



MOMENT OF DECISION—Officials of Wauchula and Avon Park High School are shown following the second game between the two teams here last Thursday as they ponder where the third and deciding game will be played. A flip of the coin gave the site to Wauchula. (Left to right) Rudy Brestreiter, Wauchula coach; Joe Franz, APHS athletic director; Guy Garrett, APHS baseball coach, and John Crittenden (back to camera) assistant principal at Avon Park. The Red Devils won the third game, 4-2 in nine innings.

PTA Scholarship Fund Outlined by President

Community Asked To Aid In Financing

The Avon Park High School PTA Scholarship came one step closer to reality this week, as officers were elected. Lena Suggs, PTA president, asked members of the community for financial assistance in setting up the beginning scholarship program.

Outlined in the letter was a brief history of the organization of the committee, the formulation of its program, the types of scholarships to be operated and the general purposes to be served by these scholarships.

Ernest Shepherd, chairman of the sub-committee charged with the responsibility of raising the scholarship funds, served with him are: E. G. Todd, Mrs. H. W. Coleman, Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, Mrs. S. A. King, Mrs. G. P. Ward, Mrs. E. J. Barham, Mrs. Keith Collier, Harry Carpenter, E. L. Padgett, Bob Gay, Carl Praso, Walter Betts and Donald Ford.

This group was selected from the PTA and community at large, will be meeting personally with members of the community in their efforts to develop the scholarship fund. Checks may be mailed to David Lanier, Treasurer, PTA Scholarship Fund, John Crittenden, working closely with the PTA Scholarship Committee, is chairman of the PTA Screening Committee. He, with Mrs. Suggs and Guy Garrett have been talking with senior students, advising them of the broad possibilities of this particular scholarship program.

A student may use this scholarship for business school, trade school, mechanics school, licensed practical nursing or for registered nurse training, or any of the many fields of college education. Qualifying students should consult with members of the Faculty Screening Committee.

County Audubon Society Holds Final Meeting

The Highlands County Audubon Society held its last meeting of the year on Friday, May 19, at the Faith Lutheran Church in Sebring. The meeting was addressed by Mr. Leonard Brass who illustrated his discussion of "Things Worth Seeing in South Florida" with color slides.

The Audubon Society will conduct a field trip on Saturday, June 3, to the game management area at the Avon Park Bunting Range under the direction of Mr. David Austin, superintendent of the game management area.

All interested persons are invited. Those from Avon Park who wish to join the group should wait at the gate of the Bunting Range on the morning of June 3, not later than 9:30, at which time the remainder of the group is expected to arrive there.

Fans Urged To Purchase Ducats

Baseball fans in the Avon Park area were urged to secure their State Tournament tickets this week and take advantage of the low price prevailing.

A series ticket sells for \$3, entitling the bearer to seven sessions, with two games scheduled for each session. If bought at the gate, tickets sell for \$1 for adults and \$3.50 for children each session.

The series ticket does not include the playoff game between the Class AA and Class A champions.

Tickets with tickets on sale include: Acuff's Barber Shop, Simmon's Gulf Station, Albin's Barber Shop, Tickets are also on sale at the High School and from numerous individuals.

Council Votes To Continue Park Program

At the regular meeting Monday night, the Avon Park City Council voted to continue the program of improving the beach area at Donaldson Park, when they asked for bids for filling in a section of Lake Verona.

The beach area has undergone a face lifting in recent weeks under the direction of Mayor DeLaney and with the aid of city and county equipment.

Charles Bureccia was appointed to the city board of examiners for plumbing inspectors. He will represent the plumbers of the city on the board.

A petition was presented requesting larger water mains on the south side of Lake Tula. The move was sought to boost the water pressure to provide for better fire protection. After discussion it was decided that when a paving program by the state gets underway the city will attempt to remedy the problem.

The council also voted to require Reggie Butler and Charlie Johns as lifeguards at the white and Negro beaches of Avon Park. They will receive the same salary as a year ago.

Absent from Monday's meeting was Sam McKenzie, who is on vacation.

Reading Classes For School This Summer

The Avon Elementary School is offering several classes in reading as a part of the Summer program. The classes will be formed and will cover a one-hour period three days a week, Monday, Wednesday and Friday, with some additional classes on Tuesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Ethel McKelaine will be the instructor in these reading groups. If your child needs to catch up with his reading during the summer this is an opportunity he should not miss.

Letters have gone out from the Avon Elementary School to parents about this program.

The library will be open two days each week, Tuesday and Thursday from ten to twelve for anyone wishing to check out books.

Avon Park Enters State Play; To Host Tourney

Take Measure Of Wildcats In 3-Game Series

The Avon Park Red Devils won a berth in the State Baseball Tournament to be held here next month by defeating Hardie High of Wauchula two out of three games in the Class A, Group 6 playoff finals last week.

It took the Devils nine innings last Friday night in Wauchula to wrap up the championship with a 4-2 win over the Wildcats. The Devils were pushed hard the entire series by the Wauchula team.

They won the first game 1-0 in spite of the fact that Hardie's ace hurler, Lance Lanier, tossed a no-hitter by them. They will play the second game here at Avon Park last Thursday night.

Only one game of the season breaking a 10 game win streak.

But the Devils were pushed across two runs in the top of the ninth inning of the final game which was played in Wauchula before a jam-packed stadium of yelling baseball fans to defeat the Wildcats 4-2 and advance to the state meet.

Two errors figured in the winning runs. Dick Nagel, Devil second sacker, reached first on an error by the Wildcat second baseman, Bobby Bates single and Dick Nagel moved to second. Then Lance Lanier, facing Avon Park for the third time in a week, struck out Willie and Money, but the catcher over-throwing the ball to second after Money's strike-out and Nagel raced while with the winning run.

Willie led a long fly out to left field and the leftfielder dropped the ball. The Devil's pitcher with an insurance run for Avon Park.

Both teams had scored two runs in the first inning. Singles by Norman Willis, Lamson Money and Jim Milton gave the Devils their two tallies in the top of the first, but Hardie tied it up in the bottom of the frame as Fred Coney, Almon Whitehead and Jim Youmans singled. Youmans' single drove in both of Hardie's runs.

Glenn Bass, Avon Park's ace lefthander, racked up his tenth win of the season without a loss. He gave up eight hits to the Hardie batters in the final game of the tourney but managed to beat down when the chips were down and struck out the final two batters with the bases loaded in the last of the ninth inning.

Last Thursday night at Head Field the Devils dropped their first game of the year by a score of 1-1. Fred Coney and Almon Whitehead opened up the game with a single each. Tommy Dilard rapped a hot one to the shortstop and the Devil's third baseman failed to cover third for the force out and the bases were loaded. Jim Youmans singled Coney home and Whitehead solo home before the Devils could retire the side. In the fifth the Wildcats scored another run as Whitehead grounded out, and scored when the Devil's left fielder caught Dillard's foul fly and threw home late.

Avon Park's lone run came in the bottom of the fifth. Touchton walked and scored after Bates and Willie singled. The Devil's left man on third three different innings as Lanier struck out 17 Avon Park batters from posting his tenth win of the year. Norman Willis took the loss for Avon Park. It was Willis' first loss during his high school career. He had won eight games this season before losing to the Wildcats. Both pitchers gave up four hits and Willis struck out eight.

Coach Guy Garrett plans to give the Red Devils a week off and then try to schedule a few games on a home and home basis with other teams that will be playing in the state tourney June 12-16. He plans to try and schedule games with Class AA teams if Avon Park batters can't make it.

Bob Morris of the above games can be found on the sports page.

Weather Report
BY J. WILEY COTHRAN
Weather Observer

May 25	May 26	May 27	May 28	May 29	May 30	May 31
High 84	High 86	High 88	High 90	High 92	High 94	High 96
Low 64	Low 66	Low 68	Low 70	Low 72	Low 74	Low 76



GLENN BASS
... racks up 10th win



DICK NAGEL
... scores big run

Two Charged With Driving While Intoxicated Freed By County Jury

Not guilty verdicts were returned in both cases tried in the May term of County Court, May 17.

Donald Gene Musgrove and George Owens, both charged with driving while intoxicated, were each tried by jury.

Owens was defended by Attorney Richard Hyatt of Sebring, and Musgrove was represented by Attorney Irving Wheeler of Bartow. County Prosecutor is Hue Nunnallee of Avon Park.

Members of the jury which served last week were Albert A. Allen, R. E. Mayhew, Odell Paul, Jesse E. Woods, J. Terry Hargrave all of Sebring; Albert C. Webster, Jr., of Avon Park—in the Owens case.

Wheeler of Avon Park; Woods, Carl Franklin Sirey, Jr., Gordon H. Pook, M. E. Stephens, III, of Sebring; Blake Hardy of Lake Placid—in the Musgrove case.

Four other cases were disposed of in the May court session. Otis Lee Patrick pleaded guilty to contributing to the delinquency of a minor and was sentenced to 60 days in jail on each charge with the sentences to run concurrently.

Robbie Speed Looney, charged with contributing to the delinquency of a minor, pleaded no defense and was ordered to pay a fine of \$50 or 30 days in jail. Bobby Maxcy, charged with illegal possession of a firearm, pleaded no defense. He was fined \$50 or 30 days in jail. He also drew a 15-day suspended jail sentence.

LeRoy McGhee, Jr., pleaded no defense to a charge of illegal possession of wine. He was fined \$75 or 30 days in jail.

Judge Martin Kahner presided at the court session. The Rev. John Piekens, minister of the Union Congregational Church at Avon Park, offered the opening invocation.

Teams Named: Pairings To Be Announced Soon

With the Avon Park Red Devils safely on board as host team for the State High School Baseball Tournament to be held here at Head Field June 12-16, local committees have gone into full swing with arrangements for the big week.

The Florida High School Activities Association office in Gainesville today released the names of the following teams which will be playing in the tournament. Class AA—Group 1, Pensacola; Group 2, Lee of Jacksonville; Group 3, Boone of Orlando; Group 4, Jefferson of Tampa; Group 5, Boca Ciega of St. Petersburg; Group 6, Sarasota; and Group 8, Coral Gables.

Group 7 entry will be decided by a playoff game scheduled yesterday between Pompano Beach and North Miami.

Class A—Group 1, Marianna; Group 2, Monticello; Group 3, Jacksonville; Group 4, Palatka; Group 5, Deland; Group 6, Avon Park; Group 7, Riverview of Sarasota; and Group 8, Don McCarty of Ft. Pierce.

Pairings for tournament play will be determined by drawing at the office of the FHSAA later this week.

The Avon Park Chamber of Commerce, with Dr. H. W. Coleman serving as chairman of the baseball committee, is sponsoring the tournament under the direction of the Avon Park High School with the assistance of local organizations and the City of Avon Park. The Chamber of Commerce is due most of the credit for obtaining the State Tournament for this city.

All arrangements for running the tournament will be handled by local organizations however. The Lions Club and the Junior Chamber of Commerce are in charge of the tournament ticket sales. A ticket which will allow a holder admission to seven sessions of the tournament is available for \$2.00. These tickets represent a savings of \$4.00 for all seasons since each session costs \$1.00 separately. Tickets are urged to buy a tournament ticket now. They may be picked up at Abt's Barber Shop, Simmon's Gulf Station, or at the high school office.

The Junior Women's Club is in charge of programs and advertisements. A sixteen page program is planned and these will be handed out free of charge at the tournament. Complete rosters of the competing teams, a tournament bracket, and advertisement will be included.

Three clubs have volunteered to handle the selling of tickets at the gate for the tournament. Jack Dugan is representing the Lions Club on that job. Roy Seims will serve as the Rotary Club representative and Harry Jones will represent the Junior Chamber of Commerce. Plenty of local help will be needed to man the ticket booth, and the different sessions and a special interest in making sure help may contact Bill to get their names on the work list.

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What a Ride!

This country's feat in sending an astronaut into space was greeted with banner headlines throughout the free world. American prestige soared—as, in another sense, had Commander Alan B. Shepard.

A typical London headline was "BOY! WHAT A RIDE!" A highly significant editorial comment was made by the London Daily Sketch: "Technically, they (the Americans) were runners-up. Morally, the cup is theirs. Every setback, every heartbreaking postponement was mercifully exposed.

"This is the kind of achievement we understand in our part of the world. That's the way we would like to have done it."

This, also, points to one of the great and unbridgeable chasms that lie between a closed society and a free society—or, to put it more bluntly, between a free society and a slave society. The Soviets, exerting iron-clad control over all channels of news and information, are able to announce only their successes and keep the veil forever drawn across what failures they have experienced. They tell only what they want to tell. Indeed, some authorities are doubtful if they actually did put an astronaut into orbit. There is no conclusive proof of this available to us or the other free nations.

In any event, this country's work in the field of missiles and rockets is covered completely by the press, radio and television. If things go wrong, the whole world knows it. If things go right, the whole world knows it. That's a sample of what freedom means.

Dateline: Tallahassee

A weekly report on the 1961 Legislature

TALLAHASSEE, May 12.—Backers of the public library in Highlands will be interested to learn that the Senate appropriations committee this week approved a bill which would allocate \$500,000 in state funds to the Florida Library Association for the biennium. This money, together with federal funds, would be available to the counties on a matching basis. If the bill does not pass this session, federal grants will end in October.

A local bill establishing another kind of library, a county law library, passed the House this week.

Also passed by the House this week was another local bill which set up requirements for the acceptance of subdivision plats by the Board of County Commissioners.

Highland's citrus workers will be interested to know that a bill restoring them to the list of those eligible for unemployment compensation passed the House and Senate and should become a law in a few days. It was pleased to sponsor this bill.

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James A. Haley Honored By ACA Group At Capitol

Washington, D. C., May 23.—Representative James A. Haley of Sarasota, today received the Distinguished Service Award of the American Association of Constitutional Action, popularly known as "ACA." The Award was presented by Admiral Ben Morehead, USN (Retired), Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

ACA is a non-partisan, non-profit political-action and educational group which was organized in late 1958 to promote the election to the Congress of the United States of members of both parties who believe in Constitutional Conservatism. Since its formation, ACA has grown steadily in prestige and in public support. In the 1960 elections the organization made noteworthy contributions to the re-election of new members of like ideological persuasion.

The Distinguished Service Award of ACA was established to honor Senators and Representatives whose voting records during the past several years have been substantially in support of legislation which, in the opinion of ACA, would strengthen, sustain, and defend the spirit and principles of the Constitution of the United States, as these were defined by the Founding Fathers of our Republic.

In conferring the Distinguished Service Award, Admiral Morehead said, in part: "Congressman Haley, on behalf of the Board of Trustees, it gives me great pleasure to bestow upon you the Distinguished Service Award of Americans for Constitutional Action."

Your voting record on vital issues which have bearing upon the integrity of the Constitution of the United States has earned for you this recognition as a distinguished American Statesman and public servant."

Admiral Morehead stated that the conferring of the Award was in recognition of the recipient's actual voting record over a specified period of years and did not imply that the recipient is in complete agreement with all of the principles enunciated by ACA, nor does it imply any commitment to supporting those principles in the future.

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CRACKER POLITICS

By Allen Morris

TALLAHASSEE.—For good reason, for bad reason, for no reason at all, socializing is as good a legislative auxiliary during this session as the voting machine in the House and the Sergeant's stenorian cry in the Senate.

Lobbyists and their wives give parties. But so do the wives of justices of the supreme court and of members of the big and little cabinets. And so do legislators and their families and even their cousins.

And so, too, do people who will never have any business on Capitol Hill but simply are gregarious and use the presence of the legislators as an excuse for having a party.

Even the Executive Rehearsal is caught up in this swirl of courtesies. The opening of the legislative session was an occasion of a formal reception there. Governor Bryant has legislators out for a meal. Mrs. Bryant has entertained legislative wives.

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Short Course At Tallahassee

The 12th annual state-wide short course for general sanitarians will be held June 12-14 at Florida State University, Tallahassee.

"It is sponsored each year by the Florida Association of Sanitarians and the Florida State Board of Health through the General Extension Division of the University of Florida and Florida State University.

Over 150 sanitarians employed by state and county health departments and by municipalities in Florida are expected to attend the three-day session.

Discussions will center on current problems in public health and sanitation and new approaches to the solution of the problems.

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Petrified Forest Planned By Theatre Group

"The Petrified Forest," Robert Sherwood's drama of a gangster vs. an intellectual, was chosen as the next vehicle of the Ridge Theatre Guild at a meeting in Sebring Monday night. Gil Ring, of Sebring, will direct the play.

A casting committee consisting of Clayton Fields of Avon Park, Mrs. Tom Reeds and Mrs. William D. Ernst of Lake Placid, and Mrs. Gil Ring of Sebring, was selected to hold tryouts. Casting for the 20 parts in the play will begin at 2 p. m. Sunday, May 28, at Woodlawn Elementary School in Sebring. Anyone in the Ridge area interested in helping with the play is asked to contact the representative in his area.

Laws for safety's sake are not worth a tinker's, unless obeyed.

Fla. Showcase Big Success

TALLAHASSEE.—The Florida Showcase, in New York's Rockefeller Center, recently staged a highly successful fruit and vegetable exhibition by serving local growers and shippers. New York radio stations and newspapers were used in the promotion, inviting New Yorkers to drop in at the Florida Showcase, see all the exhibits, and have a slice of cold melon from the Sunshine State.

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The State of Citrus

By John Sikes — Florida Citrus Mutual

LAKELAND.—When Bob Rutledge focuses the brains of his staff of production, economic and marketing analysts for a snapshot of the future immediate and long-range, of Florida citrus he's bound to be seized with a spell of awe, momentarily anyway.

He's well aware that a prophet who sticks his neck out in the tricky citrus business is twined with anxiety, as well as being not without humor save in his own country.

Yet, it's a basic task in the Florida Citrus Mutual Head Mar's job to chart next week, next month and next year for the small 11,000 Mutual grower members, who, if they're to prosper, must anticipate what's in store for their oranges, grapefruit and tangerines.

How many oranges will actually be picked in the next six months or so, the governments, forecast to the contrary notwithstanding? How many grapefruit? Tangerines? How much frozen concentrate will be made from these oranges? How many sold fresh? How many will go into chilled juice, in simple strength juice? How much of these products will the customers buy, and for how much money?

The grower needs to know these answers—in advance—to operate intelligently and profitably. It's perilous for him to fly the citrus rooster blind.

Rutledge has no crystal ball, and he'd reject its images if he did have one. Rather, he meticulously sumps the running reports of Mutual's field men who're in the groves every day to get the true line on probable production. He sifts the analyses of marketing specialists, technicians, economists to plot the trends in

processing and consumer demand. Careful application of these intelligence elements to Florida citrus, from growing to packing and processing it is selling, obviously pays off.

By now, with the season in its abiding weeks, it is a fact of life that 1960-61 is the top money-return year for the Florida citrus grower. Total: \$200,000,000-plus on-tree.

Rutledge, with the charts, data, figures, potentials and trends to guide him, last December was able to foresee this record success. At the May meeting of Rutledge's board of directors, last regularly scheduled gathering of this group before the 1961 elections this week and June 6, Rutledge was enabled to present the annual identical "Price and Sales Outlook" that was prepared last December 7.

The actualities of Florida citrus over the past five and a half months jibed almost uncannily with the forecast Rutledge presented on December 7, 1960:

"Fantastic" demand for frozen orange concentrate: consumer purchases \$6,000,000 worth per week even higher than in 1959 on the conservative side, had reckoned.

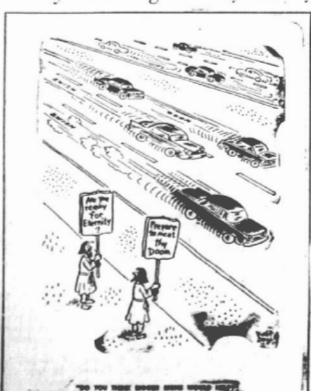
Oranges crop readily marketable with resulting favorable grower returns. Even grapefruit, a near record crop, is in maturity, down only a few cents per box under what Rutledge had predicted last December. Actual utilization of Florida citrus—various marketing channels—al-

though not on the near as forecasted. Obviously, as the man said, the future isn't so frightening if it is carefully, cautiously and studiously anticipated.

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Florida Forest Service Holds Meeting At Highlands Hammock

Professional foresters of the southern most district of the Florida Forest Service held a meeting at the Highlands Hammock State Park at Sebring, Florida, last Wednesday.

The purpose of the meeting was to keep the foresters abreast of up-to-date methods and information in the field of range management.

Guest speaker, Lewis L. Yarrlett, Range Management Specialist, with the Soil Conservation Service Headquarters at Sebring, told the foresters that there was very little conflict between good range management and good timber management practices. In fact good range management would increase the economic return to the landowner.

Yarrlett pointed out to the foresters during a discussion of the classification of grasses, that over-grazing or the indiscriminant use of fire could reduce or do away with the more desirable grasses, and would allow an invader group of grasses to multiply and take over an area.

According to Yarrlett many beneficial results could be obtained from timber by proper range management. For example, the operation can be used to reduce fire hazard, undesirable hardwoods or as a rough site preparation for the establishment of new timber.

Yarrlett also discussed the APIS activities.

Bryan Williams, president of the student council, headed the receiving line. Others receiving were Milton Stokely, president of the senior class; Frankie Smith, treasurer of the student council; Jack Selma, vice president elect; Carol Burton, treasurer elect, who could not attend, and standing in for her was Joyce Antley; Harriett Crews, secretary elect; and Margaret Hagen, secretary.

Andy Miracle, vice president and president elect of the student council.

Ruth Brand, president of the junior class and Ginger Maness, vice president of the sophomore class presided at the punch bowl. The refreshment table was covered with a white lace cloth laid over a green foundation. The punch bowl formed the table centerpiece with a graceful arrangement of red geranium blossoms and white gardenias around the base and trailing down the side of the table, reminding everyone of the school colors of red and white.

Homemade cookies, furnished by the student council members, were served with the punch, nuts and mints.

Attractive arrangements of cut flowers were used on tables around the Palm Room.

More than a hundred guests called during the afternoon.

Since 1940, hard core college costs have increased 122 per cent at Southern public institutions and 169 per cent at private institutions.

Request for information on proper management should be directed to Lewis L. Yarrlett, Range Management Specialist, Sebring, Florida, or to your local Soil Conservation Specialist.

Student Council Entertains At Tea Wednesday

The Student Council entertained Wednesday afternoon with a tea in the Palm Room of the Jacaranda Hotel, honoring the high school faculty and members of the graduating class of 1961.

Miss Millie Pearson, sponsor for the student council, assisted with the arrangements. The tea has become an annual event in the APIS activities.

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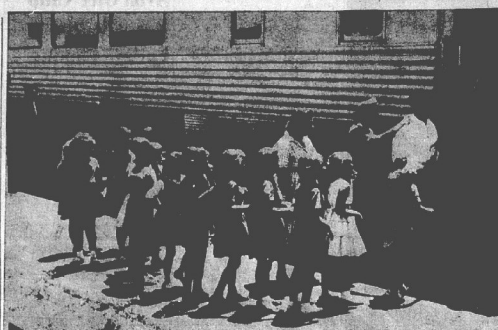
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ALL BOARD—The third grade Brownie Troop No. 28 took a train ride last week to Sebring where they toured the court house and visited the Sebring Brownie Troop. The youngsters, with their leader, Mrs. Eloise Sharpe, are shown as the Sebring Brownie Troop and conductor helped them aboard the train. While on the train the group inspected the ladies lounge and other facilities. Upon their arrival in Sebring the Brownies were met by Mrs. Helen Young and Mr. Ed Sharpe who transported them to the court house where they were given a tour by J. T. Landress, deputy tax collector. They also witnessed part of a trial with Judge Mervin Rehner presiding. Following the court house tour, the group met with the Sebring troop, where they enjoyed refreshments and games.

Highlands County Tree Inspectors Are Named By State of Florida

S. C. Truitt, Truitt Lumber Company, Virgil David Forester, American Agricultural Company, and Bob Kornegay and Ben Swendsen, Farm Foresters, Florida Forest Service, have been designated as certified inspectors for the American Tree Farm System, which this year celebrates its 20th anniversary. They are available for Tree Farm inspection in Highlands and Hardee Counties.

As foresters, both men are familiar with forest management problems in Highlands and Hardee Counties. They should be contacted by owners of small private woodlands desiring to qualify for the Tree Farm program and also by those landowners whose timber tracts already are certified but who desire additional technical assistance.

The American Tree Farm System is an industry-sponsored program for growing trees as a crop on private lands. Its purpose is to encourage sound forest management on small woodlots, which must produce the majority of the family need for products demanded by the expanding population. Generally speaking, tree farming is full use of timberland. The Tree Farm program recognizes

Sgt. Landress Takes Part In Field Training

Port Lewis, Wash. (AP) —Army First Sergeant Merle A. Landress, 45, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Landress, Route 1, Avon Park, is participating in Exercise Lava Plains, a joint Army-Air Force field training exercise at the Yakima (Wash.) Firing Center. The exercise is scheduled to end May 25.

During the exercise, 18,000 Army troops and airmen from the 4th Infantry Division, the 9th and 12th Air Forces and supporting Army units from military installations throughout the nation are engaging in large scale maneuvers emphasizing defensive tactics.

Realism is being added to the exercise with the 4th Division's 39th Infantry acting the part of an enemy force known as "Aggressor."

Opticians To Meet June 3-4 In Clearwater

Clearwater, on the Gulf of Mexico, will be host city June 3 and 4 to the 1961 annual convention of the Florida Association of Dispensing Opticians. Approximately 200, including delegates, their families and guests are expected to attend. All sessions will be held at the Jack Tar Harrison Hotel, convention headquarters.

Speaker of the convention will be Frank X. Brandstetter, Director of the Optical Technology Department, Erie County Technical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., one of the foremost educators of opticians in America.

This will be the first statewide meet of the Dispensing Opticians to stress a strictly educational program, and four one-hour study sessions, which also will be conducted by Dr. Brandstetter, have been planned. The general subject will be, "Sipping-stones to Optics," Dick Villavechia, of Hollywood, is chairman of the Educational Committee.

Jerry Jannelli, Clearwater, is chairman of this year's convention committee. Serving with him are Floyd Huffman and Riley L. Watson, Jr., also of Clearwater; John S. Underwood and Cecil L. Lynn, St. Petersburg.

James T. Lynn, of Bradenton, is president of the Florida Association of Dispensing Opticians. Robert J. Gremer, Jacksonville, is vice-president and Walter E. Gillen, South Miami, secretary-treasurer.

The convention agenda calls for the Board of Directors meeting Friday evening at eight. Registration will begin at 1:30.

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p. m. Saturday, and business and educational sessions will be conducted both Saturday afternoon and Sunday morning. The annual banquet is scheduled in the hotel's Crystal Ballroom at 8 p. m. Saturday, preceded by a hospitality hour. Jack Engstrom, of Tampa, will be master of ceremonies.

Planners of the convention point out that the final closing at 1 p. m. Sunday will give families the opportunity to enjoy swimming and a relaxing weekend vacation at Clearwater Beach.

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Swimming Party To Feature Final Meeting Of Troop 112

Girl Scout Troop No. 112 will close their year's activities with a swimming party this week at the home of their leader, Mrs. S. A. King on Lake Isis. Marie Barber and Carrie Belle Waters, other Troop Leaders, will assist with the party.

The Troop participated in the Highlands County Round Up of Girl Scouts held at Highlands Hammock last weekend. This Troop stayed for a second night's camping after the other scouts had gone home.

They took the night tour through the park under the direction of Miss Carol Beck, park attendant. She instructed the girls in how to use their flashlights as headlights to observe the creatures in the water, and they were intrigued by the red scorpion eyes and the green spider eyes they saw on the

water, and the many swamp birds that were nesting for the night.

The W.S.C.S. of the First Methodist Church sponsors this Troop, and to show their appreciation, the girls have completed three dozen tea towels for the church kitchen. For this embroidery and work they have obtained their Seamstress' Badge for Scouting.

Other projects for the year have included gifts they made for their own home at Christmas time, and a play they prepared and presented for a Chinese program, in which every member of the Troop participated. They have made sewing boxes and are now finishing stuffed animals which will be sent to the Retarded Children's Home, the Sunland Training Center at Ft. Myers.

The Troop wishes to thank their parents, the sponsors and all who have contributed to their year's work. Members are Martina Barber, Nellie Barker, Rita Bennett, Georgia Ann Fraza, Dorothy Greer, Betty Hutchinson, Sally Beth King, Eloise Menalvaz, Madeline Neithardt, Sue O'Steen, Judy Eubank, Linda Sizemore, Jane Ellen Thompson, Debbie Ward and Linda Wester.

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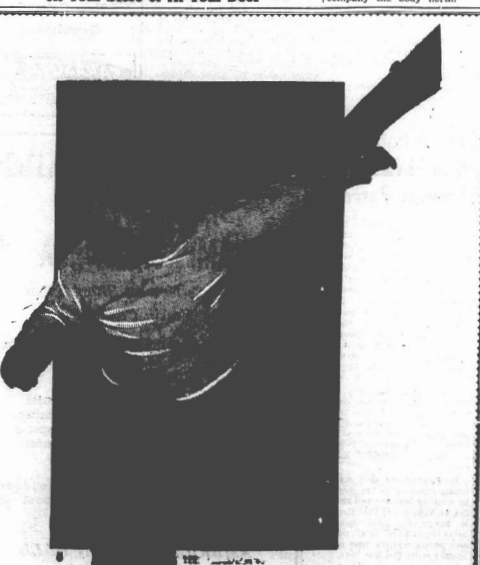
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Horton-Porter Engagement Is Announced Here

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Horton have announced the engagement of their daughter, Glenda Joyce, to Jimmy Terrell Porter, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Porter.

The bride-elect attended school at Lyons High School, Lyons, Georgia, where she was active in the Beta Club and Tri-Hi-Y. She is presently a member of the junior class of Avon Park High School and a member of the Future Teachers of America Club.

Jimmy attended the Bartow High School and he is now a senior and will graduate with the APHS Class of '61. He played center on the football team and was a member of the Devil's Club. The wedding date will be announced later.

Trailer Park Resident Passes

Harry C. Hutchinson passed away Monday, May 22. He came to Avon Park in 1955 from Harrisburg, Pa., where he taught in the Penn. Vocational School before retiring, and was making his home in the Southland Trailer Park.

Mr. Hutchinson was a member of the Union Congregational Church where he sang in the choir and had served as treasurer of the church and secretary of the Board of Trustees. He was a 32nd Degree Mason, Scottish Rite Club and a charter member of the Syria Shrine Temple of Pittsburgh, Pa., and a veteran of WWI. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon by The Rev. H. D. Graetz in the Stephenson Chapel. The remains were forwarded to Mifflintown, Pa. Burial in the Presbyterian Cemetery.

There were no immediate survivors. His two sister-in-laws, Mrs. Charles Magill of Lansdown, Pa., and Mrs. Harold Hack of Mexico, Pa., will accompany the body north.

City Council Minutes

(Regular meeting held at City Hall, May 22, 1961, 7:30 p. m.)
All members present including the Mayor and City Attorney with the exception of Mr. McKenzie. (Mr. McKenzie on vacation.)

Invocation given by Mr. Dilley. Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

Charles Burreaux was appointed as the Master Plumber to represent the Plumbers on the City Board of Examiners for Plumbing Inspection.

A petition was presented requesting larger water mains for better pressure and fire hydrants for fire protection on Tulane Drive. This was discussed and decided, if possible, when the State Road program begins to start and alleviate the situation.

Motion by Mr. Dilley, seconded by Mr. Kirkland and carried that the City advertise for bids for filling in the staked out area at Donakson Park.

Motion by Mr. Dilley, seconded by Mr. Kirkland and unanimously carried that Reggie Butler and Charlie Jones be rehired at the same salary as last summer as life guards at the white and colored beaches respectively. Meeting adjourned.

Clarence F. King
President

Attest:
Lucile A. Shockley
City Clerk

OPEN HOUSE SET

Members of the First Christian Church are having open house for their new minister, Donald Welden, and family, Saturday, May 27 at 117 E. Pleasant, at the Seapoint house from 8 to 10 p. m. This is their 25th wedding anniversary and all friends and members of the church are invited to attend to meet the new pastor and his family.

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Barn Dance Slated At Youth Center

Friday night, May 25, there will be a dance at the Youth Center for the senior high school grades 9 through 12, sponsored by the Executive Board of the Association.

Dolma Newsome and his Haymakers will be present to make

the music and call the dances for a good old-fashioned square dance. They will also play some Rock 'N' Roll and other popular music for those who like the regular ballroom dancing.

Those attending should wear country style clothes. Refreshments will be included in the price of admission, which is 50 cents. The time is 8 o'clock till 12 midnight.

Among the chaperones assisting will be Mrs. Aline Parnell, The McMaters, Dugans, Wards, Katie Behr, Betty Sullivan and Julie Johnson.



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(Bowling Bits)

With the closing of the regular bowling season, many of the leagues are having banquets and presenting trophies and awards to winners of the different leagues. Last week two of the ladies leagues finished up and held banquets at the Jacaranda Hotel here in town. The Tri-City League also held its end of the season banquet at the Jacaranda last Monday night.

Awards made at the Tri-City League affair featured trophies to members of the First Federal team which finished the year in first place. A trophy also went to the sponsor of the winning team, Joan Whitaker of Lake Placid won the high handicap series trophy with a 727 and Morris Adams of Avon Park won the high handicap game award. Scratch high series award went to Leo Dollar with a 665 and Larry Huber won the scratch high single game trophy.

New officers were elected to serve the Tri-City League next season. Richard Hyatt was elected president; Clement O'Brien, vice president; and Larry Huber, secretary and treasurer.

The Lake Henry Groves team took the championship trophies in the Powder Puff League. They ended up the season tied with Walker Chevrolet and won a three game roll-off. Louise Hartrell (274) and Val Keene (654) won the awards for handicap high single and high series games.

Ruth Stevenson (245) and Marge Kauffman (725) hoisted the highest scratch single and series games during the season and also won awards. The most improved bowler award went to Janet Quigley who increased 14 points during the season and Marge Kauffman won an award for ending the year with the highest average — 166.

Carol Tomlinson was elected president of the Powder Puff League for next year with Edna Clarke as vice president and Hazel Scarborough serving as secretary-treasurer. Louise Hartrell was elected Sergeant at Arms.

The Ridge Rollers League presented trophies to all members of the Kahle's Department Store team and a plaque to the sponsor of that winning team. Awards for the high handicap single and series games went to Juanita McConnell (361) and Marge Kauffman (701). High scratch single and series game awards were presented to Marge Kauffman (247) and (675). Marge Kauffman also won the trophy for high average for the season (170) and the most improved bowler trophy went to Martha Lauderback who increased 27 points in average after the 12th game of the season.

Several Avon Park ladies won awards in the different categories in the Powder Puff League. Mel-

Avon Park Graduate Named Most Valuable Player On Moe Nine

Charles Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Anderson of the town, was presented the Most Valuable Player award by the Moe Nine.

Anderson, a senior at FSC, posted a 3-5 pitching record for the Moe Nine and was named in 15 of the 24 Moe games. The versatile Avon Park graduate also doubled as first baseman on the Southern nine which ended the season with a 15-9 record and took second place in the Florida Intercollegiate Conference.

At the plate Charles batted .289 for the season and was second high on the team in RBI's with 17. He also was second in slugging first on the team and set the top fielding average for the squad—.985. He made only two errors all season. On the mound he was the best earned run average—.212.

While attending Avon Park High School, Charles won letters in basketball and baseball and made the All-Ridge baseball and basketball squads his senior year.

This summer he plans to play semi-pro baseball in the Cape Cod League in Massachusetts and will return to Florida Southern College in the Fall to finish his senior year. He is majoring in Physical Education and hopes to coach high school sports after graduation from college.

Bowling Results

RIDGE LEAGUE	
Gilbert Drugs	116 20
Richardson Bros.	86 30
Jahna Concrete	84 52
Harrell Plastering	81 55
CO.	
Yankee Crackers	78 58
Hi Game - Edwards	281
Hi Series - Henderson	680
COUNTRY CHURCH LEAGUE	
St. Catherine's No. 1	90% 41%
St. Catherine's No. 2	85 47
St. Catherine's No. 3	78 47
St. Catherine's No. 4	66 66
St. Agnes	62 70
Hi Game - Fagan	261
Hi Series - Fink	693
COFFEE LEAGUE	
Sugar Bowlers	25 11
Drips	23% 12%
Crown Pitchers	19 17
Percolators	16% 19%
Sinkers	15 22
DoNuts	9 27
Hi Game - Anna D. Harden	480
Hi Series - Anna D. Harden	480
TRI-CITY LEAGUE	
(Final Standings)	
First Federal	80 54
Norris Realty	80 54
Hammann Cars	80 54
Leon's Sporting Goods	80 54
Henny's Market	80 54
H. F. Ford Motor Co.	80 54
MAJOR LEAGUE	
Guys Tax Service	58% 25%
Craftfield	53 21
Economy Printing	48 36
Avon Park Package	38 46
Firestone	27% 56%
WJCM	27 57
Hi Game - R. Hughes	241
Hi Series - R. Hughes	693
INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE	
Son Ray Homes	79% 47%
Torresia Placing	62% 44%
Toucheur Drugs	62 56
Air Base	62% 57%
Blackburn Farm	62 63
Hi Game - Alvarez	278
Hi Series - Kaufman	451
POWDER PUFF LEAGUE	
(Final Standings)	
Lake Henry Groves	86 50
Walker Chevrolet	86 50
Lally's Laundry	84 52
Hilbert House	80 54
Jack's Jewelry	79% 54%
Hi Game - Louise Hartrell	274
Hi Series - Val Keene	654
RIDGE ROLLERS LEAGUE	
(Final Standings)	
Kahn's Dept. Store	80 54
Ray's Hardware	80 54
Almy Real Estate	80 54
On Financial Corp.	80 54
Kahn's Ready Mix	80 54
Kahn's Hardware	80 54
Toucheur Drugs	80 54

Baptists Top Little League Standings With 2-2 Record

The Avon Park Little League teams got in their fourth game of the season last Tuesday night. Main and high school baseball have delayed two seasons of play and two tie games are still on tap to be played off.

The First Baptist nine remained undefeated by handing the Florida Power Employee team a 2-3 defeat last Tuesday and the Rotary boys poured it on the Lions to win 16-4.

The Baptists scored nine runs on four hits and a single to the winning clutch, Bobby Barben had a double and Johnny Elder contributed a single. Rotary King's double was the only hit the F.P.E. boys could get with three Baptists pitchers — Billy Jackson, Bobby Barben and Dean King. Bobby Barben and Dean King, both single and double, pitched duties for Florida Power Employees.

The Rotary team just couldn't get going in the first inning of the game. After three complete innings of play the Rotary boys were ahead 16-4 but the Lions moved in the top of the fourth before the game was called with only one out on the book. The score will stand as of three complete innings since the home team never came out in the fourth.

Shortstop Bobby Jones led the Rotary's seven hits with a double and a single while Chuck Warrington and Bruce Bennett both had singles and Frank Dudley had a single. Dudley kept the distance for Rotary during a no-hitter against the Lions 4-

though he walked seven and his team made four errors to allow the Lions to score four runs. Tommy Walton pitched two innings for the Lions. Gene Landers came on in the third, and Chuck Long pitched in the fourth.

In the inning that didn't count Glenn Sizemore slammed out two doubles and Dudley, Warrington, Bennett, and Robert Sizemore all hit a double while Bobby Jones got another single. Unfortunately these hits won't go on the record since the inning was never finished.

First Standings: Won Lost Tied
First Baptist 2 0 2
Rotary 2 2 2
P. E. 0 3 1
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Runkles Move To Houston

Mrs. J. K. Runkle, Jr., and children, Judy, Jimmie and Cheryl, will leave this week for Houston, Texas, where they will be joined by Mr. Runkle for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Runkle, Sr.

The Runkles will visit their home here in Avon Park. Their many friends wish them success in their new home.



By Jack

I understand that Walter Bette is in the hospital for a rest and check up. He is feeling fine and looks fine, but with all the hard work that Walter has been doing for us at the club he is all tired out. Slow up a little Walter, there is always tomorrow.

The course is in beautiful shape and all the players are highly pleased with the fairways and greens. The new pump keeps a lot of water on the course and sure has helped. Saw Comd. Young a day or two ago and he looks fine, and we are all glad that he is back and keeping an eye on the course.

The ladies day Wednesday golf and bridge and other activities that the ladies have on Wednesday are going great. We are all glad that you want to have a good time come on out and join the fun.

The Wednesday night dancing classes are going great and everyone enjoys these classes more and more.

Don't forget if you have guests, or don't just feel like kicking on these hot nights, Eddie and

Missouri can cook you a steak, chicken or shrimp, like you have never had before. Call them and tell them what time you will be there and they will have everything as you like it.

There should be a dancing party coming up in the near future but don't say yet have the date for it. I just bet that those of you who are taking the dancing class instruction can hardly wait to show off their talents, and believe me from what I have seen at those classes on Wednesday night, Charlie and Marian Metcalfe, Bob and Marianna King, Al and Winifred Yarbrough, John and Kay Giddens, Cecil and Winnie Skipper, Elaine Williamson, Ed and Mary Jane Touchton, Hub and Emily Riggs, Bob and Helen Young, Bob and Yvonne Lee, W. A. and Mildred Metter, Dick and Elizabeth Eaton, Joe and Vivian Perez, Chuck and Norma Watson, and Cindy Metcalfe who fills in for any of the absentees will make the "Copacabana" look to their heels, as to the way to do the cha-cha the waiter or any of the other popular dances.

Fourth Estaters Offered Cards By Highway Patrol

Florida Highway Patrol Comdr. H. N. Kirkman warned budding photo-journalists today that press cards are not for sale, but that they are free for the asking to persons who are members of the working press, television and magazine fields.

His statement was made in cooperation with the National Press Photographers Association which is waging a nation-wide campaign that is designed to stamp out the sale of phony press cards.

"The Florida Highway Patrol issues an identification card especially designed for the working press men and women and for photographers of the press, television and magazine industries and they are FREE," Kirkman said.

He pointed out that only legitimate press cards are recognized by working lawmen and reminded the working press that the patrol is happy to have any and all press credentials "at all reporters and photographers who come in contact with the law."

"Press cards issued by the Florida Highway Patrol are renewable each year, and each carries sufficient identification of the applicant so that he or she is easily identifiable," Comdr. Kirkman said.

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Martin Receives Soccer Award

The Florida Southern College Annual Varsity Athletic Banquet was held May 18, with Percy H. A. R. d., assistant director of athletics at the University of Florida as guest speaker.

Among those receiving awards was John Martin, of Avon Park, who was presented a letter as a member of the soccer team.

Births

WALKER MEMORIAL

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bates Collier of Deloto City, a son, Richard Glen, born May 16, weighed 7 lbs., 12 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Jones Norris, of Frostproof, a son, Jimmy Joel, born May 16, weighed 8 lbs., 13 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Marshall Beck, Sebring, a son, Robert Joel, born May 19, weighed 8 lbs., 13 oz.

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Two Students Get Scholarships

Two Highlands County students have been awarded General Scholarships for Preparing and Teaching. Andy Mirale, superintendent of county schools, said the scholarships go to Gloria Sue Durran and Richard C. Raulerson.

Miss Durran resides on Route 1 at Lake Placid, and Raulerson lives at 200 Seventh St., Sebring.

These scholarships are awarded annually throughout the state to outstanding students who wish to prepare to become teachers and will agree to teach in Florida.

Shoot Movie Scenes At Fort Lauderdale

Every beachcomber wanted to get into the act when Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer filmed location scenes at Fort Lauderdale for "Where the Boys Are," collegiate comedy starring Dolores Hart, George Hamilton, Yvette Mimieux, Jim Hutton, Barbara Nichols, Paula Prentiss and popular songstress, Connie Francis, making the movie debut.

"Where the Boys Are," plays at the Hilton Wednesday through Friday, "Butterfield 8," starring Elizabeth Taylor is the co-feature.

In addition to the beach scenes, other sequences filmed on location at the famous Florida resort included scenes filmed in CinemaScope and color at the beautiful Bahia Mar Yacht basin and luxurious waterway mansions. It marks the first time Fort Lauderdale has been used for motion picture location filming.

"Where the Boys Are" is based on the best-selling novel by Glendon Swarthout, telling a story of what happens when a swarm of college students descend on Fort Lauderdale on an Easter vacation.

Avon JayCees To Install Officers

The Avon Park JayCees plan to install their new officers at a special meeting this Saturday, May 27, at the Jucananda Hotel. Leading the slate of officers to be installed are Harry Hood as president and Bob Whitcomb, Charles Collins, and Harry "Bud" Warden as the vice presidents.

After the installation a dance will be held to honor the new officers. All past and present members of the JayCees are invited to attend the affair.

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KINDERGARTEN GRADUATES—Members of the Key Whitcomb who graduated Tuesday night are, (left to right) standing: Janis Bravely, Carolyn Henderson, Kathleen Ludwig, Jill Stone, Carol Wicker, Lynn Camp, Seated: Pat Worden, Mark Monte-meyer, Andy Prescott, Bobby Watson, Mickey Lanier, Pat DeLaney, Mike Parker, Tommy Lawrence, Richard Birt, John Wright, Henry Lanier, Kent Filippa.

Here And There—

Kansas Family Visits Relatives Here This Week

S/Sgt. William D. Weaver, Jr., and family of Fort Ord, Calif., arrived this week for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Joe Weaver, and sister, Mrs. W. F. Matthews, and other relatives. Mrs. Weaver is the former Pauline Thomas of Fort Ord, Calif., is visiting his mother, Mrs. W. S. Rawlings, Major Rawlings is just retired after 20 years of service with the Army. He and his mother will leave this week to join Mrs. Rawlings and their little daughter, Linda, who are visiting her parents in Augusta, Ga. They will also go to Arlington, Va. and Washington, D. C. to visit relatives, and then Mrs. Rawlings will accompany her son and family to Hurst, Texas, for a visit in their new home before she returns to Avon Park.

The Rev. Aden Childress is attending the Southern Baptist Convention this week, being held in St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. Lucille Shockey and son, Jimmy, Mrs. Fatti Hill and Mrs. A. B. Whitte were among the thousands visiting Cape Canaveral and they were escorted on the tour by John Paxton Hill, Jr., who holds a position there.

Dr. and Mrs. Samuel A. King had her brother and family for a visit Sunday. They were Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Butler, Jr. to Ann, Jess, Karen and Mark, of Hollywood, Florida, who were en route home from a visit to Cape Canaveral.

Miss May Smith of Yonkers, Calif., arrived this week to visit her twin brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Noy Smith, who reside in the Sunny Ridge Trailer Park. Friends met her at the airport when she arrived by plane Sunday.

Mrs. Pearl Spinks returned Wednesday from a visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Fannie Spinks of Orlando.

Honored guests of Mrs. Robert Watson have been Mrs. Charles Magill of Lansdowne, Pa., and Mrs. Jack of Mexico, Pa., who were called here on account of the death of their brother-in-law, Harry C. Hutchison.

Circle Meets At Suggs Home Mon.

Mrs. Lena Suggs was hostess for the Bettye Lawton Circle meeting Monday night at her home on W. Cornell Street. During the business the group discussed a project they will work towards for their name sake, Bettye Lawton Clark, who is on the mission field in Japan.

The program, "What God Hath Wrought Through Prayer" was given from the study book. Refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed.

The Mildred Fann Circle met at the home of Mrs. W. B. Hill Tuesday morning with 11 members and two visitors present. Mrs. Mark Smith Circle Chairman conducted the business. Mrs. S. A. King presented the program with everyone present reading from a scroll she had prepared. The meeting closed with chain prayer service.

The Alice Tumbler Circle was entertained at the home of Mrs. C. W. Fable Tuesday morning. There were 12 members and two visitors present and the program was combined with the study book on Intercessory Prayer.

Senior Girls Honored By School Teacher

Mrs. Mary Jean Rodick entertained the girls of the senior class, Saturday afternoon at her home. These girls were also members of the 7th grade which was the first class Mrs. Rodick taught when she came to Avon Park.

Mrs. Chloé Lookhoff, senior sponsor, and 26 girls were invited to the get-together for old times sake. Each guest was presented a little remembrance gift.

The dining table was covered with a lace cloth. An arrangement of day lilies and gerbers formed the centerpiece. Dainty sandwiches and party snacks were served with soft drinks. Compliments held saluted stars and mints.

White and yellow glads were used in the living room and potted plants on the sun porch. Following this party, late in the afternoon, Mrs. Rodick's guests were Mrs. John Crittenden, Mrs. C. R. Gine, Mrs. W. P. O'Brien, Mrs. J. W. Martin, Mrs. B. F. Martin, Mrs. E. L. Bell of Tampa and Mrs. William Tittle of St. Petersburg. Miss Devoah Rodick assisted her mother with serving.

House Passes Humane Bill

Rep. Ben Hill Griffin introduced the Humane Slaughter Bill which passed the House recently, but must still come before the Senate.

The bill would require that animals be rendered insensible to pain before they are killed. The American Humane Society awards the Seal of Approval to slaughterhouses that have converted to new methods of slaughter.

Highlands County does not have a Humane Society, but efforts are being made to get a chapter organized. This is a non-profit organization and annual memberships are only \$1.00 or as much as a person desires to contribute. Anyone interested in becoming a member should contact Mrs. Fatti-Hendricks.

F. H. A. Chapter Elects Officers

The final meeting of the High School F. H. A. chapter was held Tuesday night, with election of new officers.

Following the election, junior degrees were conferred on the following girls: Carol Ann Childress, Pamela Flint, Sandra Fuller, Georgiann Godwin, Kathy King, S. Lawrence, Sharon Lee, Queen Nolin, Bonnie Oberle, Pat Parrish, Judy Pritchett, Deborah Reddick, Judy Schnell, Carol Sanders, Becky Thompson, Diane Sizemore and Torrita Gaster.

After the ceremony, the girls and their parents enjoyed refreshments.

Start THE WEEK with God

ATTENDING CHURCH SUNDAY

Whitcomb Kindergarten Graduation Exercises Observed Tuesday Night

Services Held For W. E. Kelley

W. E. Kelley, who died suddenly Tuesday, May 23, was buried Friday in the Boughn-villa Cemetery following services held in the First Baptist Church.

The Rev. Aden D. Childress officiating. Stephens Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Mrs. Kelley's four brothers and her two brother-in-laws served as pallbearers: R. F. Anderson, Zella Springs; M/Sgt. Robert A. Anderson, Columbia, S. C.; J. R. Anderson, Highlands City; T. W. Anderson, Bradley; Fred Mays, Ft. Green and Bill Abbotson, Wauchula.

Honorary pallbearers were I. H. Ford, Floyd Shamacker, Joe Franza, Cecil Ferguson, George Bonier and Ross Bighler.

The Kelley's only daughter, Miss Eulora Kelley, returned to her school in Tampa, Monday. Their son, S/Sgt. James P. Kelley and Mrs. Kelley and son, Dennis, of Bermuda, will remain here for a few weeks. Sgt. Kelley is stationed at the Kindley Air Force Base, Bermuda, and is taking his furlough to be here with his mother at this time.

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State Tourney—

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take care of the police committee and will assist with recreation plans.

Durham Martin, representing the Volunteer Fire Department, is in charge of placing banners across the highway and Harry Hood, president of the Jaycees, is taking care of placing directional signs at strategic spots pointing out the way to Head Field, site of the tournament.

Francis Laflam, representing the American Legion, heads up the parking committee. Royal Coats is serving as chairman of the housing committee and will also serve as co-chairman of the food committee along with Vern Griffin.

Dr. S. J. Ward will be in charge of the Donaldson Park Recreational Center and Robert Gay is serving as chairman of the telephone committee.

Plans for tournament stickers for automobiles which will entitle out-of-town cars free parking in the business section are being handled by Hubbard Biggs.

Baptist Youth Enjoy Hayride

The Young People of the Florida Avenue Baptist Church enjoyed a hayride and a picnic on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Green accompanied the group. To serve with the winners they had salad and slaw, potato chips and cold drinks.

Those attending were Sandra Porter, Jimmy Porter, Glenda Horton, Barbara Lewis, Randy Lewis and Carolyn Collier.

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First Methodist Church

Marvin H. Thompson, Minister

Regular Church Schedule

SUNDAY
Church School 9:45 A.M.
Worship Service 11:00 A.M.
(Nursery conducted during both the
Church School and Worship Service)
Methodist Youth Fellowship
Choir Rehearsal 5:30 P.M.
Worship Program 6:00 P.M.
Evening Worship Service 7:30 P.M.
WEDNESDAY
Mid-Week Prayer
and Bible Study 7:00 P.M.
Chancel Choir Rehearsal 8:00 P.M.
1st Tuesday of the month—
General Meeting of the Woman's
Society of Christian Service—9:00 A.M.

Christian Science Society

New Location
Corner Avon Blvd. & Highlands Ave.
Avon Park Lakes
Sunday Services 11:00 A.M.
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
1st and 3rd Wednesdays 8:00 P.M.
Reading Rooms Open Every Friday
4 P.M.
ALL ARE WELCOME

Episcopal Church of The Redeemer

(Verona and Pleasant Streets)
Sunday Services:
7:30 A.M. Holy Communion
9:30 A.M. Family Eucharist and
Church School
11:00 A.M. 1st, 3rd, and 5th
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and Sermon
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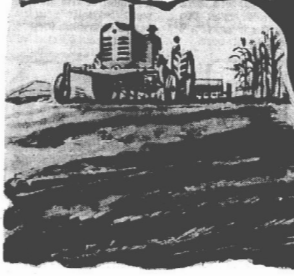
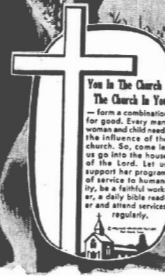
Herbert D. Graetz, Minister
Early Morning Service 9:00 A.M.
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship Hour 11:00 A.M.
Junior Pilgrim Fellowship 6:30 P.M.
Senior Pilgrim Fellowship 7:00 P.M.
Devotional and Bible Study
Tuesday 7:30 P.M.
Nursery for Small Children at
Sunday School and Worship Services

Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church

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Masses 8:30 A.M. and 10:00 A.M.

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The Book says this earthly body must die IF it is to live.
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must die, but he also knows that 'death' is part of the
process of life. Immediately after the seed is buried in
mother earth, all the ministries of God are set in
motion to work a miracle. For it is said, *that to make one little
yellow grain, requires the sunshine and the rain, the
hoarded riches of the sod—and God.* It is all the miracle
of Life. The hull rots and falls away much like the
sins of a man being reborn of God. It is the Lord's way of
carrying on His creative process to multiply the sustenance
of both man and beast. Then thank God for life that
is born of death. The fruit of summer and of autumn
waits upon this death-to-life miracle of a good
God, as a reborn soul waits to be used of His Lord. Then,
there is no death... what seems so is transition.
Come with me to church this week.



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Walker Memorial Seventh-day Adventist Church

Across lake from Hospital

SATURDAY
Sabbath School 9:30 A.M.
Worship Hour 11:00 A.M.
Vespers — Thirty minutes before sunset
WEDNESDAY
Prayer and Bible Study 7:30 P.M.
FRIDAY
Youth Service (YPMV) 7:30 P.M.

First Baptist Church

Avon Park, Florida
Aden D. Childress, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Training Union 6:30 P.M.
Evening Worship 7:45 P.M.
Mid-week Service, Wed. 7:45 P.M.

Resurrection Lutheran Church

SUNDAY
Worship Service 11:00 A.M.
Winter Guest Clubhouse
Rev. John W. Walters, Minister
Visitors Always Welcome

Church of the Nazarene

W. E. Spurlock, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Service 10:50 A.M.
Youth Service 6:15 P.M.
Evangelistic Service 7:00 P.M.
Mid-week Service—Wed. 7:30 P.M.

First Christian Church

Corner Pine and Fairfield
Bible Study 10:00 A.M.
Worship Service 11:00 A.M.
Christian Endeavor 6:30 P.M.
Worship 7:30 P.M.
Wed. Night Bible Study 8:00 P.M.

First Assembly of God

112 So. Central Ave.
H. J. Held, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Young People
(Christ Ambassadors) 6:30 P.M.
Evangelistic Service 7:30 P.M.
Wed. Mid-week Prayer and
Bible Study 7:30 P.M.
Thursday, Womens Missionary
Council 2:00 P.M.

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Avon Park Negro Waives Hearing On Charge Of Intent To Kill

Short Course On Water, Sewerage Set At U. of Fla.

JACKSONVILLE. — The official call for the twenty-ninth annual short course on water and sewerage has gone out from the Florida State Board of Health. It was contained in a letter from State Health Officer Wilson T. Sowder to the state's mayors, city managers, and other officials connected with the operation of public and private water and sewerage treatment facilities, and stated that the course would be held at the University of Florida, May 29 through June 3.

"We are confident that you will agree that the increased knowledge gained by your water and sewerage operation personnel participating in this annual short training course will justify the expenditure of municipal or company funds in order to make their attendance possible. The valuable information that will be acquired will be reflected in improved plant and system operation," the letter said. It went on to indicate that, as in past years, examinations would be held at the end of the course for the certification or upgrading of Class A and B operators.

The annual short course is co-sponsored each year by the General Extension Division of the University of Florida and the State Board of Health, through its Bureau of Sanitary Engineering. David B. Lee, director of the bureau, and chairman of the planning committee, estimated that attendance this year probably would be close to two hundred, and that a number of men would qualify for certification or upgrading of their certificates. He said the course has been of inestimable value through the years to the people of the state in providing an ever-increasing number of better trained and qualified operators for the water and sewerage treatment facilities which play such a vital role in the life and progress of the state.

Information on the course can be obtained, he said, from his office in Jacksonville, or from the university at Gainesville.

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An Avon Park Negro is being held in county jail on a charge of assault with intent to kill. James Jackson, Jr., 21, is accused of attacking Henry Underwood with a knife.

In County Court Monday Jackson waived preliminary hearing. He was ordered held without bond until the condition of the victim is determined.

Also arraigned on the charge of assault with intent to kill was Merilan Samuel, 45-year-old Sebring Negro. She is charged with an attack on her husband Dock Samuel. In court Monday preliminary hearing was waived and bond set at \$2000.

An aggravated assault charge was faced by Willie Coleman, 25, Avon Park Negro. Coleman waived hearing and was bound over to Circuit Court on a \$1000 bond.

Mary Osborne, 17-year-old Lake Placid Negro, waived preliminary hearing on an aggravated assault charge.

Two drivers faced driving while intoxicated charges. Roland Odom pleaded not guilty to the driving charge and bond was set at \$200. He also was charged with carrying a concealed weapon and bond on that count was set at \$100.

Richard Allen Haugen pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated, and on that charge was fined \$200 or three months in jail. Judge Mervin Rehner revoked Haugen's driver's license for a year.

Haugen entered guilty pleas to three other charges. On the desecrating county property charge, Haugen was ordered to make restitution or spend 60 days in jail.

After pleading guilty to resisting arrest with violence and unauthorized use of a vehicle, Haugen was returned to the county jail where he will be held pending a report from Minnesota authorities on his mental status.

Two persons appeared in court Monday to answer charges of illegal possession of whiskey in a beer licensed establishment. Bond for Ruste Green was set at \$1000 and for J. E. Langford at \$2000. Both have pleaded not guilty.

Law and order is never sustained by gangsters operating openly or under masks.

HONORED FOR SAFE DRIVING—Jim Alderman, left, manager of Borden's Dairy, Sebring branch, received the Red Seal Certificate of Merit from Michael Mikhlas, Borden District Safety Director last week in recognition of the company's outstanding safe driving record at the branch. The branch serves the Avon Park area in addition to seven other counties. The award is the result of the drivers' outstanding performance in the safe operation of their vehicles on the streets and highways, as well as to the safety of the general public in the communities which they serve.

Baptist Intermediates Stage Banquet In Church Social Hall

The Intermediate Girls' Auxiliary, their dates and other guests enjoyed a banquet at the First Baptist Church Social Hall, Friday night.

The program was planned in three stages of operations, with Mrs. Aden D. Childress, G. A. Director in charge. She was assisted by LaVerna Platt, who served as space guide.

Upon arrival each guest was given a ticket with instructions, startling and amusing, about space travelers, and the blast-off was celestial chants played on a hi-fi set.

Stage One included a period of group singing featuring melodies from the moon. A reading "The Best World of Them All," by E. Ray Wells; a trio, "It Took a Miracle" was sung by Marilyn Cook, Cheryl Guendri and Carol Ann Childress. Mrs. Harold Guendri, president of the Women's Missionary Society gave the invocation.

Stage Two, "Filling the Void" was a delicious turkey dinner served according to appropriately stated terms, on the printed menu and program booklet. Miniature rockets, made from foil covered candies were used as favors. The long tables were covered with blue cloths, scattered with silver stars, blue candles and topiaries. The speakers' table was centered with a miniature Saturn, the with star shaped floral arrangements on either side. Greenery and crystal balls holding blue confetti's centered the other tables.

A skit "What on Earth?" when the man from Mars arrived in the midst of the meal, proved entertaining and also showed appreciation for the GAs, their counselors and various other people. Rev. W. B. Johnson, Mrs. Ophelia Rhiner, Rev. Childress

and Mrs. Childress, assisted with this stage of the operation.

Stage Three was given in the spiritual statorship, with Mrs. Lawler Wells, and Mrs. W. B. Johnson leading. The space trip ended with the hymn, "I'll Go Where You Want Me To Go".

Counselors, Ophelia Rhiner, Jean Gibbs, Jane Wells, and Betty Lou Wells have served the past year with the Betty Lawhorn and Helen Hayes GAs.

Serving the dinner were Mrs. Robert Gay, Mrs. C. A. Stinson, Mrs. Cliff Thomas, Mrs. Louise Wainwright, Mrs. C. R. Burton and Mrs. Marjorie McCally. The room was transformed into a star lit sky with twinkling stars on festoons of paper streamers and a revolving multi-colored spot light with a glittering rocket suspended in space.

Jarrard Urges Development Of Committees

Tallahassee. — Chairman-Director Wendell Jarrard of the Florida Development Commission today urged all communities lacking Committees of 100 to contact the Commission immediately for assistance in organizing such groups.

He explained that the Commission is starting an intensified program to help all areas establish Committees of 100. "Experience has shown that industry, generally speaking, locates in those communities which have strong, unified, hard-hitting sales teams," Jarrard declared.

While some Florida cities have such teams, he continued, many do not. The new program is designed to assure strengthened local efforts in all cities and towns. "With some exceptions, major industry in Florida has tended to locate in Jacksonville, Tampa, St. Petersburg, Orlando, Pensacola, and in the area from West Palm Beach to Miami," Jarrard said. "In each of these places, there's a strong Committee of 100 or similar group."

The Development Commission will continue to work closely with the larger cities in their effort to attract new industry and help existing concerns to expand, the chairman-director explained.

"At the same time, however, we expect to assume greater responsibility for helping smaller communities and rural areas organize strong local sales groups that are essential for successful industrial development, and working with communities in preparing for industry," he said.

Trained representatives of the Commission's Industrial Division already have begun meeting with local chambers to help them create Committees of 100. Commission personnel have as their main objectives:

1. To convince communities of the need for industry and its resultant benefits.
2. The organization of Committees of 100 within the communities to sell their areas.
3. To work actively with and for the local Committees of 100 in attracting and developing industry.
4. To help the communities plan development of the services needed to support industry and the resultant increased population.

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