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Here and There About Avon Park

By W. M. Hetherington

A STATE CONFERENCE

A few Democrats in Florida, not content to let a handful of politicians pose as the sole mouthpiece of the party have been advocating a state conference to determine what the party stands for. Jack Worthington of the Lake Wales Highlander is one of these, and he words just the thought that has been going through the minds of Democrats over Florida for some time. He says:

"It is quite certain that the state central committee of the Democratic party will not have the gumption to call a conference of the Democrats of Florida in advance of the next primary so that the Democratic party need not go into the next campaign voiceless, and, worse still, idle-less.

"Hardly a Democrat, whether from out in the sticks or high up in the party's councils, but will admit that the party would be better off for the holding of a conference at which it might be determined whether or no the Democrats of Florida really stand for anything, except for the vagaries of the various candidates for office. But party authority seems not to have the nerve to call such a conference. It says there is no law to authorize it. For Heavens sake, when was it necessary for a self governing people to have a law in order to permit their gathering to discuss the good of the state? Certainly there is no law to prevent it.

"If the Democratic State Central Committee would call a state conference of Democrats at a central point, based on a number of delegates equally apportioned among the counties on the basis of their Democratic vote, there would be a gathering of Democrats at some central point within 90 days. But, alas, the state committee hasn't the nerve to call a conference.

"If any dozen or fifteen good Democrats, men like Paul Carter of Marianna, Cary Hardee of Live Oak, John Alsop of Jacksonville, Bert Dosh of Ocala, Frank Shutts of Miami, J. J. Parrish of Titusville, Perry Wall or D. B. McKay of Tampa, W. D. Bell of Arcadia, or a score of others of similar character and standing would call such a conference, based in the same way, the Democrats of Florida would respond.

"A state platform put out by such a gathering would be accepted by the Democrats of Florida. Of course there would be nothing to prevent some wild eyed candidate for governor running on a platform of his own if he wished, but he would be running counter to the wishes of his party, as expressed in the American fashion, through a representative gathering, and he probably would not get far.

"Try it, Democrats and see.

"Are we or are we not, a self-governing people?"

Bowling Green Takes Thursday Game 6 to 0

The Bowling Green Growers outhit the locals in Thursday's game played there and won a scheduled league game 6 to 0.

The Growers scored one run in the first and pounced on Konneman in the fourth inning and tallied four scores before they could be stopped. Dilley who took the mound after this, held the Growers to one run the balance of the game.

McRae struck out eleven Avon Park batters and yielded only six hits. Addison led the Bowling Green attack with two triples and a single in four times at bat.

Derr Martin was credited with three of the six hits for Avon Park. McRae had the balance of the team whiffing or popping the entire game.

Score:	R	H	E
Avon Park .. 000 000 000—0	6	4	
Bowl'g G. .. 100 400 01x—6	9	4	

Konneman, Dilly and Martin; McRae and Addison.

C. P. Turner Dies In Georgia Sunday

C. P. Turner, former resident of Avon Park, died at his home in Adairsville, Ga., last Sunday morning. Mr. Turner owned Twin Oaks, his former home here, and an interest in a twenty-acre grove on the old Sebring road. He lived here until about four years ago, and has been a winter resident since that time. Mr. and Mrs. Louie Marlin and Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Allen attended the funeral.

Miami Beach. — W. G. Potts granted permit to erect $75,000 residence on Collins Avenue.

Graceville.—Local Post of American Legion plan to erect club house and stadium.

JOHNSON LEASES 2 MIAMI THEATRES; SELLS AT SEBRING

Circle Theatre Sold To Jacksonville Man; Avalon Not Involved In Deal But May Be Sold.

Sale of the Circle theatre in Sebring and leasing of two theatres in Miami was announced today by Charles F. Johnson, local theatre operator.

The Circle theatre was sold to Charles S. Morrison, of Jacksonville, who will take possession on the 18th. The lease, which expires in December, and good will are transferred, under the sale. The new Sebring manager is an experienced theatre man, having been formerly manager for the Williamson theatre at Winter Haven, and until recently connected with the Publix chain.

The Avalon theatre and Sweet Shoppe in Avon Park are not affected by the deal, Mr. Johnson stated, although negotiations are under way for the sale of these interests to other parties. Johnson will continue operating the Avalon until the first of October, when his leases start on the Miami theatres. Pictures scheduled for the Circle for the balance of August and the month of September will be shown at the Avalon by the addition of regular showings on Monday and Tuesday nights.

Patrons of the Avalon will benefit through the deal with better pictures, Mr. Johnson stated. Higher class programs will be shown and the Avalon made into a first class house in every particular. Johnson said. If the local theatre is not sold, he will continue its operation, he stated.

In the Miami deal, Mr. Johnson took a five year lease on two Miami theatres. Both are down-town houses, he states, and are independent theatres. He will take possession on October first and with Mrs. Johnson and son, will move there to assume active management.

C. of C. To Issue New Literature

An order for ten thousand eight-page envelope enclosures was recommended by the publicity committee of the chamber of commerce Monday afternoon. President H. E. Keller and Secretary Norton T. Smith met with the committee.

The need of new mailing pieces that will give up-to-date facts and figures on Avon Park was laid before the committee by the secretary, who has compiled valuable data for use in the folders which will be mailed out in answer to inquiries. The supply of picture folders printed last fall is exhausted and the new literature will be issued in a few weeks.

The secretary is also planning a hotel booklet, carrying illustrations of Avon Park's larger hotels, with rates and data of interest to prospective winter visitors. It is proposed to issue this booklet in co-operation with the hotels, Smith was authorized to take the matter up with hotel men of the city.

Wauchula Beats Sebring In Fast Game By 3 to 2

Wauchula, Aug. 14.—Wauchula conquered Sebring in a fast Orange Belt league game here today, 3 to 2. Bass connected for two doubles for Wauchula. A flashy double play, Wilson to Southerland, nipped a Sebring rally in the ninth. Score by innings:

Sebring ---- 020 000 000—2	R	H	E
Wauchula .. 000 200 001—3	9	1	

Pollard and Wheeler; Bryant and Moore.

May Hold Seminar of Scientists Here

Mayor C. S. Donaldson plans to invite a number of botanists to Avon Park this fall for a seminar. Among those expected to come here will be Dr. Beverly T. Galloway, Cornell agricultural college of New York state. He has a winter home in Lakeland. Representatives of the state department at Gainesville and other noted scientists will be included in the proposed gathering, Mr. Donaldson said.

Federal Highway Is Promised For Scenic Highlands

THE delegation from this county to the state highway commission meeting at St. Augustine yesterday returned last night having secured promises that recommendations would be made that there be a Federal aid and designated highway down through the Scenic Highlands, the necessary action to be taken at the next reallocation meeting in May. The previous promise that $100,000 would be spent in Highlands county for resurfacing and other work on state road eight was reaffimed with the promise that the first $100,000 available would be spent in this county.

The committee from this county was composed of Cyril Baldwin, D. F. Canfield and Gilbert Freeman of Avon Park, C. E. Lien, R. N. Durrance, Allen Altvater and Richard Beresford of Sebring, Dr. E. J. Etheredge of DeSoto City, and O. C. Parrish and A. M. McAulay of Lake Placid.

There were a number of delegations from all over the state asking for road construction and maintenance but the board was not in a position to grant every request made on account of finances.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES TO RAISE MORE FUNDS

Sebring Little Theatre Play Not Coming, But Other Benefits Are Planned

"Your Uncle Dudley" presented by the Sebring little theatre in Sebring last week, will not be presented in Avon Park as a charity benefit, due to inability to get the cast together for the performance, it has been announced.

Mayor C. S. Donaldson and H. E. Keller were in Sebring the first of the week and arranged for the show to be presented in Avon Park for the joint benefit of Sebring and Avon Park charity funds. The plan was fairly well along, when Mrs. Claire Hatton, organizer of the little theatre in Sebring stated Wednesday that it would be impossible to get the cast together for the performance as a number of the players were going out of town on vacations.

Other benefits are being planned, instead, Mayor Donaldson stated yesterday. Mrs. A. C. West has offered the use of her home for a tea, and at a meeting of the Associated Charities committee Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. C. H. Pardee suggested a benefit bridge of twenty tables at the Jacaranda. This will likely be arranged at an early date.

Mayor Donaldson dislikes the idea of a subscription list to raise funds for the charity organization. The last drive three years ago netted about $650 he said, and this amount has been sufficent to take care of needy cases, but funds are now running low and some means of raising cash other than a direct subscription list are being considered.

"There are a few needy cases that we are looking after from time to time," the Mayor said, "and we must have funds to keep up the work until employment picks up in the fall. Beginning about October 1st there will be plenty of work for local labor, provided we are not deluged with an influx of out-of-state people. But until that time there will be need of help from the Associated Charities, and it is going to be necessary for us to raise more funds to carry on."

O. R. Perry is chairman of the committee and Mrs. W. H. Yates is secretary-treasurer.

Nine Births and Seven Deaths in July

Nine births and seven deaths were reported during the month of July for Avon Park by Louise Browne, local registrar of vital statistics. Six white and three colored children were born during the month, and deaths of three white and four colored persons were reported.

Boy Scouts vs. the Juniors Next Tuesday

The Boy Scouts of Wauchula who are camping on Lake Isis, have a baseball team in the organization and have agreed to meet a junior baseball team of Avon Park at Cardinal field next Tuesday afternoon.

BOTANISTS PRAISE DONALDSON BOOKLET

"Florida Plants and Trees" Is Received With Enthusiasm By Botanists

Mayor C. S. Donaldson's booklet, "Florida Plants and Trees," descriptive of plant life in the Mall of Avon Park, is being received with appreciation by botanists and lovers of Florida plant life, who have written in praise of the work.

John K. Small, curator of the New York Botanical Garden, and one of the eminent botanists of the country, writes: "You certainly have a lot of information in its pages. I have looked over parts of it with much interest." Dr. Small has made a life study of Florida plant life, and has visited here with Mayor Donaldson.

Mrs. Mary F. Baker, Winter Park, former professor of Botany of Rollins college, and considered Florida's most outstanding botanist, writes: "I shall treasure your 'Florida Trees and Plants' for reference as well as for the pleasure of reading it often. It is remarkable in the amount of information it conveys, and is a fine record of your remarkable planting in the Mall."

Mrs. M. B. Mann, president of the Bouquet Garden Circle, South Jacksonville, says: "I am very anxious to secure a copy of your booklet, descriptive of plants and trees growing in the Mall, for use in our Garden circle work for the coming season. The wonderful growth of plant life in your city is outstanding. If only all of our Florida cities might realize what the beautification of a city means to passing motorists what a lovely state we might have. May I, in behalf of our Garden Circle, send you congratulations for your beautiful work."

September 2 Set For Opening Avon Park High School

Avon Park high school will open Wednesday, September 2nd, it was decided at a meeting of the local board Thursday afternoon. Sebring and Lake Placid high schools will open on Monday, September 7th. T. C. Hobbs, county school board member and Prof. R. T. Fairey met with the board. Opening of the Avon Park school was set ahead in order that graduation dates of the three schools would not conflict which will enable county authorities to attend all three graduations, and make it possible for each school to secure the services of an outstanding speaker for graduation.

The board also went through the school buildings and authorized needed repairs to put the buildings in shape for opening.

Teachers for Avon Park schools for the coming term are:

The teachers for the primary grades are: Miss Dorothy Craig, Mrs. Pearl Dean Holland, Miss Anne Wise, Miss Mildred Myers, Mrs. Virginia Cloud, Miss Louise Wolff, Miss Alma Harrell, Mrs. C. H. Sheppard will teach at the crate mill school.

Grammar grade teachers are: Mrs. D. G. Perry, Miss Loula Chesser, Mrs. Alice Sherman, Mrs. Jenny Wise and Mrs. Sadie Myers Brown.

Junior and senior high school teachers are: Mrs. Lola Skipper, Miss Elizabeth Atchley, Miss Lee Shirley, R. S. Funderburk, Miss Eleanor Bryant, Mrs. Helen A. Ginn, Miss Millie Pearson, E. F. Carmichael, H. J. Mummau and R. T. Fairey, the latter as supervising principal.

Miss Furlow Anderson is teacher of music.

B. C. Allen Hurt, Martins Uninjured In Georgia Wreck

B. C. Allen suffered two fractured ribs in an automobile wreck Monday noon near Cordele, Georgia, when the car he was driving skidded and overturned. The other occupants of the car, Mrs. Allen, and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Martin, and daughter, Evelyn, were uninjured except for a few cuts and bruises, a letter from them to C. E. Martin stated. The party were enroute to Adairsville, Ga., to attend the funeral of C. P. Turner, whose death occurred there last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin and Evelyn remained in Cordele, where they have been visiting the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Allen went on by train to Adairsville.

WAUCHULA SCOUTS ARRIVE THURSDAY FOR WEEK'S CAMP

Twenty-Two Boys Pitch Camp On Lake Isis For Annual Outing and Training In Nature's Setting.

Troop 15, Wauchula Boy Scouts arrived Thursday afternoon and have pitched their camp on the west bank of Lake Isis, where they will spend a week. The troop consisting of 32 boys out of which 22 are attending the camp, is sponsored by the Wauchula Kiwanis club.

The boys arrived in a heavy rain, but by mid-afternoon had their five tents pitched and were ready for the night. Scoutmaster W. C. Buchanan in charge of the troop, expressed his appreciation to the people of Avon Park with whom he had come in contact for the splendid treatment and help given him. The scouts are using Norton Smith's land between the state road and the lake, and Mr. Buchanan was especially appreciative of the assistance and welcome given them by Mr. Smith.

Schedule at the camp calls for reveille at 6:30, a dip in the lake by those who want it, followed by setting up exercises, the Scout master said. Following this is the flag service, and then breakfast. Tests in tracking, trail finding and life saving for merit badges will be given during the camp. Drilling at Cardinal field, baseball, and swimming will keep the boys busy during the day. At night there will be the council fire around which games are played and story telling plays an important part. The Scoutmaster would like a little help on the story telling, and says anybody from town who can tell a good story would be welcome at the council fire hour. Taps will be at 10:30.

Scouts attending the camp are: Senior Patrol Leader Kenneth Gibbs, Patrol Leaders Mike Mihalko, Norman Hayslip, T. B. Mack and Lonnie Bennett, and Scouts Gerald Buchanan, Allen Poucher, Bob Mack, Herman Bennett, Lee McDonald, Robert Neely, Jimmie Clemens, Jack Dennis, Paul Mihalko, Ardel Johns, Warren Griffin, Reason Hampton, Mark Silverman, Johnnie Sasser, Louie Bethea, Rupert Carlton, Mike Winchester, and Phillip Moader.

Highlands Day at Sarasota Is Well Attended by Avonians

About twenty-five Avon Park people were guests at the John and Mable Ringling art museum at Sarasota yesterday, which had been designated as Highlands county day. A few cars attended from Sebring and other sections of the country, and a number of Wauchula people took advantage of the opportunity of viewing the art objects in the museum, which is open to the public only on stated days.

Local visitors who visited the art museum were impressed with the many works of art and the beauty of the building. Dr. Ludd M. Spivey, president of Southern college and director of the art school and junior college that is to open in Sarasota in October, was unable to be present, but the guests were met by a Southern college representative, who gave a short lecture outlining the history of the Ringling art museum before the guests went through the museum. He said that it would take five years to complete the assembling and placing of the art treasures, a very small portion of the museum being completed at this time.

Those attending from Avon Park were: Norton T. Smith, accompanied by Jim Davis, Phil Boardman and Claude Daly; Mrs. E. G. Todd, Mrs. W. M. Reck, Mrs. Herbert Reck and daughter, Miss Letta; Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Able, Miss Margaretha Voght, Miss Martha Jeuther; Mrs. G. P. Thayer, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Rogers, Miss Sheffield, Miss Jeannette Read; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ragsdale; Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. S. C. Pardee, Miss Mary Pardee, Miss Margaret Pardee, Miss Joan Bryant; S. C. Pardee, Jr., Bob Roberts, and possibly others.

Mrs. Ruby Latham

Mrs. Ruby Latham of Avon Park is the state junior supervisor of the Woodmen Circle and acted as guardian at the district meeting at Avon Park last Tuesday.

WOODMEN CIRCLE HOLD SIXTH DISTRICT MEET

Eight Groves Represented at Circle Gathering at Lake Byrd

A large number attended the sixth district meeting of the Woodmen Circle at Avon Park Tuesday. The meeting was held at Lake Byrd Lodge with Victory Grove as hostess. Eight groves from West Palm Beach, Ft. Pierce, Punta Gorda, Tampa, Lakeland, Tulsa, Okla., Sebring and Avon Park were well represented.

A very interesting program was given by the representatives and included a clever skit entitled "The Woodcutter and His Daughter," given by Mrs. Sacks and Mrs. Smith of West Palm Beach.

The Bathing Beauty revue and burlesque boxing match proved very amusing to the members.

Miss Ruby Gene Beaver entertained with a tap dance, accompanied by Miss Marjorie Lacey on the piano.

A delicious luncheon was served in the dining room, the table being beautifully decorated in roses and fern. Each guest was the recipient of a lovely corsage as a favor.

During the afternoon the business was transacted and the drill team of the local grove assisted in the initiation of the candidates. Mrs. Mahaffey, Mrs. McGee and Mrs. Earnest of Sebring and Mrs. Smith of West Palm Beach.

A report on the national convention at Buffalo was given by Mrs. Myrtle A. Depew, past state president and delegate to the convention and was enjoyed by all.

Invitations were received from district No. 4 to attend their district meeting at Homestead in October and a district meeting at Tampa September 4.

The next district meeting will be held in Nocatee in November. The officers were elected for the next quarter.

Following the meeting a swimming party and picnic supper was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. H. A. Latham.

State officers present were: Mrs. Myrtle A. Depew, Ft. Pierce; Mrs. Mildred Boone, Lakeland, state assistant attendant; Mrs. Berta C. Vaughn, Tampa, state banker; and Mrs. H. A. Latham Avon Park, state junior supervisor.

Those attending from Sebring were: Mrs. M. L. Coker, Mrs. G. W. Wyandt, Mrs. Mahaffey, Mrs. Earnest, Mrs. McGee, Mrs. W. H. Dutton, Mrs. H. W. Long and Mrs. J. B. Grimsley.—(Contributed).

Miss Shirley Accepts Commercial Subjects

Miss Sadie Shirley of Fort Myers, has been appointed commercial teacher for Avon Park high school, and has accepted the position. She has had eight years experience on commercial subjects in Fort Myers.

Rev. McClure's Brother Dies

J. R. McClure, brother of Rev. W. K. McClure who is postor of the First Baptist church of this city, died at his home in West Liberty, Kentucky, on Friday evening. Rev. McClure was unable to attend the funeral due to illness which confined him to his bed.

COUNTY BUDGET IS ABOUT SAME LAST YEAR AS TO TOTAL

Little Change Is Made In Requirements For Various Funds; Variations Are In Bond and Interest Needs.

The tentative county budget as announced this week by the county commissioners is practically the same as last year with the principal variations occurring in the requirements for the various bonds and interest. The general revenue requirements have been placed about $2,000 lower than last year and the fine and forefiture fund shows a slight cut. The general road fund is increased but the agricultural, publicity and widows' pension funds all show decreases.

The millage has not been set yet, the delay being occasioned by the failure to receive authentic information from Tallahassee as to what Highlands county will receive from the state under the laws passed at the recent general and extra sessions of the legislature but it is generally understood that the county millage will be less than last year but to what extent cannot be figured at present.

A small road millage in each of the five districts is expected as the gas tax fund received last year has been transferred to the schools by the state and no district road millage was levied last year.

A comparison between the figures of last year and this year follows:

1930

General county budget	$254,471.79
School bond requirem'ts	33,140.00
General school budget	110,780.00
	$398,291.79

1931

General county budget	$256,965.45
School bond requirem'ts	35,912.16
General school budget	105,980.95
	$398,858.56

According to the estimates of the county school board the general school fund will be added to the amount of $80,800 from other sources, leaving only $25,180.95 to be raised by general taxation and eight mills is expected to be necessary to raise this sum. Sources contributing to the school fund are expected as follows:

State funds	$52,000
District Funds	20,000
Redemptions	8,000
	$80,800

Totals for the various county fund requirements according to the new budget are:

General revenue	$40,850.00
Fine and forfeiture fund	18,765.00
General road fund	33,820.00
Agricultural Fund	2,242.50
Publicity fund	2,242.50
Widows pension	2,150.00
Outstanding Indebtedness.	
1923 Road Bond Fund	$43,600.00
1926 Road Bond Fund	31,600.00
1927 Road Bond Fund	1,580.00
Special Road and Bridge District No. 1	5,640.00
Special Road and Bridge District No. 4	7,784.78
Special Road and Bridge District No. 5	14,142.93
Special Road and Bridge District No. 6	3,717.74
1926 Court House Bonds	20,810.00
1927 Refunding Bond Fund	3,845.00
1927 Court House Bonds	4,585.00
1931 Time Warrants	9,500.00

Firemen and Avon Park Scheduled In Charity Game

The Sebring Firemen and the Avon Park Metros will clash on the Parkers field Sunday afternoon, Aug. 23rd in a sponsored charity game.

The game will be played for the benefit of the needy in the twin cities. There will be an admission charge of 25c at the gate and the proceeds will be split between the two teams, each team taking their half and placing it where it will do the most good for charity. Avon Park will distribute their half in their city and Sebring will bring their share to Sebring where it will be at the disposal of Probation Officer Sam Dimberline to draw on as it is needed. The Parkers have been enjoying record crowds at their Sunday games but this game is expected to crowd the park to capacity.

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The Hoover Dam is causing a lot of noise, but the Hoover prosperity d—n is heard in every nook and corner of the land.

We object to all these clever paragraphs about those grape bricks. None of the paragraphers have as yet told where the bricks may be procured.

Why didn't they call in Senator Culbertson to arbitrate that bridge argument between Texas and Oklahoma? Culbertson is the final authority on bridge games.

Phineas Fogg was lucky that he didn't wait for the Do-X to attempt his notable trip around the world in eighty days. He'd have lost his bet before he got fairly started.

If the price of sand is boosted much more by our benevolent road builders, we cannot afford to allow our tourist friends to carry away any sand in their shoes.

Senator Fletcher never lets Florida's interests lag or be overlooked in Washington. He is on the job all the time, seeing that his home State is getting all that's coming to her.

Poor old Heflin dies hard. He now contends that Bankhead's election is invalid because the latter exceeded the legal allowance for election expenses. Heflin is the prince of poor losers.

St. Petersburg is happy because it has been chosen as the home of a retired racketeer, Capone's former organizer and mentor. Perhaps they'll make their new and valued citizen Mayor of St. Petersburg.

A news item notes that the "Little Red School House" has almost disappeared. And so has the thorough educational foundation that many of our country's most notable men received in the Little Red School House.

Some people seem never to be able to learn anything. Californians see their fellows drop like flies in the terrific heat of their home State, but they are too dumb to do the obvious thing—come to Florida for their summers.

Fusion Ticket—for president, Alfred E. Smith; for vice-president, Mabel Walker Willebrandt. This ticket should please everybody; the wets may have their Al, and the drys can "concentrate" on Mabel, the bright and shining star of prohibition in 1928.

"Aphrasia" is a disease which, it seems, prevents people from making long speeches. It appears that the victim, when called on for a speech, rises and says: "Ladies and gentlemen, I er-ah-believe I have nothing to say," and sits down. That's not a disease—it's a benefaction.

We have always looked upon the Germans as a very efficient people, but they lack technique when it comes to closing banks. They closed all of them over there, but after three weeks all were open again. We are more thorough with our bank closings. When we close 'em over here, boys, they stay closed!

The Mississippi primary held last week materially increased the unemployment situation. Nearly 7,000 persons who were running for office now have nothing to do. In many instances as many as 100 were candidates for one little county position. However, doing nothing is more profitable in most cases than running for office.

Mr. Edison has a very simple recipe for longevity. All you have to do, it seems, is to live till you are 72, then you are good for ten years more, and when you have reached 82, you are safe until you are 92, and so on. Let us hope it works in his case. Mr. Edison's days have been long in the land, but live as long as he may, the world will not be ready to give up the most useful citizen it has ever known.

Edison did not pick the "brightest boy" this year, but some organization undertook to do so, giving the winner a trip to Europe. A prominent man, seeking to draw out some of the brightness of this brightest boy of the nation, asked him casually what he knew of Adolf Hitler. The reply was that "Hitler is the dictator of Italy." So much for the tests by which the brightest boys are selected.

All this publicity that has been given about "Florida's 7-cent gas tax" has caused some fear that tourists will be kept out of Florida because of the high price of gasoline. Only one cent has been added to the gas tax, which with this increase make gasoline cost no more in Florida than in some other States. A tourist who is kept away by an addition cent a gallon on the price of gasoline wouldn't be of much advantage to the State if he came.

A school principal over at Clearwater was fined $100 for whipping a pupil. The little gentleman had done nothing except use offensive language to a lady teacher, later visiting her home and throwing a cat through the window to frighten her. The effect of all this will be to encourage other little gentlemen to emulate the Clearwater youth, who will be viewed by them as a hero. And we wonder why when such youths grow up they despise and over-ride all constituted authority.

Probably the railroads know what is best for them, but it seems to us that it is a tactical error to seek an increase in rates at this time. The salvation of the railroads rests in their ability to change their policies in conformity with the great and rapid changes that are taking place in transportation methods. The railroads have the experience and the facilities to maintain leadership in transportation, but they can do so only by giving service superior to other agencies.

If state, county and community debts were all paid, we could have low taxes. But until these debts are paid—and certainly there should be no thought or suggestion except that they be paid—money must be raised to pay them. And for that reason taxes must be high. It is a time when we should bend our energies to the task of lightening the load of debt, which will lighten the burden of taxes. It is not a time to take on more debt without weighing very seriously the necessity for doing so.

A Pittsburgh newspaper blames the torrid temperature of that city on "the heat wave from Florida." The paper was promptly called down by vigilant Mayor Alsop, of Jacksonville, and other wide-awake Florida citizens, who had never suffered from the heat until they got hot under the collar from reading the Pittsburgh story. The paper retraced, stating that the heat wave did not start from Florida, but that upon investigation it was found to have wandered through numerous Southern and Western states before making Pittsburgh a port of call. The truth is that Pittsburgh never had to import a heat wave, being entirely capable of producing its own hot air in unlimited quantities.

ACHIEVEMENT

By JUDGE JOHN W. DODGE

DO LITTLE THINGS NOW

Waiting and wishing, without either thinking or doing, is the present frame of mind of thousands of men and women.

There is a lack of desire with too many people. They have no definite and fixed goal—they just hope something will turn up. They do not aim at anything.

What real and genuine good does it do for a man to go in to his office, his business, or anything else, if he just sits in a chair, stands on his feet, and wishes and waits,—just hopes and gazes at the walks or streets?

What is your real trouble? Think this over—you are unwilling to do the little things all around you because you do not see that in doing so you will have some cash money placed in your hand for your effort.

People want cash, right now, even before they start to work, and failing to get it, they do nothing at all, except wish and wait. Is not that at least part of your trouble?

Again, if you cannot do a big thing, as you see it, then you will not do anything this is due to a false pride usually—or maybe just laziness—or you fail to see that in life one thing done leads to another thing to be done.

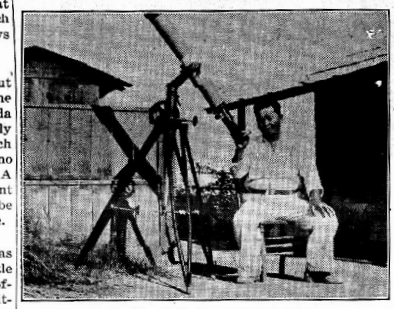
Achievements come from doing the duty which lies nearest to thee. When you pay one bill your cash is less—if you pay several more it begins to get low. Result is: You begin to realize that you will soon suffer unless you go to work and get some more cash by doing something for somebody.

Then you get a sincere desire to achieve some useful purpose—you become aroused—you become alert, eager, watchful, active, earnest, because you realize you must do something worthwhile.

If you cannot pay all, pay a part. Then suffer, if necessary, but you will do something—then you will work while you wait for better times.

In the doing of a small thing we often start the chain of success for an ultimate big thing. We make a new contact with some one, a new friend, a new situation elsewhere, and that new contact, friend or situation starts to work. This is life's chain of success—link added to link—a thousand chains—a cable of power—finally, Success.

Truck Gardener Discovers New Comet



Brawley, Calif.—Masaji Nagata of Brawley, an obscure Japanese who grows lettuce and cantaloupes by day and studies the heavens by night, was credited with the discovery of a brand new comet. The finding of the 44-year-old Oriental was announced by the Mt. Wilson Observatory. Dr. F. H. Sears, acting head of the observatory, said that in all probability the comet would be named after its discoverer. Nagata, shown here, was graduated from high school in Japan in 1907; came to the U. S. in 1910, since which time he has made his home here. He purchased the two-inch telescope which he uses in his studies about ten years ago.

NEWS of General Interest To Highlands County

HICORIA

Ira Southerland of Venus was in Hicoria on business this week.

J. W. Hawkins of Sebring made a business trip to Hicoria Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Tucker were in Arcadia on business Saturday night.

Miss Vernelle Shackelford visited Mrs. Severns Sunday afternoon last.

W. O. Causey was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Shackelford last Sunday.

Mrs. C. H. Shackelford and daughter were in Sebring last week on business.

F. D. Jones and son, Alton, spent last Saturday night and Sunday in Indiantown visiting friends.

Levy Syfrett of Indiantown visited his sisters, Mrs. Garrett and Mrs. Davidson last Sunday.

Mrs. Newsome and daughter, of Jacksonville are visiting their son and brother, J. A. Newsome.

Little Miss Esta Sapp of North Hicoria spent Saturday with her little friend, Jeanette Peoples.

Mrs. Tommie Carlton and children and Jessie Rowell were visiting in Arcadia Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Guthrie visited Mr. Guthrie's mother, Mrs. S. F. Guthrie of Tarpon Springs last Sunday.

Earl Peoples, his sister, Miss Jandelle, and Baker Hendry saw the movies at Sebring last Saturday night.

Mrs. W. O. Causey and baby Joyce and Mrs. A. V. Angier visited Highlands Hammock Wednesday night.

Mrs. Cross of Slater visited Mrs. W. J. Peoples last Saturday afternoon. From here Mrs. Cross went to Indiantown.

Mr. and Mrs. Starr and son, and H. V. Morrison, visited Mrs. Starr's sister, Mrs. Ivey O'Neal of Okeechobee last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Williams spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Williams parents, Mr. and Mrs. Holley in Arcadia.

Col. F. N. K. Bailey and little granddaughter were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Shackelford last Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Whitaker, Mrs. A. V Angiers, Mrs. W. O. Causey, and daughter, Baby Joyce motored to Okeechobee Sunday afternoon.

Louise and L. W. Eurers who have been in Bartow since August 3rd to undergo an operation for the removal of their tonsils, are at home now and are said to be doing nicely.

The nice five room house of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Causey is now completed except the painting. Lewis Williams will occupy the residence in a short while. The building has five rooms and bath with two porches. Every one speaks in high praise of the building. Mrs. Causey drew the plans of the building.

LAKE ISTOKPOGA

Mrs. A. Gay of Sebring spent Sunday here with her son, Perry Gay.

D. O. Collier and Naan McClelland made a business trip to Wauchula Tuesday.

J. N. McClellan and Willis Whitehurst made a trip to Pahokee and returned Friday.

George Boney was in this neighborhood Monday, returning to Wauchula the same day.

R. A. Elliott and Jessie spent Saturday night and Sunday with their folks at Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Stokes and son Sidney of Fort Meade spent Sunday with his brother, R. L. Stokes, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gillispie spent the week-end here with relatives and returned to their home in Cisco, Sunday.

Mrs. M. A. Boney and granddaughter Martha, who have been living at Wauchula, have moved here to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Whitehurst and children spent Saturday night and Sunday at Avon Park with Mrs. Whitehurst's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Elliott.

VENUS

Mrs. W. E. Hendry is improving.

M. Williams of Lakeland was a business visitor here Wednesday.

J. H. Holcomb is surveying this week.

Q. A. Strickland and Leeland Crews were visiting at W. H. Cannon's Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Engleman and son of Avon Park were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Jackson Wednesday.

Mrs. Billa Hope is in the hospital and is extended the sympathy of the entire community as her mother, Mrs. Jerry Whidden was buried Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McDugald and family, and Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Langford spent Sunday in Lakeport with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Langford.

Mrs. Q. A. Strickland and daughter Louise are the guests of her mother, Mrs. Weit. Mr. Strickland leaves Saturday to join them in Orlando and they will visit Mr. Strickland's parents in Waycross, Ga. They will also visit relatives in Atlanta, Ga., before they return.

Mrs. H. Cannon who has been nursing her grandson for the past two weeks returned Wednesday. Mrs. W. F. Farrington, Mrs. McGeehe and daughter Russell returned with her for the day. Mrs. McGeehe returned to Clewiston in the afternoon.

DeSOTO CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Silcox and family have moved to Istokpoga.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ritter of Fort Myers were business visitors here Friday.

G. H. York and son Randall dined with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Galloway Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Peyer and daughter Helen visited Major and Mrs. E. E. Barton Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Etheredge and P. A. Carroll were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Twitty Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Etheredge were the dinner guests of Col. and Mrs. F. N. K. Bailey at the DeSoto hotel Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Preston Jones have returned from Siler City, N. C., to make their home with Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Farmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Etheredge and son David, Parker Etheredge and J. C. Leaphart were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. McDonald Sunday.

Grow Pullets Cheap.

It paid R. W. Davies, poultry farmer near Cross City, to conduct a demonstration with County Agent D. M. Treadwell. He brooded and raised 500 chicks, and when they were 12 weeks old the records showed they had cost just 37½ cents each. At that age 265 cockerels were sold at 47 cents each. Subtracting the net profit on the cockerels, the pullets cost him less than 30 cents each.

Fort Myers.—Repair work completed on sanitary sewer emptying into Caloosahatchee River channel near Hanson street.

Sunday School Lesson

FOR AUGUST 16, 1931.

SUBJECT: Sowing and Reaping. (Temperance Lesson).

GOLDEN TEXT: "Be not deceived; God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap." Gal. 6:7.

LESSON TEXT: Galatians 6: 1-10.

(The business men of America have closed more than a million responsible positions to those who use alcoholic drink).

Galatia was the name of a part of Asia Minor, and included the cities of Derbe, Lystra, Iconium, where Paul established churches on his first missionary tour. The Galatians were descendants of the "Gauls," who inhabited France and Belgium. Among those people were many Greeks and Jews. After Paul organized these churches the Jewish teachers insisted that the Christian converts must observe all the ceremonies of the Jewish Church.

In today's lesson he said to the Galatian churches, "BE OVERTAKEN IN A FAULT". The language implies the possibility of being taken by surprise and suddenly overcome by temptation. Satan is always at work and the Christian is always to be on guard. The strongest are in danger of falling into errors or even into sin. And many do fall. "RESTORE SUCH AN ONE". It is not the "spiritual" one's duty to magnify or circulate the fault of another who is weak, but to use his spiritual strength to help the one in error or in sin. Instruction, reproof, encouragement, holy influeunce, and prevailing prayer are some of the means to be used in restoring another. "IN THE SPIRIT OF MEEKNESS", not by harsh, driving methods. Consciousness of one's own human limitations will help one to be sympathetic toward others."

This admonition from Paul brings up the old question, "Am I my brother's keeper," which Cain used when he was accused by the Lord of killing his brother Abel.

The word "overtaken" means "surprised," "caught," as we now catch criminals.

"Fault" or "trespass" as used in the verse is not so much a crime as a moral or spiritual wrong, a violation of the will and teachings of Christ.

The "spiritual" are those who have accepted Christ and his teachings. In humility and not in that "I-am-holier-than-thou" spirit in which the Pharisee prayed in the temple, and which some church members assume.

"Bear ye one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ." In verse 5 of the lesson Paul also said "every man shall bear his own burden." I have never fully understood these two statements. One writer says, "Here are two texts of Scripture that appear to contradict each other. The contradiction, however, is only apparent. Two different Greek words are translated by the English word 'burden.' The first means simply a weight; the second means also the pack or knapsack which the traveller or the soldier bears on his shoulders."

We should remember, however, that no one can well see his neighbor's burdens when he is bending low under his own burden. First cast your own burden on the Lord, then you can see your brother's burden.

"But let him that is taught in the Word communicate with Him that teacheth in all good things." Concerning this phrase, Peloubet quotes the following, "'Communicate' is used in a somewhat technical sense, as in the admonitions 'to do good and contribute to the needy.' * * forget not.'"

One translator says "those who are taught must share all the blessings of life with those who teach them the word."

"Be not deceived; God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap."

The following statements are taken from good writers: "The law is fixed, to sow wind is to reap whirlwind," "The surest thing about sin is that it makes its mark," "Men think that they can sow folly and reap wisdom: can sow wild oats and gather honest wheat; can sow unclean and diseased things, and reap health, strength, and a well-balanced mind hereafter; can sow unbelief, irreligion and contempt for God, and reap peace and joy, that he can sow moderate drinking and not reap immoderate drinking, physical, mental and spiritual ruin." But these things cannot be done."

The lesson closes with "LET US NOT BE WEARY * * In doing other's burdens, in helping to restore the fallen, and in sowing to the Spirit. IN DUE SEASON WE SHALL REAP * * The harvest does not always follow immediately, but it follows. "AS WE HAVE

SPRING VALLEY

Miss Eunice Canon spent the week-end with Miss Bonnie Prescott.

G. G. Albritton has been suffering with an injured hand the past week.

Little Nora Waldron is spending the week with her grandfather, R. W. O'Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Prescott and M. F. Prescott spent the week at Daytona Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jordan were visiting G. G. Albritton and family Sunday afternoon.

Thelma O'Berry has returned home after a two weeks visit with Ivey Waldron and family.

Mrs. S. Davis and son Hillery went to Tampa Saturday and expect to return Wednesday.

Potato Investigator Goes To Missouri

Dr. C. M. Tucker, associate plant pathologist with the Florida Experiment Station, and located at Hastings in charge of potato disease investigations, resigned Aug. 1. He has gone to the University of Missouri where he will be head of the Department of Plant Pathology.

Key West. — Contract let for $25,000 improvement project at local marine hospital.

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Gloria Hughs Celebrates Birthday.

Little Gloria Hughs celebrated her seventh birthday anniversary with a party at her home on Tulane Circle Monday afternoon.

A color motif of yellow and white was chosen for the party and was carried out in the decorations, refreshments and favors.

After an hour of games an ice course was served with the birthday cake.

Those enjoying this happy afternoon were: Mary Pardee, Sarah Jane Hobbs, Margaret Dilley, Wanda Howdeshell, Gloria Tarpley, Martha McNicholas, Genise Holiday, Ralph Gerrard, Yvonne Head, Jack Head, Sanford Hart and Jimmie Hetherington.

Dorothy McNicholas Celebrates Birthday

Mrs. T. A. McNicholas entertained in honor of her young daughter, Dorothy, on her eleventh birthday with a party at her home Monday afternoon.

Various games and contests were held on the lawn. At the close of the affair the large birthday cake was cut and served with ice cream. Miss McNicholas received many pretty gifts from her friends.

Those present were: Misses Mary Smith, Peggy Lacey, Marguerite Loomis, Francis Cloud, Francis Browne, Dorothy Skipper, Dorothy Hughs, Ruth Wilkeson, Mary McNicholas, Hazel Wilkeson, and Dorothy McNicholas.

Breakfast Bridge Given Tuesday

Mrs. J. B. Rogers was a charming hostess as she entertained the members of her bridge club with a breakfast bridge party at her home Tuesday morning.

A breakfast menu of orange juice, honey dew melon, hot waffles, Brookfield sausage, corn patties and coffee was served at nine o'clock after which several progressions of bridge were played.

Honors in bridge were awarded Mrs. J. B. Hartt for holder of high score.

Those invited were: Mrs. Lula Bass, Mrs. J. B. Hartt, Mrs. D. F. Canfield, Mrs. J. S. Francis, Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Mrs. Norton T. Smith, Mrs. A. C. West, Mrs. G. Scott McKnight. Mrs. Katheleen Jones, Mrs. C. A. White and Mrs. L. Daly assisted Mrs. Rogers in entertaining.

S. S. Class Gives Swimming Party

The Sunday school class of Mrs. S. E. Roberts in the Methodist church was given a delightful swimming party last Saturday afternoon by their teacher.

The young folks met at the church and motored to Kissenger Springs where the afternoon was spent in all kind of water sports.

Those attending were: Misses Patsy Loomis, Melba and Gwendolyn Connell, Helen Vandenberg, Pauline Langford, Myrtle Turner, Anna Dee Roberts, Sarah Smith, Mary Margaret Mills, Martha Rogers, Helen Tootin, Sarah Hancock, Mildred Martin, Gwendolyn Wever, Joan Mills, Messrs Cleo James, Harrison James, Phil Lacey, Bill Lacey, Billie Martin, Harry Hancock, Robert Roberts and Carrol Bailey.

Miss Hixon Has Informal Dance

Miss Ethel Hixon entertained at her home at the West Beach hotel with an informal dance on Tuesday evening of this week.

The reception room was decorated in cut flowers of orange and red. Potted ferns formed attractive back grounds for the baskets.

The guests enjoyed dancing and promanading after which refreshments of fruit punch and cake were served.

The guests for the evening were: Miss Lora Lee, Miss Barbara Wever, Miss Inez Dawson, Miss Estelle Carney, Miss Mildred Lee, Miss Pauline Langford, Miss Mary Turner, Miss Myrtle Turner, Miss Frances Sangster, Miss Gwendolyn Wever, Miss Almaroe McGinnis, Miss Ruby Jean Beaver, Messrs Fred Montsdoca, Colquitt Pardee, Parke Anderson, T. J. McGinnis, Robert Roberts, Nelson Smith, Martin Roberts, Cornelius Vandenburg, Eddie Clark, Buck Pardee, Bob Downing of Wauchula, Howard Bailey of Wauchula, Clarence Wilcox, Cleo James Harrison James, and others.

Ralph Langford of Lake Wales was visiting friends here Monday evening of this week.

Jimmy Hetherington Has Birthday Party

In celebration of his fifth birthday anniversary Jimmy Hetherton entertained a group of his little friends at his home on Highlands Ave. Wednesday afternoon.

Numerous games were played on the lawn and stories were told to the children, after which they were invited into the dining room where a red and white color scheme prevailed. The birthday cake was iced in red with lighted red candles in white holders, and this with ice cream cones was served. Horns were given as favors. Jimmie received many nice gifts from those present who were: Nancy Morgan, Alice Rouse, Gloria Tarpley, Betty Jane Harvey, Rosa Harvey, Rosa Lee Sherman, Gloria and Dorothy Hughs, Martha McNicholas, Frances Cloud, Elizabeth Hetherington, Bobbie Keller, Marvin Sherman, Jack Head Jr., Bobbie Rouse, Ralph Gerrard, Vernon Pringle, Flournoy Phillips, John Elwell, Sonny Montsdeoca and Buck Latham.

Mr. Earl was in Gainesville this week on a business trip.

C. B. Martin arrived home from Canal Point Tuesday afternoon and has rejoined the local ball team.

Miss Inez Dawson returned home Sunday after a three weeks visit in Atlanta, Georgia, and Daytona Beach.

Miss Opal Cochran left Tuesday for Moore Haven to spend some time with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Fairey and children returned home Wednesday from Latta, S. C., where they have been spending the summer vacation. Their baby daughter, born June 20th, has been named Tommie June.

Mrs. Gilbert A. Stebbins returned Tuesday night from a delightful visit in Barnwell, S. C. with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Holland and family. Mr. and Mrs. Holland and daughter. Miss Kathryn, accompanied Mrs. Stebbins and will remain as her guests for a few days.

Mrs. L. N. Orr and young daughter, Carlotte left Sunday night for Macon, Georgia, to be the guests of relatives for several weeks.

Miss Jane Hartt is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keune at their home in Lakeland. Mrs. Keune will be remembered as Miss Lois Hartt, Jane's aunt.

Mrs. Parke Anderson and Roscoe Bass left Thursday by motor for Baltimore where they will spend some time with their sister, Mrs. Joe Lander.

Mrs. Charles F. Johnson and son Chidester, motored to Punta Gorda on Tuesday. Chidester Johnson remained to be the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Chidester for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Droit, Harry McFerrin and Paul Garber will leave Saturday for a two weeks vacation to be spent in Roanoke, Va., and Washington, D. C.

Miss Edna Overstreet returned to resume her duties at the Bonton Beauty Shop, Sunday, after a weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Overstreet, in Tampa.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Ford are expected to return this week end from a week's trip to the east coast and Georgia. They visited Rev. and Mrs. T. O. Baldwin and family at Vero Beach a few days, and later visited Mrs. Ford's sister in Jacksonville and her mother and brothers in Fitzgerald, Ga. They have been gone since last Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Able left this morning for Estill, S. C., where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Louis Peebles for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dorminey and daughters, Frances and Sujette, arrived home last night after a vacation in Georgia.

C. H. Shepherd and children arrived Wednesday, after a vacation and visit with relatives in Virginia and Washington, D. C. Mrs. Shepherd will remain about ten days longer. Her mother is showing steady improvement from her recent serious illness.

Mrs. A. R. McGinnis and daughter, Miss Almaroe McGinnis returned to their home here Sunday after spending a three weeks vacation in Valdosta, Georgia.

Chevrolet Shows Gain Over Last Year

Chevrolet production in July totaled 66,307 cars and trucks, W. S. Knudsen, president and general manager, announced today.

This represents a gain of thirteen percent over the 58,690 units built in July, 1930.

July is the third successive month in 1931 to show a gain over the corresponding month last year, and output for July brings the total for the first seven months of the year to 688,452 cars and trucks.

The company is continuing production into August at a seasonable rate, and with no summer shutdown planned, Mr. Knudsen said. Current employment is around 33,000 men, he stated.

During the first six months of the year Chevrolet continued to hold leadership among all manufacturers in domestic passenger car sales, Mr. Knudsen pointed out.

Lake Butler.—W. H. Ogden opened motor car establishment in Townsend building.

Tarpon Springs.—Widening and repaving of Eagle Street, Orange street to Anolote River bridge completed and opened to traffic.

Tampa. — Hillsborough to be paved from Nebraska to river, and 15th street from Michigan to 21st street.

Church Notes

METHODIST CHURCH
Bible school 9:45 a. m.
Sermon 11 a. m.
Junior Epworth League 6:00 p. m.
Senior Epworth League 7:00 p. m.
Sermon 7:30 p. m.
Church night, Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

UNION CONGREGATION CHURCH
Morning service, 11 a. m.
Evening service, 7:30 p. m.
Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.
Rev. A. P. Vaughn, Pastor.

CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER
(Episcopal)
Services:
Week days—Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m., Mission preaching 7:45 p. m. except Sunday.
Sunday—Church school, 9:30 a. m. Service with sermon, 11 a. m.

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. W. K. McClure, Pastor.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p. m.
Sunday School Teachers' Meeting, Friday evening at 7, taught by Mrs. J. B. Goen, Jr., followed by choir practice.
Brotherhood meeting second Thursday evening of each month at 7 o'clock, in the basement of the church.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE ANNOUNCEMENTS
Special revival services are being conducted at the Church of the Nazarene. The Gospel Trio from God's Bible school, Cincinnati, Ohio, are the special workers. The trio is composed of Misses Ina Mitchell is the evangelist and preacher; Elmar Talbot is the children's worker; and Grace Meredith the pianist and singer. Services are under the auspices of the Young Peoples' Society of the local church and are held every night this week except Saturday at 8:00 p. m.

Every morning at 10:00 a. m. Miss Talbot conducts a children's hour at the church. All the children are invited and urged to attend.

Next Sunday morning hour of worship and devotion will convene at 11:00. The Gospel Trio from God's Bible school, Cincinnati, O., will have charge. Special features will characterize the program. Special interest and concern is given to the Young People. Not a dead or dry moment is guaranteed.

Miss Talbot will meet the Juniors at 6:00 p. m. Special features of interest to all the children.

At 7:00 the N. Y. P. S. will meet Miss Grace Meredith of Avon Park, will have charge of this service.

The Climatic Series of the Day will start at 8:00 p. m. by a rousing song service. The preaching will be delivered by Miss Ina Mitchell. Young People, don't forget. This is your meeting.

Farm Tour Proves Valuable Feature At Farmers' Week

A complete tour of the College of Agriculture and Experiment Station farms proved a valuable feature at the opening of the 10th annual Farmers' and Fruit Growers' Week at Gainesville Monday, Aug. 10. After the address of welcome by Dr. John J. Tigert, president of the University, farmers and home makers from practically every county in the state spent the afternoon on the tour.

The Station's modern refrigeration plant ,fumigation outfit, hay drying machine, sanitary dairy barn, beef and hog herds, plant introduction gardens, horticultural grounds, and many of the experiments with crops, livestock, and horticultural plantings were among the places visited. Twenty-seven stops were made and at each stop specialists explained what the experiments were showing.

Tuesday morning the men divided into citrus, truck crops, livestock and general crops, and poultry groups. During the week special small fruits, pecan, forestry, beekeeping, and ornamental programs were also being held. The women are spending the mornings in a general session, and in the afternoon dividing into groups to study gardening and food conservation, home improvement, nutrition, clothing, basketry, rug making, and weaving.

Five associations are meeting during the week. They are the State Dairymen's association, State Beekeepers' association, State Council of Senior Home Demonstration Workers, State Baby Chick association, and Lake County Poultry association.

Aside from the farm tours, demonstrations, and entertainment features, many successful farmers and farm women are telling their experiences, and over 100 specialists are on the program. The final address will be given at noon Friday, Aug. 14.

Treat Brown-Patch on Lawn or Golf Grasses With Calomel Mixture

Brown patches on lawn and golf grasses are caused by fungi, and can be controlled by proper management and the application of a calomel mixture, according to an announcement just made by Dr. Geo. F. Weber, associate plant pathologist with the Florida Experiment Station.

At first, spots on the grass will look as though they had been scalded. These spots will soon enlarge and turn brown. In early morning before the dew has disappeared, webs, somewhat like spider webs, may be seen on the grass blades. During the growing period numerous tan to dark brown bodies, about an eighth inch in diameter, are formed. They drop to the ground and serve to propagate the fungi.

There are two kinds of brown patch, which are differentiated primarily by the size of the affected area. Large brown patch, which may appear as overnight and affect areas several feet in diameter, is most common on St. Augustine and Bermuda lawns. Small brown patch will likely cause a lighter brown color and the spots will vary around two to four inches in diameter. This type is more common on the fine grasses of golf greens.

Shade and damp conditions are favorable to the disease, and when possible should be avoided. Watering should be done in the morning rather than evening on affected areas. The small type should be treated with three ounces of powdered calomel mixed in six to eight quarts of dry sand. This should be sprinkled over about 1,000 square feet of grass, and followed with a thorough watering. For the large type use the same method except mix two ounces of calomel and one ounce of mercury bichloride with the sand, using six quarts if the weather is hot and humid.

Outlook Shows Bright Poultry Situation

The poultry situation looks brighter, according to the summer outlook just issued by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. July 1 the number of hens on farms in the United States was five percent less than a year ago; the number of young chickens was 10 percent less. Cold storage stocks of poultry were about 40 percent less than the same date a year ago, and 25 percent below the average for the last five years. Frozen egg stocks were two percent below the 1930 mark, but above the five-year average, since the quantity thus stored has increased rapidly during recent years.

The condition of crops on July 1 promised an abundance of feed. On June 15 the relative price of chickens was considerably above, and that of eggs slightly above, the price of feeds, compared with either last year or the five-year average for the period 1923-1927.

West Palm Beach.—$26,000 set aside to clear inland waterways.

RURAL COMMON SENSE
By Spuds Johnson

AGRICULTURE OF FUTURE WILL BE MORE SCIENTIFIC

Sometimes changes take place around us, and we do not see them. New practices may be adopted gradually, and attract very little attention. However, I believe that most of us are acquainted more or less with the fact that changes, and important ones, have occurred and are taking place in agriculture.

Part of a letter from J. C. Penney, Sr., head of the Penney-Gwinn Corporation and one of the best known merchants in the country, shows Mr. Penney's keen insight into present agricultural conditions and puts into words the thought about agriculture becoming more scientific. Here is the quotation from Mr. Penney:

"We who are interested in the future of agriculture are asking ourselves the question: Is agriculture to be industrialized? Will the farms of the future be operated on a huge scale, or not? Whatever the answer, this one thing is certain: Farming, like business, is rapidly being reduced to a highly scientific basis. The future farmer, as the future business man, is going to have to be more efficient. He who can produce more and better crops at less cost is the man who will succeed; and who, if in sufficiently large numbers, will lift agriculture out of its present situation."

What Mr. Penney says is true. We must take advantage of every opportunity to keep ourselves up-to-date in farming, and we must certainly give our children every chance to learn the kinks of the business in the best way. We must keep up with the procession, or we will find ourselves continually losing money, and eventually getting out of farming.

Bay Electric Equipment.

Regardless of hard times, women in the western part of Hillsborough county are installing electric equipment, reports Miss Allie Lee Rush, home demonstration agent. Recently five electric refrigerators, five electric stoves, and one electric washing machine were installed by home demonstration women.

Tallahassee, Fla. — Farmers in this section are paying unusual attention to fall gardens, and more cowpeas than ever before are being planted for livestock feed, County Agent G. C. Hodge reports.

Egg Contest Birds Lay Sixty Percent During 10th Month

With a 60 percent lay during July, the 580 birds in the fifth Florida National Egg Laying contest at Chipley have just carried their assault at records through the tenth month. According to reports just released by E. F. Stanton, supervisor, the best entry for July was owned by W. A. Seidel, San Antonio, Texas. The 10 birds layed 241 eggs for 247.85 points. Second for the month goes to one of the Pinebreeze Poultry Farm entries from Callahan, with 246.2 points for 239 eggs. This is the first time in eight months that Pinebreeze did not take first. The month's high bird was owned by Marshall Farms, Mobile, Ala., with a Pinebreeze bird one-fourth point behind.

During the 10 months the Leghorns have averaged 185.8 eggs. The Rhode Island Reds have 166.7 eggs to their credit, and the Barred Rocks have average 160.8 eggs.

A Pinebreeze pen leads the contest to date with 2,205 points for 2,108 eggs. A Seidel pen stands next with 2,070 points for 2,004 eggs, and the entry by A. J. O'Donovan, Katonah, N. Y., is third with 2,063 points for 2,139 eggs.

Pinebreeze owns the leading bird to date with 266.5 points for 260 eggs. Two Seidel birds stand next with 265.9 points for 254 eggs, and 259.4 points for 242 eggs, respectively.

Two other Florida entries well in the race are those of Gilbert's Chipley Hatchery, Chipley, and David M. Bull, LaBelle, whose pens have layed the second and third highest number of eggs to date. They drop back a bit, however, when scored by the point system.

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CUT OF TWO MILLS SEEN IN SCHOOL MILLAGE

Budget Slashed and County Receives More From State Than Before

The general school millage of Highlands county will be cut from 10 to eight mills if the present plans of the county board of public instruction materialize, says Superintendent F. N. K. Bailey. The districts of Avon Park, Sebring, DeSoto City and Lake Placid will also receive a district millage cut, this having been authorized at the recent election on recommendation of the local boards of trustees. The other school districts were unable to make any reduction in millage.

This general fund millage reduction is possible, says Col. Bailey, on account of the county receiving $22,000 more from the state than before. The general school budget for the county has also been cut by $5,000 from that of last year although the budget calls for the grammar schools, both white and colored, to run for eight months and the junior and senior high schools to run for nine months. Last year the colored schools only ran from four to six months and four of the rural schools ran only six months.

In making this reduction, says Supt. Bailey, it is the object of the board to give the people of the county the advantage of the additional funds received from the state department through the recent legislation and it is these funds that make a reduction in the millage possible. Adjoining and other counties in the state have not reduced their millage, Supt. Bailey says although they are getting from the state as much as Highlands county. Supt. Bailey also announced that the county school board will be entirely out of debt by the time the schools open for the next term.

Covington Extends Thanks For Benefit

TO MY FRIENDS:

I wish to thank you for your liberal patronage of our entertainment given for the benefit of the cemetery at the Avalon theatre last Thursday night.

Our aim was realized. The amount of funds raised by the benefit is enabling us to plant Canfield Memorial drive from Head street south to the southern boundary of the cemetery; also both sides of the new street now untamed from the state road No. 8 to the intersection of Canfield Memorial drive.

I have also let a contract for cutting all weeds and putting the cemetery in a presentable condition.

I especially wish to thank Chas. F. Johnson, manager of the Avalon theatre, for the use of his house free of charge, and for giving us all assistance possible.

I also wish to thank Mr. H. W. Rogers and all others who assisted with their time and energy.

The show grossed $89.00. After expenses were deducted a satisfactory amount was realized, every cent of which will be spent on the cemetery.

Respectfully submitted,
M. E. COVINGTON.

Progress of the Negro Farming Being Shown During American Fair

A booth showing the progress of negro farming in Florida is proving an interesting part of the State Department of Agriculture exhibit at the American Fair in Atlantic City. The fair opened July 16 and will close August 26. During the 40-day period more than a million visitors from all parts of the country are expected.

In the booth staple farm products and home industries, along with explanatory charts and statistics, are artistically displayed. Eighty-two varieties of different grains grown in Florida, 182 varieties of forage crops, and 36 varieties of hay are exhibited. Many products made at home from palmetto reeds, corn shucks, pine needles, wiregrass, etc., are shown.

Charts show that in 20 counties having negro extension workers and vocational teachers nearly 2,000 negro farmers are land owners and nearly 1,000 others are tenant farming. These negroes cultivate over 100,000 acres.

A. A. Turner, negro district extension agent, is in charge of the booth, which is the first of its kind to attract such attention at a national fair.

Fort Myers.—Heitman property selected as site for construction of new post office building.

Tarpon Springs.—American-Hellenic Sponge company opened offices here.

Canal Point.—Bank of Canal Point reopened for business.

St. Augustine.—King Street bridge connecting this place with West St. Augustine to be improved.

Thirteen Sat For Scholarship Exam Held at Court House

Thirteen Highlnads county students took the examination Tuesday for the county and senatorial scholarships being offered this year, each scholarship being worth $800. The circuit court room had the air of a school room with the boys and girls arranged at the different tables and the judges desk was also graced by one fair candidate. Superintendent F. N. K. Bailey was in charge and conducted the examination.

Those taking the examination were: from Avon Park, Margaret Elizabeth Dison, Wava Godwin, Mary Vilkaitis, Helen Schweigart, C. S. Pardee, Frederick M. Wild, Paul A. McFarland and Clifton A. McClelland; from Sebring, Sayre Kelley; from DeSoto City, Ernestine Ritter and David C. Barrowy from Lake Placid, William F. Roberts and from Hicoria, Vernelle Shackelford.

Unemployment Figures Given For This County

According to an unemployment bulletin on Florida just issued by the U. S. Department of Commerce and giving the returns of the 1930 census, out of a total population for the county of 9,192 there were 430 out of work at the time of the census. These were divided into two classes, A and B. Class A includes those out of work, able to work and looking for a job and there 399 in this class, 290 males and 109 females.

Class B. covered those having jobs but were laid off without pay but excluded the sick and voluntarily idle. In this class there were 27 males and four females, a total of 31.

The county showing the lowest unemployment was Collier with one male in class A and one female in class B.

Avon Park Juniors Beat Frostproof 11-3

The Avon Park junior diamond ball team defeated the Silver Nip team of Frostproof here Monday night by the wide margin of 11 to 5 when the boys lent perfect support to Manager Reynolds who pitched smooth ball throughout the game.

The Avon Park boys were not fazed when, after challenging the junior team from Frostproof, there appeared on the diamond the Silver Nip team composed of men much older then themselves. They merely tightened their belts and took their older opponents on and by not slackening their fast pace nosed them out with a smashing victory that would have been creditable to any diamond ball team—old or young.

Hewell and Fetz were outstanding at the plate both collecting three hits out of four trips, Hewell getting a home run and a double. The batteries for the home club were Reynolds and Massey. Both boys were in excellent condition and made a nice combination.

The Frostproof boys found it difficult to get into smooth running order but played a nice game with but few errors marked up against them. Ben and Shaw were the batteries for Frostproof.

WRUF Farm Program

Gainesville, Aug. 12.—With specialists discussing farm problems each day, next week's series of Florida Farm Hour radio programs has just been announced by the University of Florida Agricultural Extension Service and state radio station WRUF. These programs will be broadcast from 12 to 12:45 p. m. Eastern Standard Time. The program follows:

Saturday, Aug. 15 — Florida Farm News and Hints. U. S. Farm Science Snapshots.

Monday, Aug. 17 — Supplementary Feeds for Grazing Hogs—Dr. A. L. Shealy. Farm Reporter at Washington.

Tuesday, Aug. 18 — Insects of Asparagus Ferns—Dr. J. W. Wilson. Farm Question Box.

Wednesday, Aug. 19—Maintaining Lawns in Florida—Geo. E. Ritchey. Primer for Town Farmers.

Thursday, Aug. 20—Salt Sick, Its Cause and Prevention—Dr. R. B. Becker. The Place of Sheep on Florida Farms—C. H. Willoughby.

Friday, Aug. 21 — Crop Improvement Studies—Fred H. Hull. Farm Reporter at Washington.

Miami Beach. — Construction started on new building at Seventh street and Washington avenue to be new home of City Bank.

Plant City.—Ganus Bros. Music company planning to open branch of their conservatory in this district.

St. Augustine.—Owen Buick company reopened sales and service station at corner of Granada and Cedar streets.

Palmetto. — Florida Grapefruit Canning company will erect warehouse.

HIGHLANDS DELEGATION ATTENDS ROAD MEETING

Highlands and Other Counties Ask Federal Aid For Road Eight

Highlands county had a strong delegation at the meeting of the State Road Department at St. Augustine yesterday to urge Federal aid for state road eight and also that this trunk road through the Ridge be designated as a Federal highway so it could be shown on maps as such. Other counties and cities on the road also had committees to make the same demands, Polk and Glades counties being especially well represented.

This county was represented by Carl Lien, president of the Highlands County Bank, A. C. Altvater, president of the Sebring chamber of commerce, O. C. Parrish, chairman of the board of county commissioners, Charles Beresford, commissioner for district two, Tax Assessor Cyril Baldwin, Tax Collector D. F. Canfield, Gilbert Freeman of Avon Park and Dr. E. J. Etheredge, the latter traveling with the Glades county delegation and A. M. McAulay of Lake Placid and R. W. Durrance.

The idea was first broached by Mr. Lien at the last chamber of commerce membership meeting here when he stated that Sebring and the Ridge section was losing a great deal of tourist traffic on account of road eight not being a Federal highway. Many visitors were of the opinion that the central section here was deficient in good roads as no Federal highways are shown on road maps, he said and cited several instances that had come to his attention.

Following this meeting a movement was started to get this remedied if possible and the delegations from the various communities to the state highway meeting was the result.

HINTS TO HOUSEWIVES

Weekly from Home Demonstration Specialists, Tallahassee

PUDDING RECIPES

Bread Pudding

Into a well buttered baking dish put layers of buttered slices of dried bread, and sprinkle over with raisins. Cover with a custard made as follows: To two slightly beaten eggs add four tablespoons sugar and one-eighth teaspoon vanilla, and mix with two cups of milk. Set dish in a pan of hot water. Bake in a moderate oven until custard is firm and well browned. A cake pudding may be made by using dried cookies or cake instead of bread.

Poor Man's Pudding.

Take six cups whole milk, one-half teaspoon nutmeg, one teaspoon salt, one-half cup rice, one-half cup sugar, and one-half cup raisins. Put all together in a buttered pan in a moderate oven. Stir frequently at first, and then occasionally. Bake two hours. The pudding should be creamy, and is better served hot than cold.

Chocolate Corn Starch Pudding.

Ingredients: Two cups milk, one-half cup sugar, six tablespoons corn starch, one and one-half squares chocolate, one-half teaspoon salt, and one-half teaspoon vanilla. Mix the sugar, starch and salt and make into thin, smooth, paste with a little milk. Add to heated milk in top of double boiler. Add melted chocolate. Stir to prevent lumps, and cook for 20 minutes. Add vanilla and pour into molds which have been rinsed in cold water. Chill and serve with cream or whipped cream.

Fluffy Chocolate Pudding.

Proceed as under chocolate corn starch pudding with the following change: Use 2½ cups milk, five tablespoons corn starch, three egg yolks, one teaspoon vanilla, and the whites of three eggs stiffly beaten. Fold in egg whites last.

Plant City. — Western Union Telegraph company repairing lines in this vicinity.

Miami Beach.—L. W. Chickman received permit for erection of $12,000 store building at 743 Washington avenue.

Mrs. Johnnie Simpson says: *"At times I am very nervous, and unable to sleep at night. I find that I can take Dr. Miles' Nervine and sleep like a baby.* Your money back if this time-tested medicine fails to do as much for you. At your drug store, $1.00
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Science Seminar Visitors Express Thanks to City

Plant Science Seminar visitors, who stopped over in Avon Park enroute to the National Pharmaceutical convention at Miami recently, and were shown the mall by Mayor C. S. Donaldson, have expressed their appreciation for the courteous welcome given them in the following letter:

Mr. Norton T. Smith, Sec'y.,
Chamber of Commerce
Avon Park, Florida.

My dear Mr. Smith:

On behalf of the Plant Science Seminar, I wish to thank you and the citizens of Avon Park for your very courteous welcome and fine entertainment during our recent visit in Avon Park. This visit was not only enjoyable, but thoroughly instructive as well. The visiting delegates were able to observe plants which they had never seen before and I am sure that everyone joins with me in the above sentiments.

Cordially yours,
B. V. CHRISTENSEN,
Prof. of Pharmacognosy and Pharmacology.

Truckers Should Plan Now To Fight the Seedbed Pests

Truckers should consider root-knot and ants as pests when they are making up their seedbeds for fall crops, J. R. Watson, entomologist at the Florida Experiment Station, recently stated.

Root-knot is a disease caused by minute worms which live on the roots of many of the vegetables and truck crops commonly grown in Florida. These worms, called nematodes, will bore into the root and secrete a poison which causes the root to swell, and the plants to turn yellow and die. Young plants are more susceptible and should be given a free start in the seedbed.

Newly cleared land is practically always free of nematodes, but sandy land which has been planted to truck crops for several years is nearly always infested. Truckers who have an overhead irrigation system can destroy nematodes on their old beds by plowing the land and applying 600 pounds of sodium cyanide dissolved in water, wetting it down, and then wetting down 900 pounds of ammonium sulphate. Hydrocyanic-acid gas will be formed, and persons should leave the seedbed at once. This treatment is rather expensive, but it leaves the soil rich in nitrogen; thus phosphoric acid and potash only need be added for fertilizer. Seed may be planted in 10 days after the treatment. On very stiff soil more chemicals should be used, while on very sandy types a smaller amount will suffice.

Growing velvet beans or Crotalaria will destroy nematodes, but several months will be required.

Ants cause a loss by carrying off the seed before they sprout. Those in the bed will be killed with hydrocyanic-acid gas, and all ant hills within 50 feet of the seedbed should be treated with sodium cyanide, to form the gas. Simply punch a hole in the center of the ant hill and pour in one-fourth pint cyanide solution. Go over the ground in a few days to catch any new nests. This solution should not come in contact with the roots of valuable plants.

Pensacola. — Louisville & Nashville Railroad company started $230,000 dredging contract to deepen channel along piers of their docks.

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Degrees Awarded to Summer Graduates

Misses Hettie Hundertmark, Miss Margaret Pardee and Miss Pearl Pearce received degrees at the summer graduation of the State College for Women at Tallahassee, and have returned home. Misses Hundertmark and Pardee received the B. S. degree and Miss Pearce, of Bassenger, received the B. A. degree.

'Chobee Wins Over Frostproof by 8 to 2

Okeechobee, Aug. 14.—Okeechobee defeated Frostproof in an Orange Belt league game here today, 8 to 2. The game was called at the end of the fifth inning because of rain. Gordy, hurling his first game for the locals, yielded only one hit to Frostproof, Young's home run the first. Cod hit two doubles and Marsh one to lead the locals batting.

Visiting Hours To Jail Are Changed

The jail visiting hours have been changed. Commencing yesterday visitors will only be admitted every Wednesday from 10 a. m. until 2 p. m. This new ruling does not apply to attorneys and visitors who have actual business to transact with any prisoner, Deputy Sheriff Lamonte Wolff says.

Sebring Players To Give Comedy In Tampa Tuesday

(Tampa Tribune)

The Tampa little theatre will present the little theatre of Sebring Tuesday night in "Your Uncle Dudley," presented last week to an audience of more than 600.

The little theatre of Sebring was organized this summer by Mr. and Mrs. Claire Hatton, professional players, who came to Florida from a successful season in Cincinnati.

"Your Uncle Dudley" is a three-act comedy, written around a bachelor who is a natural-born glad-hander, the man who puts across every civic activity. This role is played by Charles Beresford formerly a professional player.

The part of Mabel Dixon, the ambitious mother, is played by Miss Bert Humphreys, another veteran of the professional stage. The role of the grandmother is played by Mrs. Hatton.

The performance will be open to the public. Guest cards may be purchased at the office of the little theatre, 218 Beach place. Members are admitted free on presentation of their identification cards.

Miami Beach.—H. Granger planning to erect $25,000 apartment house on Meridan avenue between 10th and 11th streets.

Jacksonville. — Runways at local airport being improved.

Fringed Orchids Now In Bloom

Most of the orchids that bloom in the wilds around Avon Park grow in the ground. A particularly pretty one now that one may see along the roadsides on both the Wauchula and Frostproof roads is the orange-yellow fringed Blephariglottis Ciliaris, says Mayor C. S. Donaldson. That name is difficult, so simply call it the golden fringed orchid. There are some white forms of this calden Blephariglottis Conspicua, or the white fringed orchid.

Sarasota.—Public Library opened in new quarters in former Central school building.

Tavares.—Florida Fern and Development company leased their plant to A. B. and H. R. Edmunds.

Madison.—Priest Ten Cent Store building being enlarged.

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