., and Ethel W. Kroker to Everett M. and Ina F. Westcott, lot 637, Sebring Hills. $900.

Fred E. Kroker, as Tr. and Ind., and Ethel W. Kroker to Theodore L. and Anne E. Thomas, lots 882, 883, Sebring Hills. $1400.

Fred E. Kroker, as Tr. and Ind., and Ethel W. Kroker to Andrew P. and La Verne Nicholls, lot 59, Sebring Hills. $1600.

Joseph V. Costa to Boris and Evelyn Knake, lot 10, blk. 4, Florida Highlands SD. $1800.

Highlands Homesites, Inc. to William H. and Julia A. Winch, lot 15, blk. 4, Sec. L, Highlands Park Estates. $600.

Avon Park C of C, Inc. to Joe G. and Grace A. Sherman, lots 12807 and 12808, Unit 40, Avon Park Lakes. $600.

Avon Park C of C, Inc. to James J. Clark, lots 13022, 13023, 13044 and 13045, Unit 41, Avon Park Lakes. $1200.

Highlands Homesites, Inc. to Harold G. and Annie L. Miller, lot 16, blk. 6, Sec. D, Highlands Park Estates. $400.

Highlands Hills, Inc. to Roy F. and Elizabeth R. Dodge, lot 12, blk. 7, Sec. G, Highlands Park Estates. $500.

Sebring Villas, Inc. to Ned R. Smith, Sr. lot 5, blk. 1, Part 1, Sebring Villas. $800.

Highlands County Land & Title Company to Henry J. Perron, lot 16, blk. 167, Leisure Lakes, Sec. 3. $1420.

Highlands Hills, Inc. to William H. and Helen A. Peart, lot 37, blk. 6, Sec. G, Highlands Park Estates. $500.

Avon Park C of C, Inc. to Louise Miranda, lots 13 to 16, inc., blk. 34, Unit K, Avon Park Lakes, Red Hill Farms Add. $1200.

Robert Lawson and Rose Ellen Wheeles to W. C. and Leona S. Bagwell N½ lot 9, blk. 13, Avon Park. 22-33-28. $1000.

Highlands Park, Inc. to Isadore P. Borstein, lot 13, blk. 8, Sec. C, Highlands Park Estates. $1000.

Highlands Park, Inc. to Isadore P. Borstein, lot 14, blk. 8, Sec. C, Highlands Park Estates. $1000.

Highlands Heights, Inc. to Isadore P. Borstein, lot 1, blk. 1, Sec. E, Highlands Park Estates. $500.

Highlands Heights, Inc. to Ernest Loewe, lot 19, blk. 11, Sec. E, Highlands Park Estates. $700.

Highlands Lakesites, Inc. to Harold E. and Margaret McCue, lot 1, blk. 4, Sec. H, Highlands Park Estates. $1100.

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Raulerson, Otto G. and Cora Lee to Surety Mortgage & Investment Company, S 150 ft. of NE¼ of NE¼ 5-39-30. $500.

Highlands County Land & Title Company to Thorpe, Esther, lot 8, blk 191, Leisure Lakes, Sec. 3. $650.25.

Highlands County Land & Title Company to Jeffery, Henry J. and Florence, lot 21, blk. 165, Leisure Lakes, Sec. 4. $850.

Highlands County Land & Title Company to Frigerio, Claudio and Elba, lot 7, blk. 3, Leisure Lakes, Sec. 1. $755.25.

Southern Holding Co., Inc., Flamingo Holding C., Inc. to Chabot, Gabrielle, lot 7, blk. 38, Flamingo Estates. $500.

Southern Holding Co., Inc., Flamingo Holding Co., Inc. to Moore, John C. lot 17, blk. 20, Flamingo Gardens. $500.

Southern Holding Co., Inc., Flamingo Holding Co., Inc. to Cabbai, Annie, lot 2, blk. 41, Flamingo Villas. $500.

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## WASHINGTON REPORT

### Senator Spessard Holland

Senate Debate On Labor Bill Continues—Following a week of intensive debate in the Senate on the Kennedy-Ervin labor bill, we who are determined to enact legislation guaranteeing adequate protection of rights to rank-and-file union members, and to the general public, achieved the first major break-through late yesterday through adoption of the first McClellan amendment to the bill. I joined with Senator McClellan and others from both sides of the aisle in the floor fight to accomplish adoption of his amendment which takes the form of a "bill of rights" for members of labor unions. The vote came late in the day, and was a close one - 47 to 46. The result gives hope that a stronger labor bill will be passed by the Senate this year than last though hearty debate continues. Many more amendments will be debated before final enactment, and I expect to give continued support to the Senator from Arkansas and others who are striving for amendments which will put teeth into efforts to make unions more democratic, and to combat the crime and corruption now existing in the leadership of some unions.

I also will offer my amendment giving back to individual states clear-cut authority to deal with strikes in public utilities which jeopardize the public safety and welfare. Further, since the Senate turned down the Ervin Amendment to exclude all Taft-Hartley amendments from this particular bill, I will support those McClellan amendments which relate to secondary boycotts, "hot cargo," organizational and recognitional picketing and clarification of the so-called "no-man's land" existing to jurisdiction of the National Labor Relations Board.

Herter Confirmed As Secretary Of State—The Senate last Tuesday quickly confirmed Christian Herter as Secretary of State to succeed John Foster Dulles. Secretary Herter has my confidence, and I certainly wish him the greatest success as he undertakes the heavy international responsibilities confronting him. Although some good people are fearful that he may lack stern resolution and unyielding fortitude to withstand all assaults at the conference table, I earnestly hope he will accept these doubts as a challenge to be answered forcefully by his actions in office. There is great sorrow here among members of Congress over the forced retirement of Mr. Dulles who gave of himself so splendidly and patriotically at heavy cost to his health.

Premier Castro Ain't Cuba's Visit Capital—Washington has been an extremely crowded city during the past few weeks. Our visitors have ranged from foreign dignitaries, such as the controversial Cuban leader, Fidel Castro, here on an unofficial visit, to thousands of tourists attracted by the beauty of the Cherry Blossoms and other spring flowers and attending hordes of interested high school students.

Hearings On Florida Public Works Projects Set—Daily hearings by the Appropriations and Agriculture Committee have become the rule as Congress swings into the mid-session grind. The Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Works, of which I am a member, has already heard the Army Engineers on Florida projects and will hear local Florida witnesses Tuesday, April 28. A number of witnesses from our state will testify on: Central and Southern Florida Flood Control; East Coast Intracoastal Waterway; West Coast Intracoastal Waterway; Tampa Harbor; Port Everglades; Port St. Joe; the Cross-State Barge Canal; and other items. Similar House hearings will be held the following day.

Committee Considers Tax Exemption Bill—S. 683, a bill I introduced to exempt the office building of the Association for Childhood Education International from taxation by the District of Columbia, was considered recently by a subcommittee of the Senate District Committee. I introduced the bill at the request of Dr. Sarah Lou Hammond, Professor of Education at Florida State University and immediate past president of ACEI. At the hearing I placed in the committee record supporting telegrams from a number of the 5,000 Florida teachers who are members of the non-profit, educational organization.

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