

Weather Report

	Max.	Min.	Rain
Aug. 27	92	74	
Aug. 28	92	75	
Aug. 29	92	74	.09
Aug. 30	91	70	.07
Aug. 31	92	68	.23
Sept. 1	92	69	.94
Sept. 2	92	68	1.92

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School System Biggest Bussiness In County

"This is probably the largest business in the county," Superintendent George Douglas told the press at a special conference recently.

"Our business is close to the \$9 million mark each year. We have just signed over \$3 million for a new Lake Placid High School which should be ready for occupancy in September, 1976. We have pushed the contractors into a 34-day commitment so there will be time to furnish the school completely before the fall term. I also hope the project will contribute more jobs to the area."

"I don't believe," he added, "that most people realize this is no horse and buggy operation. We attempt to use modern methods in making the Highlands County school system an efficient operation."

Douglas called the press conference to lay out the proposed school budget, proposed, because a final decision will depend upon the 1975 tax roll.

He said that to meet budget requirements the school system is curtailing very few programs, but has reduced the staff by not filling vacancies. As a result classes will be larger, an approximate ratio of one teacher to 27 students.

"We did not reduce the number of aides, custodians, bus drivers or lunchroom staff, nor did we increase base salaries. When you don't know what your income is, it is difficult to come up with a workable budget."

Douglas went on to say, "This is what the state has done for us. It has made us reduce our millage with the 8-mill cap, but has added financial responsibilities without permitting us to pay for them through taxes." He pointed to the employees' retirement fund, which the state used to pay and which now must be matched by the school district.

The superintendent expressed regret that the board had not been able to hire a language art supervisor, as recommended by a citizens' group.

Douglas lauded the school board which had worked hard on the budget, assistant Superintendent Ferrel Smith and the negotiating team of teachers. The ratified contract was approved by the teachers in a 400-40 vote, he said.

He indicated that there had been some knotty problems during bargaining, some of which are still under discussion.

"When you are low on cash you can reduce services, or cut down on maintenance and transportation, but you have little leeway to negotiate." The final agreement was a one-

year contract, although the state allows a three-year pact. He reaffirmed that base salaries were not increased, but yearly increments were allowed. On an annual contract that amounts to \$100 a year and \$300 for those on continuing contracts.

Cutbacks are primarily in the summer recreation program and the Time-Out program, or that portion which

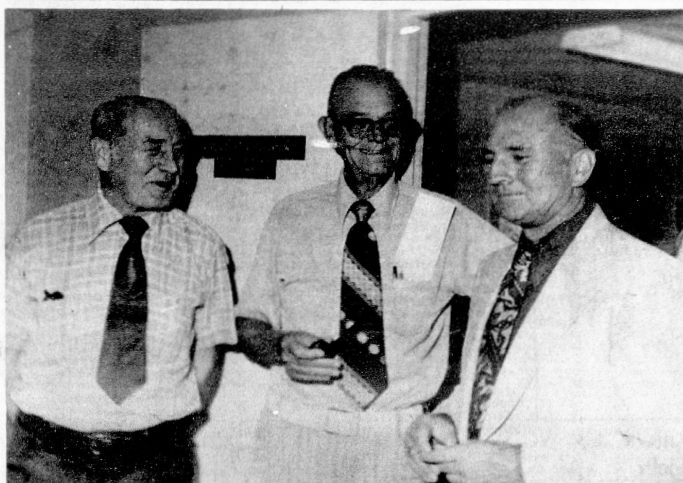
lost its federal grant. Of the summer program everything that did not earn FTE (full time equivalent) funding was omitted.

Band and academic subjects are given the seal of approval, but swimming and physical education are not regarded in the same light.

"That serves to remove the schools from recreation,"

said Douglas. Of the tentative \$7,995,000 budget Douglas said that over 80 per cent of expenses are salaries, seven per cent is due to fixed charges, and the rest is taken up by costs of operation, maintenance and transportation.

The board will not know how much to expect from the state until the FTE count is made. (Continued on page two)



FAVORABLY IMPRESSED — Rep. Ray Mattox was favorably impressed with the APCI education department's re-socialization program which prepares inmates for productive citizenship upon release. Above, he discusses the program with H. G. Dalton, assistant educational

supervisor, left, and John Townsend, director of social services. Mattox commended Townsend "for sticking his neck out" in pursuing the problem of special risk provision which should be extended to some 45 employees at APCI which are presently not covered. Photo — Gobbie

Inequities In Special Risk Are Uncovered

BY NORMA GOBBIE

Rep. Ray Mattox was appalled at the inequity in the implementation of the special risk legislation passed into law in 1969 when he toured Avon Park Correctional Institution Thursday and saw the vast number of correctional employees in direct contact with inmates who are not under the special risk provision.

Mattox said the basic question is "Who is making the decision?"

Special risk designation for state employees would qualify them for early retirement and higher pensions. It affects some 60 employees at the local correctional facility and perhaps 2,000 employees statewide who should be covered by special risk but are not.

Chapter 121.021 (15) of the Florida statutes defines special risk members as follows: "Special risk member means any officer or employee receiving salary payments for work performed as a peace officer, law enforcement officer, policeman, highway patrolman, custodial employee at a correctional or detention facility, correctional agency employee whose duties and responsibilities involve direct contact with inmates, but excluding secretarial and clerical employees; fireman, or an employee in any other job in the field of law enforcement or fire protection if the duties of such person are certified by his employer and approved by the administrator."

Correctional officers and guards have been under special risk since Dec. 1, 1970 and correctional institution superintendents and assistant superintendents were placed under special risk in July, 1972.

But teachers, medical technicians, psychologists, secretaries, shop foremen, laundry heads and others come into more direct contact with inmates than do some of those presently under the special risk provision.

Parole and probation officers and Division of Youth Services employees are covered under the special risk but not these teachers who may spend their entire eight hour day in a room full of inmates.

The tension is there and if inmates decide to riot, are they going out to get a correctional officer or guard at the gate or are they going to grab that teacher right there in a room or that secretary immediately outside in the educational

department office? According to Paul A. Skelton, Jr., superintendent of community correctional centers, in Tallahassee, who has been spearheading the correctional employees' fight for equity state wide, and John Townsend, director of social services at APCI, said the fault for not providing special risk for these employees in hazardous positions lies with Robert L. Kennedy Jr., executive director of the Division of Retirement, Department of Administration. Raising their own funds, the

affected employees have instituted litigation to receive fair treatment under the law. "We are trying to obtain benefits the legislature passed and which the governor approved when he signed the bill," Skelton said. On May 22, 1975, Circuit Judge Kenneth Cooksey, in the Second Judicial Circuit in Leon County rendered a decision in favor of the state employees being classified as special risk upon certification of the Division of Corrections.

Louie Wainwright, director

of the Division of Corrections, had already certified these employees which instituted the suit.

On June 23, the Department of Administration filed an appeal of Judge Cooksey's ruling to the District Court of Appeals in Tallahassee. There is no telling how long the matter will be tied up in the courts.

Meantime, late in July, attorneys representing the correctional employees seeking justice said more money was

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Reliable Fire Reporting System Being Developed

The Florida Division of Forestry is continuing to work with United Telephone Co. to provide residents of Highlands County with a more reliable fire reporting service. District Forester Van Murphy told commissioners Tuesday.

Murphy said that 90 test calls were made to the Okeechobee office from various points in Highlands County to see whether or not the calls would be completed rapidly.

Murphy was responding to complaints registered earlier by commissioners concerning the unreliability of the toll-free telephone service now existing between Highlands County and the Forestry Division's firefighting dispatch office in Okeechobee County.

The telephone company also made a series of test calls using the "N-Watts" line. Their percentage (of completed calls) was much higher than we were getting," Murphy reported.

However, the 90-call test program demonstrated to the telephone company that action had to be taken to improve fire reporting.

Commissioner Robert Skipper asked why county residents could not call the Forestry Division's office in DeSoto City, where the firemen and fire equipment are housed. "We gave you some additional personnel," Skipper reminded, alluding to six employees the county applied to the Forestry Division under

the Federal Comprehensive Employment Training Act (CETA) program.

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FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL — Traffic jams, school buses with flashing lights and youngsters getting room assignments were common sights around Avon Park Tuesday morning as school opened for the 1975-76

school year. Above, Edgar Sanders, guidance counselor at Avon Elementary School, assists students and parents in the last minute rush to get pupils to the right place by class time. Photo — Gobbie.



MRS. LYNN RESPRESS stands beside Mayor Marshall Davis as he signs a proclamation designating the week of September 8th as Cystic Fibrosis Week for the City of Avon Park. Photo — Cornell.

Volunteers Needed To Help With Cystic Fibrosis Drive

Mrs. Lynn Respress is looking for people who can give a little of their time so that millions of children across the United States can have a better chance in life. "I'm recruiting volunteers for a very important cause — helping children who suffer from cystic fibrosis and other lung damaging diseases," said Mrs. Respress, chairman of the 1975 Breath of Life Campaign of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation in Avon Park.

These volunteers will participate in a variety of activities aimed at raising funds to support care, research and education programs benefiting children who have asthma, chronic bronchitis, "childhood emphysema," recurrent pneumonia as well as cystic fibrosis.

"Of the diseases that kill children, lung disease ranks second only to cancer," she stated. "And cystic fibrosis,

the most serious of these diseases, is the number one genetic killer of children."

Mrs. Respress continued: "These are grim statistics. We hope to change them for the better. But, WE NEED HELP. That's why we're appealing for volunteers for our Breath of Life Campaign to raise funds for support of the Cystic Fibrosis programs benefiting these children."

These programs include support for 117 Cystic Fibrosis Centers across the nation, including five in Florida, which provide diagnosis, treatment and referral to children suffering from lung damaging diseases and gastro-intestinal disorder related to cystic fibrosis.

Two aims of Foundation research, she pointed out, are a test to detect carriers of the gene for cystic fibrosis which is a hereditary disease and a method of diagnosis at birth. "The true goal, of course, is to find a cure or control for the disease."

"Although there is much to accomplish, there has been terrific progress since the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation was established in 1955. And this progress was made possible because of the public's support," said Mrs. Respress.

For instance, in 1955, most children with cystic fibrosis died in their early years. Now, more than 50 per cent are living past age 18 and becoming productive adults.

"But, we want to make it possible for all children with cystic fibrosis to live past age 18. Volunteers can help," she added. Also we have two children in the Highlands County Area that have Cystic Fibrosis. So please if you have a few hours during the week of Sept. 8-13 give it to the children who need your help.

To volunteer for the Breath of Life Campaign, contact Mrs. Lynn Respress at 433-5642.

Britt, Howard Will Seek Re-election

Qualifying for the upcoming Avon Park City election of mayor and two councilmen is now open and the deadline for qualifying will be Friday, Oct. 23. The election is slated for Dec. 2.

Councilman Robert Britt and Council Vice President Milton C. Howard, who holds the two expiring terms, have both indicated they will run for re-election. Neither have made a formal statement but told the SUN Tuesday they would run again.

Mayor Marshall Davis reportedly plans to run for re-election, but was out of town Tuesday and could not be reached.

The books are now open for voter registration and those wishing to register may do so at Avon Park City Hall from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. The deadline for registering to vote in this election is Oct. 16, as the books must close 45 days prior to any election.

Information on qualifying for candidacy in the election may be obtained from City Clerk Malcolm Crews at City Hall.

Johnson Injured In Lake Isis

A young Avon Park resident was seriously injured in a dive into Lake Isis, Aug. 28. According to the sheriff's accident report, Randy Johnson, 21, made a running dive into the lake, hit his head.

Sheriff's ambulance service moved Johnson to Walker Memorial Hospital then to Winter Haven. Hospital attendants said some time must elapse before it will be possible to determine whether Johnson's initial paralysis will be permanent.

Special Sewer Meet Set

A special meeting of city officials, Farmers Home Administration officials, engineers, contractors and utility representatives is slated today (Thursday) at 1 p.m. in City Hall.

The meeting was requested by FHIA to finalize all necessary papers on the sewer project and to issue a notice to proceed to contractors.

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Fire Reporting

permanent plans on temporary people," Murphy told Skipper. The Forestry Division pays \$30 per month for the N-Watts service that has proved less than satisfactory.

Even if the N-Watts service were to be superseded by direct tie lines, Murphy said it would still be needed for county people who want to call the Okeechobee office to obtain permits for open burning.

"What we all desire," Board Chairman C. J. "Buddy" Wise interjected, "is a direct line to right out here (DeSoto City)."

Commissioner Kelly Phillips suggested that perhaps the county's dissatisfaction with

its N-Watts service should be discussed at the telephone company's rate hearing before the Public Service Commission later this month.

"We haven't given up on the phone company," Murphy countered. "They're still working and they seem to be sincere in solving the problem."

"As we go into the fire season," Murphy warned, "We just can't continue to go like we are at present."

Wise said that commissioners would continue to press for a fire reporting system that would adequately protect Highlands County.

School System

usually in October and then again in February, Douglas expressed hope that all migrant students would be on board and "Lord help us if there's a flu epidemic!"

Until then the projected PTE is 9,132 multiplied by the "weighted fact," giving an

enrollment of 7,150 in Highlands schools this year, as a conservative estimate.

Douglas concluded the press conference by stressing that "a good school results from the community knowing what good education is all about."

Letters To The Editor

Ladies & Gentlemen of America:

After 200 years of Freedom in this Country that we all have enjoyed, I think it is time to build something that will be everlasting in memory of those men and women who gave their lives in our Country's defense. As you know next year our Country will be 200 years old.

This here and now would be the time to get behind this project to honor those who have bled and suffered for our Country and died. Most of my twenty years of service was Infantry, so death and hardship have been my constant companion. I know the sound of men dying and the wounded, but I have not heard the sound of voices saying let us honor God, our sons and daughters and America with a Chapel dedicated to the God that has everlasting mercy with Victory and Defeat.

In memory of those veterans who went the last mile for us, I have pledged my Disability check each month for a year to this fund but I do not wish to ask anyone else to do that. If each person in the United

States of America, would give just One Dollar, this could be a chapel almost as nice as Solomon's Temple and surely we would have the blessings of God now as he did then.

If you have the names of men and women who have died for this Country, please send them to me as their name will be placed on a Scroll that will be placed in the altar once the Chapel is built. The location will be determined later. Donors who donate one dollar or more will also be identified on the Scroll that will be placed beside the other one.

This Chapel will be non-sectarian and all denominational and all donations will be placed in Escrow or a Trust fund as prescribed by Law. Your time and prayers and your donation can make this all come true.

Men and women of America, the ball has been passed to you; can we do it?—you better believe we can!

Sincerely,
Earl H. Harmon,
President
Armed Forces Memorial Chapel Fund

New Safty Rules Coming

U. S. Rep. Lou Frey Jr., Florida, said, "We are close to the end of the road for unsafe mobile homes."

"The Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) will announce new safety standards for mobile homes sometime this week. I have studied the standards and feel they are drawn tightly enough to embody the concept of my mobile home safety legislation."

The Florida Congressman was referring to the National Mobile Home, Home and Recreational Vehicle Safety Act—authored by Frey and signed into law last year.

"The standards will outlaw the use of all-aluminum wiring—the most frequent cause of mobile home fires—and require manufacturers to install at least one smoke detector per home."

The use of foam plastic thermal insulating materials, while not prohibited, was

severely limited by HUD.

HUD also redrew the geographical wind zones resulting in the East and Gulf coasts being designated "Hurricane Zones."

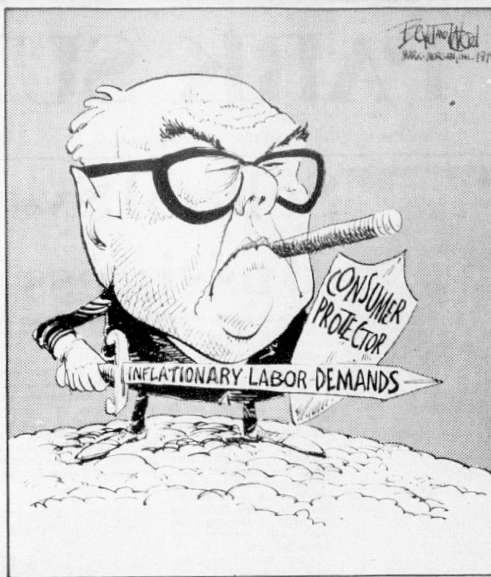
"Mobile homes in these areas will have to comply with strict structural and mooring standards—including the attachment of roof framing to wall framing, walls to floor structure, and floor structure to chassis to secure and maintain continuity between the floor and chassis to resist overturning and sliding."

"My investigation uncovered incidents of elderly people trapped in burning mobile homes because windows were too small to crawl through and incidents of wind damage because manufacturers scrimped on framing materials; these new regulations will go a long way toward ending this needless loss of life and property damage," Frey said.

The true Christian church has always been composed of people who renounced the sinful ways of the world and subjected themselves to the laws and the principles of truth as taught by Christ and his disciples. It follows therefore that only such are true members of the church of Christ.

Christ emphasized this truth repeatedly. I have given them thy word, and the world hath hated them, because they are not of the world, even as I am not of the world. I pray not that thou shouldst take them out of the world, but that thou shouldst keep them from the evil that is in the world. John 17:14-17.

The church of Christ is referred to as the body of



Let Not Thy Left Hand Know
What Thy Right Hand Doeth

Smoking Clinic Slated At Walker Memorial

Plans are underway to hold a Five-Day Stop Smoking Clinic at Walker Memorial Hospital tentatively slated for the last of September, Chaplain H. J. Bennett, has announced.

The American Lung Association reports that:

"Researchers at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine studied the incidence of pneumonia and bronchitis among thousands of children in their early years. They found that youngsters in the first year of life had a higher rate of these diseases if their parents smoked. The rate was highest when both parents smoked, somewhat less when only one parent smoked, and lowest when both parents were non-smokers."

Since young children can't defend themselves against tobacco smoke generated by

parents' smoking actually doubled the risk of an infant's attack of pneumonia or bronchitis. "Attacks of pneumonia and bronchitis, particularly in the first year of life," says the researchers, "can still result in infant death despite prompt and vigorous treatment," the warning is chilling.

Children who have respiratory illnesses in the first year of life, the researchers say, have also been found to be subject to chronic respiratory diseases later in life.

Another major study showed that respiratory illnesses among children were twice as common when the parents smoked at home compared to youngsters who had non-smoking parents.

For more information and a reservation at the next Stop Smoking Clinic, call 438-7511, ext. 271.

air, it's up to parents to get the message. And that message is this: Your Smoking May Be Hazardous To Your Child's Health."

Have you tried to stop smoking on your own and couldn't? Would you like some help quitting?

The Five-Day No Smoking Clinic will help you sell yourself on breaking the smoking habit. There will be scientific information on what tobacco will do to your heart, brain and other vital organs.

There will be encouragement to stop smoking by reviewing astonishing achievements of prominent people who did. There will be warnings in the experiences of those who did not.

Barben Reports

Abandoned Car

In Grove

An abandoned car on Moon Ranch Road appears to link a DeSoto City couple to a hit-run accident which left a Sebring man seriously injured.

Ignazio Dimonte, 67, was struck by an auto as he walked along U.S. 27, near the Jim Blackman Ford company site, south of Sebring.

The accident was reported at 10:15 a.m. Aug. 27. On Sept. 2 Dimonte was still a patient at Highlands General Hospital where his condition is listed as satisfactory.

Florida Highway Patrol has obtained warrants for the arrest of Phillip Krezanowski, a resident of the apartments adjacent to Sunny Haven Retirement Home in DeSoto City.

Krezanowski is charged with driving without a valid driver's license, leaving the scene of an accident, failure to give information and aid on an accident involving injury (the last a felony under Florida law).

The day after the accident Bob Barben of Avon Park reported to Highlands County sheriff's office that an auto had been left on Moon Ranch Road, 80 rows of citrus trees removed from SR 623 running to Sebring Airport.

Sheriff's investigators found the abandoned car belonging to the Krezanowskis, had been the one involved in the pedestrian accident.

A few hours later Sebring Rent-A-Car, Inc., which operates out of Blackman Ford, complained that an auto rented to Margaret Krezanowski was overdue.

The auto agency said the car had been rented "about noon on Aug. 27," less than two hours after the hit-run. The car was to have been returned Aug. 28 and when it did not appear, the agency asked the sheriff to look it up.

On another front, Mrs. Mark Kline, landlady for Phillip and Margaret Krezanowski, said the car had been given her a bad check but had promised to make it good. Mrs. Kline said the promised payment had not been made and the couple had disappeared, leaving behind virtually all their belongings.

Neighbors living near the Krezanowski apartment said Mrs. Krezanowski had been employed since moving to the area, but her husband was handicapped and almost blind, neighbors said.

Mrs. Krezanowski's driver license, which listed her age as 26, carried an Avon Park address. The state attorney's office is processing the bad check against Mrs. Krezanowski, but no formal action has been initiated on the auto theft report.

Trooper J. E. Vann is heading the investigation for Florida Highway Patrol.

Ellerbe Suffers

Heart Attack

C. W. Ellerbe, Avon Park building inspector, suffered a heart attack Tuesday of Lake week and was admitted to Walker Memorial Hospital where he was placed in intensive care where he remained until the weekend.

Ellerbe made a brief visit to his home Tuesday afternoon, however, and said he planned to stop in at the office each day this week.

He said when he went to work on Tuesday of last week he "didn't feel right" and when he went to see his doctor who ordered him to the hospital.

Wherefore come out from among them, and be ye separate, saith the Lord, and touch not the unclean thing; and I will receive you, and will be a Father unto you, and will be my sons and daughters, saith the Lord almighty. 2 Corinthians 6:14-18.

Christ's true followers are referred to as stones which are built into his spiritual temple. We are lively stones, are built up a spiritual house. 1 Peter 2:5. All those who are classified as lively stones, have patterned their lives after Christ the chief corner stone.

How can one be sure that he or she belongs to Christ's church? Paul gives us a clear answer to this question. Be ye not unequally yoked together



Turkey Talk

By NORMA GOBBLE

Time was when truck drivers were the most courteous drivers on the highway as a general rule. There have been many times that I've seen trucks pull over onto the shoulder on hills to let cars pass and I have had truck drivers stop to give aid when I was having car trouble.

But with more and bigger trucks on the highways, truck drivers are becoming less and less responsible. Oh, there are still truck drivers that are courteous and responsible but many of them are a menace to motorists.

These irresponsible truck drivers are in control of tons of sudden death. Yet, they race down U. S. highways and especially on Bloody 27, I see them time and time again. And where are the cops? Why aren't they stopped?

I don't mean going fast, which they do. That's bad enough. But I mean two or more trucks racing each other and putting the rest of us in danger.

State traffic laws provide for cars to keep one car length between cars and for trucks to keep one truck length between them. But they flagrantly disobey the law and put all our lives on the line.

It's not the first time it has happened to me but Wednesday afternoon four truck drivers endangered the lives of me, my two children and three or four occupants of the other car.

We were going north on U.S. 27 between the intersection of SR 64 and the hospital and had gotten in the left lane in preparation for a left turn. There was a car shortly ahead of us in the right lane.

Four trucks came sailing through, far exceeding the speed limit. One by one they whipped between me and the other car leaving no more than a foot of space between the back of the truck and the front of my car and I'm sure no more than that between the front of the truck and the rear of the other car.

They sped on in the left lane

until they got past all traffic in the right lane and before they reached the hospital, they were racing two abreast up Highway 27 at a speed of about 70 miles per hour.

These were Commercial Carriers trucks, the worst of all offenders according to my observations. Although recently two Terminal trucks pulled a caper almost as bad coming south on 27.

And once not too long ago two racing trucks actually forced that car off the road. Luckily there was a firm wide shoulder.

A friend of mine who is also a truck driver told me about an incident near Lakeland when a Commercial Carrier truck almost caused him to wreck his truck and almost caused an oncoming car to wreck as the Commercial driver passed my friend.

Racing is not for the highways be it cars or trucks. There are race tracks for such or it belongs in fantasies such as television's "Movin' On."

And they make it rough on the responsible truck drivers who do not present these hazards to people on the highways.

When something like this happens, get the truck number and report it to their company, the state police or the Interstate Commerce Commission. Let's get these potential murderers off the road or force them to observe common safety rules as well as the laws.

Well, talk about government wasting taxpayers' money, but get a load of this one. The federal government recently spent \$21,000 for a study on the effects of using marijuana on sex life. And I understand this study consisted of college boys watching pornographic movies while the influence of marijuana.

They could've probably gotten a lot of people to do that for nothing. And isn't that something when the government makes available something it has declared to be illegal.

Murphy Presents County

Commissioners With Check

District Forester Van Murphy presented county commissioners with a check for \$2,115 Tuesday, to match a similar amount being contributed by members of five county volunteer fire departments.

Murphy told commissioners that the check represents only part of matching contributions applied for by local fire departments under Title IV of the Rural Development Act which is administered in part by the Division of Forestry.

The unfunded allocations for the fiscal year when additional federal funds were made available, Murphy promised.

Under the present allocation covered by the \$2,115 check, Lakeland, Lake Josephine, Leisure Lakes and Highlands Lake volunteer fire departments will each receive \$465 to be used toward the purchase of water pumps, hoses and nozzles.

Each of the requested pumping systems costs \$950. Therefore, \$495 will have to be added to the federal grant by the volunteer fire departments before the pumps can be purchased.

Under Sebring Shores Fire Department requested a smaller pumping system than the others, costing \$270, their federal allocation amounts to \$135.

Board Chairman C. J. "Buddy" Wise thanked Murphy on behalf of Highlands County residents who will benefit from the new water pump systems being operational.

In other business, commissioners:

— Adopted a resolution closing Hall Avenue in Lakewood Terrace subdivision on condition that Mr. and Mrs. Howard Crawford would dedicate a replacement street in the same general area.

— Renounced interest in a road located in Breezy Point

Park, Lake Placid, on which the home of Mrs. Helen Carlson was erroneously constructed.

— Accepted a deed for an easement (utility) on the east side of lot 32, Golfview Estates, Sebring area.

— Adopted a resolution opposing legislation being considered in Washington that would legalize voting registration by postcard. Bill Van Baalen, solicited commissioners' opposition of the proposed laws on behalf of the Highlands County Property Owners Association which contends SR 62 and U.S. 27.

Removed Hendrick Avenue, Lakewood Terrace, Ohio Blvd, Lake Lachard Drive and Michigan Blvd, all in Lake Placid, from the Road and Bridge Department's leveling (resurfacing) list because these roads need major work.

— Authorized leveling of Tower Road in Lake Placid between SR 62 and U.S. 27.

Instructed assistant county engineer Carl Cook to investigate the possibility of obtaining federal funds to support the Department of bicycle paths in Highlands County.

— Agreed to advertise the cancellation of the Sept. 23 meeting to enable their attending a State Association of County Commissioners conference in Orlando.

Smoker Says:

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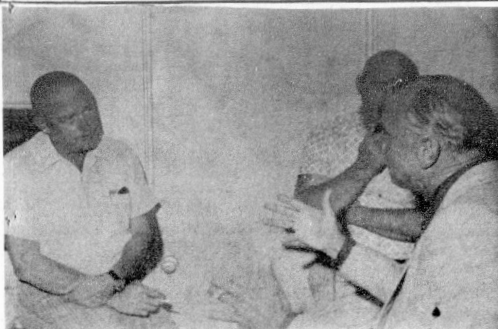
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SPECIAL RISK BENEFITS, although passed by the legislature and approved by the governor when he signed the bill, has been denied state employees who have almost constant close contact with inmates such as

Dr. Fred Schneider, the API physician left, and R. L. Sherman, boiler operator, who discuss the situation with Rep. Ray Mattox Thursday. Photo — Gobbie



APPALLED AT THE PICTURE regarding psychological evaluations and the workload carried by psychologist Helen Towery, above, Rep. Ray Mattox registers stern determination to get to the heart of the

problem during Thursday's tour of APCI. Mrs. Towery is resigning because in order to stay only six months behind, she must take work home with her nights and weekends. Photo — Gobbie



PAUSING IN SURPRISED DISBELIEF at the inequities among state employees which would put correction officers seldom in contact with inmates on special risk while denying it to employees who are in almost constant contact with hardened criminals, Rep. Ray Mattox vows to get to the bottom of the problem and called it to the attention of those who can do something about it. Photo — Gobbie

Inequities Uncovered

needed to fight the appeal. Why should state employees have to pay legal counsel to force the Department of Administration to comply with a state law?

Rep. Mattox came to APCI at the urging of Townsend for a first hand look at the "behind the fence" conditions and operation of a correctional institution. Mattox's reaction was that inequities do exist and "all of these employees should be placed under the special risk provision or all them on it should be taken off."

He blamed the problem on

the bureaucracy. "The big problem is in big government," he said many times legislators are not contacted about such situations and state employees are often afraid to pursue matters in fear of losing their jobs.

Mattox commended Townsend for "sticking his neck out to bring this matter to my attention."

In a sidelight problem uncovered on the APCI tour, Mattox was astounded at the workload of the APCI

psychologist, Mrs. Helen Towery. Mrs. Towery is resigning because "I can no longer cope."

Mrs. Towery told Mattox she is doing the work of two people and in order to keep no more than six months behind she must take work home with her nights and weekends.

She cited the mountains of paperwork involved in evaluations. The Parole and Probations Commission must have a psychological evaluation before they will even consider an inmate for parole.

Mattox cited this as "impeding the service of government" noting that the purpose of noting that "to serve the people."

Mattox said the entire situation must be called to the attention of people who could correct the problem.

On the positive side of the APCI tour, Mattox was favorable impressed with the education department's re-socialization program which aims at preparing an inmate to take a productive role in society upon release. Mattox was impressed with the small numbers who have been under the program who return as repeaters of offenses.

Mattox said more research would be necessary into the problem but it is clear that he intends to get to the heart of the matter and get the people involved who can resolve the inequities.

Hundreds Turn Out To Roast
Highlands School Superintendent

A man who "believes in prayer and miracles," who has guided the Highlands County School District for the past ten years, George Douglas was honored with a "roasting" Wednesday night.

Between 500 and 600 friends of George Douglas turned out to pay him homage in a manner which produced an evening of mirth and reminiscence.

Former and present teachers, school board members, students, teammates from his football days, county commission representatives and members of the community joined with education officials from Tallahassee in making it a memorable event.

Chairman of the committee which sponsored George Douglas Appreciation Night was Jack Ingle, principal of Woodlawn, who introduced members of the superintendent's family and emcee "Red" Mitchell, former football star of the University of Florida.

A raucous par excellence, Mitchell had the audience dissolved in laughter. He said he came from a town in Alabama town so small that everyone had to take turns being the town drunk; that its only production was rum, and its only entertainment, watching the paint dry.

"We are here to show our love through laughter. I believe that laughter keeps one from getting wrapped up in oneself which makes a very small package."

Jay Thompson, former coach of a Vero Beach team which played against Douglas, described the superintendent as one who "gave him a lot of trouble."

Guy Garrett and Jack Whittaker, teammates on the Stetson University squad captained by Douglas, recapped some of their misadventures. While Garrett detailed an account in which Douglas had been kayaked by a

very large Tampa player, Whittaker remarked, "He was very kindly. He always picked me up and asked 'Are you all right?'"

In recalling the superintendent's days as coach of the Sebring High team, Mitchell said "A coach is a very special person in the life of a young man. During season the coach spends more time with him than his father does."

A number of one of Douglas's first teams, Larry Davis told the audience, "The coach, as I still call him, was involved with the students and players. He was also involved with our moral development. When we used to sit in The Circle with our girls he'd come around and run us off."

"On the nights before a game if we weren't in by 9, he'd drive by the homes of our girlfriends and blow the horn."

In recognition of past attainments, he presented Douglas with a new football, and another so battered and deflated it told its own story.

"Thank you for being part of our lives and touching us in so many ways," Davis said.

Atty. Ernest Breed outlined the campaign to get "Doug," a likeable curm in his own way, elected Supervisor of Public Instruction in 1963. He said the committee he chaired had budgeted enough funds for 100 bumper stickers.

"We had planned for 1,000 until we found we were going to have to pay people to put them on their cars. I vowed I would sell every last one and I can proudly say that as of today I only have six more to go!"

His present to the supervisor of public instruction was, naturally, a campaign bumper sticker.

Garland Bogus said he had always called him "Mr. Douglas," but for the night it would be "George." Director of school transportation, Bogus said the superintendent is always stressing a bare-bones budget, and presented the inside of a fish, nicely mounted.

The Highlands superintendent is past president of the Florida Professional Practices Commission. A man who served as his executive secretary, Hugh Ingraham, came from Tallahassee to add his voice to appreciation night.

In introducing him Mitchell said, "If we don't understand everything you say, we'll know you're from Tallahassee!"

Ingraham brought greetings from the commission, which "shares your admiration for this man. He is an uncommon person; innovative when it comes to education, with a sense of justice and with the magic capacity for getting people to work."

"Although I am used to calling him 'Mr. Chairman,'" it has been one of the highlights of my life to have been his executive secretary."

Representing Commissioner of Education Ralph Turlington was Woodrow Darden, director of public school instruction and second in command of state education.

He told the audience, "We are grateful that you elected him superintendent. Students not only of Highlands County but of the entire state have benefited from his services."

He made presentation of a plaque from the Florida Department of Education, in grateful appreciation of outstanding services to public education.

Assistant Superintendent Ferrel Smith said he had been associated with Douglas for 20 years and has often called him the "saber-toothed super."

Speaking for the administration Smith cited Douglas's quick wit and leadership. "We hold him in high esteem in our hearts."

Smith's gift was a book containing letters from each of the administrative staff.

Representing the Highlands County Teachers Association was Jim Whitney, who

presented a certificate in appreciation of dedicated service. "He has the loyalty and respect of the teachers," he said Douglas has a thorough knowledge of education in the county, from the inside: "there's not a place in the old high school you could get from him."

"Anyone who has been in the sumptuous old offices at the top of the courthouse will know what I mean!"

From the bottom: "Like the time he chased an erring student underneath the high school."

A y. S. Shelton, superintendent of Hillsborough county schools, arose to show appreciation and "borrow eight or ten school buses." In presenting a plaque from the Florida Association of District School Superintendents Shelton added, "Now you don't have to pay your dues."

Clerk of the Courts Earl Rich offered a toast to Douglas from the county commissioners and Mrs. Lily Shackelford carried greetings from the Highlands County Retired Teachers Association.

Final speaker was school board Chairman Jack Wirick Jr., who recounted the numerous times he and his superintendent have chaired board members to "be sure" to study the agenda and "be sure" to read the latest state directives. In recognition of this sage advice Wirick presented the "Be Sure" award, also known as the B.S., he explained.

As Wirick hung a huge timepiece about the superintendent's neck Douglas responded to the audience's call for a speech. "I don't know quite how to express myself on these outpourings. It touches me deeply that you, my friends, have come here. Most of you are in education, some in the community, and there are others I haven't seen in years. One man I didn't recognize

at first. He was one of my first boys and at the time he was a long, green pole, the meanest long, green pole you'd want to meet. But I have a great deal of affection for him and the others."

"We have attempted to do our very best to be of service to your children in Highlands County and we are proud of what we have accomplished. I will continue as long as you'll let us. Even though I have terminal cancer, I have never given in to let your children down. When I was unable to be here, matters were being handled nevertheless."

"What bothers me is the attitude it can't happen to me. I can. My present treatment will cause me to lose all my hair, so when you shave, the length of the hair will determine the course of the treatment."

I believe in prayers and miracles and a Supreme Being. I have asked for a miracle and I hope that He will graciously bestow it."

A standing ovation signaled the end of the program, which was followed by refreshments served in the four corners of the room while guests greeted the superintendent personally.

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Duggan Marks 25
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James R. Duggan Jr., of 67 North Highlands Avenue, Avon Park, recently celebrated his 25th anniversary as a member of Metropolitan Life Insurance Company's sales force, the company has announced.

A graduate of Lakeland High School, Duggan joined Metropolitan Life in August, 1950. Currently he is an agent in the Lakeland office at 201 South Tennessee Ave. He has qualified for the company's President's and Leaders Conferences, and is a graduate of the Life Underwriter Training Council course and a member of the National Association of Life Underwriters.

Duggan is a charter member and past president of the Avon Park Lion's Club, past master of Poinciana Lodge No. 227, F.&A.M., and a member and former usher of the First United Methodist Church. He and his wife, Margaret, have two sons, J. Robert III, an attorney in Leesburg, and Michael, an aerospace engineer with Lockheed in Palo Alto, Calif.

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Prevatt Wins Second Trial

A new trial date has been set for Clarence Prevatt Jr., Tampa man charged with felony possession of marijuana. The case, set for jury trial on Sept. 8, has moved to Oct. 20.

A series of motions in the case, including a motion to dismiss on grounds of double jeopardy, was submitted to circuit court here this week. A bid for change of venue is also before the court.

Prevatt had been charged - along with Daryl Williams of Sebring, Ward Leitner and Sam Altman of Oklawaha - with possession of 1,500 pounds of marijuana.

The other three men have been convicted on the charge, but Prevatt won a separate trial on the ground that defense in his case could not be compatible with that presented for Williams, Leitner and Altman.

Completes Training

Cpl. Marshall G. Albritton recently completed his Advanced Infantry Training at Ft. Polk, La.

He is presently serving as Drill Corporal at Ft. Polk for eight weeks, training new recruits.

Gene enlisted in the Army April 14, 1972, and completed his Basic Training at Ft. Jackson, S.C.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Albritton of Avon Park and graduated from Avon Park High School in 1974.

NOTE OF SORROW

The family of Ruby Simpson wishes to thank everyone for the kindness shown in their time of sorrow.

Winter Guest Club News

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Johnson Improves Following Mishap

Randy Johnson was removed from intensive care care Monday at the Winter Haven Hospital where he is recovering from a swimming accident. He was listed in fair condition Tuesday.

Randy was swimming with friends Thursday evening in Lake Isis when he dived into shallow water and broke his sixth vertebrae.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson of Haines City (formerly of Avon Park) and was a 1971 graduate of Avon Park High School. He is employed by Turner Furniture Store, Avon Park.

A spokesman for the Johnson family said all prayers from friends and churches are greatly appreciated.

Anyone wanting to send flowers, cards or letters to Randy may do so by sending them care of Winter Haven Hospital, Room 214, Winter Haven, Fla.

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Cutty Sark	8.63	7.13
Dewars White Label	9.50	7.80
Glen Muir	5.59	4.57
Inverhouse	6.23	5.25
Johnnie Walker Red Label	8.45	7.12
MacArthur	3.90	5.10
Teachers	8.35	6.91
GIN		
Fleischmanns	5.34	4.64
Gilbey's	5.50	4.80
Seagrams	5.49	4.80
Walkers	5.25	4.68
VODKA		
Gage	4.91	4.32
Smirnoff 100	6.60	5.61
Smirnoff 80	6.01	5.00
RUM		
Bacardi-Amber & Silver	6.26	5.24
CORDIALS		
Southern Comfort	7.30	6.24
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School Menus

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

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Monday — Smoked sausage, candied yams, mustard greens, peanut butter cookies, ice cream, cornbread, milk.
Tuesday — Spaghetti and meat sauce with cheese, green beans, tossed salad with tomatoes, frosted cake squares, French bread, milk.
Wednesday — Chicken and rice, field peas, pineapple upsidedown cake, tomato slices, rolls, milk.
Thursday — Hamburgers on bun, French fries, lettuce and tomato, coconut pudding, milk.
Friday — Fish portions, whipped potatoes, green peas, peach halves, rolls, milk.

HIGH, MIDDLE SCHOOLS

Week of Sept. 8
Monday — Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, green peas, tomato wedges, peanut butter cookies, orange juice, milk.
Tuesday — Fried chicken, potato salad, green beans, Jello with whipped topping, rolls, milk.
Wednesday — Smoked sausage, Spanish rice, steamed cabbage, yellow cake with frosting, corn bread, milk.
Thursday — Braised beef in gravy on rice, peas and carrots, strawberry shortcake with topping, rolls, milk.
Friday — Tuna salad on lettuce, succotash, carrot sticks, orange juice, ice cream, milk.

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Town Topics

Mrs. Norma Gobbie and sons, Scott Hudson and Randy Gobbie, spent the Labor Day weekend in Jacksonville visiting her oldest son, Henry Hudson, and other relatives in the Jacksonville area including her two aunts, Mrs. Mel Hagist and Mrs. Pat Helman, and her uncle, Bob Crow, in Jacksonville Beach. They were accompanied by Joe Swann of Lake Wales.

Glenn R. Sheumaker Sr. is presently the pastor of the Church of Christ in Cedar Hill, Tenn. Glenn is the son of E. E. and Myrtle Sheumaker, 19 N. Glenwood, Avon Park (both are 81 years of age). Glenn Jr. (better known as Bobby) has just been informed that he was accepted to the University of Tennessee College of Dentistry for the January, 1976 classes.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Boney left Aug. 19 to attend the 32nd annual Boney Reunion in Raleigh, N.C. On their journey up they stopped in Perry, Fla. to visit with their son Norris and family. Norris accompanied his parents to the reunion and back to Perry. The Boney's returned to Avon Park Aug. 26 after an enjoyable trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny J. Willis went to Tampa last weekend to see the movie "Nashville" in which they appeared. The Willis' were in Nashville, Tenn. last summer while the movie was being filmed. We understand there's a good shot of Danny in it.

Highlands Lodge No. 74, I.O.O.F. will meet this Monday evening, Sept. 8, at 8 p.m. at the Lion's Den on West Bell Street.

Shrine Club Enjoys

Steaks

Highlands Shrine Club met in their new clubhouse on Aug. 27 for their usual monthly meeting and a feast of barbecued steaks, prepared by the president, Rodney Durand and his "steak rangers" from Lake Placid.

After the hearty meal president Durand introduced new members and greeted two members of the Divan from Egypt Temple of Tampa, Chief Rabban William Vickers and assistant Rabban Daniel Manrique who gave a short talk on the activities of Egypt Temple and complimented the Club on the progress made in the new building.

The new tables and 200 chairs have arrived and we hope before our Northern "Snow Bird" members return that we will be able to relax and enjoy the results of our labors.

Many activities are planned for the coming months and all nobles are looking forward to participate.

Surprise Baby Shower Honors Mrs. Howard

Mrs. Edwin (Fran) Howard was the guest of honor at a surprise baby shower last Wednesday evening, August 2, 1973, held at the Florida Power Lounge.

The gift and refreshment tables were decorated with white lace table cloths and blue and pink ribbons. Coffee, punch and cake, shaped like a babies kimono and trimmed in blue and pink, was served to the 25 guests present.

Fran received a baby swing from the hostesses Mrs. Frankie Turner, Mrs. Carol White, Nikki Hancock, Mrs. Debbie Thompson, Mrs. Cindy Turner and Mrs. Barbara Cornell.

Stork Club

HELLO WORLD

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith of Avon Park are parents of a daughter, Helen Cristina, born Aug. 31. Birth weight was 8 lbs., 12 1/2 oz.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ginn of Avon Park, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gillilan of Sebring.

Walker Memorial Hospital

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Gordon Bennett of Avon Park are parents of a daughter, Chrystal Lynn, born Aug. 17. Birth weight was 7 lbs., 12 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Leola Thomas McNeill of Sebring are parents of a daughter, Aisha Zakia Abene, born Aug. 19. Birth weight was 5 lbs., 5 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Edward Jones of Avon Park are parents of a son, Frederick Edward Jr., born Aug. 21. Birth weight was 6 lbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Marnel Allen Ferrell of Sebring are parents of a daughter, Daphne Lynn, born Aug. 22. Birth weight was 4 lbs., 10 1/2 oz.

Ward-Hunt Rites Scheduled Saturday

Marcia Leigh Ward, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Franklin Ward, Avon Park will be married to Charles Morton Hunt III, Lake Wales Saturday Sept. 6 at 4 p.m. at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, Avon Park. Hunt is the son of Mrs. Eleanor Fleckenstein, Lake Wales and Charles M. Hunt Jr., St. Petersburg.

Father Richard S. Sheffer and the Reverend Canon Richard L. Brown, Church of the Good Shepherd, Lake Wales, will officiate at the wedding services. Mrs. William Marovich, Leesburg, formerly of Avon Park, will be Mrs. Sheffer's only attendant and Charles Hunt will serve his son as best man. Ushers will be James Nelson, Lake Wales and Bob Ward, Avon Park, brother of the bride.

A reception at Pineset Club follows the ceremony.

Whitmire- Turner Will Say Vows

Mr. and Mrs. S. Wayne Whitmire announce the forth coming marriage of their daughter Kathryn Dee Whitmire to Paul Gordon Turner on Sept. 6, 1975 at 2 p.m. in the Florida Avenue Baptist Church.

Invitations are not being sent locally, all friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Susan Lee Honored With Bridal Luncheon

Susan Lee, bride-elect of Ricky G. Dick was honored with a luncheon Tuesday, August 28, at the Florida Power Lounge.

The table was beautiful with a white linen cloth accented with a centerpiece of multi-colored flowers.



KATHY WHITMIRE, BRIDE-ELECT of Paul Turner, was guest of honor at a Miscellaneous Shower last Tuesday evening, August 28. Left-right, Mrs. Gail Farthing, mother of the groom, Kathy, Mrs. Delores Whitmire, mother of the bride and the brides' grandmother, Mrs. Virginia Church. Photo—Cornell.

Kathren Whitmire Honored With Miscellaneous Shower

A miscellaneous shower was given at the home of Mrs. Richard A. Robinson last Tuesday evening, Aug. 28, to honor Kathryn Whitmire, bride-elect of Paul Turner.

The Robinson home was decorated in the bride's colors of pink, green and white. Guests were served lime sherbet punch, finger sandwiches, brownies, cake and mints from a round antique table covered with a pink tablecloth inlaid with white lace.

Upon arrival Kathy was presented a pink carnation corsage trimmed in green and white. Mothers of the couple were presented with a white carnation corsage and grandmother of the bride received a white carnation corsage trimmed in pink.

Hostesses Mrs. Richard A. Robinson and Cindy Luke presented the bride-to-be with an electric blanket.



SUSAN LEE, BRIDE-ELECT of Ricky Dick, was the honoree of a shower Friday evening, August 29. Sitting with Susan is her mother, Mrs. Robert E. Lee. Photo—Cornell.

Power Failure Interrupts Shower Honoring Susan Lee

Susan Lee, bride-elect of Ricky G. Dick, was the honoree of a shower Friday evening, August 29, at the home of Mrs. Fred Reddick on Friday evening, Aug. 29.

The hostesses, Holly Reddick, Candy Reddick and Jan Stevens greeted guests by platter in her service chairs by the hostesses.

Arrangements of summer flowers decorated the party rooms. Bridal Tea punch, dainty cookies, petit fours, and

Susan was presented a platter in her service chairs by the hostesses.

homemade mints were served by candlelight from a table covered with an intricate cloth handmade by Mrs. Reddick's great-grandmother.

Susan was presented a platter in her service chairs by the hostesses.

United Methodist Women Hold First Fall Meeting

The United Methodist women held their first fall meeting Tuesday morning, Sept. 2, in Wesley Hall.

President, Mrs. Oscar Laye presided over the meeting.

"Devotions were given by Mrs. Solveig Gerrard.

"It was decided to hold a

Rummage Sale November 7th

and 8th from 9 till 12 Friday

morning and all day Saturday.

The bazaar this year will be

December 6. Mrs. Jim Thorp told about the Christian School of Missions, which she attended as a delegate.

Mrs. Joe Olivieri gave an interesting and informative talk on "Hope" and the services they are rendering the community.

A social hour was enjoyed preceding the meeting.

Miss Moseley Earns B.S. Degree In Nursing

Martha Ann Moseley was one of 372 persons receiving degrees at Emory University's summer commencement exercises Aug. 23 on the campus in Atlanta, Ga.

Dr. Evangeline T. Papageorge, executive

associate dean of Emory's

School of Medicine, spoke at the ceremony. Most graduates were awarded graduate or professional degrees including 30 Ph.D. degrees.

Miss Moseley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sol Moseley, 101 N. Anoka, Avon Park, earned a B.S. in nursing.

VFW Auxiliary Meet In Lakeland

District IV V.F.W. Auxiliary meeting was held in Lakeland, with Mrs. Dale Ragland, president, presiding.

Mrs. Ragland, reported that the department president, Mrs. Jean McKenzie, Florida City, would make official visit at the

next district meeting.

Those attending from the Avon Park Auxiliary were President, Virginia Moody; Mrs. Ragland, Mrs. Pat Leopold, Mrs. Calli R. Starai, Mrs. Theresa Thompson, and Miss Linda Moody.

Obscene Caller Was A Woman

"The influence of women's lib, I guess," was Sgt. Terry Wolfe's comment about an obscene telephone complaint received last week.

Sgt. Wolfe, information officer for the Highlands County Sheriff's Department, said the case is unique — "the

first time we've had a man complaining about a woman making obscene calls to him."

The department processed several obscene call reports last week, most of them charged to juvenile offenders. The man's complaint is from the Sebring area.



THESE BICENTENNIAL LADIES were on their way to attend the annual District 9 Juniors Women's Club Fun night to kickoff the 1973-76 activities, hosted by the Auburndale Juniors on August 28 at the Auburndale Community Center. The theme was Bicentennial, naturally. Standing l-r front row, Becky Davidson, Linda H. Laye, Betty Hart and Linda H. Laye. Back row l-r, Myrtis Guerdin, Chris Hendrickson, Sandra Greenway and Lynnette Shepard. Not pictured, Sue Moseley, Arlene Turner, Ellen Jordan, Mandy Crews, Olivia Hood, Jan Boatright and Lois Sachsenmaier. Photo—Gobbie.

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To School Board Offices

New phones and phone numbers for Highlands County School Board and the administrative offices of Highlands County Schools starting Friday, Aug. 29 have been announced by George Douglass, superintendent of schools.

In Sebring, call 385-1121
From Lake Placid, call 465-2682
From Avon Park, call 453-7925

The hook-up marks the completion of a long-planned improvement in communications throughout the county for the convenience of the public.

"We have been too long out of touch with many of our citizens

who have to pay tolls to call the county office," said Douglass. "Now the entire county has access to us through their own local number."

Calls from Lake Placid and Avon Park will ring directly in the new administration Building at 426 School St. in Sebring.

The school board has already started plans to hold meetings in each of the three communities throughout the year. The effort will bring the school board into closer touch with the public. The new phone system is an added plus to closer ties and communications with and for the public, said Douglass.

Body Identified As Chitwood's

A partly dismembered body found in the Kissimmee River has been positively identified as being Michael Roger Chitwood's.

The body was discovered Aug. 14 south of the U.S. 98 bridge on the Kissimmee, on the border between Highlands and Okeechobee counties. Both these counties plus DeSoto County are participating in investigation of the murder.

Chitwood, a 28-year-old resident of Arcadia, was abducted from his home Aug. 12. The body, which had been weighted by a concrete block, was found in the river two days later.

Postmortem examination established that Chitwood had been shot in the head. Fingerprints, medical and

dental records were used to establish identity.

Chitwood, a native of Tennessee, had served in the navy during the Vietnam conflict. He was employed by an Arcadia junk yard.

The state attorney's office in the 19th judicial circuit approved release of the body for burial, and on Sunday afternoon gravesites services were held at the Myyaka City cemetery.

Chitwood is survived by his wife, Mrs. Edna Ruth Chitwood; three children — Michael Handy and Carla Chitwood of Arcadia and Courtney Chitwood of Sebring. He also leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Chitwood of Arcadia; a brother and four sisters, all residents of southern Florida.

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TOASTMASTERS LISTEN intently as the master evaluator, Fred Putney of Imperial Park Toastmasters in Winter Haven, gives helpful criticism on the entire program. The evaluator tells Toastmasters areas they need

to improve while complimenting the good points. Among those present were Assistant State's Attorney David Langford, far left, and James Richo, far right, who was Toastmaster of the evening. Photo—Gobbie

Toastmasters Now Meeting
2nd And 4th Thursdays

Meetings of the Charles S. Swan Memorial Toastmasters will now be held on the second and fourth Thursday of each month with the next regular meeting set for Thursday, Sept. 11 at 6:30 p.m. at the Steakout Restaurant in Avon Park.

In last Thursday's meeting Jim Prevatt was voted best speaker, Lynn Ingraham was best evaluator and Fred Putney gave the best Table Topics response.

James Richo was the Toastmaster of the evening and Norma Gobbie served as Table Topics Master.

Steering committee chairman Bob Panzarella resigned as chairman due to a

transfer from Avon Park Correctional Institution to Orlando Community Correctional Institution. Jim Prevatt moves to the chairman slot and James Fountain was named vice chairman.

The new Toastmasters group hopes to be chartered by Toastmasters International by Oct. 1 since October is Toastmasters' Founders month.

A Toastmasters club can help people become effective speakers, teach careful listening, teach critical thinking, develop the ability to accept evaluation, prepare for conducting meetings or participate in meetings, develop leadership abilities and provide enjoyable

fellowship and a forum for stimulating interchange of ideas.

Hundreds of personnel directors and other company executives encourage the Toastmasters program and some companies have closed chapters within the company for their employees.

Their reasons are that participation in the program indicates a strong motivation to learn and succeed. Toastmasters are better able to communicate with other levels of management and a person's ability to accept evaluation and get along with his fellow Toastmasters carries over to his co-workers. Everyone is invited to attend any meeting of Toastmasters without obligation.

Douglass Awakes To Find Robber
In Room Asleep On The Floor

Not every couple awakens to find an armed man under the bed. But then it is an opportunity most people would be just as happy to avoid.

It was during a recent trip to Jacksonville that Mr. and Mrs. George Douglass were joined in their bedroom by a third party, with knife.

The couple was asleep in their room at the Howard Johnson Motel, with Highlands' Superintendent of schools having a restless night. About 3 a.m. he arose and stepped on a body.

Still dazed with slumber he asked, "Jean?" although why he expected her to be on the floor she has since wondered. Realization struck him almost immediately and in a cautious whisper he tried to rouse her with "Jean, there's someone else in this room!"

It was a long, upward pull, but Mrs. Douglass finally achieved what is commonly known as a "a rude awakening."

The sight was not so common, however. A man was stretched out on the floor partially between the beds, apparently either asleep or suffering the effects of strong spirits. Although the couple had been whispering back and forth, neither wanted to push their luck by using the room phone.

"Where are your car keys?" asked Douglass. The keys were in Jean's purse, the handle of which was wrapped over the arm of the intruder. Douglass reached down, very carefully opened the purse and extracted the keys without disturbing the dreams of their unwitting guest.

They were then off and riding. In the relief of the moment Mrs. Douglass forgot to put a robe over her diaphanous nightgown, she later reported.

The Jacksonville police were dubious when they took the call. They said the story sounded rather strange. "Come see for yourselves," retorted the Douglasses. "He's still there."

And so he was, never having left slumberland. He was taken into custody.

Police surmised that he had entered through the sliding glass doors and was alarmed

during the attempted robbery by Douglass' restlessness. Presumably he crawled halfway under the bed to wait until the superintendent settled down, but fell asleep when the

wait proved too long.

Police said the Douglass family was lucky. The man had a knife and could have chosen not to wait.

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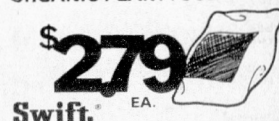
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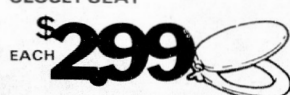
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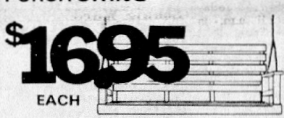


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Devils Impressive After Week Training

After just one week of practice in pads, the Avon Park Red Devil varsity football team turned in an impressive performance in the new Heartland Conference fall jamboree held in Sebring last Saturday night, August 30. The Devils defeated Okeechobee 9-3 in the third quarter of the jamboree in a tie-breaker. In the sixth quarter of play Avon Park's team played Sebring to a scoreless tie in the regulation period but lost 1-0 in another tie-breaker.

The tie-breaker is a new addition to high school football this year. If the regulation game ends with the score tied, a penetration time tie-breaker is played. Each team has four offensive downs and four defensive downs alternating each down from offense to defense. First possession is determined by the toss of the coin. The ball is placed on the fifty yard line and after each team has run four offensive plays alternately, the team with the ball in its opponent's territory wins by one point.

All six teams in the newly formed Heartland Conference saw action in this fall jamboree. In spite of a heavy, steady rain and some lightning, the teams played two quarters of football each. Okeechobee defeated Arcadia in the first quarter by a score 1-0 winning on the last play of the first quarter. In the fourth quarter and Sebring outscored Lake Placid in the fifth quarter. The final quarter was won by Sebring 1-0 over Avon Park.

Devil coach Joe Strickler commented after the jamboree, "It was hard to tell much about the Devil's play



"He went that way," coach Dewayne Lemier seems to be saying to some Red Devil football hopefuls in an early session at Avon Park gridders prepare for the upcoming season. The Red Devils won over Okeechobee 9-3 and lost to Sebring 1-0 in two quarters of play in the Heartland Conference jamboree in Sebring last Saturday night. The new tie-breaker rule was used in both of Avon Park's quarters.



Devils get down and at it in conditioning drills under the watchful eye of Dewayne Lemier, offensive coach. Avon Park will open the season in Mulberry on Sept. 12.

Deadline Here On Last Season's Reserved Tickets

Today, Thursday, Sept. 4, is the last day for reserved seat ticket holders for the home Red Devil football games to renew last season's tickets. The tickets are on sale for \$3 each with the purchase of a season ticket for each reservation through school hours Sept. 4. Season tickets cost \$8 per adult and \$4 for each student. After today any reservations not renewed will be available for exchange by persons who have already picked up the 1975 reserve seat tickets. The exchange period will last from Monday, Sept. 8 through Sept. 19. This exchange period is to give persons who have tickets scattered throughout the season a chance to get seats together if possible and one must already have purchased the 1975 reserve seat tickets before exchanging the location. Starting Sept. 21 all tickets not picked up by last year's holders will go on sale to those who wish to purchase them for the first time. A waiting list for persons wanting reserved seat tickets is at the high school office and names will be placed on this waiting list if the office is notified of the desire.

The first three games are away this year as the Devils play in Mulberry Sept. 12, in Lake Placid Sept. 19 and in Arcadia Sept. 26. Oct. 3 is an open date so the first home game is not set until Oct. 10 with Hardee High as the opponent. Then the Devils will host in succession Frostproof on Oct. 17, North Fort Myers on Oct. 24, Fort Meade on Oct. 31 and Bartow on Nov. 7.

The last two games are on the road in Okeechobee on Nov. 14 and in Sebring on Nov. 21.

Endless Relay Slated Tomorrow On Mall

The Avon Park High School Cross-Country team will sponsor a 24-hour endless relay on the mall starting tomorrow (Friday, Sept. 5) at 6 p.m. Mayor Marshall Davis will start the chain of runners off on the mall. The runners are needed to make the Andrew Miracle Memorial Pato to be built at the high school. Miracle taught for a number of years at Avon Park High and was a former superintendent of the Highlands County Schools.

Team members will be around town this week seeking pledges for the marathon relay. The team expects to cover nearly 200 miles and this a donation of 2 cents a mile would net a \$4 donation. All donations are tax deductible and are for the Memorial Pato and team expenses.

Headquarters for the relay will be on the mall at the bandstand. A pledge table will be set up where people may stop by to pledge a few cents a mile for this most worthy cause. If you are unable to make it down to see the kids run the mall marathon and yet want to pledge a donation, call 433-6694 and a high school secretary will take down your pledge. Those call after school hours may call Coach Chet Brojek after 6 p.m. at 385-6736. Remember as little as a penny a mile can make the Andrew Miracle Memorial Pato a reality.

"Andy Miracle did a lot of good for the youngsters of Avon Park High School and Highlands County," commented Coach Brojek. "Now it is the kids' turn to do something for the memory of a great teacher and friend."

Don't forget — "Run Around the Mall" is set for Sept. 5 and 6 in downtown Avon Park

Volunteers To Help Youths

A program to use volunteers to assist troubled youth is set for launching in Highlands County. Division of Youth Services is now seeking a volunteer coordinator to head the new project.

Bruce Walsh of the DYS staff, head of the volunteer recruitment and training program in a seven-county area, explained that the skyrocketing case load for professional staff results in each counselor receiving less and less individual attention that troubled children crave.

"To take up the gap between what the professional counselor can do and what the young person needs, we need a nonprofessional volunteer, working something along the lines of the Big Brother or Big Sister programs," Walsh explained.

"Each volunteer would work with one, only one, troubled young person, serving as that person's friend. Sometimes the young person may need tutoring with lessons, many times it is simply friendly interest. The volunteer does not take the place of the professional counselor."

Members of the DYS staff working in the Highlands County report that 99 per cent of the young people in serious trouble come from fragmented

Rural People Returning From City To Country

Only a few years ago, many Florida people were moving from rural areas to cities. But now there's movement back to small towns and country living. The turnaround started about 1970. It seems to be gaining momentum across the country and could bring about significant changes in the pattern of population and lifestyle over coming decades. In 1970, Florida's nonmetro population was 1,080,000. By 1973, it had risen to 1,229,000, an increase of 13.8 per cent.

Nationwide, the increase in nonmetro population was 4.2 per cent, compared with a rate of only 2.9 per cent in metro areas during the period. An average of more than 350,000 people are believed to be moving back to rural areas each year, compared with annual losses of about 300,000 in the 1960's.

What does the population shift mean? For one thing, the experts don't think the nation is losing its system of cities. But, except for Boston and a few of the largest U.S. metro areas have had major slowdowns in growth. The eight largest areas, which contain a fourth of the total U.S. population, grew by less than one-third the national growth rate in the 1960's.

The population turnaround follows three decades during which about a million persons per year left rural areas for the cities. The current shift back to rural America is not yet fully understood, but is believed to stem largely from a feeling that smaller communities offer an escape from the social and environmental problems that affect many metropolitan centers.

Bow Hunters Get Opportunity Saturday

Florida's ten thousand plus bow hunting buffs will be at their favorite hunting stands one-half hour before sunrise on Saturday, Sept. 6, for the opening of the 1975 archery hunting season. The season will continue for 23 days, closing on Sunday, Sept. 28.

Archers are reminded by the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission that they must possess a regular hunting license plus an archery hunting permit. Hunters under the age of 15 are exempt from license and permit purchase, and residents age 65 and over may obtain a Senior Citizen Certificate without charge through their county tax collector. The Senior Citizen Certificate serves in lieu of a hunting and fishing license and permit.

Archers will be allowed to take deer of either sex, other than fawn, except that antlerless deer may not be taken in Collier and Monroe counties. Archers may also take bear in Baker and Columbia counties and on Tyndall Air Force Base in Bay County. Other legal game include turkey, except in north Leon and Jefferson counties are open and only turkey gobblers are legal, quail, squirrel, rabbit and in certain areas, wild hog. The migratory marsh hen and Florida gallinule are also legal.

Hunting with bow and arrow will be legal on 19 wildlife management areas during the Sept. 6-28 season, however, archers will be required to limit their deer hunting to legal bucks only. In addition to the 19 open areas, archers may also participate in special hunts on 15 additional areas. Ten of the areas have archery hunts extending past the Sept. 28 closing date while five areas have special weekend hunts during the regular season.

South Florida bow hunters should take note that the season is not open in Broward or Dade counties; nor in that portion of Palm Beach County south of State Road 80; nor in that portion of Hendry County east of La and Le Leves; nor in Collier or Monroe counties south of U.S. Highway 41. Hunting will be permitted in the tract lying between U.S. 41 and the Loop Road.

Another encouraging aspect of the employment is that the number of farm people all-time high and has reached an all-time high and probably will go higher. One of each three farm families now in non-agricultural employment more than in farm work. This, of course, helps keep youth in rural areas, adding a plus, and gives farm families helpful off-farm income.

Such work is contributing to the leveling off of migration from the farm population. The decline in the lowest in 40 years, and outmigration of farm residents during 1970-74 was only about 143,000 a year, the least since the 1930's and down about three-fourths from the average loss of 594,000 a year during 1965-70.

Dr. Walter A. Guntharp, administrator of the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Rural Development Service, sees the current population turnaround as a long-term trend, calling for orderly planning and thoughtful conservation safeguards by rural counties and communities.

The agency headed by Dr. Guntharp is responsible for providing leadership and coordination of federal rural development efforts. One of its functions is to help rural officials locate federal programs that can assist in community development.

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Athletic Boosters Plan Barbeque Supper Sept. 5

The Avon Park Athletic Boosters Association will hold a membership-drive chicken bar-b-q supper on September 5 for all members, prospective members and their families. The supper is tentatively planned to be held at the Florida Power Clubhouse on Lake Lotela.

According to Lew Mundt, president of the A.P.A.B.A., the Bar-B-Que will cost only the price of a membership card in the association which is \$5.00. This year the association is urging women to join as members and to become active in the business of the boosters club. All sports in the high school athletic program are to be boosted by the association in the future and fans of football, basketball, baseball, track, cross-country, tennis, and golf

Mother-Daughter Softball Game Slated Here Sept 13

The Avon Park Recreation Department will sponsor a "Mother-Daughter" Softball game Saturday, Sept. 13, at 8 p.m. The first 12 duds (mother-daughter) to sign-up and pay the \$5.00 per couple entrants fee, will be eligible to play in the game.

The fees will be accepted at the Recreation Center, any day from 3-6 p.m. or 7-10 p.m. These fees will be used to defray the cost of colorful caps for every member of both teams.

There will be an age limit of 13 or older for the daughters participating in the event. If you (mothers) do not have a daughter, or she is younger than 13, you may "adopt" one for the day. Please have all fees paid by Sept. 12.

The mothers will play the daughters in a game that is promised to be exciting. Last year the mothers squeaked by the daughters in a game in which the load switched four times, ending in a win for the mothers. Now that the Women's Softball league play is over, these daughters have received another season's experience. They will be looking for a big win this year.

Spectators are welcome to come out to the little league field and enjoy this game.

Seventh Day Adventists Take 1st Place Trophy

The Seventh Day Adventist team won the first two games of a double elimination playoff series against the Church of the Nazarene squad, to win the first place trophy in the Church Division Men's Softball.

The Nazarene team had to settle for the runner-up trophy, which is still a great tribute to their team. These two teams ended the season with identical 13-3 records and had to play the playoff series to break the tie. The final records for all the teams are as follows: 1st

Brojek-Sheldon Take First

The team of Chet Brojek and John Sheldon of Lake Alfred captured first place in a two-man time relay sponsored by the Lakeland Runners Club on August 30. The two combined for a winning group time of 52:53. Both men ran 26 laps of the Lakeland Senior High track in their trophy-winning performance.

The next Highlands County Runners club race has been set for September 14 at Avon Park and will cover 5.2 miles. Several club members will be helping out the cross-country team in its Andrew Miracle Memorial Marathon of 24 hours this coming weekend.

Bandit Strikes

The chocolate bandit has struck again. When the staff of Highlands County School Board and Ridge Area Association for Retarded Citizens reported for work Aug. 29, they found their offices had been broken into.

According to sheriff's investigators the break-ins appear to be the work of the same person who had made a sticky entry earlier in the month, leaving a trail of chocolate fingerprints.

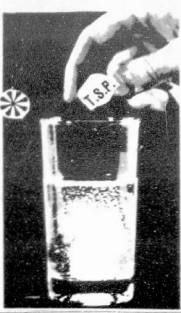
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Plate Beef Stew 69c
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U.S.D.A. CHOICE W-D BRAND FULL CUT
Round Steak \$1.99
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Bartlett Pears 11 99c
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Calvin's Column

By
CALVIN GIBBS

Hi Friends,
September, which has the morning glory as its flower and sapphire as its gem is here.
Here's hoping that the Labor Day festivities were most enjoyable and that the latter part of the month will be as kind to us as the first part has been.

Other important events in September are Citizenship Day on the 17th, and the one hundred sixty-first anniversary of "The Star Spangled Banner" which was written by Francis Scott Key on September 14, 1814.

I would like to emphasize the fact that today September 5th marks the bicentennial celebration of the First Continental Congress which met in Philadelphia on September 5, 1774.



December 16, 1773
The Boston Tea Party

As a result of the Boston Tea Party, England retaliated with the Intolerable Acts. These in turn led to the First Continental Congress. This congress opened in Philadelphia. Fifty-five delegates represented all colonies except Georgia. The Georgia governor had prohibited an election to name delegates. Outstanding patriots from other colonies attended, included George Washington, John Adams and Patrick Henry. England continued to retaliate and impose other intolerances upon Massachusetts.

Virginia took the lead in supporting Massachusetts and the Revolutionary Convention held by The House of Burgesses (First lawmaking body in America) because the fairness of the following famous quote by Patrick Henry:

"If life so dear, or peace so sweet as to be purchased at the price of chains and slavery? Forbid it, Almighty God! I know not what course others may take, but, as for me, give me liberty or give me death!"

This is one of my favorite quotes because it reveals one thing which Patrick Henry and I had in common, if nothing more, and that is identical attitudes towards the essence of freedom.

Calvin C. Gibbs
Black History in the making



Benjamin O. Davis Sr.
First General

Benjamin O. Davis Sr. (1877-1970), was the first black brigadier general in the U.S. Army. A graduate of Howard University, he began his military career with the 8th Infantry in the Spanish-American War as a temporary lieutenant.

When the war ended, he enlisted as a private in the 9th Cavalry of the Regular Army. Two years later he received a second lieutenant's commission. During World War I, he was promoted to major and then lieutenant colonel. Twenty years later he made full colonel and in 1941 he was promoted to brigadier general.

Who's Who Among American School Students
Mr. Terence L. Johnson; 1307 Carolina Ave. Avon Park, Fla. 33825.

Dear Terence:
It is a pleasure to inform you that your personal biography will be published in the Ninth Annual Edition of Who's Who Among American High School Students, 1974-75. You have been selected for this honor on the basis of your fine work, your past accomplishments, and most importantly, your outstanding potential.

Your leadership qualities, execution of responsibility and show of enthusiasm are promises of a rewarding future and a fine contribution to every organization you become involved with. Considering that fewer than 4 per cent of all upperclassmen from our country's 24,000 high schools are chosen for recognition in Who's Who, you are to be heartily commended.

Please accept my sincere

Reminder: Community Day
Civic Center to Open

The Community Day Care Center is open and receiving children from ages six months to five years old.

The Center is located at 919 Pineland Avenue and receives children from 6:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. five days weekly (Monday through Friday) and will operate on Saturday if the needs demand it.

Pre-school started Sept. 2. Two hot meals are served daily (breakfast and lunch). Further information regarding rates etc., may be acquired at the center.

Citizens of the week:



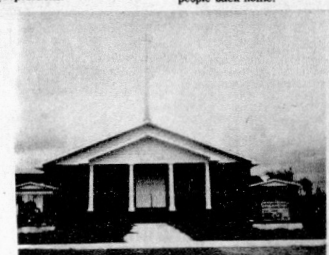
Mr. and Mrs. David Hicks

This special honor goes to Mr. and Mrs. David Hicks who live on East 3rd Street, for the upkeep of their home and surroundings which help make Eastside Park beautiful.

Letter of the week:

A nice long letter from Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Weathers who currently live at DeFuniak Springs, Eugene (wife and formerly of Sebring) is studying while Clinton (Avon Park) was recently awarded the master's degree. Their son, Keith is a sophomore at Fla. A and M. Their daughter, Cheryl (US Air Force) is stationed in Italy and youngest daughter, Rhonda is a freshman at the Junior College.

Hello and best wishes to you Clinton and family, from all the people back home.



History of Saint Mark Missionary Baptist Church

In 1916, St. Mark Missionary Baptist Church was organized by the Rev. G. W. Epps. He was assisted by Rev. J. Wilds of Lake Wales and Rev. Hillard, Missionary of the First Baptist Association of South Florida. Deacons Tom White and Jackson, the two deacons of St. Mark, were assisted by Deacons L. Johnson and E. Stafford of Lake Wales.

There were only twelve members with a Sunday School of 27; no Women's Home Mission nor Baptist Training Union.

By 1918 the Church Membership had grown to 164, the Sunday School to 69. The Women's Home Mission had organized and grown to 36 members.

The Baptist Training Union was organized with an overflowing number in 1920.

By 1960 the Membership had reached 245 and all departments were functioning well. Joining the staff and passing on to the Great Beyond was a galaxy of Deacons who could do credit to any Church. They were: I. Boon, D. Seaser, L. Crosby, J. Montgomery, A. T. Cross, T. Sims, I. H. Henderson, F. Williams, and Chairman for many years, Dan Gibbs. Also deceased are Willie Robinson and Joseph Lyons.

The rapid growth and fervent steadfastness of the Church are partly, due to the organizing genius and Christian leadership of the Pastors the church has had.

The Church was organized in a small building on the same site of the old Parsonage under the Rev. G. W. Epps. A large frame building was constructed adjacent to the

Thought conditioner for the week:

Every person, if he is to have mental health and live successfully, must move away from past failures and mistakes and go forward without letting them be a weight upon him.

The art of forgetting is absolutely necessary. Every night when you lie down to sleep practice dropping the day into the past. It is over, finished. Look confidently to the future with God.

This one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth unto those things which are before, I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus. Philippians 3:13, 14.

Yours truly,
Calvin C. Gibbs

County Sheriff Raulerson Criticizes Bureaucracy

Highlands County Sheriff O. L. Raulerson laid it on the

Wednesday when he addressed the Rotary Club. Bureaucracy, red tape, duplication, some mighty poor planning and impractical programs are coming out of Tallahassee and Washington, D.C., he charged.

Most of the laws written in Tallahassee and Washington D.C. are in the form of regulations and guidelines. The legislators pass a general program and then create a "Bureau" to carry out the specific details. These "bureaus" are vested with authority to write the regulations and guidelines, without bringing the results back for approval, to implement the program. Local

city and county governments have had their ability to control and administer local programs taken over by these "bureaus", Raulerson said.

An ever increasing amount of money is coming out of Tallahassee and Washington D.C. and each time these levels of government fund a program they send along the procedures that must be followed. These procedures, regulations and guidelines are developed by the state planners with no regard for the economic ability or impact they will have at the local level.

Complying with these compulsory guidelines has greatly increased the cost of local government and at the same time eroded the ability of local officials to control and discipline their departments. With the coming of unionization of public employees, raids on the public

treasury are constantly increasing.

Adding to the problem is the inefficiency of large state and federal bureaus, Raulerson charged. Armies of non-productive public employees create "make work" and positions for themselves that not only are needed but actually hinder those with a job to do. Responsibility can't be pinpointed because "bureaus" and "agencies" make decisions rather than individuals.

When a division head does feel up to the point he must be removed all too often, as just recently happened here in Florida, he is removed from a \$2,000.00 per year job to a \$8,000.00 per year job in another department,

Raulerson said.

As these "Bureaus" continue to grind out guidelines and regulations they have spilled over into the private sector, placing paperwork pressure on the economic backbone of our country, and are sapping away at the strength and vitality of individual free enterprise.

Sheriff Raulerson pointed out that this trend would continue as long as public opinion would tolerate it. He encouraged our Clubs, our Churches, our Chambers of Commerce, all our institutions — to speak up for what we believed in. Otherwise we will be regulated and guided until we are strangled — on only hope is to fight back if we want to be free of Big Brother and his bills.

Miss Florida Teen-Ager Pageant Set Feb. 28

Young ladies of this area are

invited to enter the 5th Annual Florida Teen-Ager Pageant to be held at Winter Park High School, Feb. 28. The Miss Florida Teen-Ager Pageant is the official state preliminary to the Miss National Teen-Ager Pageant to be held in Atlanta, Ga. in Aug. 1976. Host Hotel for the three day event is the Langford Hotel, Winter Park.

The invitation was issued this week by Mrs. Sybil Shaffer, director of the pageant. The reigning Miss Florida Teen-Ager is Patti Blount of Bartow.

Special invited guests will include Kimberly Ann Jensen, 1976 Miss National Teen-Ager of Caldwell, Idaho; and former State Queens, Von Nell Wilkes, 1972, Jacksonville, Dennis Watts, 1973, Lithia Springs, and Lisa Lyon, 1974, New Port Richey. Lisa brought honors to Florida by winning the 1975 National Teen-Ager title and will be attending college this year on her cash scholarship.

Contestants will be judged on scholastic achievement, leadership, poise-personality; and beauty. There is no swimsuit or talent competition. Each contestant accepted will be requested to participate in the Volunteer Community Service Program of the National Teen-Ager pageant. This program teaches teenagers to share and to participate in school and civic affairs. The pageant theme is

"What's Right About America."

A Mini-Modeling Charm Course will be given during the weekend of the pageant.

The winner of the Miss Florida Teen-Ager pageant will receive a scholarship, other prizes and an all-expense paid trip to compete in the Miss National Teen-Ager pageant in Atlanta. In 1975 the national pageant awarded among other prizes: \$10,000 in cash scholarships (for use at the accredited school of the winner's choice); Lincoln-Mercury Bolocat; \$2,000 personal appearance contract; 11-day trip to Spain; mink cape; Broyhill bedroom suite; Number One diamond pin set and gold pendant designed by Bailey, Banks & Biddle; scholarship to the American National Academy of Performing Arts in Hollywood; cash scholarships to the Fashion Institute of America; and six expense paid vacations to all Six Flags locations in St. Louis, Mo.; Houston, Tex.; Atlanta, Ga.; Buena Park, Calif.; Dallas, Tex. and Orlando.

Contestants must be between 13 and 17 years of age as of Jan. 1, 1976. (Born on or after January 2, 1959).

Any teen-ager interested in entering the Miss Florida Teen-Ager Pageant may write for further information to Mrs. Sybil Shaffer, 215 Piedmont Avenue, N. E. Atlanta, Ga., 30308, or call (404) 659-4610.

Proposed are shower and restroom facilities for the area where the midway operators set up for the five-day festivity.

Fair Officials To Meet At Sun 'N Lakes Clubhouse

Plans for the 1976 Highlands County Fair will be discussed when the Board of Directors meets Wednesday (today) for dinner and a social evening at the new Sun 'N Lake Clubhouse off U.S. 27.

Russ Albritton, fair board president, said the new date — Feb. 16-21 — and the proposed capital improvements to the fairgrounds which are maintained year-round on Highlands Ave. near Commerce St. and Firemen's Field, are scheduled for discussion.

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Betty Crocker Search For Leadership Is Underway

College scholarships from \$500 to \$5,000 are available to all high school seniors through the Betty Crocker Search for Leadership in Family Living, now under way in its 22nd year.

Invitations to enroll in the program have been mailed to high schools across the nation. Schools new to the program may write the Betty Crocker Search, P. O. Box 1113, Minneapolis, Minn. 55440, for information.

Enrollment deadline is October 31, 1975.

On Tuesday, Dec. 2, each participating school will administer a 50-minute written examination. Prepared and scored by Science Research Associates, Inc., Chicago, this general knowledge and attitude examination is the first important step of the scholarship program.

From the examination results a Betty Crocker Family Leader of Tomorrow will be chosen for each participating school. School winners are acknowledged with special awards and their examinations are entered in state competition.

Each State Family Leader of Tomorrow receives a \$1,000 college scholarship while every state second-place winner receives a \$500 grant. State winners also earn for their school a 28-volume reference work, "The Annals of America," from Encyclopedia Britannica Educational Corporation.

State winners, each accompanied by a faculty advisor, will be the guests of General Mills next spring on an expense-paid tour of Washington, D.C. A special event of the tour is announcement of the All-American Family Leader of Tomorrow, who's scholarship is increased to \$5,000. Second, third and fourth place national winners receive scholarship increases to \$4,000, \$3,000 and \$2,000 respectively.

The Betty Crocker Search is on the advisory list of the National Association of Secondary School Principals.

County Traffic

Improves

Contrary to usual trends, Highlands County traffic record improved over the holiday weekend.

In the week which concluded with Labor Day, the Florida Highway Patrol investigated eight traffic accidents with four injuries, no fatalities.

Two drivers were arrested for driving while intoxicated, 16 for speeding, 24 on other traffic infractions, and one truck driver was cited.

In the preceding week FHP had investigated 13 accidents, five injuries in Highlands County.

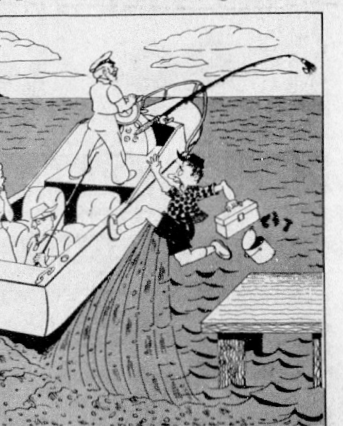
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The Rev. Ziegenfus, elected the Union Co. Church, is now at new charge. Messrs. Andrew, Robert, residing Avenue. William Ziegenfus at Northman graduated from College and Theological Sem. ordained in 1971 received a Master's degree from Seminary in 1972. He married M. Auer of Bethlehem 1967, who was Ursinus College.



Don't miss the boat!

The 1975-76 Highlands County area telephone directory is about to go to press. Changes and additions must be in our office this month. Now's the time to add names of members of your household who can benefit by an individual listing.



United Telephone



AVON PARK WELCOMES the new pastor for the Union Congregational Church, the Rev. William Ziegenfus and family. Standing

in front of their new home, (l-r), Mrs. Mary Ziegenfus, little Robert, Rev. William Ziegenfus, Andrew and Patrick.

Ziegenfus Is New Pastor Of Congregational Church

The Rev. William J. Ziegenfus, elected Pastor of the Union Congregational Church, is now at work with his new charge. The family includes wife Mary and three sons, Andrew, Patrick and Robert, residing at 142 N. Lake Avenue.

William Ziegenfus was born at Northampton, Pa., graduated from Ursinus College and Lancaster Theological Seminary and was ordained in 1968. He also received a Master of Divinity degree from Lancaster Seminary in 1973.

He married Mary Christian Auer of Bethlehem, Penn., in 1967, who was a graduate of Ursinus College (BA), and

Jackson Promoted

An Avon Park man has achieved the rank of airman first class in the U.S. Air Force.

Airman Bernard L. Jackson, son of Mrs. Shirley Green of 206 Fourth St., Avon Park, is a

material facilities specialist at McConnell AFB, Kan., and serves with a Strategic Air Command unit.

The airman is a 1974 graduate of Avon Park High School.

Youth Cases Up In County

By ALBERTA JONES

The number of young people in trouble is rising at a much faster pace than the population of Highlands County is growing. The number of cases handled by Division of Youth Services tripled in the past 12 months.

This is only part of the startling information recorded on the caseload graph maintained at the DYS district office in Sebring. Counselors working in Highlands County — Bill Peeples, district supervisor; Robert Hoffman, Bill Fine, Mary Ruth Knight, Ray Heckerman, counselors — glumly point out that 75 to 85 per cent of the increase is in felony cases.

A year ago the jurisdiction of DYS was modified to make the division responsible for investigation of complaints against juveniles up to the age of 18. Earlier, the division had processed only cases in the age of 17. Adding one year to the span of the agency's responsibility immediately drove the caseload upward, but Highlands County's staff say that is only part of the picture.

Peeples said even if all 17-year-olds were eliminated from the records, the number of cases would be double those of a year ago.

Of the cases investigated 20 to 30 per cent will not stay with DYS. In some, evidence will not support a charge against the accused, and in some the attorney will nolle prosequi the case. In others, DYS will find that another agency can be more helpful. Division of Mental Health or the Division of Mental Retardation may be the governmental unit best suited to help the child and his family.

Increasingly the investigating police officer is handling minor complaints without making a formal case with DYS. "It is more of the old 'top on the beat' idea," Peeples reported.

"For a while we went through a period of specialization and the police did little or nothing on handling juvenile cases. Now we are coming back to a more commonsense approach and if the policeman on the spot can work things out, he does," Peeples said.

"Not by any state law or division regulation but by tradition, we in Highlands County have some rules we use in our investigations and recommendations."

If the departmental investigation indicates that a juvenile has been involved in a serious crime — robbery, breaking and entering — the Highlands County tradition directs that the child go to court for hearing before the juvenile court judge. In this county that is Judge Clifton Kelly.

Juveniles arrested for driving while intoxicated receive treatment similar to that given adults, which includes attendance at a school.

All drug related cases go to court, even the misdemeanor possession of marijuana.

"We use a very cautious approach on any cases involving use of a gun," Counselor Fine said. "Usually we find the juvenile has stolen the gun as an object he can readily sell, but possession is taken as a signal that strong affirmative action is indicated."

The DYS counselor decides whether a case should go into court and makes recommendations to the judge about disposition of the case, but DYS staff members do not make final choices on the treatment selected.

One of the responsibilities of the division is to come up with new approaches, programs which will offer the court a wider range of choices.

In Highlands County a new approach is "work projects." "Every kid going to court will be working several hours on some work project," Peeples explained. "If it is suitable, the juvenile will do some work for the victim and some community project will be used in connection with work for the victim or in place of some work. Even when

cases are going to be dismissed, we may require some work," staff members say.

The juvenile court has long required restitution be made by the juvenile and - or his family. In shopping cases the stolen merchandise has to be returned and, in addition, paid for.

One of the early community work projects was carried out in late August. A crew working under the supervision of DYS counselors mowed and raked the police gun range. In the process almost 50 pounds of lead from old bullets was salvaged.

The police department can sell this for scrap and will obtain approximately \$50. Supervising the work is a very demanding job, Counselor Heckerman believes, but the DYS staff is committed to the idea that some physical work can be helpful to both the youth and community.

Not all supervising will be done by DYS staff, however. Increasingly parents will be assigned to supervise work projects. "If nothing else the parents will at least spend some time in the vicinity of their children."

Staff members are unanimous in the belief that breakdown in the family is a major factor in the increase of caseloads. More and more families move often, are broken by divorce, have few roots. Economic pressures are requiring even longer working hours by adult members of the family, and it adds up to disruptions in family life that children cannot handle, they say.

And parents cannot handle problems either, so both parents and youth are responding well to the group counseling sessions.

All members of the DYS staff here have been trained to work with such groups. Counselor Bob Hoffman said joint parent-child groups have been tried, but communication between generations was very painful. Separate groups for

parents and children work well.

"Parents are so grateful for a chance to share their troubles," Hoffman said.

Recently DYS has been able to establish some ties with group homes — a home where several troubled youths may receive supervision and caring, a substitute for the kind of individual attention each has needed.

One fact the staff members find a bit puzzling is the way in which girls are — or are not — involved in the soaring caseload. "Girls alone just do not get into felony type activities," Counselor Mary Ruth Knight observed.

Each Highlands County counselor has one or two girls included in his or her present assignments. "Girls run away," she said, "but if they are involved in a crime it is almost always with a boy."

Heckerman can remember one case in which two girls worked together to steal a car, but none of the staff members can remember a case where a girl working alone was involved in a crime. They are not sure this will hold true in the future.

No two people on the staff are certain where the troubled boys come from. Fine said his caseload is divided between the very high and the very low income brackets, but the "really hard core repeaters" are usually "homeless boys." "These aren't kids who have moved in here in the last two or three years. They come from families who have been here a long time, the kids have been here all their lives — and are in trouble."

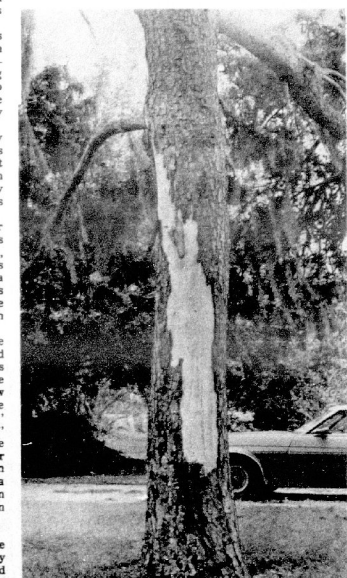
Heckerman and Hoffman are not so sure. They find many DYS counselees have lived here a short time and came here from a place where they had been in trouble.

Division of Youth Service is a relatively new state agency. Re-organizing work going on within the Florida court system has reshaped it several times within this decade. It is

so new that statistics are not available to back up any conjectures about how successful DYS is in rehabilitating young offenders.

One figure the Highlands counselors agree may be realistic, "Ten per cent of the kids we now have on probation will wind up in adult prison some day."

At the rate the probation load is multiplying, that 10 per cent is a terrifying figure.



THIS PINE TREE was hit by lightning during one of last month's storms. It stood in front of Mrs. Edith Ellsworth's home on Lake Byrd. Photo—Cornell.

Lightning Is At Its Peak Here This Time Of Year

Mrs. Edith Ellsworth, who lives on Lake Byrd called the Avon Park Sun last Thursday morning and reported that the large pine tree in her front yard had been hit by lightning during one of last month's thunder storms.

Mrs. Zelma Church, who owns an antique shop next door to Mrs. Ellsworth, was upstairs inspecting the new windows that had just been installed when the lightning hit. She said, "It looked like a big ball of red fire coming down the tree."

Mrs. Ellsworth called Tree Surgeon Hubert Kiker to come and look at the tree. Kiker said

the tree could not be saved and returned last Friday (Aug. 29) to cut it down and into fire wood.

The wood will be donated to the Lake Byrd Lodge to be used this winter.

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A well of water...

Many important events have taken place at the well. In days long ago it was a meeting place, where all came because of the necessity to obtain life-sustaining water.

Jacob met his beloved Rachel at the well. Moses met the daughters of his future father-in-law at the well in Midian. Much later Jesus Christ met a woman of Samaria at the well and said, "Whosoever drinketh of the water that I shall give him shall never thirst; but the water that I shall give him shall be in him a well of water springing up into everlasting life."

The church of God today is a meeting place where many come to obtain this life-giving and life-sustaining water of which Jesus spoke.

The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

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(Associate Reformed Synod)

215 East Circle Street
Pastor: W. O. Ragdale

Sunday School 9:40 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

(Nursery Every Sunday)
Wednesday Night Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

Adult Choir Rehearsal
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

(Nursery provided)
Family Night Supper April-October

Second Wednesday 6:30 p.m.

Woman's Society
Evening First Monday 8:00 p.m.

Afternoon First Wednesday 2:00 p.m.
MT. ZION CHRISTIAN METHODIST

EPISCOPAL CHURCH
232 Castle Street

Pastor: C. W. Williams

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

Women's Missionary Council--
Wednesday 4:00 p.m.

FREEDOM ASSEMBLY IN CHURCH

South Anoka and Center Streets
Avon Park, Florida 33825

Founder: Thomas H. Holmes

Bible Study 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

Evangelistic Service 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

Nursery Open All Services

FLORIDA AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor: Rev. Edwin Harpe

Phone: 453-3537

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Training Union 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

Mid-week Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.
Nursery Open All Services

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7:00 to 7:30 p.m.

Religious Instruction:
Graders: Sunday 9:30 a.m.

High School Students Wed. 7:30 p.m.

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Corner Main St. and Highlands Ave.
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Divine Services 9:30 a.m. &
Sunday School 8:45 a.m.

Visitors Always Welcome

ST. JOHN BAPTIST CHURCH
Rainbow Park

Pastor: Rev. Arthur Ausley

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Senior Choir Rehearsal--Monday 7:30 p.m.

Youth Program--Sunday 5:15 p.m.

**THE CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER
EPISCOPAL**

E. Pleasant at Verona Sts.
The Rev. Frank Cleveland, Rector

Sunday Services 8:00 a.m.

Eucharist 11:00 a.m.

Church School 9:00 a.m.

Family Service 10:00 a.m.

Wednesday Eucharist 9:30 a.m.

**ST. MARK MISSIONARY
BAPTIST CHURCH**

Pastor: Rev. J. W. Daugherty

Sunday School 9:00 a.m.

Eucharist 11:00 a.m.

Baptist Training Union 5:00 p.m.

Choir No. 1--Tuesday 7:00 p.m.

Choir No. 2--Monday 8:00 p.m.

Prayer Meeting--Thursday 7:00 p.m.

Usher Board No. 1--Monday 8:00 p.m.

Usher Board No. 2--Friday 4:30 p.m.

Trustee Day--First Sunday

Mission Day--Third Sunday

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Minister Bentley A. Williamson

Early service 8:45 a.m.

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.

Youth Meeting 6:00 p.m.

Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

Nursery conducted during both the Church
and Worship Service.

APOSTOLIC CHURCH OF JESUS
950 Carolina Ave.

Pastor: Elder Thomas J. Brown

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:30 a.m.

Tuesday Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

Thursday Missionary 7:30 p.m.

Youth Program--Sunday 5:30 p.m.

Sunday Night Service 6:30 p.m.

**WALKER MEMORIAL--SEVENTH-DAY
ADVENTIST CHURCH**
Across lake from Hospital

Pastor: R. M. Smith
Phone 453-7486

SATURDAY: 9:30 a.m.

Sabbath School 11:00 a.m.

Worship Hour 1:00 a.m.

Vespers 1/2 hour before sunset

WEDNESDAY:
Prayer and Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

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Headquarters: Salt Lake City, Utah

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American Legion Hall 9:00 a.m.

Sunday School, Sebring, American Legion

Senior Youth Group 10:00 a.m.

Relief Society--Tuesday, 442 SE Lakeview

Drive 9:00 a.m.

Sacrament Meeting, 12 noon

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

707 W. Main

Pastor: Byron Schorlinghouse

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

NYPs 6:00 p.m.

Evening Service 7:00 p.m.

Mid-week Service 7:00 p.m.

FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor: R. L. O'Quinn

1000 Thomas Street, Avon Park, Fla.

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Mid-week Service 11:00 a.m.

Training Union 6:00 p.m.

Prayer Meeting--Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

Choir Practice--Wednesday 8:30 p.m.

Nursery provided for all services

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD
112 South Central Ave.

Pastor: Dennis Postell

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Young People (Christ Ambassadors) 6:00 p.m.

Evangelistic Service 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday Mid-week Prayer and
Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

**UNITED CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH--
UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**

W. Church St. between N. Forest and Butler

Pastor: Rev. William J. Ziegenfuss

Phone 453-3345

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Junior Youth Group 5:30 p.m.

Senior Youth Group 6:30 p.m.

Choir Practice--Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

Nursery for small children at Sunday School
and Church Services

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
(Independent)**

1011 W. Walnut St. - Phone 453-7261

Pastor: Clifford D. Dance

Bible School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.

Youth Meeting 6:00 p.m.

Evening Service 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

N. Lake and Church St.

Pastor: Aden D. Childress

Minister of Education and Youth:
Thomas E. Leland

Minister of Music:
Miss Sybil Watson

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--Wednesday 7:45 p.m.

Nursery Open All Services

BEulah BAPTIST CHURCH
1019 S. Delaney

Pastor: Rev. Columbus L. Carter

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Thursday Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

Youth Program: Fourth Sunday 11:00 a.m.

Home Mission: Fourth Sunday 6:00 p.m.

Bible Study: First and Second
Sunday 5:00 p.m.

Teachers Meeting Tuesday 7:00 p.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
Corner Avon Blvd. and Highlands
Avon Park Lakes

Sunday Services 10:00 a.m.

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Reading Room--Friday 1:30-3:00 p.m.

First Weds. (not July, August, September)

CHURCH OF CHRIST
200 South Forest Avenue

Sunday Services: 10:00 a.m.

Bible Study 11:00 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF GOD
195 N. Florida Avenue

Rev. Alex Day, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

Family Night--Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

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IN RE: THE MAT-
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Pane In The Glass?

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- Be sure to wear gloves.
- He or she glass (from the outside if possible).
- Remove all old putty and glazier's points. If used (metal clips which hold glass in place).
- Clean out groove thoroughly and "prime" surface with outdoor paint to insure a good bond.
- Follow manufacturer's instructions when using a glass cutter. It's easier than you think. For the time, many dealers will cut glass to size.
- Be sure pane is cut 1/16-inch smaller on all sides to allow for easy installation and seal irregularities.
- To hold glass in place, use "push points." Insert gently with screwdriver at midpoint of frame on all four sides of glass.
- Don't use "just plain putty." Glazing compounds are especially made for this job. According to Red Devil Inc., leading manufacturer of glazing compounds, old-style putties can ruin the job by drying and cracking. Glazing compounds are more flexible and resilient, and easier to apply.
- Roll glazing compound into pencil thickness and draw strips down or knife directly from can. Press into place with putty knife.
- Before painting the compound, check product label.
- If you need expert advice, don't be embarrassed to ask your dealer. It can make the difference between a job done and a job well done.

Children Offered
200th Birthday Kit

Visitors are Vital

Vital is a strong word. True. But consider the facts... last year, 25 million-plus visitors traveled to Florida... spent \$5 billion... \$250 million in taxes, alone. That makes them pretty vital.

Yes, Florida needs those visitors... all 25 million of them.

But beyond the cold facts, our visitors are more than statistics. They are people... all 25 million of them. And they want to feel welcomed. So let's show them we care, show them our hospitality, and...

share the sunshine

Spain Retires FROM Florida.

OR, HOW

AMERICA picked up FLORIDA for \$5 million.

No luxury hotels. No drinks served at the pool. Just sand and palms and alligators. And a lot of fighting for it that destroyed property throughout Florida.

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1. Card of Thanks

THE SIMPSON FAMILY thanks the neighbors and friends for their thoughtfulness during the death of their mother Ruby Simpson.

3. Personals

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4. Special Notices

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11. Female Help Wanted

Wanted

Help Wanted

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NURSE, WOULD like care of patient in home. Telephone 465-2172 or write c/o P. O. Box 1564 Lake Placid. 1tc

Position Wanted

Golf Course Superintendent with eleven years experience GCSSA Class A member. Available immediately. Write Farrell N. Roberts, Route 2, Box 715, Collier Ave. Avon Park, Fla. or Call 452-2773.

11. Female Help Wanted

WAITRESSES WANTED. Rowlin's Inn, 3955 Rt. 27, South Sebring. 1tc

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12. Male Help Wanted

GROVE TRACTOR DRIVER Experience necessary 385-7642

13. Help Wanted

PHYSICIAN'S OFFICE needs RN or LPN - Send resume to P. O. 1117A, Avon Park. 5

DESK CLERK wanted - prefer non-drinking person over 40. Also waitressing wanted. Apply Jacaranda Hotel 5

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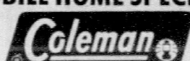
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26A. Real Estate for Sale or Lease

(FOR SALE OR RENT) Large attractive 3BR house, 4 blocks from Southgate Shopping Center. INQUIRE AT LOCATION, 1937 SPARTA CIRCLE, SEBRING. ALTER BIEROS RESIDENCE. 5

28. Mobile Homes

12 x 40 Two bedroom - bath and three toilets - screened porch with carpet - carpet - lot shed, central air - fully furnished - Bonnie Brae Mobile Home Behind new shopping center office 5

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30. Houses

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49A. Business and Office Properties for Rent

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51. Appliances

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61. Auctions

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61. Auctions

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15 ft. Scotty Travel Trailer. awning, elec. ref. 7,000 BTU air, spare, new toilet-hole tank inspect. Make offer. 385-4983 JTC

67. Miscellaneous for Sale

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70. Automobiles for Sale

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74 Audi, 100 L.S. Demo. AT, AC, sunroof, balance of factory warranty. \$3395.00

74 Cadillac Cpe DeVille. Soft tan with dark brown interior & top. Loaded with extras. Special price, \$6195.00

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School B

To F Adm

Highlander foot and long able to attend the new school building, Oct. are not will p Including premises, or planned to spend 5 p.m. on 4 moved from and meeting someone in remarked, sneaky way attend board. Actually the board, which matter at Tu was to hold the 7:30, the u meetings. I finally admin hour open h paring it a lit County S Board C Phone S A new pho Highlands Board and the offices of schools ena residents to Sebring the number bl The hoo completion 1 m p r o v communicate the county f of the public now has ac through a l Calls from ring direc administrat School St. h The school started its meetings in during the well bring closer touc