

Here and There

About Avon Park

By W. M. Hetherington

The Methodists of this city are due congratulations on the Rev. Hancock returned for another year. Here is a minister that has the good will of his congregation in marked degree. And he has the respect and friendship of those outside of his church—and of the membership of other churches. In fact Avon Park is blessed with good preachers, and the harmony existing between them and their congregations is another matter for congratulation to all concerned.

Col. Head had an honor thrust upon him in the award of prizes after the parade last week, and he feels some hesitancy in accepting it. He was adjudged the oldest man in the parade and awarded a year's subscription to the Times as the prize. The Colonel thinks the judges are no judges of age, so he has passed the award along to L. H. Thomas, whom he found to be some years older than he.

Every now and then some newspaper makes a bold or bald prediction that the probability of unusual interest is going to happen, and the public reading these things in black headlines believes them for the time being, but when the appointed time rolls around and these things fail to materialize, that makes a difference in the public's opinion. A notable example of this was the announcement recently appearing in local print that the crate mills would start in full blast in July. Among the interested readers of that item were the managers of the mills. Fine weather we are having.

Legionnaires are still wondering why the county attorney is so set on stopping the fight held under Legion auspices. Monday night, there was no law to support the action as was clearly demonstrated, and it would appear that the Colonel was running the well known ruse. In which event he found himself out on the better known limb.

In co-operating with the Clearing House association in a statewide bait spray campaign, local growers are showing the government an evidence of their willingness to live up to the letter of regulations that is commendable. It is practically certain that there are no fruit flies in this county, but in order to make certain and to convince the fruit fly board, growers are willingly co-operating in this laborious effort to lift the fly ban. If quarantine regulations can be greatly modified or lifted altogether the effort will be worth all the time and trouble it costs.

The Scoville Canning company will operate the Avon Florida plant again this year, which will furnish employment to many men and women. This is a commendable and a considerable amount throughout the season, besides furnishing an outlet for fruit that would otherwise go to waste. The canning business is fast becoming an important factor in the citrus industry.

There is a general movement on foot among local business firms to move. Cheaper rent is the moving factor.

Lamont Roberts and Mrs. Clarke Win Golf Tourney

Lamont Roberts won the miniature golf tournament in the men's section Monday night with a score of 29, and John Hood was second with 31. Mrs. Bert Clarke won first in the women's event with 38, and Mrs. Paul Jett was second with 40.

Lane Meat Market Is Taken Over By Collins and Dyer

Fred C. Collins and D. L. Dyer have taken over the Lane meat market and expect to close for the purchase of the business the latter part of the week. W. T. Lane and son, Fred, were in Lake City the first of the week and are arranging to take charge of a meat market in that place.

Yates Are On Return Trip From Abroad

Word has been received from Mrs. and Mrs. W. M. Yates that they are enroute home from England, where they have been the past two weeks. They will arrive in New York next Monday and have to reach Avon Park by Aug. 15th.

THE AVON TIMES

VOLUME II—NUMBER 19.

AVON PARK, FLORIDA, FRIDAY, JULY 4, 1930.

PUBLISHED IN THE METROPOLIS OF THE RIDGE SECTION OF FLORIDA

PRICE: FIVE CENTS.

AVON CRATE MILL WILL BEGIN WORK FIRST OF AUGUST

Crew Started This Week Making Repairs to Plant; No Announcement Made By Receiver of Mutual Mill.

The Avon Manufacturing Company will begin operating in full force on August first—that is assured, J. A. Caldwell, manager of the company stated yesterday. A crew of men were started to work Tuesday in making needed repairs to the machinery so that the plant will be ready for operations on the first.

The recently published announcement that the crate mills would start work in July was without foundation, Mr. Caldwell stated. Plans for operating the Mutual Crating plant were progressing, but E. R. Judson, recently appointed receiver would make no statement as to when the Mutual would start work. There are necessarily many details to be ironed out, and plans are in two nebulous a state to make any announcement at this time," the receiver stated.

QUARTERLY REPORT OF RECEIVER ISSUED

Indebtedness To Federal Reserve Is Retired During the Past Quarter

Receiver's quarterly report as of June 30th was issued yesterday by A. G. Whitehead, receiver of the First National Bank of Avon Park. The report is issued to the comptroller of the currency. A condensed statement is not yet available, but will be issued in a few days.

The indebtedness to the Federal Reserve bank has been retired in full during the quarter just ending, and leaves but \$5,006 of borrowed money yet to be paid, according to W. W. Tarnay, assistant receiver of the bank.

During the receivership of the bank, which extends from February 19, 1929, approximately \$100,000 has been collected. This has been done with a minimum expense, the assets of all expenses incurred to the receivership running about 10 percent on the amount collected. These costs include taxes paid, interest, attorney's fees, office help and all other expenses.

Eagle Cafe Is Now In New Location

The Eagle Cafe was moved the first of the month to the Max Wild block, where new quarters are being fitted up and where the business will be conducted for the next five years, a lease having been taken for this length of time. Extensive alterations are being made to the store room. The restaurant is being fitted up strictly in accordance with requirements of the state hotel commission regulations.

A new wood floor has been laid over the concrete. A kitchen has been cut out in the rear with a permanent plastered wall. New plumbing has been installed with hot running water. Two wash rooms have been installed and a new fire has been built to conform to local fire regulations. In addition to this the interior is being redecorated and refurnished, new light fixtures are being installed, new chairs and tables are being put in and the place is being made first-class in every respect.

Alex Bellaguarda, proprietor of the Eagle purchased the fixtures and equipment of the restaurant formerly operated by him from S. C. Pardee, the former owner, and these have been moved to the new location. Among the equipment is an electrical refrigeration unit of ample size to take care of the needs of the new place.

Plans now are to open the new Eagle safe either today or tomorrow.

Thomas Allen of Montreal, aged 36, has beaten his sister, Elizabeth, 100, and his brother James, 106, in the United States after 30 years of separation.

Poultry Clinic To Be Held In Sebring Wednesday Afternoon

THE first poultry clinic to be held in South Florida is scheduled for Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the base ball diamond in Sebring. Dr. E. F. Thomas, poultry specialist from the University at Gainesville will be present to conduct the clinic. All poultry owners who have sick and diseased birds are asked to bring them to the clinic for examination and diagnosis.

The clinic will be held under the auspices of the Highlands County Poultry Association and will be the first to be held in the southern section of the state. A number of poultry owners are expected from the adjacent counties.

All the birds brought to the clinic will be examined by Dr. Thomas and autopsies and post-mortem examinations held. The clinic is expected to prove very helpful and instructive to all poultry owners.

REPUBLICANS HELD SESSION WEDNESDAY

Officers Elected For County and Resolutions and Platform Adopted

Highlands County Republican Executive Committee met Wednesday evening at the Nanceswee hotel in Sebring, with all precincts represented but two.

All candidates that the party is sponsoring at the general election were also present. The following officers were elected: W. V. Dalgity, chairman; Mrs. Otis V. Burch, vice-chairman; Mrs. Anna A. Steves, secretary; and P. S. Jordan, treasurer. A uniform policy for all candidates was agreed on and a tentative platform adopted which is published elsewhere in this issue of the Times.

Several resolutions were adopted including one pledging faith and confidence in the personal character, executive leadership and political wisdom of Herbert Hoover and pledged full support of him in the execution of the duties of his office. Confidence was also pledged in the integrity and leadership of Cleveland Houser, chairman of the republican party.

Allegiance and support was pledged in the enforcement of prohibition and asked that every effort be made to prevent Florida's sea coast from being the front door of the liquor and dope importation industry.

Appreciation was expressed for President Hoover's efforts towards reclaiming the Everglades, protecting the farmers from unfair competition and ridding the groves from the Medfly and the development of the river and harbors.

The voice of opposition and thanks was also extended to Glenn B. Skipper. The meeting was characterized as being very harmonious throughout.

Mrs. Carney Passed Away Wednesday

Following an illness of several months, Mrs. W. H. Carney passed away at her home here Wednesday morning at the age of 59. Funeral services were held Thursday morning at 9 o'clock at the Baptist church, conducted by Rev. W. K. McClure. Burial took place at Hart cemetery on the Wauchula road.

The deceased is survived by her husband, two daughters, Estelle and Mrs. J. E. Esh, and two sons, W. C. Carney, Lake Wales and Clayton C. Carney, Birmingham, Ala. Besides these there are two brothers, E. R. McClendon and George McClendon of Frostproof, and a sister, Mrs. C. A. Fridge of Winter Haven.

Lightning Causes Fire in Jacaranda

Lightning struck out the light line from the second floor to the main panel, box in the basement of the Jacaranda hotel here Wednesday afternoon. In some manner not yet determined the telephone circuit was also burned out and the wires coming from the adjacent building caught fire. The fire department was called and an investigation made by Chief McCarty. The cause of the fire is still under investigation. The fire department was called and an investigation made by Chief McCarty. The cause of the fire is still under investigation.

The men maximum temperature was 83.95, and the mean minimum was 72. The maximum wind speed was 15. The minimum was 58 on the 24th.

ATTEMPT TO STOP FIGHT SPONSORED BY LEGION FAILS

Sheriff Refuses to Interfere When Cited the Law Permitting Prize Fights Under Auspices of Legion.

The prize fight held last Monday night on the lot next to the Pine Ranch Provision company, under the auspices of the American Legion, was carried through as advertised despite efforts on the part of County Attorney J. M. Lee to stop it.

The fight between Dutchy deents of the well known palooka variety was billed about a week ahead of time, but nobody thought much about it until the County Attorney attempted to stop it, and then the fight between the Legion and Col. Lee overshadowed the advertised bill. The Legion scored a knockout in round one.

The scrap started Monday noon when the county attorney notified the Legion that the fight could not be held and gave orders to the sheriff not to allow the fight and if necessary to arrest all lands connected with it. Similar orders were issued to the police department, and the promoter R. M. Wade was notified to call the fight off.

Wade rounded up a delegation of Legionnaires, and Attorney T. A. McNichols was employed. McNichols advised the sheriff and the police department of the law as amended under the 1927 acts allowing boxing under the auspices of the American Legion, and the authorities refused to interfere with it. The county attorney insisted that the sheriff stop the fight, to which the sheriff stated that if Col. Lee would make out necessary papers to be served on the fight, he would serve them. This Lee refused to do, and the fight was held as scheduled.

The old Florida law provided a penalty of not less than \$2500 or five years in the penitentiary for holding a prize fight, but the law was amended by the 1927 legislature (of which Mr. Lee was a member) as not applying to boxing exhibitions held by and under the auspices of the American Legion or companies or detachments of the Florida National Guard.

Those attending from Avon Park were: Wava Gowdin, Mrs. W. W. McFarland, Rev. W. S. McClure, Kelly McClure, Virginia Reddick, Edith McFarland, Shirley Page Shepherd, Paul McFarland, Ray Wells, Kitty Martin, Devon Reddick, Mertice Coker, Frank Costine, Clifford Craft, Cameron Eppert, Genevieve McClelland, Anton Perry, J. E. Martin, Clifford McClelland, Martha Wadden, Elsie Mae Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Delaney, Rev. J. H. McClelland, Mrs. R. C. Epperson and A. G. L. Borgh.

Earl Hart Takes Position With Local A. F. G.

G. N. Williams, division manager for the American Fruit Growers, made the announcement while here Monday that Earl Hart will be connected with the American Fruit Growers in an influential capacity. Mr. Hart will do general field work for the company at present, and his capacity after the large plant begins operations will be announced later. His affiliation starts immediately.

Mr. Hart is an experienced local citrus man and in close touch with conditions in this section, in addition to which he has a wide acquaintance among growers, and is to be congratulated upon becoming associated with this big organization. In turn, the A. F. G. people are fortunate in securing his services.

Boy Scouts Return From Summer Camp

Junior Stebbins, Walton Touchton and Phil Laoy returned last Friday from Bradenton, where they were at the Boy Scout summer camp for a few days. While there the boys acquitted themselves creditably. In fact, they walked back with a number of new hats. Each was awarded a certificate for Junior life saving among other awards.

Government Engineers Inspect Lake Istokpoga and Canal Last Friday

U. S. Government Engineer H. S. Brokaw and an assistant arrived in Highlands county last Friday and in company with several county officials and interested citizens inspected Lake Istokpoga, the creek and the canal which it is proposed to complete. One section of the party crossed the lake by boat and the others journeyed around the lake by car and both sections met at the mouth of the creek.

The engineers made a thorough inspection of the project and the adjoining territory but did not commit themselves as to what the government may do regarding granting a permit for the canal to be completed and the waters of Lake Istokpoga lowered. The permit will have to come from Lieut. Col. L. V. Frazier, U. S. Engineer at Jacksonville. County officials expect that the report will be favorable as the completion of the canal will throw open for development a large tract of fertile land around the shores of the lake. It is now this land is said to be constantly under water.

AVON CHURCHES WIN FROSTPROOF BANK TO PAY 20 PER CENT

Southside Wins On Efficiency and First Baptist Wins On Perfect Attendance. Payment Will Be Made On Special Certificates of Deposit July 15th

Avon Park Baptist churches were awarded the efficiency banner and the attendance banner at the Citizens Bank will make a 20 percent payment on special certificates of deposit issued August 22, 1929 under the re-opening agreement between the bank and depositors. The payment will be made on July 15th, the anniversary date, and certificates must be presented at the bank for this payment.

The statement received here Tuesday by holders of certificates further says: "We desire to call to the attention of the holders of the special certificates of deposit that the makers of more than 90 percent of our notes are home people, and for this reason, it has seemed that good judgment required our collection policy to be tempered with leniency, since the collection could not help the community as a whole by paying the depositors an early or large dividend, if done at the expense of home people by forcing them to make great sacrifices to secure cash for the payment of their notes. It is the desire and purpose of the directors and officers to pay the full balance on the certificates as early as same can be accomplished."

Officers of the Citizens Bank are: J. Maxcy, president; N. R. Williams and L. Maxcy, vice-presidents and W. B. Sewell, cashier. Those attending from Avon Park were: Wava Gowdin, Mrs. W. W. McFarland, Rev. W. S. McClure, Kelly McClure, Virginia Reddick, Edith McFarland, Shirley Page Shepherd, Paul McFarland, Ray Wells, Kitty Martin, Devon Reddick, Mertice Coker, Frank Costine, Clifford Craft, Cameron Eppert, Genevieve McClelland, Anton Perry, J. E. Martin, Clifford McClelland, Martha Wadden, Elsie Mae Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Delaney, Rev. J. H. McClelland, Mrs. R. C. Epperson and A. G. L. Borgh.

SCOVILLE CANNING CO. TO OPERATE PLANT

Avon-Florida Citrus Corporation Plant Leased To Same Firm As Last Year

The canning factory has been leased by Hill Brothers company of New York, and will be operated by its subsidiary, Scoville Canning company the coming season. Announcement of the lease came through the Avon Florida Citrus Corporation, owners of the canning plant.

The company will can grapefruit hearts the coming season, furnishing employment to a large number of men and women. The fruit will be bought locally as heretofore, and will furnish a ready market for surplus fruit.

Alex Stett, manager of Hill Brothers plants in Florida, with headquarters in Clearwater is expected here in a few days to oversee the plant and put it in shape for operation.

Byrd at the South Pole at the Avalon

Both theatres, the Circle at Sebring and the Avalon at Avon Park have exceptional programs on for the coming week. The particular feature that everybody is interested in is the actual motion pictures of Byrd at the South Pole, which have just been released. This picture is shown in both theatres, in order that everybody may have a chance to see it. It will be in Sebring next Tuesday and Wednesday and at the Avalon next Friday and Saturday. Manager Johnson states that he does not intend to make a practice of running the same picture at both houses, but feels that in this instance the unusual interest in the picture warrants it.

Rotarians and Wives Dine at West Beach and Attend Theatre

Rotarians and their wives enjoyed an old fashioned English four-course picnic supper at the West Beach hotel Wednesday night. M. A. Smith presided in the absence of President J. S. Francis, who is away for the summer.

After the picnic the gathering adjourned to the Avalon, where they enjoyed a theatre party.

ORGANIZE COUNTY IN MERELY BAIT SPRAY CAMPAIGN

E. G. Todd of Avon Park Placed in Charge of the County Program and Growers Asked To Co-operate.

Citrus growers of Highlands county are being called upon to co-operate in a county-wide bait spraying campaign that is being inaugurated in compliance with requests from the Florida Clearing House association in a final drive against the fruit fly. Absence of newly found infestations would indicate sweeping modifications of the quarantine, according to a statement recently issued by Secretary of Agriculture Hyde, and growers are now called upon to bait spray their groves and observe all necessary regulations so that no new infestations could occur. It is believed that with the proper effort put forth by growers in this latest drive against the fly, quarantine will be lifted in all but the southern state. At least this is the hope of local growers who are already falling into line to co-operate in the movement.

E. G. Todd of Avon Park, has been placed in charge of the bait spraying program for Highlands county, and at a meeting called by him Tuesday attended by shippers of the county, it was decided to sub-divide the county into seven packing house districts, and each shipper agreed to notify his grower of the program and supervise the work in his district.

The spray to be used is a copper carbamate mixture, under government formula. A demonstration of mixing and use of the spray was held at the Gregg Maxcy packing house, Tuesday night. Materials for making the spray are furnished free to growers and supplies will be available here next week. Todd said, "Districts in which these supplies will be obtainable will be located in Sebring, Avon Park, Lake Wales and Lake Placid and spraying will start as soon as possible after materials arrive. When groves are sprayed growers are to report the facts to the federal fruit fly quarantine office which is located in Sebring for Highlands county. This office is in charge of C. E. Bazzett. It is important that growers report their spraying operations so that full results may be secured. The county in its effort to co-operate in the work."

Sponsored By Clearing House.

The proposed copper carbamate bait spraying program was inaugurated and is being sponsored by the Florida Citrus Clearing House association.

On motion picture of packing house managers at their convention held in Winter Haven, June 10. The program was made, and it is proposed in a co-operative effort to clean up any possible infestations of the fly—or what amounts to a test to find out if there exists any fruit fly in the state, and it is the hope of shippers and growers to practically eliminate the present quarantine restrictions in time to facilitate the movement of next season's crop.

Meetings to explain the program giving the growers all the information they need to carry on the work will be held as follows:

Avon Park city hall, Monday, June 7, 8 p. m.

Sebring, court house, Tuesday, July 8, 10 a. m.

Lake Placid, city hall, Tuesday, July 8, 8 p. m.

A case out of applying the bait is expected to be from 10 to 25 cents per acre of trees. Very little of the bait is used on each tree and it is not to be non-injurious to either the tree or the fruit.

Rotarians and Wives Dine at West Beach and Attend Theatre

Rotarians and their wives enjoyed an old fashioned English four-course picnic supper at the West Beach hotel Wednesday night. M. A. Smith presided in the absence of President J. S. Francis, who is away for the summer.

After the picnic the gathering adjourned to the Avalon, where they enjoyed a theatre party.

Singers, Strata Settlements will make harbor improvements.

FEDERAL JUDGE ISSUES THREAT TO STATE MEN

Representatives of Amos May
Be Held In Contempt
of Court

Federal Judge Halsted L. Ritter has threatened to hold state banking representatives in contempt of court unless they and other parties in a petition for appointment of a federal receiver for the defunct Bank of Bay Biscayne of Miami, agreed to a "neutral zone" for transaction of necessary bank business until July 21, the time set for the receivership hearing.

The jurist also threatened to padlock the bank and place it under police guard unless State Comptroller Ernest Amos, through his representatives, agreed to the appointment of two receivers, one for the court and one for the comptroller, to handle necessary disbursements for protection of bank assets between now and July 21.

Judge Ritter cautioned Attorney General Fred Davis and W. F. Hines, Tampa, who are representing the comptroller, that the latter's present action in having an inventory of the bank's condition prepared must precede the receivership hearing or the officials will be held in contempt.

Hines stated that the comptroller considered it his duty, as a constitutional officer of the state, to take charge of the bank's affairs and to prepare inventory of assets and liabilities.

"Defy the court if you want to," Judge Ritter responded, "but it will be a matter of contempt."

He explained that the attorney general made the state a party to the federal receivership case, and that the state now has no right to proceed with its inventory than had the plaintiff or the defendant bank, pending outcome of the July 21 hearing.

The attorney general asked Judge Ritter to issue an order directing the comptroller to "step out" of the case. The judge declined, but said he expected the bank property to remain as it is.

Amos May Name Adviser. If the property is in the hands of the state comptroller, Judge Ritter said, then it must be held in statu quo by Mr. Amos until all matters in connection with the case have been heard in federal court.

Earlier in the hearing, Judge Ritter said he would hear the State of Florida's case as co-advocate in the matter of necessary expenditures between now and the time of the hearing. Attorney General Davis objected, but the judge said the comptroller would be allowed to name an adviser if he chose to do so, to work with Stearns.

The judge refused to appoint a temporary receiver for the defunct bank of Mrs. Hankins' attorney, Henry K. Gibson.

He explained that he was trying to reach an equitable agreement between all parties.

"If I issue a restraining order for Mr. Amos and appoint a temporary receiver," he said, "the state will take an appeal, and I don't want that done."

Judge Ritter tentatively refused to dismiss the bill of complaint on motion of the bank's attorneys.

Later in the hearing he agreed to hear arguments on Wednesday, July 3, at 10 o'clock.

He also agreed to hear arguments on Wednesday at a similar motion.

Solicitor To Investigate.

While the hearing was proceeding in federal court, County Solicitor George McCaskill announced he would immediately open an investigation into the affair of the closed bank. He said he had heard a great many rumors regarding failure of the institution to open its doors June 11, but had hesitated until Tuesday to open an investigation on the theory it would interfere with possible agreement among depositors on a means of liquidation.

The petition for a federal receiver was brought by Mrs. Hankins with the allegation that the comptroller had been negligent in his business of supervising the bank, and that officials of the institution knew it to be insolvent when they accepted a \$150,000 savings account deposit from her June 2.

Judge Ritter heard preliminary arguments in the case this week and adjourned the hearing until July 21.

A proposed subway in London will necessitate the removal of the statue of King William IV.

JOB PRINTING

No Job Too Large—
None Too Small

PHONE 37

THE TIMES

Greatest Song Hit of All Time Is Sacred Composition



JESSE CRAWFORD
Star of his last, on White-head's star, leading as on to heaven's far.

Jesse Crawford, Organist,
Finds Country Still Loves
Religious Music

New York City.—Jazz hasn't changed America much after all. At least, among all the hit tunes we hear so much about, the most popular song in America today is not a dance tune or a love ballad, or even a motion picture theme song. It's a sacred song, "Star of the East," written many years ago by Amanda Kennedy Moore in Boston.

So says Jesse Crawford, the world's most famous organist. He is pleased for he has always had great stress on the fact that good simple tunes will live and the rag d, one-day hit tunes will fade. The day would pass on no matter how popular they were for the time being.

"I remember playing 'Star of

the East' when I was a child," recalls Mr. Crawford. "It was one of my earliest pieces, and its simplicity gave it a certain charm and sincerity which endeared it to everybody."

"The song has a lovely sentimental history. It was written by Amanda Kennedy Moore when she was sixteen years old and sold by her for a dollar and a half to a music publisher who made a great fortune out of it. Twenty-five years later, when it was necessary to renew copyrights, a new publisher bought it and has since been turning over a new leaf every year to Mrs. Moore. Mrs. Moore is now well haired, but she still keeps up her teaching and is very modest about her best seller."

"But it's not surprising that a hymn should be a song best seller. No book has ever equaled the bible as a seller, has it?"

STATE C. OF C. WORKING FOR SOLDIERS HOME

To Call Meeting To Co-
ordinate All Interests
In State

Jacksonville, July 2.—Florida's claims for the location of the recently authorized branch of the National Soldiers Home to be established in the South will be presented through the concerted efforts of organizations and municipalities interested, according to preliminary plans outlined here by a special committee of the Florida State Chamber of Commerce.

Within the next week or ten days a statewide conference of persons and communities interested will probably be called under the auspices of the State Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of discussing a definite method of procedure. At this conference, under the preliminary outline, a state committee of five will be appointed under a regional plan giving representation to all sections of the state.

Through the regional committee will be gathered all bids of individual communities for the institution. After the bids are in this committee will form the contract of presenting the location of the institution to be charged with responsibility of selecting the site. At this state conference the State Chamber of Commerce expects to be in position to present all necessary information for compiling a bid.

During the committee session here today the need for organized effort and close cooperation between all concerned in pushing Florida claims for the location of the institution was emphasized. Coordination of all is an outstanding essential in securing the home for Florida. This fact has been expressed through the press and by state leaders of a number of organizations interested.

The members of the State Chamber of Commerce committee also stressed the fact that as a committee its interests were concerned entirely with the development of a program which would place Florida favorably before the government board and that the question of individual sites was not a question of preference with which the committee would deal.

As. W. Ware, of Leesburg, pres-

ident of the Florida Chamber of Commerce, in appointing the Committee to develop a program as outlined expressed his hope that all Florida would unite and work together on the project.

Birth Rate Shows Large Decrease

Washington, D. C.—In an average group of 200 Americans in 1915 five children were being born each year. In that same average group in 1928 less than four children were born.

These figures are based on the returns from states embracing 91 per cent of the population, where the registration of births is required by law. In 1915 the birth rate per 1,000 of population was 25.1. In 1928 it was 19.7, a decrease of 5.4 or 21.5 per cent.

The results, made by the Office of Education of the Department of the Interior, now is being felt in the schools. Actual decreases in the number of children in the higher grades in communities that are increasing in population are being shown.

In Chicago, for example, at the end of September, 1924, there were 206,872 children in the first six grades of the regular day schools. The corresponding figure for 1929 was 224,666, an actual decrease of more than 5,000.

In the nation there were 4,200,000 children in the first grade in 1920, while in 1926, with a population increase of 10 per cent, there were less than 4,000,000.

What's New?

A record for slow flying, 32 miles an hour, was made by Captain Leprier, a French aviator.

Effective at a height of three miles, a new anti-aircraft machine gun shoots between 500 and 600 shots a minute.

By a new tanning process shoes may be made more comfortable and the life of the leather greatly prolonged.

X-ray pictures may now be sent over long distances by telephone, enabling specialists to diagnose and assist in the treatment of injuries and ailments at long range immediately.

Artificial pearls which bring as much as \$200 each are being manufactured from the scales of her-

Spinner-proof glass for spectacles is now being made that will resist the impact of the discharge from a shotgun without breaking.

DAHLBERG'S SUGAR CO. NOW IN RECEIVERSHIP

Said Not To Affect Allied
Companies Operating
at Clewiston

Fort Myers, July 2.—A receivership proceedings against the Southern Sugar Company have been instituted before Judge Geo. W. Whitcomb of this circuit. The court appointed B. G. Dahlberg, president, and P. G. Bishop as receivers.

It was explained that the suit came with the consent and direction of the board of directors of the company and reorganization and refinancing is planned. It was stated that the proceedings will not affect any of the allied companies at Clewiston.

The Southern Sugar Company operates in the Florida Everglades, having thousands of acres of cane and manufacturing sugar in its mills.

Under normal conditions, said Bishop, it would have been practicable to have handled the situation and obtained the additional operating funds needed by issuance of short term obligations, in anticipation of crop receipts this fall.

However, it was said, present demoralized business and financial conditions existing throughout the country prevented this. In order to hold the property intact to protect all concerned and to help make it possible to bring the company to market it was considered advisable to consent to the receivership, Bishop said.

"Our property has been thoroughly rehabilitated and is in good physical condition in the field," said Bishop. "The stand of cane is excellent and the prospects are good for a record crop and capacity grinding this fall. I believe that with the co-operation of all interested parties the unity of the company and organization can be maintained and that with betterment of general market and financial conditions within a reasonable time, a plan can be outlined which will look to the protection of all parties."

Dahlberg Issues Statement.

B. G. Dahlberg, president of the Southern Sugar Company, has issued a statement to stockholders regarding the receivership proceedings instituted in Florida.

Dahlberg said the company's tangible assets as of May 1, 1930 were approximately \$1,000,000, and total liabilities including long term indebtedness but excluding stock were approximately \$4,500,000. To maintain the company and carry on operations through to the grinding season will require approximately \$1,500,000. Dahlberg's statement said, and added that plans had been to issue bonds to finance the current obligations and operations to the start of the grinding but the present business conditions throughout the country interfered with and delayed this program.

"In order, therefore, to hold the property intact, to protect all concerned and to help make it possible to bring the crop to harvest, it was considered advisable to consent to the receivership," the statement said. "Our properties are in good physical condition, and the cane stand is excellent and the prospects are for a full grinding season this fall with from 650,000 to 700,000 tons of cane."

The statement concludes by saying: "I believe that with the co-operation of all interested parties, the unity of the property and organization can be maintained and that with betterment of general market and financial conditions within a reasonable time, a plan of reorganization and financing can be outlined that will look to the protection of all parties."

Planting By the Moon.

Sowing, reaping, breeding, butchering, cheating and other farm activities are regulated many according to the "light" or "dark" of the moon. Such practices are universal and only relics of the Dark Ages, according to the Department of Agriculture.

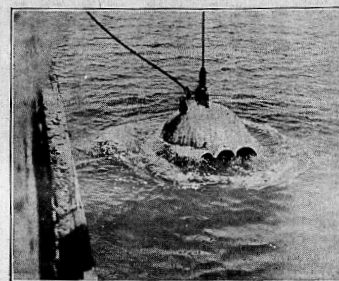
Farming according to the moon has no support from any scientific basis, and the moon has no influence on animals, the weather or the soil, though many old sayings have been based on the superstitions beliefs regarding it. In France, before the revolution there was a law forbidding the cutting of trees between the new moon and full moon.

Like many other fallacies which have gained wide currency among various people, these fanciful ideas are giving way before the investigations of science, but ages must yet elapse, perhaps, before superstition will be entirely eradicated from the minds of men.

The British Gliding association will issue drawings to enable clubs to build their own gliders.

Six-year-old Archie Migle walked in his sleep for more than half a mile on Broadway, N. Y., street after 1 a. m., dressed in his night clothes.

With the Beebe Deep Sea Expedition



Bermuda.—A new deep-sea diving record was claimed by William Beebe of the New York Zoological Society's famous deep-sea expedition, when he descended 1,129 feet into the sea with Otis Barton, his aide. The descent below the sea's surface was made in a steel ball with fused quartz windows. While down he phoned his observations to a tug which waited above. The hollow steel ball in which he made his record breaking descent contained an oxygen supply and was fitted with apparatus for absorbing the exhaled air. The ball was lowered by cable from a tug, and telephone conversation between the diver and the surface was successfully carried on. Fish were readily observed. The expedition hopes to make observations at a depth of half a mile with the aid of its apparatus. The only discomfort felt by the divers was the reduced pressure when, after one and a half hours time after they had left the deck, the sphere was opened and the pressure relaxed. It had increased, due to the oxygen released from the tanks, only the carbon dioxide having been absorbed by the sodium. Otherwise both were perfectly all right. Photo shows the diving sphere being submerged on a test dive.

Bermuda.—A new deep-sea diving record was claimed by William Beebe of the New York Zoological Society's famous deep-sea expedition, when he descended 1,129 feet into the sea with Otis Barton, his aide. The descent below the sea's surface was made in a steel ball with fused quartz windows. While down he phoned his observations to a tug which waited above. The hollow steel ball in which he made his record breaking descent contained an oxygen supply and was fitted with apparatus for absorbing the exhaled air. The ball was lowered by cable from a tug, and telephone conversation between the diver and the surface was successfully carried on. Fish were readily observed. The expedition hopes to make observations at a depth of half a mile with the aid of its apparatus. The only discomfort felt by the divers was the reduced pressure when, after one and a half hours time after they had left the deck, the sphere was opened and the pressure relaxed. It had increased, due to the oxygen released from the tanks, only the carbon dioxide having been absorbed by the sodium. Otherwise both were perfectly all right. Photo shows the diving sphere being submerged on a test dive.

BAGGAGE INSPECTIONS TO BE GREATLY REDUCED

New Regulations In Mently
Work Are Now
In Force

Discontinuance of baggage inspection at stations, hotels and homes, in connection with the Mediterranean fruit fly quarantine, was announced at Orlando this week by W. C. O'Kane, federal executive and chairman of the federal fruit fly board.

Only one inspection of baggage heretofore will be required in the maintenance of the quarantine line around the eradication area, now entirely in the hands of civilian employees of the federal government, the announcement said. "Baggage from points in the eradication area will be examined only when leaving it," Mr. O'Kane said. "Inspection posts will still be located on the highways at the boundaries of the area and inspectors will ride all trains which carry passengers to points outside."

"The inspection at the borders of the eradication area will be the only one required if special seals then attached are allowed to remain unbroken. Travelers from the area to the north and west will be able to avoid a second examination at the state line or the Ochlockonee river by leaving these seals intact."

"Coming into the eradication area from outside, baggage will be sealed to show its origin but will not be otherwise examined while it remains in that portion of the state east of the Ochlockonee river if the seals are unbroken. Before such baggage can be carried across the Florida-Georgia line or the Ochlockonee, however, there must be an inspection."

"The convenience to the traveling public will be served, it is believed, by discontinuance of baggage inspection at the borders of the eradication area on the Florida-Georgia, Ochlockonee line, and by the elimination of the second examination heretofore required. In some instances, Decision to simplify the procedure in these respects has been reached through a desire to make the regulations as easy to observe as is consistent with necessary precautions against the spread of the fruit fly."

Rules of the Game.

Many rules for the government of human conduct have been laid down, and all of them have been broken. Such is the case with the "light" or "dark" of the moon. Such practices are universal and only relics of the Dark Ages, according to the Department of Agriculture.

An exchange prints a few, attributed to Walter Johnson, famed pitcher and member of the Washington Senators, and while they particularly apply to the game of baseball, the principles enunciated are equally applicable to the game of life in general. Johnson says: "Play fair; be on the level."

"Have respect for discipline. Never quit the game at any time. Give your teeth and bear down when things look toughest."

"Live cleanly. 'Drive' the fellow players. 'Never quit'."

Thomas Allen of Montreal, aged 98, has located his sister, Elizabeth, 102, and his brother James, 103, in the United States after 50 years of separation.

A new Alpine motor road in Austria will reach a height of 8,250 feet.

Pictorial Sermon at Nazarene Church Sunday Morning

On the coming Sunday morning the pastor will preach a sermon compiled by the Rev. E. E. Angell of Boston, Mass. The sermon is illustrated on a big sheet which will be hung up above the platform. There are really two sermons in it, or rather, two main parts parallel, I. e., it is a message comparing a life of true holiness and one untrue.

The subject of the evening sermon will be "A Time To Seek the Lord."

All are cordially invited to attend these services.

FOR FIRE INSURANCE

Automobile and Public
Liability Insurance

Mrs. M. S.
Swearingen
Phone 40

Smith-Dorminey Company

JOHNSON MOTORS
And a Full Line of Johnson
Motor Parts.

MILK



MILK is the good old orthodox food for wee tots. And of all Milks Mandis' is peerless for nourishment, quality and purity. Inspected with utmost care—every drop.

Phone 79—Ask for a Driver To Call Daily

Health Fad Skeptics.

The subject of how to live long is always of interest, which perhaps accounts for the eagerness of the average mortal to seize upon various methods which are recommended for promoting health and longevity, such as doing daily exercises to radio music and the like.

In spite of all the propaganda on the subject, however, there are few who realize the actual benefits of strenuous physical activity. One of these wrote a letter to the Cleveland Press, pointing out that Walter Camp, famed athlete and originator of the "daily dozen," died at 65, while he, the writer, had never taken any kind of exercise to speak of and was still in excellent health, although a great-grandfather. He added that "the longest-lived people are the physically lazy but mentally alert."

Commenting on the letter, William F. O'Connell, a well-known editor, declares that several years ago he adopted a vigorous health program, including vegetarianism, cold baths and the daily dozen, with this result: "Acute indigestion led to the abandonment of vegetarianism on doctor's orders. Another doctor recommended discontinuance of cold baths. The daily dozen are still pursued, but in them I have been shaken by the untimely death of their inventor."

Still, we may find many who swear by the health fad and feel that their lives have been saved thereby. The proverb has it: "What is food for some is black poison to others."

In the last year membership in the German Consumers' Co-operative has increased by 100,000.

After she's fifteen, a father is as helpless in handling his daughter as he is in handling his mother.

Miss Ellen Curtis of Oxford, England, was awarded a medal for saving a dog and three puppies at the risk of her own life.

Consented of stealing four chickens. Tom Gray of Nottingham, England, was sentenced to serve ten years.

AVON PARK DRUG CO.
Avon Park, Fla.

Your Nerves

When your nerves are out of order you're liable to have a nervous or physical breakdown. When you begin to get nervous and irritable, don't delay.

DR. MILES' NERVINE

soothes irritated nerves. Get a bottle to-day.

AVON PARK DRUG CO.
Avon Park, Fla.

HEADACHE

RELIEVED QUICKLY

The Fast Vegetable Pills quickly corrects the digestive disorders, removes the intestinal poisons, and relieves the system. Your whole system enjoys a tonic effect, constipation disappears, and you feel a renewed vigor. Avoid bromides and dope. They are depressing and harmful. They destroy the life and the red blood cells.

CARTER'S PILLS
AVON PARK DRUG CO.
Avon Park, Fla.

Moved to New Location

In Jacaranda Hotel Building

and we extend a cordial invitation to you to visit us and attend our

Sweeping July
CLEARANCE

What a Chance
FOR SAVINGS

NOW IN FULL SWING

And Continuing Through Saturday, July 12

DISCONTINUED LINES

Having moved to our new location in the Jacaranda Hotel building, we extend you a cordial invitation to visit us and partake of the many items we have to offer at unusually low prices. Due to the fact that we are discontinuing certain lines we are passing the opportunity on to you to enable you to purchase first class merchandise at wholesale prices and in many instances much less than actual cost to us wholesale at the factory.

MEN'S SHOES

Men's Romeos	\$1.85
Friendly Fives	3.85
Ventilated Oxfords	1.98

WOMEN'S SHOES

Witt's Arch Support	\$4.35
White and Black Sport Shoes	
\$5.00 values	3.25
Black Patent Ties and Straps	1.95 to 2.95

MEN'S RIDING PANTS

Khaki and Whip Cords	\$1.00 to \$2.25
----------------------	------------------

DRESS GOODS

Going at Cost and Less.

Dimities, French Voiles, Indian Head and Linines—All fast colors.

MEN'S TIES

\$1.00 values	75c
1.50 values	\$1.00

OVERALLS AND WORK PANTS

We are closing out these lines. Men's and boys' overalls and work pants at what they cost at factory.



Special Dress Offer
\$6.75 VALUES, now going for **2 for \$8**
Values to \$18.50 Reduced to \$9.75

HERE are sparkling new dresses at phenomenally low prices! Gay new prints—the pastel flat crepes—fine quality georgettes—new cotton weaves. All copies of expensive frocks—many individual styles from which to choose. Buy several for all your summer needs.

All the newest style details for 1930. Sizes for juniors, misses and women. Every color and pattern.

Printed Georgettes, crepes, chiffons, Pastel georgettes, crepes, washables! Voile, batiste. A wide array of styles.

Summer Hats

Priced as low as

\$1.00

New Summer Styles,
Pastel shades

Priced up to
\$3.50

Ladies' Underwear

Reduced 25%

Silks and Voiles

Stepins, Bloomers, Teds,
Princess Slips, Night Gowns

DISCONTINUED LINES

This is all high grade merchandise that we have been carrying in stock and in order to close out these lines we are offering them at prices that will move the goods.

In discontinuing these goods, it is our intention to devote our stock exclusively to high grade ladies' ready-to-wear in the future. You will find many rare bargains listed here, and you are invited to visit us in our new location and take advantage of these unusual prices.

MEN'S UNION SUITS

Sizes 36 to 42

75c values 2 for 85c

SUN HATS

Closing out at less than cost.

TENNIS SHOES

15 pairs only, closing out at 77c

SUIT CASES

Only four left.

\$1.95 value \$1.35

MEN'S STRIPED SHOP CAPS

35c value going for 21c

MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

Closing at cost.

All of excellent quality.

LADIES' HOSE

\$1.00 values for 67c

This line is being discontinued.

LADIES' HOUSE DRESSES

A discontinued line

Closing out at 71c

Cost F.O.B. factory \$9.00 per dozen.
You figure the profit on these.

BOYS' PIN CHECK PANTS

Only a few pairs left 80c

LATHAM'S Ready-to-Wear

AVON PARK, FLORIDA

THE AVON PARK TIMES

Published every Friday by the Schaefer-Broking Printing Co., Inc., at No. 2 South Forest Avenue, Avon Park, Florida.

W. M. HETHERINGTON Editor

SUBSCRIPTION RATES:
One Year in Highlands County \$2.00
One Year outside of Highlands County \$2.50

Entered at the postoffice at Avon Park, Florida, under the act of March 3, 1879, as matter of the second-class.

ADVERTISING RATES FURNISHED UPON REQUEST

The tariff seems to have no friends, at home or abroad.

Cannon and Tinkham—if they don't shut up, sink 'em!

We may be wrong, but it seems to us that the prettiest girls in the country do not enter beauty contests.

Now that Gloom has been buried, let us talk and act in such wise will discourage any prospect of his being resurrected.

It seems, from primary results and other indications, a good many people think that, after all, Doyle Carlton makes a pretty good governor.

A Baltimore physician claims to have discovered a preventive for colds. But think of the thousands of cold cures this discovery will put out of business.

Wonder if those Senators who object to dial phones in the Senate offices wouldn't also prefer candles to electric lights?

Predictions that the Lindbergh hopeful will make a great flier are premature. It is possible that he may hate flying. Things work out that way sometimes.

It doesn't take long in this age of rapid change for the marvelous to become the commonplace. People don't get worked up so much nowadays when a plane crosses the Atlantic.

Everybody admits that these Crawford make tip-top secretaries, but in all the State there is no finer or more capable man for that position than Rob Gray—and the voters seemed to have been convinced of that fact.

Discussing the recent primaries, a man made the statement that he would consider no candidate deserving of his vote whose record did not show that he consistently paid his debts. And that's not bad measuring stick to apply to all candidates for office.

A sales tax on luxuries is proposed. That will be tough, inasmuch as people nowadays must have their luxuries, even if they have to forego the necessities. Indeed, it's hard to decide what are luxuries and what necessities.

Final figures of Florida's census will show a population might close to a million and a half, constituting an increase of about 40 percent. That's not a bad showing for a State that only a few decades ago was mostly wilderness.

Quite a bit of building and progress along all lines reported in many sections of Florida. If Mr. Hoover would set his prosperity machinery in motion in the other States of the Union, so that they could keep pace with Florida, the whole country would be getting along pretty well.

We are beginning to get a bit uneasy about this rebellion in India. A crowd over there sat for five hours listening to a speech by a revolutionist. People who can sit through a five-hour speech on any subject indicate an endurance and capacity for punishment that might make them difficult to deal with.

The constant cry in Florida, as elsewhere, is for able and honest leadership. But many times those having the qualities of leadership are too modest to seek it, while the blatant self-assertive push to the head of the procession. And the people accept the latter—the people, who can do no wrong but who do some superlatively foolish things.

When we get to be President, and know that we are going to have to speak a few well-chosen words on some public occasion, we are going to the barn or the bath room and speak 'em or sing 'em until we can say 'em by heart, and not have to read 'em. No reflections, Herbert.

There's room for a man to be a man in Nevada, where there are considerable areas that are not over-crowded. Each of at least three Florida cities has a larger population than the entire State. As there is only about a man and a fifth to each square mile in Nevada, we hope our old-college friend, Einstein, will investigate, and corral a little of the space which out there is so abundant, and which he says is the most valuable thing in the world.

A while back somebody was given a reward of \$25,000 for the best suggestion looking to the solution of the prohibition problem. We are not advised of any considerable progress following the suggestion. Perhaps better results could be obtained by taking off all restrictions on the manufacture and sale of liquor and making it mandatory that every person, exclusive of small children, should consume a certain liberal quantity each week

or month. Then everybody would do their damndest to keep from drinking any of the stuff.

We have always held that the most cowardly thing in creation is a mob. Usually it is made up of cowards, whose only opportunity to appear brave is when they feel the strength of the wolf-pack, as opposed to the weak and helpless. A striking instance of this cowardly mob spirit occurred at Beaumont, Texas, the other day, when a brave sheriff slapped the face of the leader of a band of forty would-be lynchers, and thus dispersed the mob. Let us elect more slapping sheriffs and lynchings will decline.

Those 28 Florida murderers who were electrocuted before it was discovered the law providing that means of death is invalid, may be interested in the report of the Mississippi negro, just pardoned the other day, but who it was found had died in the pen several months ago.

It has suddenly struck lots of people as a mystery how a few years after it is dug a phosphate pit is teeming with fish. The theory is advanced by some that fish eggs are carried from the lakes to these ponds on the feet of wading birds. In some States to the north ponds to provide water for stock are dug in the middle of fields, miles from any water which fish might inhabit—and those ponds are not visited by wild fowl. Yet in a year or two fish may be caught out of these ponds, always of two varieties—sun perch and bull-head cats. We have never heard a satisfactory explanation as to where they come from.

They have been having a contest over in England to determine the "best brain" in the country. The results have been as unsatisfactory as those obtained in beauty contests. George Bernard Shaw, who by the way, had always struck us as an insufferably conceited ass—polled the largest vote, being trailed by such nominees as Lloyd George, Winston Churchill, H. G. Wells, and others. It is a most difficult matter for people to judge the merits of any individual. Its quality cannot be determined by accomplishment, because many men of great brain capacity achieve little, for the reason that, because of indolence or indifference, they do not make the effort. There was never a more profound truth than that conveyed in the statement, "Genius is nine-tenths hard work." Sometimes we think that a real smart man would use his brains to avoid hard work; but the fact is that a mediocre brain and great industry may get you some votes in a future brain contest.

Echoes of the State Press

MASTER THE SITUATION

Isn't it logical—when one stops to think of it—that the time to put on the most steam is when the grade is the steepest? That is the time to pull on the oars the hardest is when the current flows against one the strongest?

There is a man owning a chain of nineteen optical stores Greater New York, who has adopted a policy of interest to every business man in this country; and to the wife of every business man, to his children, to his employees, to his creditors and to anyone dependent on him in any way, Feistes Wiclin Wambolt, in the Birmingham Age-Herald.

"I have been through four periods of financial depression," this man says, "and in every one I have increased my advertising."

"The psychological time to accelerate business volume is the time when the general public might be disposed to buy more conservatively in all lines. That is the time to speed up—to increase advertising. That's the time when the men in responsible positions should put on more steam, increase their sales efforts, talk to the public in bigger circles."

And so this shrewd optician has launched a publicity campaign that has startled the advertising world. As against \$75,000 he paid out last year promoting the sale of eye glasses, he plans this year to spend \$200,000 for newspaper space.

Instead of a few inches single column, he will use whole pages. And he will back up that effort by spending \$50,000 additional in communicating direct with his customers. He has doubled his mailing force so as to reach his patrons anywhere at any time; and it is particularly significant that it comes at a period when concerns in many lines are shortening sail.

"I shall give my stores a dominance during this period," says this astute optician, "that will be recognized by them when business again becomes more active."

There is a philosophy in that optician's policy that we could well apply in our daily lives. The way to conquer adversity is to be more aggressive than adversity, and the greater the adversity, the more aggressively we should combat it.

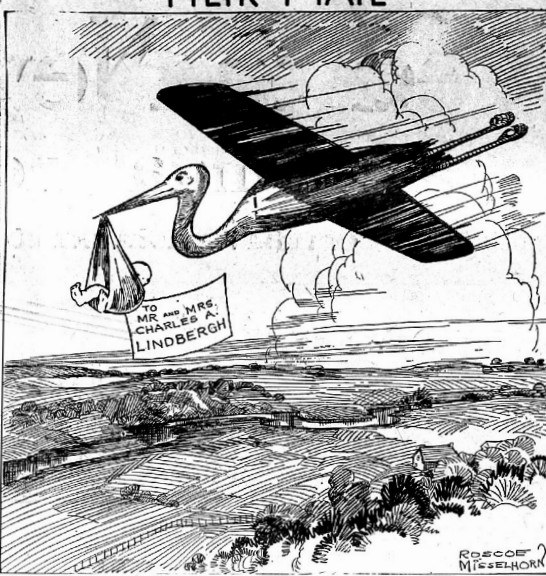
"The fewer the orders," says a successful salesman, "the harder I solicit."

"The stronger my temptation," says a good man, "the stronger I pray."—Wittier Haven Herald.

FLORIDA AND THE NEW TARIFF
People generally over the state seem to feel that the passage of the new tariff measure, carrying the schedules covering the vegetable products, that have been so long hoped for, is going to mark the turning point toward a return of prosperity for Florida agriculture. As our old friend Shakespeare once remarked, "Tis a consummation, devoutly to be wished."

The new tariff law is being made the object of much criticism. Objections come from many quarters, and it seems that this state is better satisfied with what it got than most of the others. Industrial interests seem to have been simply taken care of to such that a number of the nations threatening reprisals in one way or another. But this is something which has always followed char-

"HEIR" MAIL



ges in the tariff laws in this country. It is impossible to satisfy everybody.

The tariff on Florida vegetables will mean that the growers of winter products here will be assured of protection from imports from Mexico and Cuba, because the duty will force the price to a point where the grower will be able to make a profit. However, this very naturally means that the consumer will have to pay more for the stuff, but the consumer is usually generous enough to grant that the producer should receive a price sufficient to give him something for his labor and hazard.

Florida wanted a duty on its vegetables. It got it. The next thing to do is to sail in and endeavor to reclaim the business which for the past few years has been going to neighboring countries. Here's hoping that the new schedules will prove to be worth all that has been expected—Arcadia Arcadian.

TELEPHONES

Supposing you had an automobile accident some dark night about ten miles from nowhere. Just how far do you suppose you would have to walk before you came to a farm house with a telephone?

Right in this immediate vicinity we are and the money of Collier for our telephone service but even outside of his territory very few farmers have telephones in this state. On the other hand up north it is hard to find a farmer without telephone service. That is not all. Even in the villages and cities here the telephone service is very limited. In this city of over 1,000 inhabitants there are only about 25 phones while up north there would be about 150 phones in a city this size and that many connections in the surrounding country. Supposing that the business men of this city could call up 150 farmers in the surrounding country by telephone without extra charge, what an advantage it would be. If it was not almost a religion in the south that all big business must be respected and handled with gloves regardless of the way they treat us these conditions would not exist. Florida is thirty years behind the north in telephone service just because we are afraid to holler or fight for our rights for fear it might disturb big business and make them withdraw their capital. For the same reason we have no income tax or inheritance tax. The more we baby big business the worse they will treat us. It is a disgrace and a drawback to the state to allow such conditions to exist and the sooner we resort to clubs and cuss words the better for us.—Bowling Green Exponent.

AN INHERITANCE TAX FOR FLORIDA.

For the past several months much has been said as to an inheritance tax for Florida and as to the amendment which will be submitted to the voters next November. There is a great feeling in favor of levying a tax of this nature and the citizens have become more and more in favor of the proposition.

As an example of what it would mean to Florida in only one instance is able to furnish the Miami Herald in the following editorial:

"Had the pending constitutional amendment allowing Florida to take advantage of the 80 per cent rebate on federal inheritance taxes been in effect this year, Florida would have received \$8,640,000 from the estate of John I. Beggan when it was settled at Port Pierce recently."

"In other words, \$8,640,000 or 80 per cent of the federal inheritance tax on his estate of \$4,000,000 was lost to Florida and gobbled up by the federal government because this state has kept its head in the sands like an ostrich and refused to see the advantage of holding this money at home."

"This is only one estate that has been settled here this year. Others which have paid federal inheritance taxes have amounted to millions more. This money goes out of Florida, and into the coffers of Washington. In other states, excepting Alabama and Nevada, the state keeps 80 per cent, the government gets 20 percent, and the taxpayer is required to pay no more than he is in Florida."

"It is well known that this federal inheritance tax is a penalty imposed on Florida, and is not far removed from Florida some years ago inserted a clause in its constitution banning the inheritance tax. Com-

pass, absorbing more and more of the rights of the states, imposed a penalizing inheritance tax, with a provision that credit be allowed the estate of those in states imposing an inheritance tax, the credit to apply to 80 percent of the federal tax.

"Next November Florida citizens vote whether this state shall revise its constitution, so that Florida may receive back its 80 per cent so long as the federal government imposes that kind of an inheritance tax, and no longer. With such a provision, the legislature then can eliminate the state ad valorem tax on real estate and can begin a genuine reform in taxation."

"Florida has just lost \$8,640,000, that is all."—Brooksville Journal.

DU PONT HELPS AGED POOR

No doubt it will be news to almost all Jaxons that these fellow-townsmen, Alfred L. du Pont, is saying out of his own pocket, pensions to some 1100 old folks in his home state of Delaware. So far as we know, this fact has never been mentioned here by Mr. du Pont. So genuine is his interest in old people that he has been carrying on this great private philanthropy without saying a word about it.

We learn this from an article in the Wilmington Star, in which Mr. du Pont is lauded for his good work. He has been sponsoring this form of philanthropy there for some time, it seems, trying to persuade the state to abolish poor houses and apportion the money to pension men and women past 65. But, while advocating that the state perform this function, he has put his preaching into practice, has investigated the indigent aged of the state at his own expense, has picked out 1100 worthy cases and then placed them on his own list to receive monthly sums from him.

The example set his state by Mr. du Pont seems to have borne other fruit than the comfort and gratitude of the aged people who have his aid. The newspapers there are now sponsoring a bill to appropriate the next legislature providing that the state do this work rather than leave it to an individual. The Wilmington Star predicts that the measure will pass without difficulty.

The other states will probably be moved to fall in line and provide some form of pensions for their aged people. There is nothing more pitiful than the plight of aged people forced to live in almshouses during their last years. The humane thing is to give them some little of the joy of life as well as food and clothing. We must provide for them in some way whether we are willing or not, and it is not much more expensive, if any, to allow them to live their own lives with a small monthly pension from the state.

This is what Alfred L. du Pont has been preaching to the people of his native state, and has been practicing it as well. Jacksonville should be proud to have as a citizen a man of such broad and humane vision.—Jacksonville Journal.

DEATH IN BAD TIMES.

While we are considering various contributing causes to automobile accidents, which are increasing at an alarming rate, the tire feature should not be overlooked. Bad tires frequently are responsible for casualties on the highway. The Philadelphia Public Ledger calls editorial attention to a recent case.

The tragic accident in which two University of Pennsylvania students were killed on Saturday was one of the many which are due to failure of tires while cars are traveling at high speeds. An automobile is a marvelous mechanism, easily controlled and guided to spite of the power beneath its hood. But the assumption of safety in the safety of cars depends on the wheel and the road. The precautions of safety for automobile travel include all reasonable care for tires and their condition. Weakness on the wheels makes speed doubly hazardous and puts the best of drivers in constant danger, and that danger is shared by all traffic on the road. For safety's sake, watch your wheels.

The automobile owner or driver who wishes to provide every possible safeguard must see to it that his car is in good condition—and this includes good tires.—Tampa Tribune.

World's Largest Telegram on Display

Atlantic City, N. J., July 3.—Among the hundreds of telegrams sent by loyal supporters in Florida, inviting Kiwanis International to Miami for their 1931 convention, the following Western Union telegram from Governor Doyle E. Carlton of Florida is the largest ever sent. It is 21 feet wide, 18 feet high and prints a four inch letter.

DOYLE E. CARLTON, Governor of Florida. This telegram has been reproduced by the Western Union in size 9 feet wide by 12 feet long, and was this morning placed on display in the Atlantic City Convention Hall on a specially built easel 21 feet high and 10 feet wide. The secretary of the Underwood Typewriter Company this huge telegram was prepared on the Underwood grand typewriter, which weighs fourteen tons, took three days to build and cost one hundred thousand dollars. It is 21 feet wide, 18 feet high and prints a four inch letter.

Russian Coffee Delicious. A delicious method of making coffee, which is used in a well-known Russian tearoom and is said to be the identical recipe used in Warsaw, is given in the current issue of "Better Homes and Gardens." It is served under two names: If the cream is placed in the cup first and the hot coffee poured over it, it is coffee Moscow style; if the coffee is added after the cream is poured, it is Warsaw style. (Strictly speaking, Warsaw coffee is Polish coffee, and Moscow coffee is Russian.)

The recipe is given in "Better Homes and Gardens" as follows: Boil or percolate seven tablespoons of coffee with four cups of water in the usual way. Stir two tablespoons of cocoa with a little water to a paste, and when the coffee percolates add the cocoa to it. Stir together and serve piping hot with sugar and heavy cream.

A statistical shark has figured that Americans drink 75,000 cups of coffee every second. And no telling how many saucers.

Artificial pearls which bring as much as \$200 each are being manufactured from the scales of herring.

AVALON THEATRE

Movietone and Vitaphone Talking Pictures

Friday and Saturday July 4th and 5th
"YOUNG EAGLES"
With Chas. Buddy Rogers

Monday and Tuesday July 7th and 8th
"YOUNG MAN OF MANHATTAN"
With Claudette Colbert and Norman Foster

Wednesday and Thursday July 9th and 10th
"LADIES IN LOVE"
With All Star Cast

Friday and Saturday July 11th, and 12th
"BYRD AT THE SOUTH POLE"

Circle Theatre

SEBRING, FLORIDA
Vitaphone Talking Pictures

Sunday and Monday July 6th and 7th
"UNTAMED"
With Joan Crawford

Tuesday and Wednesday July 8th, and 9th
"BYRD AT THE SOUTH POLE"

Thursday and Friday July 10th and 11th
"BACCHUS NIGHTS"
A Paramount Picture With All-Star Cast

Saturday July 12th
"THE FIGHTING LEGION"
With Ken Maynard
Closing July 13th and 14th
"GUNNY SIDE UP"

THE TIMES' WEEKLY PAGE OF COMICS

DOROTHY DARNIT

By Charles McManus



"IT'S A GREAT LIFE IF YOU DON'T WEAKEN"

By Jack Rabbit



MR. BROAD OF WALL STREET

By Charles McManus



"THE MAIN THING ON MAIN STREET"

By L. F. Van Zelm



Back Yard Kronies

"Why Not?"

by M. B. S.



SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FOR JULY 6, 1930.

SUBJECT: Abraham.
GOLDEN TEXT: "By faith Abraham, when he was called to go out into a place which he should after receive for an inheritance, obeyed; and he went out, not knowing whither he went." Heb. 11:8.
LESSON TEXT: Genesis 12:1-3; 13:1-12; 17; 1-8; 18:22-33; Heb. 11:8-10.

TOPIC: A man who found friendship with God.

Abraham (later Abraham) was a native of the city of Ur in Chaldea, about 700 miles eastward from Jerusalem. His father was named Terah. Abraham married Sarai (afterward called Sarah). Terah took his son Abraham with Sarai and his brother Lot to Haran, a city more than 200 miles northeast of Jerusalem, where they lived about five years, when Terah died.

Abraham was then about 75 years of age. Our lesson for today begins with the Lord's word to Abraham. Get these out of thy country, and from thy kindred, and from thy father's house, unto a land that I will show thee." In Acts 7:2, Stephen said, "The God of glory appeared unto our father Abraham when he was in Mesopotamia before he dwelt in Charran (Haran)."

The first call to Abraham was probably just before he and his father left Ur, and the second just after his father Terah's death at the city of Haran.

God did not explain to Abraham where he was to go. "Unto a land that I will show thee." The faith which caused Abraham to obey God then should cause obedience from his followers today. But God gave Abraham this promise. "And I will make of thee a great nation, and I will bless thee, and make thy name great; and thou shalt be a blessing. And I will bless them that bless thee, and curse him that curseth thee; and in thee shall all families of the earth be blessed." Most of us must be satisfied to work, each in his own small corner, and strive to keep burning a small and lower light. But each can have some faith, and each may do a little work for the Lord.

"And Abraham took Sarai his wife, and Lot his brother's son," and went forth to go into the land of Canaan.

After varying experiences Abraham and Lot both became wealthy and had large herds of cattle and other animals. "And there was a strife between the herdmen of Abraham's cattle and the herdmen of Lot's cattle; and the Canaanite and the Perizzite dwelled then in the land." In many a home and community increased wealth (and especially the desire to get wealth) has destroyed the peace and friendship which existed. Wealth itself is largely a comparative term, sought because our changing views of life make it useless yesterday, only necessities of today. "And Abraham said unto Lot, Let there be no strife, I pray thee, between me and thee, and between my herdmen and thy herdmen; for we be brethren."

Abraham was the uncle of Lot, he was in command of their caravans. He might have dictated the terms of separation. But he said to Lot, "Is not the whole land before thee?" "If thou wilt take the left hand, then I will go to the right; or if thou depart to the right hand, then I will go to the left."

"Then Lot chose him all the plain of Jordan." "And they separated." "Abraham dwelled in the land of Canaan, and Lot dwelled in the cities of the plain, and pitched his tent toward Sodom."

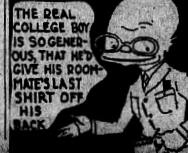
You will do well to consider how many young men and women are tempted by wealth and apparent ease of life to pitch their tents toward Sodom. Abraham's treatment of Lot and his prayer for Sodom show him to have been unselfish and kindly.

In Hebrews 11:8-10, we have this statement as to Abraham and his faith: "By faith Abraham, when he was called, obeyed; and he went out, not knowing whither he went. By faith he sojourned in the land of promise, as in a strange country." "For he looked for a city which hath foundations, whose builder and maker is God." If you will read the history of Abraham, as given in the Bible, you will see that he was not perfect, but he kept his faith in God.

Abraham was called the Friend of God and the father of the faithful. He exemplified the beatitude, "Blessed are the peacemakers; for they shall be called the children of God." But probably his greatest virtue was his steadfast faith in God.

From the Scriptures you can learn God's will, which it is your duty to learn and obey. We should learn, trust and obey.

THE REAL COLLEGE BOY IS SO GROWN-UP THAT HE GIVES HIS ROOM-MATE'S LAST SHIRT OFF HIS BACK.



QUANTITY PRODUCTION DEMANDS PRECISION

Many New Instruments Insure Accuracy In Manufacture of Chevrolet

"Hand built throughout" used to be the hallmark of American industry, the "Tiffany touch" to the quality output of American manufacturers everywhere.

Today, such are the precision demands of mass production in the automobile and many other industries, that to call a product hand-built would be to brand it as a crude product indeed.

When parts are put together at the assembly line they must fit to hair-breadth accuracy, else the efficiency of the whole unit is destroyed and delays are occasioned that are far above cost limit. Such a variable factor as the human equation must play only a minor role in measuring variances, for research engineers have found the light ray infinitely more exacting than the human eye. And so they have developed many wonderful instruments to replace the old-time workman with his calipers—instruments tens and hundreds of times more accurate.

Concrete examples of the exactness required in precision manufacture are provided every few steps along the assembly line, the motor plant of the Chevrolet Motor Company, at Flint, Mich. Here every motor has to undergo 5,162 separate precision inspections, and one man in every six is an inspector.

"Check and double-check" has become a part of the vernacular, but in the Chevrolet plant it is the law of the statute. Without it the enormous volume of the company would be impossible, for precision is the first law of volume production.

Among thousands of inspections the plant, the following prove of unusual interest to visitors:

Cylinder bores are subjected to individual tests to determine accuracy, smoothness, straightness and the correct right angle of each bore to the cylinder block, with a size tolerance held to less than one-half thousandth of an inch. The cylinder head is hydraulically tested under high pressure to make certain that all

Marion Crews, Aged 20, Killed By Lightning Near Hen Scratch, Saturday

Marion Crews, aged 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Crews, was killed by lightning Saturday morning about 10:30 when he and his brother Barney, took shelter from a storm under a cabbage palm near their home in Hen Scratch neighborhood. Marion with his brother and father had been working in the potato field and at the approach of the storm, his father went to the house and the two brothers sheltered under the tree

water passages and openings are correct.

The crankshaft's bearing surfaces, after final rolling and polishing, are subjected to nine inspections for size. Each Chevrolet piston is hand-fitted to the cylinder bore with absolutely no deviation from a standard clearance permitted. It is then gauged for size, taper, and absolute roundness with instruments that register correctly within one quarter of a thousandth of an inch. Each is then weighed with its bronze bushings and placed in sets of six.

A half-ounce variation in the weight of any piston in a set results in its rejection.

Perfect fit of piston rings is insured by means of a special light test inspection. Connecting rods are subjected to inspections for weight, straightness and alignment of the upper and lower bearings. If the alignment is not perfect the rod is not used. The rods, with caps and bearings in place, are weighed and accurately matched in sets according to weight, which must not vary a quarter of an ounce.

A tolerance of within two thousandths of an inch is the maximum for Chevrolet camshafts which are repeatedly tested for weight, straightness, shape of the cams and their maximum lift. Timing gears are matched in sets to insure quietness, and special dial gauges register the meshing of every tooth on both the crankshaft and camshaft gears to within three thousandths of an inch of the standard. Even the Chevrolet flywheel is balanced on machines specially designed for the Chevrolet Motor Company and are gauged for mesh of starting motor gears and the accuracy of the clutch mounting.

"We have to have a part of the Chevrolet flywheel balanced on machines specially designed for the Chevrolet Motor Company and are gauged for mesh of starting motor gears and the accuracy of the clutch mounting."

"We have to have a part of the Chevrolet flywheel balanced on machines specially designed for the Chevrolet Motor Company and are gauged for mesh of starting motor gears and the accuracy of the clutch mounting."

"We have to have a part of the Chevrolet flywheel balanced on machines specially designed for the Chevrolet Motor Company and are gauged for mesh of starting motor gears and the accuracy of the clutch mounting."

which was struck. Marion was killed instantly and his brother was stunned and shocked severely when the watch in his pocket was smashed.

Funeral services were held Sunday morning and interment was made in the Whidden cemetery at Spring Valley with the Rev. Ingram Williams officiating. There survive to mourn the loss, the parents, one brother and five sisters.

VENUS

W. H. Cannon motored to Arcadia Thursday and A. H. Farrington returned with him.

Rev. F. K. McGee spent Friday and Sunday at the meeting at Pine Level. He reports a good meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Stalls and daughter Pauline returned from Arcadia Friday.

S. S. Whiting and two grandchildren Rose Mary and Whiting. Mrs. Alex McDugald and daughter Mary Jane returned home Tuesday.

Misses Vera Mae and Dorothy Cline visited relatives and friends in Venus last week. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Thorne took them home Sunday to lunch.

Mrs. J. J. Whidden and daughter Mrs. Wavy Lopez and three children were the guests of Mrs. A. H. Farrington and Mrs. J. I. Southerland, Sunday afternoon.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Southerland Friday afternoon and left a nine pound boy. They named him Harry Jackson. Mother and baby

are doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stalls, Mrs. Myrtle Stalls and daughter Pauline and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Stalls and daughter Pauline, returned from Arcadia Friday afternoon and enjoyed a swim in the lake.

Mrs. R. J. Hargrove motored to Avon Park last week and took Miss Vera Langford and Virginia Hargrove to the 4-H Camp where the girls were to enjoy a week's outing. They report a good time.

Mrs. R. J. Hargrove and two daughters Helen and Caroline were guests of Mesdames W. H. Cannon and A. H. Farrington and her son Bobby Henry Thursday morning. Afterwards Mr. and Mrs. Hargrove motored to Arcadia.

Fertile Nile Valley

The waters of the Nile, which attain their greatest height in September, commence to recede in October, leaving behind them a rich fertile soil, which first appears in the form of islands. To these the many Egyptians row out at the earliest possible moment to plant melon-seeds, so that the melons appear by maturity, and fruit ripe, before the waters begin to rise again in June. One of the common sights in Egypt the spring is a long string of camels roped nose-to-tail, and led by a small boy; each animal bearing on its back a huge netful of round green watermelons.

More than 1,000,000 workmen are now employed in the textile industry of France.

LAKE PLACID

C. Y. Mayo of Tampa has been a business visitor here.

R. G. Stoneberg of Miami was a recent business visitor here.

Miss Cecile Gues of Jacksonville is visiting relatives here.

Fletcher Gardner of New York has arrived to spend the summer.

Emory Jones of Plant City has arrived to accept a position here.

Mrs. D. R. Beam has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. K. E. Long in Lake Wales.

Buck Raulerson of Lake Butler has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Albert DeVane.

Hubert Roberts has returned home after spending several days in Jacksonville.

Mrs. J. K. Ainsworth of Bradenton has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. P. T. Richards.

Miss Jack Jacquyn McCasick of West Palm Beach has been visiting Mrs. R. D. Beam here.

N. B. Stalls and R. D. Reichelderfer of West Palm Beach have been visiting here recently.

Mrs. O. P. Gardner has returned from spending several months at several northern points.

Mrs. Bob Rutherford and daughters of Lake Wales have been visiting relatives here.

R. D. Rittelson of Baltimore, Md. was visiting friends here recently while enroute to Cuba.

Mrs. H. Seaverns has returned from Avon Park where she underwent a minor surgical operation.

Mrs. H. B. Snowden has returned to her home in Lake Wales after visiting with her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Rhyme and family.

Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Long and family, Mrs. H. B. Snowden and Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Booth of Lake Wales were visiting here last week.

Alexander Blair, engineer in charge of the Roebing estates, who has been spending several weeks in the north is expected home this week.

Messrs. Billie and Jack Gardner, sons of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Gardner have arrived from the north where they attended school. They expect to spend several months here before returning.

The district Conference of the Y.P.C.U. of the Presbyterian church met here Thursday. Miss Murie Gay and Mrs. D. R. Beam welcomed the visitors during the business session and a picnic supper was served at the country club.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wall, who were recently married in Tampa have arrived in Lake Placid and will make their home at the Richards Apartments.

Mrs. Wall before her marriage was Miss Rena Mae Poore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Poore of Tampa and Mr. Wall is the son of Rev. A. B. Wall of Lyons, Ga.

They were married at the First Baptist Church at Tampa on June 20.

More than 500,000 people attended the recent exhibition in London of art from Italy.

SPRING VALLEY

A. J. O'Berry was out visiting relatives last week.

Don Brown and wife spent the week-end with L. G. Hookersmith. James Carlton and Mrs. Ceylon Carlton were dinner guests of G. W. Durrence Sunday.

C. W. O'Berry and his father R. W. O'Berry and family have been visiting in Plant City. Frank Collier and John Coker have been out looking over the hammock.

There is a revival meeting in progress at Hen Scratch. It began yesterday and will continue on over the Fourth. Everybody is cordially invited.

Vivian Durrence spent the week-end at home while his friend Donald Norton went to Winter Haven to visit his folks.

Some people's sense of superiority rests on a refusal to expose themselves to a test.

JOB PRINTING

No Job Too Large—
None Too Small

PHONE 37

THE TIMES

BRYANT'S CASH STORE

We Are a Red Card Store

Our Motto: A Quick Nickel Beats a Slow Dime Any Time.

Thurs. - Fri. - Sat., July 3-4-5

FLOUR 24-lb. Sack Self-Rising 95c

Kerosene Oil Per Gallon 11c

LARD 8-lb. Pails Swift's Jewel or Cudahy's White Ribbon \$1.06

White Bacon (Best Grade) Per pound 17c

Irish Potatoes Fancy Green Mountain Brand, 10 lbs. for 39c

BUTTER Any Kind, Per Pound 39c

COFFEE—Maxwell House or Senate, per pound 39c

SYRUP—Per Gallon 69c

TOMATOES—3 No. 2 Cans 25c

MACARONI—3 10c packages 18c

SUGAR 5 lbs. 29c

Washing Powders 2 Packages 5c

BREAD 2 Loaves, for 15c

BANANAS Ripe Yellow, per lb. 3c

MEAT DEPARTMENT

YOU ARE INVITED TO INSPECT OUR COOLER AT ANY TIME

PORK CHOPS—Western, per lb. 30c

SMOKED SAUSAGE, per lb. 24c

PIG KNUCKLES, 2 lbs. for 35c

SPARE RIBS, per lb. 20c

STEAK—Any cut, per lb. 30c

PIG TAILS, per lb. 20c

Neck Bones—Pig Feet—Pig Ears—Chitterlings all 2 pounds for 25c

Platform of the Republican Party for Office of County Commissioner:

We endorse the Platform of the National Republican Party, and the Platform of the Republican Party of the State of Florida, as adopted at the meeting at Lakeland, March 8th, 1930.

We believe that the office of County Commissioner, like all other public offices, is a public trust, imposing responsibility upon the holder thereof, to administer the duties of such office in a manner above reproach or suspicion, without private profit to the holder thereof, or to those who may be in any wise associated with him, except such compensation as may be fixed by law.

We believe that all funds of the county, no matter from what source such funds may be obtained, should be deposited with a legal depository only when and after adequate security or collateral has been placed in the custody of the proper County Officials, and that such security or collateral shall be of such nature or kind as to be acceptable to Bonding or Security Companies at PAR VALUE, and we also believe that all such funds should be insured or bonded.

We believe that the books of the Board of County Commissioners, and all other departments of Highlands County, should be regularly audited, and a full and complete report thereof be made public monthly. We believe that all accounts of all departments of government in and for Highlands County should be itemized, and all expenditures listed as such expenditures are made, for the County as a whole, and for each District thereof. We condemn the practice of transferring monies from one fund to another and declare that each Department should be made self-supporting according to the legal method for such self support.

We believe that each County Commissioner should budget the requirements and the funds of each respective District of the County, and that each section of each district should receive a pro-rated share of all such funds according to the actual need and requirement, and that such need and requirement be determined by the people residing in each such District, so that all sections of each District may benefit from such funds may be obtained.

We believe that all District road or other labor should be performed by the people of each respective District, where and when available and practicable, and that the residents of each Precinct shall be given an opportunity to perform all labor within such Precinct, which may be paid for by District funds.

We believe that no office should be filled by the Board of County Commissioners, or office holder employed, simply because of the fact that the laws of the State of Florida permit such office, but that the question of actual need or necessity for such office should first be considered, so that public money may not be wasted, or taxes increased. The Republican Party of Highlands County is absolutely opposed to expenditure of public money simply because such money may be obtained or available, and we believe that each Public office should first consider the question of County is absolutely opposed to expenditure of public money, whether State, County, or District saving, rather than the question of spending, public money, whether State, County, or District. We believe that every effort should be made to reduce the bonded indebtedness of Highlands County, and that all surplus monies derived from any source should be used to reduce such indebtedness, and that any legislation necessary to this end should be secured at the earliest possible time.

The Republican Party of Highlands County hereby pledges itself, and pledges each Candidate of the Republican Party of Highlands County, to strive honestly, faithfully and energetically, so that the principles herein declared, shall be obtained or fulfilled.

W. Z. DALGETY, Chairman,

Highlands County Republican Executive Committee

BERT F. WILLSON,

Candidate, Commissioner District No. 1

L. D. MULLINS,

Candidate, Commissioner District No. 2

E. W. HARSHMAN,

Candidate, Commissioner District No. 2

A. G. WEIDENSEE,

Candidate, Commissioner District No. 4

THOS. CREWS,

Candidate, Commissioner District No. 5