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COUNTY TO HIRE LEGAL HELP IN WOOLSEY CASE

State To Fix Narrow Bridges On Road Between Sebring and Avon Park

The county commissioners at their regular meeting Monday disposed of the road controversy that has existed between Capt. W. R. Maynard and Withers and Harshman regarding a road from the Bassenger road to Capt. Maynard's property. A resolution was offered and passed setting and designating the road and Withers and Harshman gave the county a deed to a 40 foot strip for a right of way for the new road. J. O'Dell Gregory appeared for Withers and Harshman and R. A. Rasco represented Capt. Maynard and the matter was settled to the satisfaction of all parties.

County Clerk L. T. Farmer called the board's attention to the pending suit of W. M. Woolsey against himself and other county officials regarding taxes and assessments. Mr. Farmer stressed the importance of the suit and County Attorney J. M. Lee stated he had got but little satisfaction from Attorney General Fred Davis regarding the matter and suggested that additional counsel be employed to assist him with the defense. He was not afraid of the outcome he said; but considering the vital importance to the county thought additional help should be provided.

The commissioners authorized Attorney Lee to employ another attorney to assist him and Mr. Lee intimated he would get W. E. Leitner of Leitner and Leitner of Arcadia.

The Highlands County Bank made application for county deposits as did the Barnett National Bank of Avon Park, the latter being represented by the president, J. N. Greening in person.

Tax Collector D. F. Canfield reported the collection of taxes on automobiles being extremely good and this precipitated an argument between the collector and Attorney Lee, the latter differing with the collector's opinion that auto owners residing in other counties could pay their taxes here. The attorney's contention was that this county should not take money that belonged to other counties and by so doing would only cause confusion in the future.

Report was made on the trip to Tallahassee of Chairman Pearce, Dr. E. J. Eberdred and Bert Freeman regarding the state taking over the road south of Lake Annie and which the state agreed to do and in addition the delegation said they had the assurance of members of the road department that the two narrow bridges on state road 8, between Avon Park and Sebring would be rebuilt.

The commissioners authorized the payment of \$125 to the Florida Flood Control association to aid in the work. The reports for the past six months of all the county officers were received and read and filed.

Roger Babson To Be Speaker at Avon Club

The January meeting of Avon Club will be held Monday the 27th, supper served at 6:45 in the Congregational church parlors. Professor Fairley has been in communication with Roger Babson as the guest speaker for the evening, but definite engagement for the evening has not been received from Mr. Babson press time. If he is not present the committee have another particularly worthwhile speaker "up their sleeve."

Church-at-Home-Night Social Meeting By Congregationalist

The Church-at-home-night social meeting of the Congregational church for the month of January, held Wednesday evening drew a large attendance of the membership and many friends and visitors, and provided a very enjoyable entertainment program. After several judging contests and tests of skill and alertness conducted by Irving C. Smith a group of the men's class presented a skit: "The Girl With the Red Hat" that captured the audience. Dr. A. H. Able, Max Wild, Francis Shockley and Albert Wester appeared in various versions of the "Girl with the Red Hat". W. T. Hall was the young bachelor about town in search for the misplaced lady, and I. C. Smith as newsboy negotiated the happy meeting. The men's class under supervision of M. T. Merwin, served ice cream and cake as refreshment to their guests.

STUNT NIGHT AT SCHOOL AUDITORIUM TUESDAY

Proceeds To Be Used To Purchase Additional Books For School Library

The Parent-Teachers' association are preparing for a big time Jan. 30, when another stunt night will be staged at the high school auditorium.

The various civic organizations of the city will take part and a keen rivalry has developed over the cash prizes which will be given for the best stunt produced.

An admission of 35 cents will be charged for the adults and 15 cents for the children.

The proceeds will go towards the purchase of books for the school library.

Many new books are needed to keep the Avon Park school on the accredited list and the support of the public is asked in order to procure the additional volumes.

A good time is guaranteed those who attend this entertainment next Tuesday evening.

South Side Baptist Church News Notes

Last Sunday Rev. W. J. Peters, who recently moved from Moss Point, Miss., to Sebring, preached at the South Side Baptist church. His subject for the morning hour was: "Pressing Forward," and for the evening hour: "A Consecrated Church Membership." Both sermons were enjoyed by the large crowd present.

The Ridge Quartette, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Story, S. S. Royal, and W. L. Royal, with Miss McCorkle at the piano, aided in the worship with their singing of a number of inspiring songs. At the close of the service these visitors were requested to sing a number of songs, which they did. These splendid singers received a cordial invitation to visit the church again. It is said this quartette has invitations from many places to visit them and sing.

Womans Club To Have Tea and Reception

The Woman's Club will hold a tea and reception next Thursday afternoon from three to four-thirty in the parlors of the Jacaranda Hotel. All ladies of Avon Park and visitors are invited to attend.

NEW CITY ATTORNEY TO HANDLE TAX RECORDS

Police Instructed To Watch For Drunken Drivers of Cars

City council met in adjourned session last night with all members present as well as the mayor and the city attorneys, both old and new. After some discussion it was decided that the books and records pertaining to the delinquent taxes which have been in the possession of Attorney J. M. Lee, should be audited and transferred to the new city attorney, S. Colquitt Pardee, tomorrow.

Mayor Donaldson reported on the work of the police department and stated there is far more cooperation with the city authorities than formerly and the force is accomplishing more and better work. Along this line there was some discussion on parking rules, there having been some complaints regarding double parking. The police were authorized to use their discretion in this respect. They were also ordered to be especially watchful for drunken drivers of automobiles and it was intimated that offenders of this kind will receive the limit the law allows when convicted.

Rev. W. K. McClurg Addresses Rotarians

To the Rev. W. K. McClurg, pastor of the First Baptist church, fell the honor of being the first speaker to be introduced to the Rotary Club by burst of song. That duty was performed by Rotarian J. B. Coen, who with an unexpected solo introduced the speaker of the day, Rev. McClurg, after recovering from the shock, made a very forceful talk to the club on the subject of "He Men."

Visitors present included Morris Knowles, City Engineer of the city of Pittsburgh; Dr. R. L. Bennett, president of Lander College, Greenwood, S. C.; L. T. Carter of Wood River, Ill.; Rev. W. G. Clinton and W. C. Parker from Sebring.

CITY ATTORNEY TO HAVE OFFICE IN CITY HALL

Council Decides To Keep the Various Branches of City Together If Possible

The City Council met in regular session Monday evening and had several matters up for discussion.

In order to have the different branches of the city housed at a certain point as far as possible, the city council arranged for an office for the city attorney in the City Hall.

Three merchants from the south end of town appeared before the council asking that the practice of distributing hand bills be stopped. Different angles of the proposition were brought out in the discussion but no definite decision was reached. It is thought the merchants of the city will get together in the near future with a view of uniforming the general conditions to the benefit of all concerned.

The council authorized the placing of a street lamp on Highland avenue, between the homes of Mrs. Crumley and Mrs. Cloud.

The city engineer was instructed to investigate the condition of the city clay pit, and make an estimate of the cost of uncovering another section with a view of using clay for city streets.

C. of C. Information Tent Is Proving Very Popular With Visitors

The information tent operated by the Chamber of Commerce in the Mall, opposite the City Hall, has proven quite popular with tourists passing through the city. Many inquiries are made and not a few visitors have been prevailed upon to stop over in Avon Park, among whom are Mrs. Samuel Weller, and Mrs. Kathryn Dickinson of Dayton, O., who are staying at the Mid-State hotel. Those registering with the Chamber of Commerce the last few days are: Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Worthing and daughter of Fond du Lac, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Pruden, Winter Haven; Mrs. Churchwell Mabry of Knoxville, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Serank, Troywood, O.; N. R. Nivwanger, West Milton, O.; Mrs. F. Louis Seibert, Lakeland; Mrs. E. Riggs, Hamlet, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Wexler, Philadelphia, N. Y.; C. A. Nelson, Cartersville, Ga.; Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Rees, Orienton, Ky.

MULBERRY PAPER MAN WRECKS LOCAL AUTO

Troy Cox and Companions Forced Into Ditch at Bartow

Last Monday night C. A. French of the Mulberry Press sideswiped the Chevrolet sedan of Troy Cox and Mr. Cox with two companions, Eddie Lane and E. G. Long were driving through Bartow.

The three young men were on their way to Mulberry and were driving at a moderate rate of speed when the car driven by Mr. French, while passing them, ran into their car, throwing it into the ditch. It is stated, practically demolishing the Avon Park car while the car driven by Mr. French was only slightly damaged in comparison, the right fender and running board being smashed.

The Avon Park men received minor injuries from broken glass while the Mulberry man, it is reported, was unhurt.

It is reported that Mr. French carried liability insurance on his car which will take care of the damages on Mr. Cox's sedan.

To Form Social Club Wednesday

There is a movement on foot towards the formation of a new social organization in this city and a meeting has been called for Wednesday evening at eight o'clock at Odd Fellows Hall to which the public is cordially invited.

Cards will be enjoyed and refreshments served and following the social activities it is proposed to elect officers and name the organization. A nominal charge of 25 cents will be made to cover the expenses.

Female Masonry at School Auditorium

Lee Chapter, No. 85, O. E. S. will present a play, "Female Masonry," at the High School Auditorium, Thursday evening, February 6.

An admission of 35c will be charged for adults and 10c for children.

This promises to be an event of unusual interest and a large attendance is anticipated.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Felknor were visitors to Clewiston, Sunday.

WOOLSEY CASE AGAINST THE COUNTY COLLAPSES

Woolsey Is Said To Be a Supervisor of Defendant Drainage District

The case of M. W. Woolsey against Ernest Amos, L. T. Farmer and the Indian Prairie Sub-drainage district came to an abrupt halt yesterday afternoon when it came up before Judge W. J. Barker in chambers. The judge sustained the demurrer of the defense based on multifariousness and dismissed the suit as against the state and county officials and the plaintiff will have 30 days in which to file an amended bill as against the drainage district. It was also intimated by the plaintiff's attorney that another bill of complaint may be filed against the state and county.

The plaintiff claimed and alleged an excessive assessment against his land in the southern part of the county and claimed it should have been assessed at \$2.00 per acre instead of \$4.00. He also alleged that the penalties and tax sale were illegal and that the notice of tax sale was not published as required by law and a copy of the paper in which it was said to be published was not filed in the office of the county clerk.

Regarding the allegations against the drainage district, the plaintiff claimed canals had not been built according to plan and specifications and that he had received no benefits and he prayed for relief against the assessments which he claimed were confiscatory.

Attorney Treadwell of Arcadia representing the district entered a demurrer claiming the bill was incomplete as there was nothing to show deviations in the duties of the drainage supervisors and he alleged the complainant was at fault by not paying his taxes. The attorney also brought out the fact that the plaintiff Woolsey was also one of the supervisors of the defendant drainage district and said it was his own fault if the work was not completed. The bill of complaint was also alleged to be multifarious as there were in reality two suits, neither having any relation to the other as the state and county taxes were entirely distinct from the drainage district taxes.

Plaintiff's attorney, Wilbur W. Whitehurst, alleged that the district had been formed five years ago and bonds were issued for the work. He also alleged that no attempt had been made to complete the work.

H. S. Hampton of Tampa who was assisting County Attorney J. M. Lee, introduced a similar demurrer and pointed out that the drainage district is separate and distinct from the county. He also drew attention to the complainants bill in which the taxes for 1926, 1927 and 1928 are mentioned as to the drainage district, but only taxes for the years 1927 and 1928 for the state and county.

Attorney Whitehurst stated he had no objection to bringing separate actions and Judge Barker ruled on the demurrers.

Hot Dog Sandwiches and Coffee On Sale

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion will sell "Hot Dogs" and coffee at the office of Mandis Dairy, adjoining the Theatre, Saturday evening, starting at five o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Barrett of Old Forge, N. Y., arrived Saturday to spend their fifth season in Avon Park.

M'CLELLAND WILL BE ORDAINED FEBRUARY 2

To Take Up Pastorate of the South Side Baptist Church

At a special business session of the First Baptist Church Wednesday evening after prayer service, J. W. McClelland's resignation as superintendent of the Sunday school was read, and accepted with many regrets.

A vote of thanks was extended to him by the church for his faithful and efficient service in all of his Sunday school work.

The church feels honored that God has called Mr. McClelland into his ministry from its midst and bids him God speed in his labor for the Master.

Upon motion it was agreed to purchase a Schofield Bible to be presented to Mr. McClelland when he is ordained.

A recommendation of the board of deacons was accepted, that Rev. McClure invite Pastors Baldwin of Vero Beach, Seville of Wauchula, Griffin of Winter Haven, S. W. McClelland of Lakeland and Winner of Sebring to form a presbytery and assist in the ordination of J. H. McClelland in the ministry at three o'clock Sunday afternoon, Feb. 2.

Mr. Connor resigned as chairman of the music committee and Mrs. L. D. McGiboney was elected to succeed him.

W. F. L. A. TO FEATURE THE PRESS SCRAP BOOK

Novel Program To Be Transferred From WDAE To Clearwater

As a tribute to the Press of the State, a unique radio program was introduced over station WDAE last October, during the meeting of the South Florida Press association, entitled the State Press Scrap Book.

The feature was arranged by Russell Kay from material selected in reading the 238 newspapers published in Florida, a timely editorial from one, a bit of verse from another, brief comment on state-wide activity in many lines, a joke or two, a few snappy paragraphs, and always a constructive thought on the value of the newspaper to the community and the individual.

From its inception the State Press Scrap Book became increasingly popular and in response to a demand that it be featured over other stations, Mr. Kay announces that, beginning Friday evening, Jan. 24th, at 7:45 p. m., the Scrap Book will become a regular studio feature from Station WFLA, Clearwater.

The program for that date has been arranged with care and listeners in search of an interesting and entertaining feature are urged to tune in.

The State Press Scrap Book is sponsored by the Florida Clipping Service and its purpose is to bring you "The Best from the Press."

Among the popular basketball fans attending the game in Sebring Wednesday night, were: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jett, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dawson, Mrs. G. D. Godwin, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ginn, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Walter Maddox, Check Grace, Virginia Vines, Mertice Coker, Clifton Craft, Kitty Martin, Devon Reddick, Jerry Heim, Pate Grace, Inez Dawson, Lora Lee, Eddie Clarke, Estelle Carney, T. J. McGinnis, Colquitt, Fardeau, Powell Jones, Ira Gunter and Oria and Leona Baker.

Tavares, Jan. 23.—Lake county farmers have placed orders for 240 bushels of Big Stem Jersey sweet potatoes for early spring planting. Clifford R. Hiatt, the county agent, stated. He expects around 100 acres to be planted.

Unsullied



Sixty Million Tons of Milk

Hon. Arthur M. Hyde, United States Secretary of Agriculture, recently stated that dairying is our biggest industry. He said that the farm value of dairy products year before last was three billion dollars. So huge a sum staggers the imagination and, without comparison, is meaningless.

The milk produced on American farms in 1928 weighed 60 million tons—twice the weight of all pig iron produced by the greatest industrial nation on earth. The United States is the second largest gold producing nation. It would take fifty years, at our present rate of gold production, to equal the value of one year's dairy production. Our gold reserve is about four times as large as that of any other nation in the world, but it is just about large enough to pay for the milk annually yielded by American dairy cows.

We produce sixty percent of the world's cotton. We grow enough wheat to satisfy all of our domestic needs and to export from 200 to 300 million pounds besides. We raise enough potatoes to feed 120 million people. Yet the farm value of all our cotton, wheat and potatoes combined does not equal the farm value of our dairy production.

Farm values, however, are only the beginning of the values based on dairying. There are more than four thousand creameries, nearly three thousand cheese factories, over three hundred condensaries, and many thousands of ice cream factories and other milk processing plants.

Textile mills are coming South because we can give them all the cotton they need. Milk plants will also come South when we can assure them an ample supply of milk.

Dixon Didn't Starve. Eight years ago everybody who knew him said that P. D. Dixon, of Cleveland county, N. C., would starve to death on the poor piece of land that he undertook to buy. All he took with him to the farm was a mule and wagon, a few chickens, and a wife and two babies. But he didn't starve. His farm is paid for, he has six cows, the blue ribbon bull of the county, 100 chickens and eight hogs. He

sold \$300 worth of cream last year, and has money in the bank. Besides that, to show for his year's work, he had on hand last fall 400 bushels of corn, 161 bushels of No. 1 potatoes, 133 bushels of wheat, 167 bushels of oats, 15 bales of cotton grown on 12 acres of land, and 12 tons of hay grown on six acres. It would no doubt have been an easy matter for him to starve but Mr. Dixon must have made up his mind that he wasn't going to do it.

Grass-Eating Stock is the Kind to Buy. Will Rogers, who comes pretty near summing things up just about right, had the following to say about the collapse of the Wall Street stock market:

"What does it mean? Nothing! Why, if the cows of this country failed to come up and get milked one night it would be more of a panic than if Morgan and Lamont had never held a meeting. Why, an old sow and a litter of pigs make more people a living than all the steel and General Motors stock combined. Why, the whole 120,000,000 of us are more dependent on the cackling of a hen than if the stock exchange was turned into a night club."

Cream Checks Run Cotton Farm and Car.

J. F. Mitchell, of Dyer county, Tenn., says he wouldn't have been able to run either his cotton farm or his Ford the past two years if he hadn't milked four good cows. His cream checks paid the entire grocery bill, chopped 35 acres of cotton, paid for extra help used in saving 650 bales of hay, and bought gas and oil for his car.

760 Eggs Every Second. The U. S. Department of Agriculture states that in the United States every second 760 eggs are produced and \$20 worth of wealth is created. Why should anybody sigh for the goose that laid golden eggs while faithful old Biddy shells out the shekels at that rate?

South Carolina farmers have shown a remarkable increase in the production of poultry in the past few years. Only three carloads, valued at \$9,500, were sold co-operatively in 1928. Each year has shown a big increase and during the first four months of 1929, 92 carloads were sold co-operatively, bringing nearly \$500,000. The averages, Cobb county, Ga., hen lays only 64 eggs per year.

But there is one farmer in the county who gets an average of 174 eggs from each of his 556 hens. He figures his cash receipts at \$5.51, and his net profit at \$3.13 per hen over a 12-month period.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Peebles, of Pickens county, Ala., made a clear profit of \$800 on 430 White Leghorn hens from Nov. 1, 1928, to July 1, 1929. A flock of 650 hens made a Lincoln county, N. C., farmer a net profit of \$1,541.77 in seven months in 1928.

HINTS TO HOUSEWIVES

Weekly from Home Demonstration Specialists, Tallahassee

Fruit-Juice Cookies.

Use one-half cup butter or shortening, one cup sugar, one egg, one-fourth cup lemon juice, one-fourth orange juice, two one-half cups flour, and four teaspoons baking powder. Cream together butter or shortening and sugar. Add beaten egg and mix well. Combine orange and lemon juice and add to first mixture alternately with flour which has been sifted with baking powder. Chill and roll out very thin on floured board, adding more flour if necessary. Cut in plain or fancy shapes with cookie cutter. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 12 to 15 minutes.

Orange Nut Bread.

Ingredients: two cups bread flour, two teaspoons salt, one-half cup sugar, two cups milk, one-half cup pecan meats, two cups Graham flour, four teaspoons baking powder, one-half cup candied orange peel, one egg. Mix ingredients thoroughly and sprinkle two tablespoons of the flour over nuts and orange peel. Beat egg till light and add to milk. Then pour over dry ingredients stirring and beating the mixture smooth. Last add the flour and nuts and orange peel. Pour into two oiled bread tins and bake 45 minutes in a 350 degree F. oven.

Lemon or Orange Toast.

Slice bread one-fourth inch thick. Cut slices in rounds or in fancy shapes with a cookie cutter. Cream together three tablespoons butter and three tablespoons sugar. Add slowly one teaspoon lemon or orange juice and one-half teaspoon grated rind. Toast bread on one side. Spread mixture on other side. Toast may then be placed under flame until butter begins to melt.

—Virginia P. Moore.

Orlando, Jan. 23.—Ruth Durrenberger, Fairville 4-H club girl had 120 bushels of tomatoes in her winter garden. They have yielded over 440 pounds. Many tomatoes weighed over a pound each. Reports were from Mrs. Nellie W. Taylor, home demonstration agent.

GENERAL NEWS OVER FLORIDA THIS WEEK

Industrial, Financial and Agricultural News Of Interest

Housing shortage being acute at Lake Placid, a joint meeting of the Chamber of Commerce and the Woman's Club was held last week in the Lake Placid Club to consider the condition. Town Manager J. E. Sims, O. F. Gardner of the Lake Placid Land company, and Mrs. Melvi Dewey of the Lake Placid Club South, presented various phases of the subject.

After outlining a program of new road construction for the state for 1930 to cost \$4,148,446, exclusive of mandatory projects and uncompleted items from the 1929 budget, the state road department wound up its quarterly meeting at Tallahassee Friday afternoon by deciding to meet February 25th in Jacksonville when the 1930 budget will be finally adopted.

Planters in far South Florida have been urged to plant more avocado groves. It is said that there are not enough plantings in Florida and California to supply half of the trade, and that the market is always strong at prices that make it very profitable to grow avocados. Cuba and Porto Rico raise some of the fruit, but not extensively. The avocado flourishes in a mild sub-tropical climate and attains an average height of 30 feet.

Letters sent by air mail from Tampa at noon one day will be delivered in Chicago the following morning, according to announcement to day by J. M. Wulpi, general traffic manager of Interstate Air Lines operating air mail service between Atlanta and Chicago.

Several counties in the state have given motorists a few days grace in buying license tags but state officials say that the time has expired and the wisest thing for all motorists is to buy their tags now and save trouble. And county rulings on the subject would only cover those particular counties.

The last link of the Tamiami Trail long distance telephone line between Fort Myers and Miami was hooked up and opened Friday night to mark the completion of a \$150,000 improvement program completed by the Inter-County Telephone & Telegraph company, it was announced by President J. S. Gillentine of Ft. Myers.

Fifty or more fliers participated in a program full of thrills and excitement at Drew Field at Tampa Sunday afternoon, before a crowd estimated at 35,000 persons. More than 100 planes were in the air or parked about the field, and every highway leading to the field was jammed with automobiles for distances of more than a mile. Not an accident of any kind marred the afternoon, although a few were escaped by margins to narrow for comfort.

Woman's Club Hold Open House Tea

"Open House" tea was held at the Woman's Clubrooms in the City Hall Thursday afternoon from three until five o'clock, with Mrs. L. V. Pringle and Mrs. E. G. Todd as hostesses. Punch and salad was served to the 35 present.

Methodist Ladies Have Food Sale

The ladies of the Methodist Church will hold a food sale in the old Eagle Cafe building, Saturday at 10 o'clock. Everyone is urged to partake.

Miss Georgia Scarborough, Miss Evelyn Pond and Miss Christine Lippett of Frostproof, were shoppers in Avon Park Tuesday afternoon.

FARM AND GROVE

TIME FOR PLANTING MUSCADINE GRAPES

Very Easily Grown and Can Be Planted Up To March 1

"Many home owners in North and Central Florida are missing an annual treat because they do not plant an arbor of muscadine grapes for home use," declares E. I. Lord, professor of horticulture in the College of Agriculture at Gainesville. These grapes may be planted any time from now until March 1.

Not only are these grapes very pleasant when eaten fresh from the vine, but they lend themselves to the production of various culinary products such as jellies, preserves, and unfermented grape juice. Recipes for making good things to eat from these grapes can be furnished by any of the home demonstration agents.

The term scuppernon is often applied to the whole group, but it is correctly used to designate one of the white varieties only. Other varieties which are valuable are Thomas, Memory, Mish, Flowers, and James. The Thomas seems best suited to culinary purposes, although all of those mentioned are desirable for dessert and culinary use.

The muscadines are very easily grown, and for the home dooryard can be best grown on arbors, planted 16 to 20 feet apart each way. The material used to build the arbors should be just as lasting as possible, for the vines are long lived. During the fall, about November, all dead wood should be removed. If the lateral shoots are cut back to spurs of six to 10 buds, the productiveness will be increased.

The old, neglected muscadine arbor will show better results next summer if it is cleaned up in the same manner. The application of a liberal amount of commercial fertilizer or stable manure will increase the vigor and production of such vines. To get best results, the fertilizer should be applied before growth begins in the spring. Any humus forming matter will be helpful if placed under the arbors and allowed to decay.

Experiment Station Appoints Three For Work at Sub-Station

The Board of Control of the Florida Experiment Station recently appointed two assistant entomologists and one assistant horticulturist.

R. N. Lobdell, assistant entomologist, will begin work at the Everglades Station at Belle Glade March 1. He will work chiefly with sugar cane and truck insects. He received his M. S. degree from Mississippi A. & M. College and has about completed work on a Ph.D. Mr. Lobdell has resigned his position as associate professor of the Mississippi A. & M. College.

C. C. Goff who is to receive an M. S. degree from the University of Illinois February 1, will immediately begin work as assistant entomologist. He will be stationed at Leesburg, where a laboratory will be built, and will work on insects of watermelons.

L. R. Toy, assistant horticulturist, has begun work on sub-tropical fruits at the Homestead Station. He is a graduate of the Florida College of Agriculture with further study in sub-tropical fruits at the University of California. He has had considerable investigation experience in citrus and avocado nurseries.

A drive to compel motorists of the British Isles to obey all the road laws, big and little, has been started by the government.

WRUF FARM PROGRAM "The Voice of Florida Farming"

Gainesville, Jan. 23.—The following farm talks will be features of the daily farm program over WRUF, state radio station, and will begin at 12:15 Eastern Standard Time, the Florida Agricultural Extension Division has announced.

Saturday, Jan. 25.—Review of Agricultural News.

Monday, Jan. 27.—Swarm Control of Bees—R. E. Foster, apiary inspector with the State Plant Board. The Co-operative and the Non-Member—Dr. H. G. Hamilton, associate professor of agricultural economics, Florida College of Agriculture.

Tuesday, Jan. 28.—U. S. Farm Flashes About Livestock.

Wednesday, Jan. 29.—Azaleas and Camellias—Major W. L. Floyd, head Horticultural Department, Florida College of Agriculture.

Thursday, Jan. 30.—Primer for Town Farmers.

Friday, Jan. 31.—Some Things Florida Experiment Station Workers Learned Last Year—J. Francis Cooper, editor. Touring Some Other Experiment Stations—R. M. Fulghum, assistant editor, Florida Agricultural Extension Division.

Answers from the Farm Question Box, or U. S. Farm Flashes will be the concluding feature of each program. The station broadcasts on 830 kilocycles.

RURAL COMMON SENSE By Spuds Johnson

FARM BOARD BELIEVES CO-OPERATION WILL BE HELP TO AGRICULTURE

The appearance of the Federal Farm Board on the national farm horizon has caused more of a flurry in agriculture than any other thing in recent years. It seems that this board is honestly striving to be of real service to the farmers of America.

One of the ways in which the Board is helping farmers is by the loaning of money to help meet their credit needs. The Board has adopted the policy of making the loans through approved co-operative marketing organizations. In Florida one organization—in the citrus field—has already been approved.

Florida farmers and growers who wish to take advantage of the Board's help should align themselves with existing approved co-operatives and help form others which will be approved. The board believes that one of the best ways in which farmers can help themselves is by the formation of co-operative associations, and this has resulted in its plan to make loans and encourage the co-operatives.

Florida farmers, however, should not be led into the belief that any and all co-operatives, especially small local ones, can secure aid from the Farm Board. Plans for the formation of a large truck crop co-operative in Florida are being worked out by the State Marketing Bureau and encouraged by other agricultural organizations in the state. For this co-operative to be a success and to receive the help of the Federal Farm Board, it must cover most of the trucking area of the state. Community and county co-operatives are good, but they are not large enough. They must join together and form a state organization.

While the immediate good derived from the forming of co-operatives which will be approved by the Farm Board is the securing of credit facilities, the board hopes that, by fostering co-operation, it will be rendering a real and far-reaching service to farmers, and be helping them to help themselves.

War conditions in China are reported to be bothering dealers in goat skin.

PLANT CITY BOY WINS STATE CORN CLUB WORK

Also Won In 1928 and Will Receive a \$100.00 Scholarship

The honor of being state champion corn club boy for the second year in succession has just come to Paul Simmons, a Plant City 4-H club boy. Paul won the championship in 1928, and R. W. Blacklock, state boys' club agent, has just announced that he is also winner for 1929. As a prize for his 1929 record, Paul will receive the \$100 scholarship offered by the Children Nitrate of Soda Educational Bureau.

Young Simmons chose the scholarship in preference to a trip to New Orleans and by boat from there to Tampa with crop champions from other Southern states, which is given by the nitrate bureau. Paul entered the University of Florida College of Agriculture as a freshman last September, and will use his scholarship money to help defray expenses of his college education.

Paul planted seed of the Kilgore Red Cob variety on land which had been grown to strawberries the winter preceding. He cultivated with a harrow, sweep and cultivator. Paul fertilized his corn with 200 pounds nitrate of soda per acre as a side-dressing.

The yield from the one acre was 111 bushels, which Paul valued at \$100 a bushel. This left him a net profit of \$94.00 on the acre. His work was supervised and his yield certified by his county agent, C. P. Wright.

Paul has the following to say about being champion: "Boys, if you want to be a champion, don't try to beat the other fellow, because that will do nothing but cause you to envy your fellow worker, and that would not be 4-H spirit. But instead of trying to beat the other fellow, just try to beat yourself, and the rest will care for itself."

February 4 Set For National Bee Show South Florida Fair

February 4 of the South Florida Fair, which is Governors' Day, will also be designated as Bee Day. Governor Carlton will address the bee-keepers of the state on that day.

One of the outstanding features of the fair will be a national Bee and Honey Show being conducted by the management in co-operation with R. E. Foster, state apiary inspector. A large number of states will participate, and the Bee Culture Laboratory at Washington will have an exhibit. Any one wishing to enter an exhibit may do so by sending at least a five pound sample of good table honey to R. E. Foster, Gainesville, or E. W. Macomber, 314 West Francis avenue, Tampa.

Clayton Spending Week Attending Farm Conference

H. G. Clayton, district agent of the Florida Agricultural Extension Division, has been spending the week in Washington attending the agricultural outlook conference, January 20-24. Near the first of each year extension agents and economists from all the states meet and assemble information concerning planting, distribution, and surplus of farm production in the United States to guide farmers in making production plans for the coming year.

In a recent month 8,000 kegs of grapes arrived at Manila, P. I.

Put Farm Machinery In Shape When the Work Is Slack

Winter should not be an idle time on any farm. Among the many things to be done is the overhauling, repairing and painting of the machinery used on the farm. The present price of all farming tools emphasizes the necessity of giving them the best care possible.

Look the implements over and make necessary repairs. Then when the rush of work begins in spring, all machinery will be in readiness and in better condition.

If no implement shed is available for the proper housing of farm implements, the thorough painting of it is recommended by the Agricultural Extension Division.

Paint will preserve the wood and prevent the metal parts from rusting. Two kinds of paint will be needed: one for the metal parts and the other for the wooden parts. The cost of the paint will be returned in the increased life of the machinery.

Rucker Entry Leading Egg-Laying Contest

Chipley, Jan. 23.—At the beginning of 1930 a pen of White Leghorns owned by E. H. Rucker, Ottumwa, Ia., was leading the fourth Egg-Laying Contest with 497 eggs and a score of 430.4 points.

The leading individual was owned by F. C. Peace, Norcross, Ga., with 50 eggs and 49.75 points to date.

The average production for the 950 competing birds was 25.2 eggs for November and December. This is nearly an average of three eggs ahead of either previous contest.

Many bankers will not loan money to a general farmer unless he plans diversification, including livestock and cover crops.

Holland Seedsman Visits Florida On Crop Study Tour

Gainesville, Jan. 23.—Andrew R. Zwann, president and general manager of the Zwann & van der Molen plant breeding and seed growing company, inc., of Voorburg, the Hague, Holland, was recently here studying vegetables grown in Florida.

He has been in the United States three months, and has gone into every state except three. He also made visits to Canada and Cuba.

"You have some country," he commented; "Florida is about four times as large as our country." He told of the intensity of production in Holland, and especially was in favor of the Dutch system of co-operative marketing.

Don't bore into the cow's horn for hollow-horn nor split her tail for hollow-tail, but put feed in her hollow stomach.

Want Ads

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FOR RENT—Furnished house on Tulane Circle. Inquire of H. D. Knapp, Box 432. 45-1tp

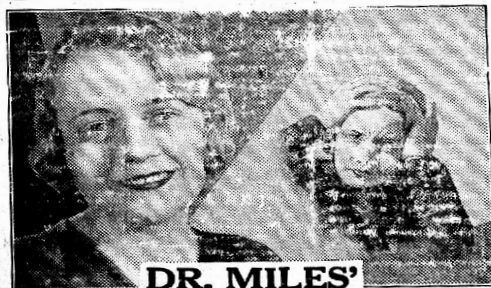
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AIR-CONSCIOUS.

The interest in aviation of people somewhat removed from populous centres was clearly demonstrated on Thursday of last week when a census, if one had been taken at the American Legion airport of Highlands county, would have shown a larger temporary population than that of either of the Twin Cities.

It was not curiosity alone that drew such a crowd. It is because the people, as a whole, are speeding up their mental processes and are becoming air-conscious. Like the Athenians who gathered around Paul in the midst of Mars' Hill, they were there to tell or to hear of some new thing.

It is reasonable, in the face of so many achievements, that the whole people should become air-conscious. Dr. A. V. Kidder, director of the division of Archeology of Carnegie Institute, who accompanied Col. Lindbergh on his air trip in Yucatan to enumerate and locate the ruins of lost Maya cities, said: "We made the trip from Tikal to Uaxactun in six minutes. It is a good week's trek by land."

Exploration work formerly requiring centuries for accomplishment, is performed in a short season through air transport. Jules Verne's "Around the World in Eighty Days," was read by thousands and classed as a dream story. But the Graf Zeppelin, with a total of twelve hours' flying time, circumnavigated the globe north of the fiftieth parallel. Over 20,000 miles was covered, and three continents and two oceans were spanned. This giant lighter-than-air ship carried 36,000 pieces of mail in addition to its twenty passengers.

The names of Peary, Amudson and Byrd will go down in history along with those of Columbus, Marco Polo and Magellan. Other names will be added and still greater achievements recorded in history's annals.

People are air-conscious and air-minded when a \$3,000,000 display, as was shown at Cleveland last August, is placed before them. The Navy's "highhat" squadron will continue to furnish plenty of thrills. Miami, Chicago, Lakehurst and Detroit will be names on the end of every schoolboy's tongue.

From Wright's flight of a few minutes on the Atlantic sand dunes of the Tar Heel State we have progressed to the DOX amphibian with its one hundred-passenger capacity, exclusive of the crew.

Verily, as a people, we are becoming air-conscious nearly one hundred per cent.

THE ATTORNEYSHIP.

The city council, in continuing its slate of city positions, has introduced a new name into the political life of the city.

The new attorney, S. Colquitt Pardee, was a successful practicing attorney in the courts of Maryland, Va., and the District of Columbia, before coming to Avon Park in 1922, though his interest in Avon Park ante-dated that time.

Col. Pardee has, therefore, shown his interest in this community and its people for nearly a decade. He has been instrumental in the investment of much southern and northern capital here and in the development of local interests. He has built up a successful legal practice in Florida and has been connected with many forward civic movements of the city. The Times wishes him success.

Col. J. Martin Lee, the out-going city attorney, has served the city for several years as its attorney. He has served the county in the halls of legislation in Tallahassee. He has had a wealth of experience in city, county and state affairs. He has performed much good service for the people.

In the course of his tenure of office Col. Lee has made both friends and enemies. Every other man in public life has done the same thing. There are times when the public minimizes the good and magnifies the ill. "Men's evil manners are stamped in bronze, their virtues are writ in water."

As a champion in whatever cause Col. Lee advocated, he was no pussy-footer, and at times found himself at variance with even

his best friends. There are many thistles and but few roses strewn along the pathway of a city attorney. The relief from the former is oft a consolation devoutly to be wished.

IF EVERYBODY HAD A MILLION DOLLARS.

(Contributed)

Have you ever wished you had a million dollars? You must admit you have. But how much effort have you put forth to obtain that million dollars or less?

As has been said so many times, "It is not what one makes but what he saves." That being true have you proven you really desired to be a millionaire by your practiced economy? Every one can put away for a "rainy day," a small sum. And you may rest assured a time will come when the savings you have carefully laid away will come in "mighty handy." By your saving a little along will place you so you will not be a burden to your neighbors and friends when a crisis comes in your affairs.

Now to those who "Wish they had a million dollars." If every man, woman and child in the United States had a million dollars handed them on February 1st, what results would follow?

We must have a very elastic imagination to even try to picture the real conditions that would follow in two weeks.

Everything would be at a standstill. The now laboring man would quit his job. The clerks in the stores, the mechanics would see no use to work any longer. "Why should I work, I have a million dollars? In fact every one would quit, for why should he continue to grind? He has a Million Dollars!

Everybody millionaires, and everybody poor! Everybody millionaires, and everybody hungry! As this writer sees it, it is far better that conditions be as they are; and we know there is a great deal of suffering today because of poverty, but there would be universal suffering if everybody were rich.

When we wish everybody had a million dollars we are wishing a lot of suffering and trouble upon our fellowmen.

But because conditions would not be set for us, if we all had a million dollars is no reason at all that all of us should not adopt the saving idea.

Save your five and ten cent pieces, and when you have \$10.00 place that in a safe place, and begin over again for another ten dollars.

Keep this up, and in a shorter time than you think you'll have a hundred dollars.

Some one will say, "Something will happen that will take it all away." We will admit that may be the case, but you would feel better to be able personally to take care of the crisis than to call on your neighbors in time of your need.

Have you saved a dollar in January? If not, why? Stinginess is wrong. Economy is wise. Save a little this week. Keep that up and the savings you have made will add to your independence. Consider this for your benefit.

Are you guilty? Have you ever wished you could find ten or more dollars? Walk along, pick it up? Have you considered just what you said in that wish? For, how would you be able to find ten or more dollars without some one becoming the loser? Some one must necessarily lose that amount if you are able to find it. Just what must your feelings be? What would be the difference if you wished that some one would lose his money, as to wish that you could find that amount?

It is better to strive, and economize to secure that million dollars than it is wish we had that amount given to us. It is better to work for that ten or more dollars than to wish a hardship on some one, that he lose and we find it.

But suppose some one gave you One Million Dollars, how long would you have it? Would you quit work? Yes, most all would. How many making such a wish as that would have it for very long? Just long enough to "splurge" it out.

Lets honestly labor for what we get, and after an honest day's work, lie down to sleep with a clear conscience. Rise the next day with a clear conscience, able to look all men in the eye.

According to a recent article in the Times-Union Yale University will spend \$100,000 on the ape colony at Orange Park, this state. Elaborate quarters will be arranged for the apes that will be brought down here for study at close range by the scientists. This will add much to our cosmopolitan population and causes some of the old timers to remark that there are many funny quirks in our higher education systems.

CONGREGATIONALISTS ADDRESS PRESIDENT

Pledge Support of the Disarmament Conference In London

In view of the meeting of the Disarmament Conference of world powers this week in London, and action by the Christian churches throughout the world in its support, the Congregational audience in Avon Park Sunday morning unanimously voted to address the President of the United States in expression of its support of this practical step towards world peace. The letter as sent reads:

To The Honorable, The President of the United States, Washington, D. C.:

Sir:—Assembled this date we record our recognition of spiritual obligation to the Supreme God in all human relations, and our belief that unparalleled opportunity challenges all the people of this nation at this moment with special obligation towards establishing peace and good-will among men. We heartily support the past leadership of our government in securing the ratification of the Peace Pact of Paris, and Your initiative in preparing for the Disarmament Conference now opening in London.

We beg to assure you of our support in the purposes of this Conference, eager that it shall not fail in those purposes.

Publicly and privately we have prayed and will pray continually that you in leadership of this nation may be divinely guided in doing on earth the will of the Supreme Spirit, especially in the present matter of confirming peace among nations and ending the in-

Church Notes

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.
Dr. A. P. Vaughn, Pastor.
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Bible School 9:45 a. m.
Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m.

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Rev. W. K. McClure, Pastor.
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. A. H. Hancock, Pastor.
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

NAZARENE CHURCH.
Rev. P. A. Southard, Pastor.
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Sunday school 10 a. m.
Mid-week Prayer meeting 7:30 p. m.

All welcome.

excusable destruction of war. We pray that you may be granted by infinite wisdom clear vision of best methods and means to secure these high ends, as yet unattained; and that all needed resources of patience, conciliation and courage may be divinely supplied you in supporting your representatives in the conference. We believe in the unchanging validity of the ancient word: "As thy days thy strength shall be."

Respectfully yours,
Union Congregational Church.
(Signed) W. T. HALL, Clerk.

Marriage License Issued.
A marriage license was issued by the county judge Wednesday to R. E. Hall and Josephine Prine, both giving their residence as Avon Park.

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THE TIMES

THE FESTIVAL OF FIRE AT SOUTH FLORIDA FAIR

**Fireworks To Be Featured
Every Evening Beginning
Next Week**

Tampa, Jan. 23.—The complete program of features in the new fireworks extravaganza "The Festival of Fire," which will headline the evening entertainment at the South Florida Fair, on January 28 to February 8, inclusive, was announced today by General Manager Strieder. Both in size and variety it is considerably larger than anything of its kind attempted by any fair in this territory in recent years.

The program, as announced in detail today, runs the entire gamut of modern fireworks presentations, ranging from the newest types of bombs and rockets in multi-colored fire, to the new and futuristic animated cartoon creations which have proven such a sensation in southern Europe during the past year.

"Nothing like it has ever been seen here before," Mr. Strieder said today. "We believe it is going to prove a real sensation, it is so very elaborate."

Headlining the program is a series of fireworks tableaux and action-pieces, never before presented in this country. Among these are:

A great naval battle between enemy submarines and United States warships, enacted in full detail.

"The Eruption of Mt. Aetna," reproducing this historic episode, with actual volcano, the molten lava, the flames engulfing the city below, and the brilliant illumination accompanying the destruction.

"The Village Fire Department," an animated fireworks presentation of a typical fire department racing to a burning building, going into action, and finally saving the threatened structure. All characters, vehicles and buildings are produced entirely by means of pyrotechnic effects.

"Saturday Night in Elephant Land," showing a mother elephant giving her offspring a bath, and the difficulties which result. A comedy number that is very different from the ordinary.

"Felix the Cat," famous cartoon character, depicted in various and sundry pranks.

"Spread it on Thick," an animated cartoon of a typical farm scene familiar to all.

These are a few of the special features, which the program offers, in addition to all of the main fireworks events. Aside from such numbers as these, the program embraces many new types of pyrotechnics never witnessed here before, as well as numerous of the old favorites of both the past and present generation. Space does not permit listing the complete program in detail, but some idea of the elaborateness of the effects and presentations may be gained from the following, gleaned here and there from the pages:

Umbrellas of fire, shooting star effects, weeping willow rockets, batteries of Roman ejectors which spray thousands of multi-colored globes into the air; "Whirling Dervishes," bombshells which mount 200 feet into the air, wreathing the sky in vivid color, revolving wheels which whistle and shriek with weird and uncanny noises.

Modernistic effects in unusual shapes and colors, reflecting the trend of futuristic art; aluminum and golden "flicker" shells; giant "spread" rockets; Chinese octopuses and Criss-cross comets; war-time bombardment cannonades; a "Rhapsody in Blue" produced by new-type color shells and jazz rockets; repeating bombshells; futuristic effects in giant shells, pyramids and other strange fireworks figures; French saucisson and Japanese Mikado rockets; "The poppy field" sketched in the sky by means of special new-type serial bombs; floating lights and hanging chains of gorgeous festoons of fire; and scores of other bomb, rocket, ejector, salute, and set-piece features never before witnessed here.

In addition to this type of of-

fering, the program embraces such old favorites as "Niagara Falls" and the "Star Spangled Banner," without which no pyrotechnic program would be complete. The brilliant Niagara Falls display this year will be more than 50 feet long, and the American flag, portrayed in natural colors, will be of heroic size, accompanied by a great patriotic finale of bombs, rockets and salutes.

The world's largest producers of fireworks displays, the Thearle-Duffield Fireworks company of Chicago and New York, have been engaged to plan and stage the entire evening extravaganza this year, assuring a quality of action and beauty in effects unsurpassed anywhere.

"We have no hesitancy in announcing this as the greatest evening entertainment the Fair has

ever presented to the public," Manager Strieder declares. "No expense has been spared to make it so unusual, so complete, and so brilliant that it will be one of the greatest drawing cards in our history. Fireworks is something which is enjoyed equally by both young and old. There is nothing to equal a superb fireworks entertainment for real pleasure and diversion. If weather conditions are

favorable, we expect to have the largest evening attendance this year of any fair in this section of the state."

Finding the Shining Path.

"Finding the Shining Path" will be the morning sermon theme at the Congregational church Sunday at 11 o'clock, Dr. Vaughn conducting the service, and also in the evening at 7:30.

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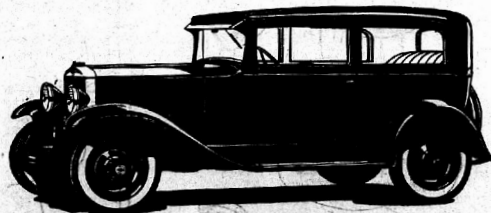
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Notes of a Nature Lover

THE ROBIN.

The robins are flying north. I saw them Sunday on the road to Arcadia. They were in small groups and these were possibly family groups.

Under government permission, which is granted persons and organizations, a robin family in Ohio was caught and banded. This was followed up for several years. The family did not widely separate but remained in the radius of several miles and returned each year.

Why south in winter and north in the spring? Friends in West Virginia say that some robins stay in the pine and cedar forest. In a personal letter it was told of a robin near Cleveland, O., in middle December braving the heavy snow. I have seen them returning February 7 in West Virginia and have found them feeding on the bitter sweet briar seed.

We do not know much about migration. The birds of Ohio do not come this far down. Maybe only to the central south. And the birds of Carolina come on here. The custom is old. Job asked "Doth the hawk fly by the window and stretch her wings towards the south."

The theory is advanced that bird migration started when iced areas forced them to leave their northern homes during glacier periods but the love of home drew them back whenever melted ice permitted.

Others think that the birds were forced out of their tropical home by over production. The fact of nesting in the north favors the first view.

In either case migration is related to the food supply. Two years ago I remarked to a man getting a large track of muck ready for cultivation that cultivated land, giving the earth worn a chance to live, would bring the robins. They came that same winter. I think we will have more of them as truck areas are extended.

Robins are lovers of mankind, they want to build near. We had one family in our home in Ohio who raised the first nestlings in the transom window above the door we used to enter the automobile. Several times during incubation Mother Robin flew in the house when we opened the door and turned on the lights. So, I decided she would have to move. When she began getting ready for the second brood I tore her materials. But she gathered them again and again. Strings hung half way down the door. She kept it littered. Finally she won and I nailed a trough above the door to hold the nest and gathered her materials and placed them where she had said she wanted them. In a few hours she had them arranged and was furnishing the home. I remarked that I had done many things but that that was the first time I had ever helped a robin build a nest.

A friend of mine in Ohio has for years kept time on the robins nesting. He says that in thirty six days, from the time the nest is begun, the young birds fly away. The schedule seldom varies. The robin usually keeps her nest but one year we saw the mother dove drive Mrs. Robin away from her completed nest and raise her own family in the stolen nest.

Cases Filed In Office Clerk Circuit Court

Cases filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court for the past week include the following:

Sebring Groves Corp. vs. Pem-arca Co. Inc., Gregg Maxey, Gar-nishee.

Philip H. Campbell vs. Ira Rigdon and Fannie Rigdon, his wife.

T. M. Stuekey vs. DeSoto City Groves company.

E. R. James vs. City of Sebring.

Calvert Mortgage Co. vs. Bayard Taylor et al.

Florida National Bank of Jacksonville vs. Hillcrest Citrus Growers Inc. et al.

Alfred J. Pruden vs. Charles Clements, et al. (three suits).

Our Circulation Is Growing

But there are still a few prominent people in the city who are not on our list. Perhaps your neighbor is one. If so, he would probably appreciate your calling his attention to The Times, as we are planning on increasing the size of our paper and at the same time we will increase our subscription price.

The Times will soon be a year old and now is the time to get in on the ground floor.

Your friend can still get The Times for one year for only \$1.00, but the price may go up in the next few weeks.

THE AVON PARK TIMES

CHEVROLET SCHEDULE INCREASED FOR JAN.

Large Orders From All Dealers Shows Great Increase in Sales

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 23.—Chevrolet will sell more cars this month than in January a year ago, according to H. J. Klingler, vice-president and general sales manager of the Chevrolet Motor company, who announced on Saturday that the month's schedule had to be increased in response to the greatest reception a new Chevrolet model has received in the 19-year history of the company.

Directly on the heels of the first showing of the new car on Jan. 4, a flood of congratulatory messages poured into the home office from every quarter of the country. Every message told of unprecedented public interest in the new car and a consequent increase in retail sales, with the result that the January schedule had to be revised upward to meet dealer requirements for immediate delivery. Mr. Klingler said.

That the step-up in the schedule resulted directly from the number of orders taken for the new car when it made its public bow, rather than upon an estimate of the month's requirements, is indicated in a statement from the Chevrolet sales executive:

"Our policy for some time," Mr. Klingler explained, "has been to key our production facilities to the anticipated needs of our sales organization so that dealers might not become over-stocked. On this basis we set our January schedule to parallel the sales forecast, but so many dealers, upon noting the public attitude toward the new car, have asked to have their quotas increased that our output for the month will now exceed the figure for last January.

"Messages from our dealers relating the public attitude toward the new car have come to us in greater numbers this year than heretofore, and every message radiates a note of complete confidence over the year's prospect. Large dealers are increasing their commitments for cars, and many small dealers, who formerly sold six or eight cars in a year, have asked to have the new 1930 car shipped to them in carload lots. "The reduced prices on the new car contributed materially to the increased public interest shown this year, as did the mechanical improvements. The price reduction resulted directly from manufacturing economies effected by our record output in 1929, and our policy of passing on to the consuming public the savings effected by volume production are directly reflected in the low price of the new car.

"On our basis of present indications we expect the early months of this year to prove exceedingly satisfactory, and look to the year 1930 to compare very favorably with 1929 when we built 1,350,000 sixes, a new high record."

Charged with accepting bribes in the form of drinks and money from bookmakers and public house proprietors, 24 policemen have been suspended from the Sheffield, England, police force.

If you want nice fruit come and see my grove at 114 E. Bell Street, Avon Park, Fla., Oranges and Tangerines as low as 10c per dozen.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FOR JANUARY 26, 1930.

SUBJECT: Standards of the Kingdom.

GOLDEN TEXT: "Blessed are the pure in heart: for they shall see God." Matt. 5:8.

LESSON TEXT: Matt. 5:3-9, 17-20, 43-48.

PLACE: A hill some seven miles southwest from Capernaum.

Our lesson is taken from the "Sermon on the Mount," sometimes called "the Teaching on the Hill," or "The Gospel of the Kingdom."

"The Sermon on the Mount does not show the way into the kingdom of God nor does it clearly reveal the power by which men are to be enabled to reach the ideal life it describes. There is in it no reference to the atonement or to the Holy Spirit. It gives a spiritual, new-covenant interpretation to the law under the old covenant."

Another writer says of this Sermon:

"It is the moral law of the kingdom of Christ, or in other words it occupies in the New Testament the place which in the Old Testament is occupied by the Ten Commandments."

A part of the Sermon is thus described: "The fifth chapter treats of the character which the king wishes the members to possess; of the influence of the members upon the world; gives an interpretation of the law; declares the works of righteousness; and gives a test of true discipleship."

Just before the beginning of our lesson Matthew says, "And seeing the multitudes, he went up into a mountain; and when he was set, his disciples came unto him; and he opened his mouth and taught them."

He was teaching and training his own disciples in their duties and work as his followers.

"Blessed are the poor in spirit; for theirs is the kingdom of heaven." "The poor in spirit" are those who realize their own sinfulness and helplessness, and feel their spiritual poverty.

"Blessed are they that mourn: for they shall be comforted." This word "Mourn" appears to mean sorrow for sins, not for loss of worldly goods or friends.

"Blessed are the meek: for they shall inherit the earth." Even Jesus' disciples could scarcely accept this statement. "Meek" is defined as "Gentle and long suffering, peaceable, submissive, compliant." Meekness includes patience, gentleness.

"Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness:

Special Services For Children Sunday at Nazarene Church

The past Sunday was a time of much blessing and the church is looking forward to the coming Sunday with much anticipation. The quartet was much appreciated and will again favor with special music.

At 11 a. m. there will be a special service for the children. The pastor will give an object sermon from some of Uncle Charley Donnelly's talks. This is besides the regular Sunday school. All the children are urged to come, and also the parents. The evening message will continue along the lines of evangelism of the last Sabbath, the subject being: "Adventuring With God."

The church wishes to announce at this time that they will set aside the month of February, with the church in general, as a month of stewardship and prayer. Along this line special prayer groups, special messages, etc., are to be arranged for, and much assurance is felt that it will be a time of unusual blessing and growth in grace. Last year at that time throughout the church a similar time was observed with benefits that carry on today.

All friends are cordially invited.

for they shall be filled." That is, their hunger shall be quenched as a hearty meal ends our hunger for physical food. Our physical, mental and spiritual conditions depend largely on our desires, and on what it takes to satisfy them; not always on having what we want, but in desiring and obtaining what is best for us. "Jesus came into the world to awaken in men's hearts a sense of their true need."

"Blessed are the merciful; for they shall obtain mercy." So the petition in the "Lord's Prayer," "Forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors." Peloubet says, "Thus divine mercy and human mercy are linked together. But the same is true in our relations with our fellowmen. * * we receive what we give." We find what we prepare ourselves to receive.

"Blessed are the pure in heart: for they shall see God." Seeing God is being admitted to the spiritual but real presence of the Lord. It is to be one of his household. A member of this family. "Purity of heart" is the password that admits one to the presence of the Lord.

"Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called the sons of God." Peace, blessed peace, that knits together our nobler thoughts, and weeps when strife and conflict triumph. Jesus was the great messenger and exemplar of peace, yet he always opposed what was evil.

Our lesson continues in the words of Jesus, "Think not that I am come to destroy the law, or the prophets; I am not come to destroy, but to fulfill."

The Hebrew Bible was divided into The Law; The Prophets, and the writings: thus, Levit. 19:18, "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself," and the Jewish interpreters added the words, "And hate thine enemies." Jesus said to his disciples, "except your righteousness shall exceed the righteousness of the scribes and pharisees, ye shall in no case enter into the kingdom of heaven." And said, "Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them

that despitefully use you, and persecute you."

This is, perhaps, one of the most difficult commands in the Bible. It rises across the path of our life like a mountain across a highway, * * impossible to surmount. But there is a pathway over. It was followed once by Jesus, and he alone can guide us across the mountains. After following the path of obedience to the end, Jesus died for his enemies. Today's lesson closes with, "Ye therefore shall be perfect."

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