

Here and There About Avon Park

By W. M. Hetherington

A BISHOP'S CAUTION.

Following the same line of thought expressed in this column last issue, the Tampa Tribune advises to his clergy to keep the church out of politics. The editorial says:

Bishop Warren A. Candler, of Atlanta, who, in all the future of the Canon and other sagacities which have disturbed the Methodist Episcopal Church South, has addressed firmly to the Biblical and fundamental standards of the duty of the church and its ministry, told the South Carolina Conference that preachers should "stick to their jobs and leave politics alone," adding, "I have never known a single vote to be changed by a preacher's talking, and often the church is harmed by a minister meddling in politics."

In these days when so many ministers of the Gospel seem to feel that a part of their God-given mission is to get actively into politics, Bishop Candler's statement sounds decidedly old-fashioned; but it is endorsed and supported, we have no doubt, by a great majority of laymen, who look with alarm upon the growing tendency to put the church into active political affiliation.

The Methodist church, or any other church, would do well to heed the counsels of its "grand old men" such as Bishop Candler.

A WORTH WHILE CREED.

The following "credo" compiled by the editor of the Ladies' Home Journal, is worthy of a place in your scrap book:

"I believe:
That most people like clean movies better than dirty ones;
That clean books better than dirty books;
And that clean plays better than dirty plays;

"That college professors who break down the homespun religion of their students are as much public enemies as any other racketeers;
That home-making is the most dignified of all occupations;
That the elimination of drugs from household tanks is the greatest job that industry and invention have ever done;
That the so-called child younger generation is, on the whole, a fine, upstanding bunch of boys and girls;

"That crime would decrease if it were less advertised and glorified;
That we shall wake up some bright Thursday morning and find that the depravity has quietly come to an end and business is pretty good again;

"That we in America are living in the greatest country and the greatest age that man has ever known."

Holland Stebbins In Tech Fraternity

Holland Stebbins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Stebbins, was initiated into Kappa Kappa Psi, honorary musical fraternity at Georgia Tech last Saturday. The ceremony took place at Grant Field in Atlanta just before the Tech-Florida football game, and the demonstration was attended by the vast throng that went to see the game. A story of the initiation appearing in the Atlanta Journal says: "The two societies had their initiates donned in somewhat antiquated uniforms which have received much abuse and carrying musical instruments with many decades of ancestry behind them."

Holland was also recently initiated into the Pi Kappa Phi, a German social fraternity.

Health Board Speaker Will Feature Woman's Club Program Here

The Woman's Club will meet next Friday afternoon, December 4th at two-thirty o'clock at the club room in the City Hall.

Following the business session, an entertaining program will be given as follows:

Vocal Solo, "This is the House That Jack Built," by Jeanne Starr of Washington, D. C.

A speaker from the State Board of Health, Jacksonville will give an address.

Mrs. T. C. Hobbs will be chairman for the day.

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RED DEVILS LOSE THANKSGIVING TITLE TO SEBRING 14 TO 6

Score in First Period, But Slashing Running Attack and Superior Blocking Gives Game to Blue and White

The fighting Red Devil team of Avon Park high was not equal to the slashing running attack of the Blue and White of Sebring, and lost 14 to 6 to the county seat rivals there in the annual Thanksgiving day battle.

Led by "Fido" Mayo, pugacious little quarterback, Coach Mitch Ferguson's Sebring eleven outplayed their heavier opponents throughout the game, pushing across two touchdowns and making both extra points, after the Red Devils had drawn first blood in the opening quarter.

The Red Devils started the fray with a dash that looked like a sure victory. They fought with stout heart, but after their initial scoring effort, were never able to launch another sustained attack that bore fruit.

Following a 25 yard gain at left end by Hunt of the Red Devils in the opening period, Sebring drew a 25 yard penalty for rough play, which placed the ball on the Sebring 8 yard line. Maddox hit center for two yards and Baldwin carried it across for the score. Maddox hit the line in an attempt to make the extra point but was stopped by the center forward wall of Sebring.

Sebring took the ball on the next kickoff and with a concerted drive, slashed through the Red Devil's defense for 38 yards and a touchdown with Mayo carrying the ball over. "Fido" then hit tackle for the extra point.

The third quarter saw the final Sebring score when, after taking the ball over on their own 8 yard marker they ran a play which resulted in a touchdown for Mayo. Mayo again carried the ball over on the Sebring 28 yard line. On a line buck, Forrest Howard hit Mayo for a 10 yard loss, but Mayo was able to run through the line and slip away from several tacklers. "Fido" Mayo again carried the ball over on the Sebring 28 yard line. On a line buck, Forrest Howard hit Mayo for a 10 yard loss, but Mayo was able to run through the line and slip away from several tacklers. "Fido" Mayo again carried the ball over on the Sebring 28 yard line. On a line buck, Forrest Howard hit Mayo for a 10 yard loss, but Mayo was able to run through the line and slip away from several tacklers.

NEARLY 1300 REGISTER FOR CITY ELECTION

Council Purges City Books
and Strikes 116 Names
of Departed Persons

One hundred and sixteen names were stricken from the city register book Wednesday night by the city council in preparation for the city election next Tuesday when a mayor and five councilmen will be elected.

This leaves a total registration of nearly 1300 eligible to vote. When the books were opened for registration 972 names appeared on the book. Since opening thirty days ago 480 more names were added, making a total of 1452. Striking off the 116 names of departed residents, there remains 1286 eligible voters.

The books closed Wednesday, so no more may be added. The election will be held Tuesday, December 1st, between the hours of 8 a. m. and sunset, about 5:30.

The election inspectors appointed by the mayor are Mrs. Anna T. Reek, Byron Shockey, S. E. Booth, and F. S. Prior is clerk. Charles D. Sherman has been appointed deputy sheriff.

Strawberry Kate Junior Class Play On December 4th

The Junior class of Avon Park high school will present its annual class play at the school auditorium Friday night, December 4, at eight o'clock. The play is presented under the direction of Miss Elizabeth Bethley. The admission price will be 15c and 35c.

One of the characters is an announced as follows:

Kate Winton, "Strawberry Kate" Honey Sue Roberts.

Mrs. Winton, Kate's aunt, living near the town of Cedar Grove—Verna Helm.

Hazel Downing, a pretty eighteen-year-old neighbor—Elizabeth Sheret.

Gwendolyn Norton, a member of Cedar Grove's aristocracy—Ruby Gene Beaver.

Minnie Holzapfel, a beaming German woman, who is looking for a second husband—Pauline Best.

Betty Crawford, Bob's impish, sixteen-year-old sister—Ethel Hinch.

Chrysanthemum Klotz, Mrs. Winton's luxurious hired girl—Elton Perry.

Bob Crawford, Babbling Brooks, Harry Hancock.

Charlie Granger, his friend—Nelson Smith.

Tommy Meadows, a pompous and dignified neighbor of seventeen—Charles Kempton.

Era Norton, the biggest man in Cedar Grove—Robert Stewart.

Jim Tackett, a deputy constable—Jed White.

Zone Meeting at Methodist Church

An all day zone meeting was held at the Methodist church Tuesday, attended by delegates from Lakes Wales, Lake Placid, Frostproof and elsewhere in the zone.

SAMPLE BALLOT

CITY OF AVON PARK
Highlands County, Florida
MUNICIPAL ELECTION
December 1st, 1931

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER
Make an (X) before the candidates of your choice.

FOR MAYOR

Vote for One

MARC E. COVINGTON

G. L. CREWS

BERT F. WILLSON

FOR COUNCILMEN

Vote for Five

A. E. CONOLEY

ED. A. DELANEY

L. H. FORD

W. T. HALL

CHARLES R. HEAD

C. S. JAMES

F. S. JORDON

J. L. MASTERS

S. J. PENDLETON

O. E. WOLFF

HIGHLANDS POST IS AFTER STATE CUP FOR MEMBERSHIPS

Membership for 1932 is Twice Last Year's Number, and Post is Leading State With 200 Percent Standing.

Committees for carrying on American Legion activities for the coming year were announced Wednesday night at a special meeting of Highlands Post. The largest attendance at a meeting in several years entered enthusiastically into the work as cut out by Post Commander A. M. Morgan, and committee chairmen each offered close cooperation.

The re-organization followed the successful closing of a membership drive which resulted in putting 700 members on the Legion roster for 1932. This is twice the number secured last year, giving the post a 200 percent standing in the state contest. A letter from State Adjutant C. Howard Rowton states that Highlands post is leading the state in membership gain, and it is believed the local post will take the membership cup awarded at the next state convention. Legionnaires are still hustling for members and an effort is being made to get every eligible man in Avon Park into the organization.

Mark W. Lance, captain of headquarters battery, 56th Field Artillery made an interesting talk to the Legion on the progress being made by that organization, and reminded the post that the Army was a "child" of the local post, having been organized through efforts of the Legion. He announced that the battery would celebrate its fifth anniversary in January, and extended an invitation to the entire membership of the post to attend a birthday party at that time. Captain Lance asked for closer co-operation between the Legion and the local post, and extended an invitation to put all facilities of the army at the disposal of the post whenever the need arises.

D. G. Perry, named chairman of the aviation committee noted the need for new markers in Avon Park, and offered to have the Avon Park sign on top of the Jacaranda repainted if the paint is furnished him. He promised to take up aviation in an active manner, and stated that he would need the assistance of all Legionnaires to help him put over his program this year.

W. T. Coates, chairman of post activities, reported that the post had signed a contract with Birch, the magician and company for the night of February 4. The post will sponsor the entertainment which is rated as one of the three best magician entertainments in the country.

R. T. Fairley, newly appointed service officer, was asked by the post to go to the state service officers' school to be held in Orlando Sunday and Monday. He agreed to attend the course all day Sunday, and will probably be accompanied by the entire membership of the post. The service officers' school gives instruction on handling the intricate and complicated matters pertaining to adjusted compensation, insurance and other claims.

Legion committees, which will carry on post activities for the year, were announced by Commander Morgan as follows:

Membership—Louis Martin, Bashom Carlisle, Glenn Spink, John Hood.

House and Grounds—John Hood, Bert Hathcock.

Legal—Murray C. Whitehurst.

Finance—Harry Chance.

Publicity—W. M. Hetherington.

Service—Dennis Mandis.

First Aid—Chas. S. Sherman, J. C. Ragadale, A. McKee Ellwell.

Americanism—J. S. Francis.

Athletics—Joe Allen, Ed Welch, Chas. D. Sherman.

Child Welfare—Dennis Mandis, Louis Martin, R. T. Fairley.

Crippled Children—R. T. Fairley.

Junior Baseball—Chas. D. Sherman, Chas. S. Sherman, Ed Welch, Joe Allen, Neal Trent.

Aviation—D. G. Perry, E. E. Melton, O. C. Wilkes.

Relief—Glenn Spink, D. G. Perry, E. G. Todd, Mark W. Lance.

Fire Department—W. H. McCarty.

Budget—O. C. Wilkes, Harry Chas. S. Sherman, Ed Welch, J. C. Ragadale, J. C. Ragadale, Joe Allen, Neal Trent.

New Activities—W. T. Coates.

Prices Set For Turkey Shoot For December 18th

Prices that participants will pay to compete in the American Legion Turkey Shoot to be held at Cardinal Field, December 18, have been announced by Louis Martin, chairman of the committee as follows:

Trap shooting, with shotgun, five shots for \$1. Five men shooting for each turkey, ten trap guns allowed.

Rifle shooting at target with .22 and .25 rifles, 50 cents for each participant, ten men shooting.

Shotgun shooting at target, same as rifle.

The auxiliary will serve lunch on the grounds for those who come in the morning and want to stay through the afternoon.

The shoot, sponsored by the Legion, is for the purpose of raising money for the Legion's Empty Stomach fund. Boxes are also being placed in stores in the city where those who wish to contribute to the fund may do so, by dropping coins in the containers. This will be collected by the Legion and handed to provide Christmas baskets and things for the poor.

SOUTH FLORIDA BAPTIST UNION MEETING HERE

Two-Day Session Began To- day With Full Program of Activities

A Baptist union meeting of the South Florida association opened at the First Baptist church of Avon Park today and will continue through tomorrow.

There were 125 delegates registered the first day, representing fifty-seven churches of the district, and more are expected tomorrow.

The meeting opened with prayer and music service at 10 o'clock this morning, led by Angus McClelland.

This was followed by organization. A. R. Willett spoke on the Cross the Plus Sign of Christianity, followed by a general discussion.

Harry A. Dyer spoke on Is All Prayer Answered.

Dedication of the new Sunday school building of the First Baptist church took place at 11:15, the dedicatory sermon being delivered by Rev. Lloyd T. Wilson of the Southside church of Lakeland.

The meeting continued again this afternoon at 1:30 when prayer service was led by S. M. Bozeman. Reports on promotional movement in association at 1:45 with J. H. Griffin in charge. Sermon at 7:30 p. m. by Dr. J. R. Pentuff.

Saturday's Program

10 a. m. prayer and praise service led by A. R. Wood; 10:15 a. m. the meaning and limitations of Baptism; W. R. Lambert; 10:35 a. m. general discussion; 11 a. m. doctrinal sermon, Dr. C. M. Crossway.

12 dinner.

1:30 p. m. prayer service led by Rev. Frank Anderson.

1:45 p. m. "What is the Remedy for the Lawless Situation?" by R. E. Reid; general discussion.

2:45 p. m. "Our Attitude toward the Eighteenth Amendment," H. M. Overstreet.

3:15 p. m. "Training Young People for Christian Service," J. S. Wilson.

Adjournment.

Attempted Jail Break Wednesday

B. W. "Snow" Dyess and Will Scott attempted a break from the county jail Wednesday evening. In fact, they are said to have been gone for about three hours and got drunk and were persuaded to return by Ben Robinson. They were both painting outside of the cells and were taken back to their cells by the warden, who was alerted to visit another prisoner, slipped out. On their return they made another attempt to run, but were again apprehended and placed behind the bars.

Dyess and Deputy Sheriff L. C. Pearce engaged in an exchange of gunfire. Dyess refused to be searched on his return, struck the deputy.

Other members to be selected.

Arrested—Neal Trent, Joe Allen, D. G. Perry.

Entertainment—E. E. Melton, Glenn Spink, O. C. Wilkes.

Addressing the Dyess, Ed Welch, M. C. Whitehurst, Lee Hagood.

Educational—E. G. Todd.

Eligibility—E. W. Hart.

City Clerk Defends Action in Taking Book Out for Registrations

Answers Critics That This Is Done For the Convenience of the Public; Pardee Says Registrations Illegal

Replying to charges made by Oscar Bridges that the city registration book was taken out of the City Hall for the purpose of having people registered, City Clerk Louise Browne states that this was done "for the purpose of accommodating citizens of the town, who were laborers and who would be put to the inconvenience of leaving their work to come to the city office to register during office hours."

Criticism of the city clerk's action in taking the book out of the office was made in a letter signed by Oscar Bridges to City Attorney S. C. Pardee, in which Bridges states that "it seems that all of the workers were not treated alike. He asked the city attorney to advise him 'whether or not the city council authorized this registration book to be carried around the town by the city clerk,' and also whether people so registered would be entitled to vote."

In his reply to Bridges, the city attorney expressed his opinion that "only the office of the city clerk has a legal status for the purpose of effecting registration of voters and that registrations elsewhere are illegal." In support of this he cites a ruling of Ex-attorney General Fred Davis, but explains that he does not believe that voters illegally registered should be deprived of the right to vote.

Miss Browne's Statement.

When informed of the correspondence which had passed between Bridges and City Attorney Pardee, copy of which was sent to The Times from Mr. Pardee's office, City Clerk Louise Browne made the following statement:

"November 27th, 1931.

"Replying to your inquiry with reference to the handling of the registration books of the City of Avon Park, you are advised that I did, upon request, take the registration books to certain sections of the City of Avon Park for the purpose of accommodating citizens of the town, who were laborers and who would be put to the inconvenience of leaving their work to come to the City Office to register during office hours."

"These voters were made after office hours and at no time were the registration books absent from the office during the regular office hours."

"This has been the custom and practice for many years in the City of Avon Park, and for no other purpose than that of accommodating a citizenship, who were entitled to register and vote in city elections. I have never refused to comply with this request."

"Not only have I offered such accommodations to the citizens of the town, but in addition thereto, at the request of Miss Mattie Tompkins I remained in my office after regular office hours on the last day of registration for the purpose of permitting the registration of qualified voters, who could not conveniently come to the office before closing hours. None have been permitted to register except those legally qualified. I also stated to Miss Tompkins that I would be at the City Hall in attendance at the council meeting and that the books would be available for registration as long as I stayed in the City Hall, up until midnight, when the books must close."

"I offer this statement because of the fact that at last minute letters questioning my action in this regard have been written and handed to the press for publication. I believe that the purpose of elections is that of obtaining an expression of the will of the majority of the qualified electors, and it has always been my purpose to aid the people in getting this expression."

"Very truly yours,
"LOUISE BROWNE,
"City Clerk."

Bridges' Letter To Pardee.

Copy of Mr. Bridges' letter to the city attorney and his reply was furnished to The Times by Mr. Pardee's office, this afternoon, without comment. Mr. Pardee was out of the city at four o'clock this afternoon and could not be reached for a further statement.

The Bridges' letter:

Avon Park, Florida,
November 27, 1931.

Mr. S. C. Pardee, City Attorney,
Avon Park, Florida.

Dear Mr. Pardee:

It seems to be public knowledge that certain parties in the City of Avon Park who are interested in the outcome of the election have, in violation of the city charter, obtained a large number of people outside of the city hall. I understand that these people are being registered in the city hall, and that some are in machine shops; some in factories; and also that private homes have been canvassed for the purpose of having people registered. The Pilot of Avon Park stated in last Wednesday's issue that this was done for the accommodation of the workers, but it seems that all of the workers were not treated alike.

Would you advise me whether or not the City Council authorized this registration book to be carried around the town by the city clerk, and also whether people who registered in this manner are entitled to vote.

Very truly yours,
OSCAR BRIDGES.

Mr. Pardee's Reply.

November 27, 1931.

Mr. Oscar Bridges,

Dear Mr. Bridges:

Answering your letter of even date, beg to state that so far as I know the City Council did not authorize the registration book to be carried around the town. The registration of voters for town elections is regulated by an ordinance passed by the City Council the 5th of October, 1927, which ordinance requires the city clerk to keep the registration book at his or her office. I am of the opinion, therefore, that the action of the city clerk in carrying the registration book around the town has a legal status for the purpose of effecting registration of voters and that registrations elsewhere are illegal.

The state law says that the registration books must be kept "at some convenient place" and the Ex-Attorney General, Fred H. Davis, ruling upon this in the fall of 1929 upon the request of John A. Moore of Bartow, Supervisor of Registration for Polk County, said: "To my knowledge, it is the duty of a district registration officer to circulate the books around the district from house to house for the purpose of registering voters. Under our system of holding elections a registration of voters is a part of the act of voting itself, and it should be carried out only at the place authorized and designated by law."

It does not follow, however, that voters illegally registered must be deprived of the right to vote. I have no doubt that the people thus registered supposed that they were registering in a perfectly legal manner, and it does not seem fair and just that through misfeasance (if there be such) of the registration officer a voter should be deprived of his constitutional right but, quite on the contrary, it would seem to be a just thing to punish a person who registered in this manner an unfair punishment and penalty for an irregularity in regard to which he is an innocent party.

Very truly yours,
S. C. PARDEE,
City Attorney.

Dr. Vaughn To Review "Christ of the Mount"

"The Christ of the Mount" is the title of a book just published by Dr. Stanley Jones of India, a study of the sermon on the mount and its application to life today as a moral teaching and standard. On Sunday evening at the Congregational Church Dr. Vaughn will present a response to the sermon on the mount, with readings from characteristic sections. Bible school at 9:45 a. m. Morning service at 11.

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Not many people who are honest with themselves failed to find something to be thankful for yesterday.

The best teacher is the one who will now and then, as occasion offers, give the pupil a few hints on right living and what might be called "the humanities."

We feel so sorry for those boys who are being forced to run for Governor, notwithstanding their great "reluctance," and did any one remark "applesauce"?

Since Smedley Butler has announced that he will make his home in Orlando, we are wondering which newspaper will be the first to propose him as Governor or something.

That Florida man who was arrested in Chicago for scattering \$50 bills from an airplane ought to come back home where he'd be appreciated. We'd never interfere with a man whose insanity took such a delightful form.

It is fine to be interested in the Red Cross drive, but not to the extent of swallowing the button. That's what little Mary Hurley, daughter of the Secretary of War, did. Unlike many people, Mary's charity is not wholly displayed on the outside.

Our sympathy goes out to the Florida girl attending a school in Indiana who writes to friends at the Woman's College at Tallahassee: "I would like to see some one who knows what grits are, and who does not eat cream and sugar on rice." It is sad to contemplate the benighted state of people whose gastronomic knowledge is so limited. Plain barbarism we call it—and here's hoping that Cracker gal gets back ere long to the land of gravy.

We haven't heard of any bombastic pre-election promises made by Carey Hardee. But we do know that if he is elected Governor he will give honest, able and conscientious service to the State—as good as it is in the power of man to do under the conditions that may prevail. He has been tried and found not lacking either in ability or patriotism. We write this without prejudice to any other of the fine men who are candidates for Governor.

Floridians can find nothing to complain of in the weather for the past two months except that it has been perfect—too perfect, if such is possible. Strawberry growers have already suffered heavy losses from the continued dry weather, and other crops, including citrus, are more or less affected. This paragraph is written just before Thanksgiving Day, and we would like to mention to the powers that be that a good rain would make us all feel genuinely thankful.

Going out and hunting and killing things in the woods is not reprehensible, though it is in obedience to the urge of the primitive, which our civilization should have outgrown. The thing that is wrong is that so-called hunters, who are rotten sportsmen, kill for the joy of killing, are not satisfied with the reasonable limit allowed by the law, but slaughter wantonly and wastefully. Such hunters are in effect actual thieves, stealing the share of others and the heritage that belongs to posterity.

You never know when you may break into the Hall of Fame. A short time ago Ira King, of Mansfield, Ohio, was unknown, unhonored and unsung. Then, one morning he woke up with the hicoughs, and he hicoughed and hicoughed for a couple of weeks or more, thereby breaking all records, and becoming an object of national-wide interest. Moreover, his case has contributed abundantly to remedial lore pertaining to hicoughs. Hundreds of remedies have been suggested, pilings in upon Ira in letters, telegrams, etc. We have filed one, and only one, of these remedies in the storehouse of memory, for use when and if the hicoughs assail us—"a glass of champagne every hour."

Sentiment in the South seems to be generally favorable to the nomination of Franklin D. Roosevelt for President. There are other good and acceptable men—in fact, the Democrats enjoy an embarrassment of riches in Presidential timber. The people are not so concerned about the man who may be elected as standard bearer as they are anxious for a change. There will not be many Hoover Democrats show up in Florida next year, or any other kind of Democrats except Democrat Democrats.

A court decision rules that intoxicating spirits may not be used in cooking. Well, we can bile our grits and fry our fish without flavoring them with liquor—but we are wondering, if all the rules and decisions that have been handed down by judges and other authorities were collated, if there would be any recognizable prohibition law. Many of these decisions are contradictory. You may buy wine bricks—in fact, you are rather encouraged by the government to do so—and presumably, you may drink the resultant wine. But you mustn't put a dash of the beverage in the fruit cake.

A movement has been started by some Florida Rotary clubs which ought to become State-wide, the purpose being to give the teachers of the State their well-earned pay before Christmas. This could be done if a reasonable proportion of automobile owners would buy their license tags prior to December 15th, when a distribution of the funds thus raised will be made for school purposes. In many counties of the State no arrangement for paying the teachers for their services thus far during the current term has been made, and the result is that these faithful workers are suffering much embarrassment, and in some instances are facing actual need. This situation could be remedied by a fairly general purchase of tags as early after December 1st as possible. The cost will be no more and the tags will have to be bought, so there is every reason why every person who can possibly do so should buy a tag before December 15th. It is understood that civic clubs over the State will be asked to push this movement.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

By RUSSELL KAY

Well, things ain't as bad as they might be, but of course a few communities are still feelin' a bit off on account of high bond pressure, but we'll come out all right.

And it seems that if a fellow falls and breaks his leg while chasing a roach, what's that news. But now the question arises, who got the break, the man or the roach, and you can't help wonderin' what he was gonna do with the blamed thing after he caught it.

After a couple more candidates announce for Governor then some bright statistician can figure out how if all the aspirants for the office were laid end to end, it would probably be a good thing. But why should Martin, Hardee and Broward be in the race, haven't they already had Counties named after 'em?

And it seems that Mr. Howey can like it or not, but if he don't announce by two o'clock next week they'll draw on him. Well it ain't every candidate that gets a DRAW before the contest starts. And boy, what a slogan that will be, Hoover and HOW—eh?

And oh, lookit, the Merchants Association of Ft. Lauderdale refused to endorse a plan some gyp artist presented, to publish a pretty catalog of all the books in the public library with "just a few" ads scattered here and there to help pay the cost. Now there is a sample of appreciation for you. Here is an industrious chap with a big idea and the Merchants Association goes and gets snooty and won't introduce him to their boy friends. Why don't they give the little boy a great big hand, what do they expect a now-bird to do, work for a living? First thing you know some of these sharp shooters will be goin' back north and start tellin' 'em there ain't no Santa Claus in Florida and things are so tough down here that Merchants are reduced to advertising in their local newspapers.

And now let's see and give three roasting cheers for the dear little girl who has been selling those cute little gummed stickers to paste on automobile windshield shields, your ad in two colors and only \$8 per thousand. Imagine, wastin' money on common ordinary newspaper space, when such opportunities exist. Just think how surprised and delighted the autist will be when he returns to his parked car and finds your beautiful sticker smeared all over his nice clean windshield. Will that bring him into your store, I'll say it will, and HOW. With a horse whip or a whole lot of catfish.

Listen Mr. Merchant, get this little idea firmly in your head and it will save you a whole lot of grief and plenty of money. If the advertising stunt was really GOOD no high pressure salesman would be wasting his time on a little guy like you, he'd sell it to Coca Cola or Wrigley. Advertising in your local newspaper is the most economical and profitable way you can employ.

And with Mayor Alsop in the race for Congressman at large, it may not be such a spiritless contest after all. And won't Mr. Tigert have a lot of fun makin' his little crock mark when the ballots are passed out. Maybe he'll make it a Double Crock.

Seaboard To Stop Transient Riders

Has Suffered Losses Due To Cars Being Opened and Ransacked

What action if any against the multitude of transients who are riding the freight trains was discussed Monday morning by Sheriff O. E. Wolfe, a number of his deputies and C. C. Hicks, special agent for the Seaboard Air-Line Railway. It appeared that the railway has been allowing these transients to ride and not dumping them off at the various stopping points of the freight trains. This is against the law and the Interstate Commerce Commission has ordered the practice stopped.

The railway has written all sheriffs and other peace officers in the state asking their co-operation and assistance but as Sheriff Wolfe told Special Agent Hicks the jail here is too small to hold even those from one train and will the county cannot afford to feed them. The trains will be cleared of all unauthorized riders at stopping points and the railway will be allowed to arrest themselves unless local authorities arrest them and which is not expected in this county.

Mr. Hicks told of great losses occurring to the company through freight cars being broken into and ransacked, and goods stolen or maliciously damaged. He said a number of these riders would not work when work is offered and some are coming back to the jail in order to be arrested and placed in jail or sent to the state penitentiary.

VOTERS ATTENTION

I wish to announce that the report being circulated that I had withdrawn from the race for Mayor in favor of Bert F. Wilson, is absolutely false and misleading. I am in the race and will have changing colors, and will appreciate the votes of all. My name will be on the ticket and I trust you will place a X mark before my name. Thanking you, I am,

Yours truly,

G. L. CREWS

Eighteen Animals Auctioned During State Dairy Sale

Eighteen Jersey and Guernsey bulls, heifers and cows were sold for an average of \$80 each at the second annual sale conducted by the State Dairyman's association at Gainesville last week. Eight of the animals went to Alachua county, five to Putnam, two each to Duval and Hillsborough, and one to Manatee.

The sale was opened with a short speaking program presided over by J. M. Whitcomb, of Tampa, president of the association. Lewis W. Morley, secretary of the American Jersey Cattle Club, and H. W. Caldwell, vice-president of the American Guernsey Cattle Club, made short addresses.

Representatives of the Florida Agricultural Extension Service assisted with arrangements for the sale.

Uniform Hogs of Excellent Quality Bring Top Prices

That uniform hogs of the intermediate type, standing straight, weighing 250 pounds each, comparatively free of parasites, and carefully handled can be raised in Florida and will bring top prices on the market has been demonstrated by the Florida Experiment Station. In its test of different grazing crops for hogs, the Station this year raised a lot of 51 hogs which were recently sold to the Moultrie Co., plant of Swift & Company, and brought top Chicago prices for that day.

The following letter regarding the hogs was received by Dr. A. L. Shady, head of the Station, from the animal husbandry, from H. McDowell, manager of Swift & Company.

To Show Florida Resources In 1933

The Diorama To Be Largely Used at World's Fair at Chicago

DeLand, Nov. 24.—Florida will go to the World's Fair at Chicago in 1933 with a complete dramatization of its resources, beauties and appeal, which will be largely aided by the liberal use of the diorama, a small model being shown to the Florida Commission in session at Tampa this week, and wherever shown has created most favorable comment.

This model was made by Chas. Plastow, of Rollins College, Winter Park, Florida. The diorama was first brought out in February exhibition at London. It so happened that Mr. Plastow, an Englishman, worked upon and helped develop this new science of showmanship, and it is most likely he will be called by the Florida Commission to design and execute the 10 or more dioramas needed to most fully exploit the material exhibited in the model.

The model Mr. Plastow designed was taken from a calendar showing a turpentine camp. In the foreground one sees the lonely pine trees, a laborer emptying the cups, another rolling a barrel on a wagon, the majestic pine trees, and the forest. The depth of the model is scarcely 12 inches.

The question arises: "What is a diorama?" To give an adequate answer: Look out of your window into a vast space on a sunlit day. The diorama is a pictorial representation in three dimensions: width, height and depth. You have a feeling of looking into the far distance.

The various alcoves of the Florida exhibit will be given over to agricultural and general farming displays with a diorama of a farm in operation, an orange grove, a peach orchard, a citrus grove, a leaping tarpon played by a fisherman; man's home apartment with background of a handsome estate; transportation with relief map showing roads with trucks and automobiles; and so on through the various displays. Each diorama will be seen through an aperture nine feet long and five feet high. The depth will be but two feet but the illusion will show to the uttermost reaches of the scene portrayed, be it an orange grove or the horizon of the sea.

People are beginning to realize what a tremendous psychological advantage can be gained through well-being of the individual and how it is possible to obtain certain reactions through the medium of the eye, in the same way as it is by music through the ear. All these points have a direct bearing on the making and showing of the diorama—the new science of showmanship. The Florida Commission believes that its plan and scope of the display, will have such an appeal that Florida's exhibit will be an outstanding attraction.

Exhibits To National 4-H Congress Sent By Florida Club Members

Five Florida 4-H club girls and 10 boys have sent exhibits of their work to the National Club Congress which will be held at Chicago November 27 to December 6, the Florida Agricultural Extension Service announces.

Four of the girls have sent canning exhibits. These are Aileen Hamrick and Iva Gadsden, Jefferson county, Sybil Rowan, Gadsden county, and Lorena Duffy, Manatee county. Clara Serrano, Polk county, has entered an exhibit in the home improvement class.

Five of the boys, all from Walton county, are showing exhibits of cotton. The young cotton farmers are Herman Jones, Tom Ben Bell, James Hattaway, LeRoy Thorpe, and Mook Ray. Otto Jones and Ellsworth Murphy, Lake county, and three boys from Alachua county entered exhibits of sweet potatoes.

POLITICAL Announcements

FOR CITY COUNCIL

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for city councilman, subject to the city election of December first. If elected I will work for the interests of the city as I see it. Your vote and support will be appreciated.

G. S. JAMES.

FOR CITY COUNCIL

In announcing my candidacy for Councilman, I promise, if elected, to work for the very best interests of Avon Park and give you an economical administration.

Yours for a greater Avon Park.

P. B. JORDON.

FOR CITY COUNCIL

I hereby announce my candidacy for City Council.

I will try to conduct city business as honestly as I do my own.

S. J. PENDLETON.

FOR CITY COUNCIL

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the office of City Councilman.

I am a plain business man and can only promise to administer the affairs of the city, as they may come within my jurisdiction, in a plain business way.

I have no alliances, political or otherwise, nor will I court the favor of any person for my support. If elected I shall go into office with a clean conscience, free and free to exercise my own judgment and your support is respectfully solicited.

I. H. FORD.

FOR CITY COUNCIL

Announcing my candidacy for city council, I do so with the pledge that if elected I will continue to handle the affairs of the city in an economical manner, consistent with its growth and progress. I have endeavored to serve the city faithfully in the past and am a candidate of no special interests but will continue as I have heretofore to work for the interests of all the people.

CHAS. R. HEAD.

FOR CITY COUNCIL

I am a candidate for re-election to the city council, subject to the city election of December first. During the four years in which I have served the city, I have endeavored to treat all interests alike, and this will be my policy if returned. I will stand for an economical administration, as I have in the past. While making this promise, I do not wish it construed that my economy platform will be so drastic as to be detrimental to the progress of the city. It will be my object to assist in the financial problems of the city which I consider of paramount importance—in such a manner as to protect the best interests of the city and taxpayer, and at the same time to liquidate our debts as rapidly as conditions will permit.

E. A. DeLANEY.

FOR COUNCILMAN

In announcing to the citizens of Avon Park my candidacy for re-election I am not unmindful of the pledge made two years ago "that if elected I would work for the interests of all the people as a whole; that I believe in good government, economically administered, and lower taxation."

I invite the public to a careful study of the records at City Hall for a confirmation of that promise.

Strictest economy in all affairs of the City Government is vitally necessary if Avon Park is to progress and develop. And to progress we must keep our house in order; we must build not tear down; we must uplift not destroy.

Believing in the fundamental principles of good government I am asking the voters of Avon Park for their support and thank them in advance for whatever effort they may put forth to again elect me to the Councilman's Board.

W. T. HALL.

4-H Winners To Leave For Club Congress Friday

Florida's representatives to the National 4-H Club Congress and International Live Stock Exposition will leave Friday for Chicago.

Six girls and three boys, accompanied by three extension workers, will make the trip. Part of the party will leave from Jacksonville and part from Monticello, but they will meet at Albany, Ga.

The girls who will make the trip are Hilda Hall, Lake county, Miriam Ivey, St. Johns county, Eunice Nixon, Alachua county, Shelley Mae Thompson, Jefferson county, and Betty McDaniel, Jackson county.

Miss Hall, the state health champion, Miss Ivey, the state clothing champion, will enter in the style dress review. In the national food judging contest, Betty McDaniel, state winner in food conservation, Agnes White, state home improvement winner, will enter the furnishing judging contest, and Betty McDaniel, best club girl in the counties traversed by the L. & N. Railway, will enter in the clothing judging contest.

The boys to make the trip are W. W. Bassett, Jr., Jefferson county, who showed the champion farrow at the State Pig Club Show, Dennis Reddick, Escambia county, best club boy in L. & N. territory, and Lamar Hartsfield, champion calf club member in Leon county.

The L. & N. Railway gave two of the trips and the following organizations gave each one: State Department of Agriculture, Chicago Market Order company, Volusia County Fair, Kerr Glass Manufacturing corporation, Montgomery Ward and Company, Armour & Company, and the banks of Leon county.

The specialists who will accompany the clubbers are Miss Lucy White, district home demonstration agent, Mrs. Mary S. Allen, home demonstration agent in Lake county, and K. W. Blacklock, state boys' club agent.

Tractor School For Farmers To Be Held

A caterpillar tractor school for the farmers of Florida will be held at Gainesville, December 1 and 2.

The school will be held on the University of Florida campus and will begin at 9:30 a. m., each day.

Demonstrations, talks, and motion pictures about the many uses and adaptations of the tractor on Florida farms will be featured the first day. Land clearing, road building, making fire lines, logging, and the like will be featured on the program for the second day.

The Caterpillar Tractor company, Cleveland, and the Burman Tractor Equipment company, Jacksonville, will conduct the school.

Plant City—Rapid progress being made in grading local streets.

Sleeps Like a Baby

Mrs. John Simpson says: "At times I am very nervous, and unable to sleep at night. I feel that I can take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and sleep like a baby. My money back if this time-tested medicine fails to do much for you."

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8-B reporter, Billy Martin.
7-A reporter, J. L. Green, Dorothy Weishever.
7-B reporter, Thelma Perry, Margaret Harris.

Freshman News

We are all enthusiastic over basketball practice starting. Quite a few freshmen (or rather Fresh Women) are going out. Some of them are: Gwendolyn Connell, Sara Smith, Anna Roberts, Mildred Epperson, Zaida Langford, Myrtle Turner, Gredia Hunt, Patzy Loomis, Nellie Connell, Gertrude Sangster, and perhaps others. If all the other classes have as many out we are sure that Miss Chesser will be able to pick a very good team.

The Freshman class is still rather shaky over the monthly tests which are being given this week, but they will not last always (Thank goodness, sighs Anna Roberts).

We want everyone to come and see the Junior class play. The Juniors are our sister class and it's bound to be good. From the matches we already have, it seems as if it's going to be real spiffy.

Just think, only about two more weeks of real work before those dreadnought midterms again. Can you imagine? Maybe with the joyous thoughts of Christmas ahead we will be able to wade through them.

Sophomore News

In answer to a complaint of no report from the Sophomores, please permit me to explain that the scribe is just beginning to recover from the effects of the second month's report card. And now that he is about to begin to be able to hold up his head and groan feebly, he fears another blow that might knock him down. Dear me, dear me, the power of a teacher! It's appalling to realize how he or she holds our destinies in the hollow of his or her hand, or on the toe of his or her boot! Now me, I believe in a little broad-mindedness, and room for the imagination, but teachers want things to be just so-so.

But there's one ray of light ahead. Thanksgiving is here, and we are thankful that we can eat turkey undisturbed by such little annoyances as D's and F's. They can wait until next week. "Sufficient unto the day." And there will be no more reports until after Christmas. Without a doubt, that will help the situation for many of us.

Here's hoping for better times ahead.

—H. W.

Red Devil Sports

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W. A. Maddox scored a touchdown in the first three minutes of the game, and about six minutes later Novell Barkwick knuckled up an other marker. The final score came in the early part of the second quarter when Novell again slipped across the two white stripes. During the last half, the Frostproof team tightened up and held the Red Devils scoreless.

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9. Ruby Gene Beaver imitating a sarcastic New England lady.

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12. Mary Turner on her first trip to South America to find her Romeo.

13. H. L. Bishop, John Jackson, Ralph Hine, and Paul Sadler craving for a meal of sour-kraut and ginger ale.

14. Melba Connell and her personal maid.

15. Raymond Vickery finding a glamorous girl friend who was reared on southern soil—a Madamselle who came from Georgia. Imagine his look, boys.

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Seventh A News

Our Class is busy just now getting ready for our chapel program two weeks hence. While there are only four characters in the play, the whole class is entering into general preparations. The weekly entertainments, put on by the various classes, are always eagerly anticipated.

Yesterday was Thanksgiving Day. We appreciate the holiday and all that it means to us. The classes received gifts for the P. T. A. baskets which were distributed to needy families yesterday. Wensona Kennedy has enrolled our class from Collins, Ga. This brings our number to 30 pupils. Only three weeks till mid-term examinations! But we have had two weeks of a glorious vacation and freedom. A glorious Thanksgiving to everybody.

—Dorothy Weishever and J. L. Green, Reporters.

Junior Class News

Important—All about the big play.

Are you going to the Junior Class Play? Sure, everybody is. It's going to be good. Here's the cast—The glamorous Honey Sue Roberts makes you love strawberries when she plays the part of Strawberry Kate. Mrs. Winton, her sweet and loving aunt, is played by Verne Heim. Elizabeth Nelson plays the part of a pretty, little neighbor. The "villains" comes upon the scene as Ruby Gene Pinner. Pauline Post is the German woman who can eat turkey undisturbed by such little annoyances as D's and F's. They can wait until next week. "Sufficient unto the day." And there will be no more reports until after Christmas. Without a doubt, that will help the situation for many of us.

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THOMAS FREED ON MURDER CHARGE

Set Free on Thanksgiving After Three-Day Trial at Jessup, Georgia

Morris Thomas of this city, on trial in Jessup, Ga., for the murder of George W. Madry in Jessup last May, was freed by a Wayne county jury Thursday afternoon at the close of a three-day trial. Thomas is a brother of J. R. Thomas, manager of the Highlands Candy company, and was associated in business with him here. He attended the trial this week.

Senior News

Senior Mid-Year Games.

Blushing Violet.....Carroll Bell
Spearhead.....Dorothy Roberts
Modest Daisy.....Raymond Vickery
For-get-me-not.....Mary Turner
Sweet William.....Jimmie Roberts
Velvet Pansy.....Oleta Biggie
Hardy Phlox.....Ethel Hixon
Brown-eyed Susan.....Maude Delaney
Scotchman's Button.....Chubby Bailey
Bachelor's Button.....Languid Orchid
Charlotte Shepherd
Fleur-de-Lis.....Clarence Wilcox
Gay Nasturtium.....Claude Daley
Forget-me-not.....Claude Daley

The State examined eight witnesses for the prosecution. They were: W. D. Donaldson, Mrs. J. W. Donaldson, Dr. F. G. Ritch, L. W. Rogers, James Pys, and Mrs. Dent. Some of the state's witnesses testified that they saw Morris Thomas on the sidewalk near the killing on the Saturday night of the murder. They testified that Thomas wore a blue coat and light trousers and that he went down the alley between Brown's cafe and Central Pharmacy immediately after the shooting. No one however could testify as to seeing Thomas actually shoot Madry. The state rested its case at 3:45 Wednesday afternoon.

The defense witnesses are numerous, 26 having been examined at the recess hour on Wednesday. J. R. Gillis, who was on duty at the scene of the shooting, testified that he owned the fruit stand where the killing took place, and that he was talking to Mr. Madry when he was shot down. He swore that the man that did the shooting was taller than the defendant and could not identify Morris Thomas as the man who shot Madry.

Miss Rhoda Bernard swore that she saw the man who is claimed was Morris Thomas, but he passed very close to her, but was not Morris Thomas. She swore this man wore a blue coat and light trousers and that he went down the alley between Brown's cafe and Central Pharmacy immediately after the shooting. No one however could testify as to seeing Thomas actually shoot Madry. The state rested its case at 3:45 Wednesday afternoon.

Jokes

Walton: "Miss Pearson, can any one be punished for something he didn't do?"

Miss Pearson: "Why, no, of course not."

Walton: "Well, I haven't done my Latin."

Elton Perry: "If you tell a man anything, it goes in one ear and out the other."

Charles Kempton: "And if you tell a woman anything, it goes in both ears and out the mouth."

If you want a hearty laugh, come to the high school auditorium, December 4, and see "Strawberry Kate."

Mr. Mumma: "Listen here, young man, are you the teacher of this class?"

Eddie Flowers: "No, sir, I'm not."

Mr. Mumma: "Then don't talk like an idiot."

Dad: "Paul, who were you with last night?"

Paul Baldwin: "With an old boy friend."

Dad: "Well, what your old boy friend he left his lipstick in the car."

Don't forget to see "Strawberry Kate" Dec. 4.

Robert Stewart: "Yes, I was driving along in Wayne County when a robber came and took everything—money, watch and everything."

Nelson Smith: "But I thought you had a revolver with you."

Robert: "Yes, I had, but they didn't find that."

Jimmy Roberts: "When was the war of 1812, J. T.?"

J. T. Willford: "I don't know."

Eighth-B News

Well, here we are again and all ready to go, but you know it isn't often that we are ready to stop. We had a history election last Wednesday, just as the government did in 1900. The results were good with Mrs. Ginn to help us. The officers are: D. J. Hart, governor; Billie Martin, treasurer; Cecil Wilcox, secretary of state; Eba Weiss, sheriff.

Don't you think that we have capable officers?

Next week is the time to give our chapel program, and we invite all parents to see it Wednesday morning at 10:15 o'clock. The theme of the play is "An Object Lesson." Well, it is about time for lunch, so we will sign off till next week.

Earl Barkworth, Reporter.

Eighth-A News

The eighth grade girls decided on the perfect Girl at follows:

Eyes: Sara Lucy Trent.
Nose: Jeanne Sarr.
Teeth: Hazel Wilkerson.
Disposition: Clacie Thomas.
Eyes: Ethel Hixon.
Hands: Marie Kinch.
Figure: Trudie Edwards.
Neck: Linda Winger.

Well, the girls who were in the play are relieved now that it is over. Maybe Mrs. Ginn is also, because we were always leaving her study half. Perhaps she was glad to get rid of us. No one knows but her.

State and County Collections Good

Collector Canfield Also Received Compliments On the Finances of County

State and county tax collections are very good according to Tax Collector D. F. Canfield and a number of property owners are taking advantage of the four percent discount allowed for payment this month. A number who have been in the habit of waiting until later are paying this month. Mr. Canfield says and every day he receives letters complimenting on the financial condition of this county.

Vote for COVINGTON for Mayor

Safe, Sane and Conservative

Three letters received Tuesday are indicative of the general tone. Lillian E. Col, Registrar City of Niagara Falls, N. Y., said: Glad to receive your circular letter giving the encouraging details of the tax situation in your county. You certainly seem to be doing remarkably well and I wish you even more success. There seems to be plenty of courage in Florida.

C. H. Myers, Akron, Ohio, said: "I wish to thank you for the circular enclosed. I wish to thank as well as congratulate the officials of Highlands County for what they have accomplished during this business depression, it certainly is remarkable. I assure you it is very gratifying. There is no doubt but that in and especially Highlands county has a bright and prosperous future."

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Congressman Ruth Bryan Owen, State Christmas Seal Chairman, is urging everyone to buy as many Tubercolitis Christmas Seals as possible this year, to help provide better health for the children of Florida.

Christmas Seals helped to provide the chest clinic held in Sebring July 1 to discover those who might be threatened with tuberculosis. Seventeen persons were examined. The clinic was held with co-operation of the members of the Florida Medical association, and served all of Highlands county.

Christmas Seals also help provide health teaching and training in schools. The Seal sale opens Thanksgiving Day.

To Honor the Late Dr. Nehrling Next Sunday at Rollins

Dr. Thomas G. Lee of Babson Park, president of the Quaker Society, publicly invited all plant and bird lovers of Florida to gather in Winter Park at the Recreation Hall in Thomas College, on Sunday, Nov. 29th at 3 p. m.

The occasion is to do honor to the memory of the late Dr. Henry Nehrling of Gotha and Naples, who died in November, 1929. Dr. Nehrling's studies and research were directed principally towards birds, catfishes, minnows, and lampreys. He was also an authority on birds. The speakers will be, Dr. Harold Hume of Gainesville, Mrs. Mary Francis Baker of Mead of Orlando. Rollins College has arranged a religious and musical program in which the ministers of Winter Park and the musical organizations of the College will take part.

Lady Lake.—Poultrymen discussed plans for meeting here for holding annual Lake County Poultry Show.

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Here and There

About Avon Park

By W. M. Etherington

NO TENT SHOWS
If Mayor C. S. Donaldson can stop them—and he has been advised by the city attorney that he can—there will be no itinerant tent shows here this winter.

Representatives of a traveling organization, seeking a license for a week's engagement, were turned down by the mayor this week, after he had been assured by business interests that such entertainment was not wanted in Avon Park. We congratulate the mayor on his stand.

The same organization showed here last winter under the auspices of the American Legion, but the local post decided against endorsing this class of entertainment this year. Legion officials, in deciding against this class of shows, pointed out that they are of questionable benefit to the city, and hurt the local theatre and other places of business which are here the year 'round and are more entitled to the support of the public. Without going into any other phases of the matter, the Legionists do not believe that these shows are a good business proposition for the city. And the Legion has passed up the opportunity to not aid in bringing any of them here.

PROSECUTE THEM
It was said that there was illegal voting at the city election Tuesday. If such were the case, and anyone knows of an instance of the kind, he should bring the information to the prosecuting attorney so that the cases can be prosecuted.

County Attorney J. M. Lee stated on election night that if the proper information were brought to him he would see that the cases are prosecuted to the limit, and I promise you that they will not turn out like the Tampa cases, either," the attorney said.

Regardless of how they voted, if there were cases of deliberate fraud, they should be handled—and to the limit of the law.

OUR COUNCIL
Being as how the election is all over and some of us come out on top and some on the bottom of the heap, it behooves us to write a little piece to the effect that we had just as well forget it, and all get behind the new bunch of good grace and determination to put in every kick that we can for a bigger and better Avon Park for the next two years.

Ten good men offered for the council and it was possible to elect only five of them. The fact that the vote was so evenly divided is evidence that the voters thought pretty well of the whole lot of them. There wasn't a man in the ten but would have made a good councilman. And the fact is, there was no particular fight made on any of the men. Personal friendship accounted for most of the votes. Indeed, accounted for all of them with the lone exception of the Pardee issue, which a lot of folks got strained up about.

We congratulate Mr. Pardee on the manner in which he got his organization lined up. Three out of four of his "tickets" were elected. Some of this can be traced to the work of his organization, and if so, we are pleased to give him credit. But we still believe the men, themselves, had something to do with it, and if they hadn't been good men they would not have been elected, organization or no organization.

—AND OUR MAYOR
Heck, man, Marc will make us a good mayor, and you don't have to lose any sleep about that.

"FOR EXCHANGE"
The Avon Park Times quotes Mayor C. S. Donaldson as proposing the plan for giving free homelots to prospective home seekers. The idea is not original with the Avon Park mayor and it is not original with us, but we have title to a beautiful lot in the residential section that we will exchange for a good cigar or something of similar value—Lakeland Ledger.

Diamond Ball Boys and Girls Win From Wauchula Tuesday
The Diamond ball teams of Avon Park took a double header from Wauchula Tuesday night, the girls' team winning 11 to 10 and the boys' team winning 10 to 8, the big end of a seven to four score.

The game was played at Wauchula, and is the first game the local outfit have had away from home in some time. Both teams showed up well and are planning to continue with frequent games throughout the winter months.

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DR. WILLIAM HOOD PASSES AFTER LINGERING ILLNESS

Pioneer of Western Frontier Days and Resident of Florida for Past Twenty Years Dies at Age of 85.

Dr. William Hood passed away at 5 a. m. Wednesday, Dec. 2, at the home of his son, John H. Hood, within a month and a half of his 85th birthday anniversary. Dr. Hood was an active participant in the adventures of the western frontiers in the early days, and in his last years he was more interested in the past than in the future. He had lived in Avon Park for the past twenty years, and during that time he had been a pioneer of the western frontier. He had been a resident of Florida for the past twenty years, and during that time he had been a pioneer of the western frontier. He had been a resident of Florida for the past twenty years, and during that time he had been a pioneer of the western frontier.

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Covington Asks Support of All

"I am the mayor of all the people of Avon Park," said Marc Covington, upon expressing himself on the successful outcome of Tuesday's election. "I am appreciative of the vote and support of those friends who stood by me, but I want it thoroughly understood that I hold no ill feeling toward any who did not support me, and it will be my aim to so continue the office as to cement the various interests of the city into one brotherhood that will work for the upbuilding of Avon Park. I want every citizen of Avon Park, from the lowest to the highest to feel free to come to me with suggestions for a harmonious and successful administration during the next two years," said the mayor-elect.

Rebekahs Will Hold Supper and Sale

The Rebekahs will hold a supper and fancy work sale at the Odd Fellows hall next Tuesday night, December 8th, at which time supper will be served from 6 to 8 o'clock. The prices will be fifty cents a seat. In addition, fancy work and fancy articles suitable for Christmas gifts will be offered for sale. Proceeds of the sale will go to the Rebekah charity fund.

State's Greatest Botanist Calls Our Mall Floral Ribbon

Quoting from Mary E. Baker's recent paper, "The Services to Florida of Henry Nehrling and other Plant-Lovers," the state's most outstanding botanist pays high tribute to Avon Park's Mall, which she refers to as a "floral ribbon" through the center of the city. Her reference to the Mall says: "The recent work of Mr. C. S. Donaldson, for many years Superintendent of Parks at Avon Park, Florida, and now Mayor, is of very great value to the state. In the mile-long Mall, which lies like a floral ribbon through the center of the city, Mr. Donaldson has brought to the state a most interesting and beautiful floral ribbon. In the Mall, which lies like a floral ribbon through the center of the city, Mr. Donaldson has brought to the state a most interesting and beautiful floral ribbon. In the Mall, which lies like a floral ribbon through the center of the city, Mr. Donaldson has brought to the state a most interesting and beautiful floral ribbon."

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Negro Killed For Attempted Robbery of Chicken Coop

William Birdsong, an old negro of the quarter, was shot and killed Tuesday night by George McEachern, as he lay in wait for a chicken thief who has been making war with his flock. Birdsong entered the yard of the McEachern place in the edge of the quarters at about 11 o'clock, and was peppered by the shot. Birdsong was killed in the chest and abdomen at close quarters.

The negro turned and started to run, but he was shot through the gate. He lived about an hour. No arrest was made.

Local Players Will Present "Uncle Johnnie"

The Avon Amusement company, a newly organized troupe of local players, will make its debut at the quarter, serving the first night of the season with the presentation of "Uncle Johnnie," a four-act play. In addition to the play, there will be musical and comedy specialties between the acts.

Walter Johns is manager of the company. Bert Hathcock and Oscar W. Chasler are the leading players in the cast which includes twelve local players. A string band will be a feature of the entertainment.

Episcopal Church Has Family Dinner

The members of the Episcopal Church were entertained at the annual family dinner in the Parish House on Wednesday evening. The Church Service League held their regular meeting in the afternoon and prepared the delicious meal that was served to about 60 members and guests.

At the dinner Fr. Johnson presented the annual budget for the coming year, after reviewing the progress of the church during the past 12 months.

Fr. Johnson then introduced the Rev. Wm. F. Moses who was the guest speaker of the evening and everyone enjoyed this feature of the program.

P. T. A. Appeals For Attendance

There are numbers of people in Avon Park who do not belong to the Parent Teachers' Association. If you are a patron of the school, it is your duty to become a member. The dues are only fifty cents a year and meetings are held once a month (the second Thursday in each month). Following the business session, an entertaining program is given and a social hour is enjoyed. The P. T. A. needs you! Be there next Thursday.

—Publicity Chairman.

Chevrolet's New Car on Display

1932 Model Embodying Many Improvements Shown by Avon Motors Co.

Chevrolet's new car for 1932 goes on display Saturday at the showroom of the Avon Motors Company, local dealers, who have secured a Coach of the new model for display and demonstration purposes. "Chevrolet's sensational offering for 1932 is the greatest car in every respect that the company has ever put out," said H. E. Keller, manager of Avon Motors company. "Constant improvement in Chevrolet during the past has led us to look for a better and better car each year, but this year's new car surpasses anything that he had looked for, and we believe the public will be quick to appreciate the beautiful new car for 1932."

Embodying silent synchro-mesh transmission in combination with selective free-wheeling, a 20 percent increase in power, top speed of 55 to 70 miles an hour, streamline bodies and a wealth of other new features, the new car remains in the price range of the current models, the lowest at which a Chevrolet has ever sold.

Heralded as "The Great American Value for 1932," the car boasts more extensive changes than any annual Chevrolet model since the change-over to a six in 1928. Yet changes are mostly refinements over the basic design of the 1931 car which, from the standpoint of public acceptance, was the most successful in the history of the company, and brought Chevrolet first place in the industry during the highly competitive market of the past 12 months.

Practically every proven automotive feature of recent years is incorporated in the new 1932 Chevrolet, as well as a new "stabilized" front end construction, counterbalanced crankshaft, smaller wheels and larger tires, radically rearranged front end appearance, "finger touch" front seat adjustment, hood doors instead of louvers, improved steering, and a sensational cross member in the frame.

The 21 domestic plants are now busy producing the new line. The stimulus to employment in the Chevrolet organization, in affiliated Fisher Body plants and among independent contractors, is being maintained.

United Charity Thanks Its Donors

O. R. Perry and Mrs. W. H. Yates, representing the United Charities organization of Avon Park, extended thanks to the following for recent contributions to the charity fund: To the Florida Public Service company employees, for the contribution of one day's pay of all employees; to the Avon Park employees, which amounted to \$80.54.

To the Union Thanksgiving service for a collection of \$12.05.

To the Crum Line Dairy for the donation of one day's receipts and for a quantity of milk for distribution to the needy.

Negro Woman Cuts Rival; Nearly Fatal

Lula Thomas, Avon Park negro woman was arrested in the quarters Sunday night by Officer W. A. Roberts following a cutting affray, and was turned over to the county charged with assault with intent to kill. She is charged with inflicting a serious knife wound on Ida Harp, another negro woman. The Harp woman was thrown to the ground, and had it not been for prompt medical attention on the part of Dr. W. C. Touchton and E. W. Chasler, her wounds would have proven fatal. She was treated at the Touchton hospital, and at last reports is reported as recovering.

Guild Will Hold Baked Goods Sale

The ladies of the Episcopal Guild will hold a baked goods sale at the office of Mandis Day's Saturday, December 12. Fancy work of all kinds will also be offered to the ladies. Coffee and doughnuts and home-made candy will also be sold throughout the day and evening.

Buy Auto Tags and Aid Schools

Commissioners Pass Resolution Urging Car Owners To Buy Early

At the last meeting of the board of county commissioners a resolution passed by the Lions Club of Homestead was received and which urged the early purchase of automobile license tags in order to aid the schools for the month of December and January will be cramped for funds.

AND WHEREAS: It is desirable that the teachers in the various schools of Florida be promptly paid their salaries.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, Florida, that all patriotic citizens of our county and state be urged, the schools for the month of December and January will be cramped for funds.

RESOLVED FURTHER: That all societies, clubs and associations who have at heart the good of our schools be, and they are hereby asked to co-operate to this end.

Board of County Commissioners, Highlands County.

Supreme Court Affirms Decision Made Here In 1928

The state supreme court last week affirmed the decision of the highlands county circuit court for the defendant in the case of the Lake Childs Co. vs. Eugene W. Kelley and which was tried here in December 1928. This was the fourth trial in the case, the previous three all ended in mistrials.

The case involved land lines and the alleged difference between the original survey of Jackson and Childs in 1850 and the resurvey by Kimmel in 1917. The actual acreage involved was small and situated in Township 87 south, Range 30 east.

During the trial in December 1928 the court in its entirety spent several days in the field and jury inspected the sites of what were said to be old witness trees and original boundaries.

The case may be carried to the federal supreme court.

Hundred Guests Attend Supper at Congregational

One hundred guests were served the annual turkey supper at the Congregational church Thursday night by ladies of the church. Handwritten and church souvenirs in usual profusion of display were well patronized during the afternoon and by the supper guests.

Dance at Highland Lakes December 18

There will be a dance at Highland Lakes Casino on the night of December 18th, music to be furnished by Barney Noland's orchestra. Net proceeds of the dance will go to charity, according to Lee Hagood, who is assisting with arrangements.

Sunday Sermon at Congregational

"Who Gets the Biggest Compensation?" Even in the present world-wide depression many men are pulling down enormous salaries for special abilities. Who is best paid for his efforts? The sermon at the Congregational church Sunday morning at 11 will be an attempt to value the real satisfying rewards of life.

In the evening at 7:30 "Scenes from the Rome of Paul's Day" will be shown on the screen, with a study of the Christian life in early Rome, enlarging on the lessons of the International Sunday school lesson for the day. Bible school at 8:45 a. m.

HOW THEY RAN

FOR MAYOR	
Marc E. Covington	433
G. L. Crews	298
Bert F. Willson	299
FOR COUNCIL	
Ed A. DeLaney	561
J. L. Masters	533
I. H. Ford	526
S. J. Pendleton	504
Charles R. Head	494
F. S. Jordan	483
W. T. Hall	465
O. E. Howell	462
A. K. Conoley	389
E. S. James	239

"The Lasting Glory" To Be Presented at the Congregational

"The Lasting Glory" is the title of a Christmas Pageant that will be presented on the evening of Dec. 22 in the Congregational church. A cast of 60 performers will take part in the presentation, including 20 speakers, a chorus and a band. This elaborate representation of the Christmas story is being prepared and directed by Mrs. S. A. 304 votes, with the new members of the council, while Col. C. R. Head was re-elected as the fifth member of the council, beating out F. S. Jordan, next high man by one vote.

James Appreciates Complimentary Vote

C. S. James, defeated for city council in Tuesday's city election, expresses his appreciation to those who favored him in the following: "I wish to express my sincere appreciation to those friends who supported me in the city election last Tuesday. In view of the unusual condition existing, when fractional lines seemed to be so clearly drawn, I feel that 231 votes given to a comparatively new comer, running as an independent candidate, and without any organized support, is a high compliment, indeed."

Future Farmer Popularity Contest

Standing of contestants in the popularity contest conducted by the Future Farmers of the high school, at the close of the day Thursday was as follows:

- 12th Grade—Dorothy Roberts, 2420 votes.
- 11th Grade—Honey Sue Roberts, 2420 votes.
- 10th Grade—Willie Mae Sibley—190 votes.
- 9th Grade—Sarah Smith—930 votes.

The contest started Wednesday and will continue through Friday, December 11th. Prizes are offered by Jordan & Son, Avon Park Drug Company, Jacobsen Drug Company and Smith-Dornine Hardware company.

A high school class selects the girl it wishes to support. Ballot boxes are located at each drug store and in the hall, tickets can be purchased at the drug stores from any student having them for sale. Each ticket is good for 110 votes and every penny paid in the ballot box counts 10 votes. Mr. counts the same as one ticket.

First prize is a necklace and a bracelet which is on display at the Jordan jewelry company.

Second prize, a Compact donated by the Avon Park Drug company is on display there.

Contest starts Wednesday, Dec. 2, at 7 o'clock with a pie supper at 7 p. m. Friday, Dec. 11, at the High School Auditorium. The selling price of each pie is converted into votes for your candidate. The daily standing of the contestants will be posted at the drug stores and at the High School. Those wishing to sell tickets see Mr. Funderburk, who is in charge of the contest.

Proceeds from this contest will be used to complete and equip the Future Farmer brooder house. There will be an entertainment after the pies are sold.

C. of C. Membership Committee Meets

The membership committee of the chapter of commerce is meeting today at the office of Col. C. R. Head to make plans for conducting the annual membership campaign. The meeting was scheduled for two o'clock this afternoon and report of the meeting could not be had for this issue.

MAYOR AND FIVE COUNCILMEN ARE NAMED TUESDAY

Covington Mayor; DeLaney, Masters, Ford, Pendleton and Head Elected to Council for Next Two Years.

One thousand and thirty-nine citizens of Avon Park went to polls Tuesday and, breaking all records for a turn-out, elected a mayor and five councilmen to serve the next two years.

Marc E. Covington was elected mayor, receiving 433 votes. G. L. Crews was second with 298, while Bert F. Willson ran third with 299. Ed A. DeLaney, president of the city council, was re-elected by a vote of 561 to lead the ticket. J. L. Masters was re-elected with 533 votes, and was second on the ticket. I. H. Ford, with 526 votes, and S. J. Pendleton, with 504 votes, were also on the ticket. Col. C. R. Head was re-elected as the fifth member of the council, beating out F. S. Jordan, next high man by one vote.

Intense interest was shown in the election and the vote broke all records for Avon Park. Nearly 1300 were registered to vote, 400 names having been added for the election. Rumors of illegal voting in some few cases were heard. It was stated that two Hardee county residents voted. Threatened action against these has not yet been taken.

The dominant issue of the campaign concerned the re-appointment of City Attorney S. C. Pardee, and the election took on a Pardee and anti-Pardee aspect early in the race. Pardee, with the backing of an organization favorable to his re-appointment, put out a "ticket" headed by Bert Willson for mayor, and Ford, Hall, Masters, and Head.

The ticket lost out in the mayor's race, but was successful in electing three of its members to the council, presumably favorable to the re-appointment of Mr. Pardee.

The anti-Pardee ticket was composed of Mayor DeLaney, Head, Jordan and Wolff. C. S. James ran as an independent, and received support from both sides.

While fractional lines were rather clearly drawn as a rule, it was apparent that many voters failed to adhere to either ticket, and many mixed tickets were voted. Indeed, it was the mixed tickets that decided the result, and as votes fell for the mixed tickets, the final result showed that only 31 votes separated the eighth man from the fifth man on the ticket.

Street rumors that the election would be contested have failed to materialize, and up until this afternoon there had been no action filed.

DeLaney Promises His Best Efforts

Commenting upon the outcome of the election, Ed DeLaney, who leads the councilmen ticket, said: "I am deeply appreciative of the vote of confidence given me by the people of Avon Park in re-electing me to the city council. I have made no promises to anyone, except that I will continue to work for the best interests of the city, as I see it, and as has been my policy in the past. I feel that the best interests of the city will be served by harmony and co-operation and it will be my aim to give the people a feeling as far as it is within my power."

Breaks Shoulder In Auto Crash

C. L. Gunter of Avon Park received a broken shoulder as the result of an auto crash Friday night, near Oklawaha. The car in which Gunter was riding was enroute to this city from a short trip to the coast, approaching a curve did not see them, causing the accident. Mr. Gunter is reported as recovering very nicely and is able to go out.

Stewart-True Wedding

Miss Vera True of Sebring, and Dr. D. Stewart, an agriculturist of the Highlands county schools, were married at the home of the bride's parents in Sebring Friday afternoon.

Says Stop Sale of Migratory Birds

Dr. Pearson Urges World-Wide Action On Sale For Food Purposes

New York, Dec. 3.—Advisability of stopping the sale of bodies of migratory birds for food purposes, in all countries where the practice still exists, is urged by Dr. T. Gilbert Pearson, chairman of the International Committee for Bird Preservation, in the third biennial Bulletin just published by the Committee.

"If wild ducks and golden plovers are to be taken by increasing thousands every year for the purpose of selling their bodies to the epicures of the world," observes Dr. Pearson, "it is reasonable to assume that soon Nature will be unable to provide an adequate supply of young to keep these migratory species from becoming exterminated."

Species of birds which Dr. Pearson feels should be included in a ban imposed by all countries insofar as sale for food purposes is concerned are the golden plover, wild waterfowl, the European quail and various species of small song birds. He quotes official figures showing a gradual decline in numbers of quail exported from Alexandria, Egypt, to European ports, as follows: 1927, 767,850; 1928, 544,250; 1929, 449,650; 1930, 410,846. Dr. Pearson expresses the opinion that the decline in the number of quail exported from Egypt "is probably due more to a constant decline in their numbers than to a decreasing demand of their bodies for food."

Southern Beekeepers To Meet In Florida

Beekeepers from over the southern states will gather at St. Petersburg February 2 and 3 for the annual Southern States Beekeepers' Conference, according to R. E. Foster, state apiair inspector.

An interesting program of talks, motorades, and visits to the South Florida Fair is being planned.

There are now 6,489 farm dwellings in Florida lighted by electricity compared with 2,042 in 1920, according to census reports.

Sarasota—\$400,000,000 art museum built and equipped by John Ringling, direct owner of the Ringling circus, will be opened to public about Jan. 15, 1932.

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NEWS of General Interest To Highlands County

HICORIA

Mrs. C. F. Tucker and Joe were in Arcadia Monday.

E. A. Whitaker made a business trip to Lake Placid Saturday.

Ernest Eures and Lawton Roberts spent Sunday in Sebring.

Mrs. T. R. Carlton and Billie and Dorothy were in Arcadia Saturday night.

Miss Lillie Eures and Eloise and L. W. Eures were in Lake Placid Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnes and Mr. and Mrs. Dykes were in Arcadia Saturday night.

Messrs. Rod Morrison and Earl Peoples were in Oklawaha Sunday night.

Bob Franklin returned Tuesday from a business trip to North Florida and parts of Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Guthrie and Mrs. L. T. Farmer, Miss Lula Blakey, Miss Myra Agnew, Miss Allie Mae Etheredge and Mrs. D. P. Jones, Mrs. W. O. Jones, Miss Martha Lane, Mrs. Nora Webster and the hostess, Mrs. Perry Etheredge.

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VENUS

L. Dodson was in town Wednesday.

J. H. Holcomb is grinding cane this week.

Charley McCoy is shipping cucumbers this week.

J. I. Southernland motored to Arcadia Friday.

Miss Studley spent Thanksgiving in Sebring.

Supr. F. N. K. Bailey was visiting at a luncheon Saturday at her home in honor of Mrs. W. O. Jones and Miss Martha Lane who were visiting Mrs. L. T. Farmer.

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Less Killing of Egrets For Plumes

Slaughter of Ibises For Food Also Decreases In Florida

New York, Dec. 3.—The killing of egrets for their plumes and the wholesale slaughter of ibises for food has materially decreased during the past year according to a statement by Dr. T. Gilbert Pearson, president of the National Association of Audubon Societies. Dr. Pearson attributes this decrease in bird slaughter in Florida to the additional warden service provided in that area by the Audubon Association and the "heavy co-operation of Federal and State authorities with the National Association with a view to protecting the interests of the bird."

"A year ago," says Dr. Pearson, "as a member of the investigating committee authorized by Congress to look into the merits of the proposal to establish a Tropic Everglades National Park in South Florida, I visited four up an uninhabited river, a colony of perhaps 20,000 herons, egrets and ibises already beginning to build their nests. I talked with eye witnesses to the killing of 5,000 ibises on that river the year before. Their bodies were salted and taken away for food."

The National Association of Audubon Societies is determined that this practice shall be discontinued. Without adequate protection, this last great wilderness area of Eastern United States must, before long, be depopulated of many of its interesting forms of life."

At the present time, the Association is employing six wardens in the Everglades in order to assist State and Federal authorities as much as possible. Since my tour through the Everglades, last year, two Audubon Wardens were appointed and kept repeating to me: "I am getting luckier and luckier day by day. You will be surprised at the results both in your luck and also in your popularity at the bird."

The following hands are interesting and instructive:

Hand No. 1
Hearts—A, K, Q, 10, 7, 6, 5, 2
Clubs—A, K, Q, 10, 7, 6, 5, 2
Diamonds—A, K, Q, 10, 7, 6, 5, 2
Spades—A, K, Q, 10, 7, 6, 5, 2

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Hand No. 4
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Clubs—A, K, Q, 10, 7, 6, 5, 2
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Spades—A, K, Q, 10, 7, 6, 5, 2

Hand No. 6
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Spades—A, K, Q, 10, 7, 6, 5, 2

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How to play Bridge AUCTION and CONTRACT

by Wynne Ferguson
Author of "PRACTICAL AUCTION BRIDGE"

ARTICLE No. 6

There is no Auction player in the world who always wins or who always loses, and yet some players, deservedly or otherwise, get that reputation. It is very useful to have a reputation for good luck. It not only gives you a partner confidence in you, but also worries your opponents. Card players as a class are superstitious, even though they will not admit it, and when a player has the reputation of being "always winning," he generally does. He has a happy air of success that imparts itself to his partner and opponents alike. "I love to play with you, partner. You always make me feel that we are going to win." Such remarks to a winning player are often heard and show the influence that his reputation exerts.

On the other hand, consider the player who "always loses." He takes his place at the table with a sad and morose expression as if Fate has already marked him out as the loser of the rubber. He generally starts out with a remark like this: "I haven't been able to hold a face card in seven so watch your step." He takes a queer sort of pride in his bad luck and seems to enjoy talking about it.

Needless to say, such a player has a bad influence on his partner and an encouraging one on his opponents. He certainly deserves to always lose. He is his own most formidable opponent, and he is usually the cause of his own defeat.

There is a lot of psychology in Auction and Contract and the winning player is generally the one who is able to win with the best of the will to win but with the belief that he will win. He is usually the one who is able to win with the best of the will to win but with the belief that he will win.

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No score, rubber game. Either at Auction or at Contract, if Y's partner had first bid spades and bid them on the third round of bidding, bid four diamonds, what should Y now bid? A passed four diamonds? Y should bid four spades. His partner has shown a good spade hand by his rebid and only a fair diamond hand. Y's hand has probably the same strength in both suits and therefore the same chance to make four in either suit. As four spades score game, it is the preferable bid. Hand No. 2 is

Meet To Discuss Disarmament

Dr. John Martin To Be One of Principal Speakers at Lake Wales

A Lake Wales committee for world disarmament has arranged for a public meeting to be held at the high school auditorium in that city on the evening of December 9, when Dr. John Martin of Winter Park will be the principal speaker. Miss Evelyn Newman of Rollins College will also make an address, and the assemblage will be presided over by Judge Spessard Holland of Bartow. The program is scheduled to begin at 8 o'clock and the general public is not only invited but urged to attend. No admission charge will be made.

This meeting is a forerunner of the world wide disarmament conference to be held in Geneva on February 2, 1932. Both the principal speakers are thoroughly versed in their subjects and a feast of wisdom and enlightenment is in store. Dr. Martin is conference leader and consultant on international relations for Rollins College; he received his B. S. degree from the University of London, has been executive director of the League for Political Education in New York City, member of the Board of Education of Greater New York, on the faculty of the East London Technical Institute and is a world noted author and lecturer on social and political subjects. He has a message that none in Lake Wales can afford to miss.

Miss Newman received her degree from the University of Chicago, University of Dublin, Trinity College and has been a summer school member, Oxford, England. She has been in demand throughout the country both as a lecturer and executive, and like Dr. Martin, will bring a message to Lake Wales that should be heard by all.

Judge Holland, of course, needs no introduction to the people of this vicinity, and wherever he presides the meeting is sure to progress with snap, and the local committee in charge of the worthy cause is to be commended indeed for the caliber of the people it has secured for the first meeting of this kind in Lake Wales. And don't forget the date, Wednesday evening, December 9, at 8 o'clock. The place—high school auditorium, Lake Wales.

Injured Citrus Fruit Likely To Decay Enroute

The rind of a citrus fruit is the natural seal against the organisms that cause decay, and when this rind is broken by rough handling the chances are seven out of 10 that the wound will result in decay before the fruit is consumed. E. F. DeBuck, extension citriculturist, recently stated in an address from WRUF.

"If 10 oranges in a box of 200 decay there's not only a 5 percent loss of fruit, but a great loss in the reputation of the 190 oranges left."

"Present conditions demand the greatest of care in picking, handling, and grading our citrus to keep decay losses reduced to the minimum, and to withhold from the markets all decaying and doubtful fruit."

Much fruit is damaged while it is being picked. He suggested using clippers that would not scar the fruit, employing a competent foreman, and arranging a wage scale for the pickers that would encourage quality work. "Fruit should not be picked soon after a rain or while the dew is on it as it is more turgid and more susceptible to injuries."

Good field boxes are an important factor in keeping down decay. He told of one packinghouse where 32 percent of the field boxes contained from one to four protruding nails each. The boxes were filled twice a day, and it is an easy matter to see the damage such a careless practice will do to fruit and reputation as well.

The fruit should be carefully graded to see that every cull as well as injured specimen is not packed. He stressed a good tight pack with medium bulge, and careful handling of it.

Much of the citrus that goes to market by truck is handled in a careless manner. Though the route to the consumer is short, he stressed the importance of careful loading and handling of the fruit moved by truck.

Spring Valley Couple Get Marriage Licence

Wilson Davis and Miss Lula Mae Durrance, both living at Spring Valley, were issued a marriage licence by the county judge last Saturday and were later married by Rev. J. W. Rogers.

Pensacola.—Telephone system being converted into dial system.

County Agent Files Report For Past Year

The annual report of County Agent Louis H. Alsmeyer was filed with the Board of County Commissioners this week and covered from Dec. 1st, 1930 until Nov. 30th of this year.

During that time the county agent traveled 16,521 miles with his car, made 1061 farm and grove visits, and 129 home visits. He

had 2366 office calls and 1460 telephone calls. He wrote 612 letters, sent out five circular letters, distributed 1362 state and federal bulletins, and made three talks over state radio station WRUF. Six tours were conducted which were attended by 212 people, and 223 people attended the seven demonstration meetings. There were 85 other meetings held with 2792 in attendance. There were 306½ days spent in the field and only 76 days in the office.

Club Girl Proud of Inexpensive, Attractive Room

"My living room is rather inexpensive but it's attractive, and I'm as proud of it as a baby would be of a new rattle," Agnes White, Holmes county 4-H club girl and state home improvement champion, recently said. Agnes began her 4-H club home

improvement work, four years ago in what she calls, "my gloomy room." With a little help from her parents and two 4-H club sisters and \$15 in cash, the room of which she is now proud is the result, according to Mrs. Bettie Caudle, home demonstration agent.

First of all the davenport, table, bedstead, and other furniture were painted to a green color scheme. Three chairs, a library table, and a dressing table were then built and painted. Two door stops were made,

the davenport was covered, cushions were made for the chairs, and new curtains and pillow cases were made.

"I didn't have any money, but I realized that attractive furniture counts for little if it is not comfortable and effectively arranged. I had but little living room furniture, but I knew a room looked better with too little furniture than with too much," Agnes said.

"I am a club girl who has definite household tasks to perform daily. I

have my bedroom, the living room, and dining room to care for, and in addition to the daily clean-up give them a thorough cleaning every week. I couldn't tell in a lifetime what 4-H club work has done for me. It has made a more attractive home, better housekeeping, and a more happy, contented, and home loving people in this country."

DeLand.—Work on railroad siding at Volusia county fairgrounds being rushed to completion.

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THE GREAT AMERICAN VALUE FOR 1932

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ADVERTISING RATES FURNISHED UPON REQUEST

Ghandi is going home dissatisfied. Those Brits can't get the fellow's goat.

A little hard to believe that Italy does not want to borrow any money from the United States. She's the only country reported that way.

Boom times again in Florida—down in the Everglades where they are having trouble in building shelter fast enough for the army of bean pickers and other handlers of truck.

Dwight Morrow's sixth rule for living, it is said, was "Don't take yourself too seriously." We don't know what the other rules were, but if everybody would take No. 6 to heart this would be a better and brighter world.

Prosperity, or end of depression, note: "A new picket fence is being built around the Methodist church lot this week. It will be very attractive when finished."—Mayo Free Press.

We are more "sot" in our preference of Cary Hardee as a gubernatorial candidate than ever, now that we learn he is a cousin of Ma Ruhl's. With Ma a power behind the throne things just can't go wrong.

Many people will not be able to buy auto tags yet, but many others could buy them as well one time as another. The latter should secure their tags promptly, and thus help the teachers of the State who need their pay badly.

All this talk about the gold standard, using silver as money, etc., reminds us that we have somewhat the same attitude as the Cracker, who declared that he'd be glad to have gold, silver, or greenbacks, "and darned if I couldn't use some counterfeit."

Alfalfa Bill Murray, of Oklahoma, is hailed by admiring friends as a possible candidate before the Democratic convention. He is a picturesque personality, and might not be a bad bet as running mate for Franklin D. Roosevelt.

An admirer of Ma Ruhl writes her that she could earn \$25,000 a year up North as an editorial writer. No sale. Ma is worth more than that to Frostproof and South Florida, and we doubt if she'd live up North for double the suggested salary.

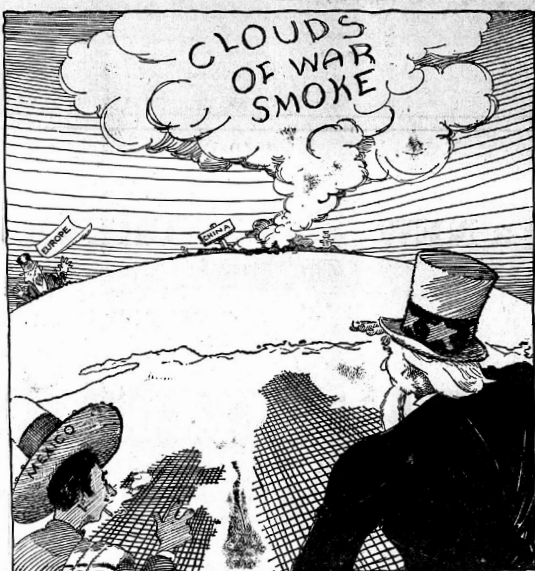
Figures may not lie — especially when scantily draped, as is the prevailing fashion — but faces sometimes do. And if they don't, we would want to be at the other end of a horse trade or real estate deal with this, now, Dino Grandi. There's something about the looks of that boy that doesn't remind us of one of the holy innocents.

Persons wishing accommodations in the country's prisons should check their reservations well in advance. Texas, Alabama, and perhaps other States, have notified the public that no more patronage is desired for their penal institutions. Some judges continue, however, to impose unreasonable prison sentences upon poor devils caught with half a pint of liquor. Murder, now — that's different.

Most of the State's older editors learned what grammar they know from the Punta Gorda Herald, when it was edited by the scholarly Adrian P. Jordan. The blood pressure of that beloved journalist would have risen had he lived to see a statement in the current issue of the Herald that "there have been more whom have not been heard of." But then the busy editor has little time to cultivate the role of grammatical purist.

Heard a visitor say the other day that Avon Park is one of the prettiest places he has seen, and he has traveled much. He particularly admired the Mall, as a feature of which any city might well be proud. We have a wealth of beauty in and around Avon Park. It is a pity that it is not as well advertised as many other Florida communities. The number of winter visitors each season could be doubled without too great effort. That is an industry that pays well, and it ought to be cultivated.

WHERE THERE IS SO MUCH SMOKE . . .



The fellow who dug up and carried off that tomato can in which a Florida farmer had cached \$1,500, might at least have left a line stating that it was carried away "for the benefit of the depositor."

Denunciation of John J. Raskob is frequently the fashion with people who know practically nothing about him, but who think it is the popular thing to denounce him. As a matter of fact he is a kindly man who does an immense amount of charitable and benevolent work — more than the combined output of many of his denouncers as could stand in a ten-acre field.

A Florida college is to establish a course in out-of-door life under the direction of a "Professor of hunting and fishing." Here's warning that almost any little one-galussed Cracker with a pin hook can show a better string of fish for his day's work than the professor. The idea of giving a boy a college course in how to hunt or fish! Might as well teach a kitten how to lap cream. But that's modern education.

One of the matters of contention between Tampa cigar makers and their employers relates to the custom of having some one read aloud to the employees while they work. It seems that latterly Communist literature has been used to entertain the workers, and the manufacturers, disapproving this, would abolish the practice. We were about to suggest that the Congressional Record might furnish the reading material; but that might make radicals out of the listeners, too. Better stick to the two fine Tampa papers, from which they will get no suggestion contrary to good citizenship.

Why not buy a cancelled bill from the man you owe as a Christmas present for yourself and family?

SOME MEMORIES OF OTHER DAYS

I remember, I remember
Away back yonder when
Instead of many petticoats
The girls wore eight or ten.
—Quinn Bala.

I remember, I remember
A fairly recent year
When girls almost always
Wore a snug brassiere.
—PEB—Tampabay.

I remember, I remember
And I don't mean maybe, Eddy,
When nearly every girl wore
A garment called a teddy.
—Inverness Chronicle.

And it was not so long ago—
Now we're doing all the knockings—
That girls would never leave the bowdler,
Until they'd done their stockings.
—Lake Wales Highlander.

I remember, I remember
When the morals of the race
Frowned upon the brazen woman
Who would dare to paint her face.
—The Arcadian.

I remember, I remember
A decade past or more,
When no editor admitted knowing
What the girls wore.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

By RUSSELL KAY

They're talking about another "Elsteddoff" (you pronounce it) at Lake Wales. You know an "Elsteddoff" (alright, look in your old dictionary, and see if I care) is some kind of a Welsh song service. But it seems that some folks are afraid the expense attached to it might bring out a discordant NOTE, so they want to Welsh on it this year. In that case this year's "Elsteddoff" will be a kind of a Frosen Asset.

And it seems we are approaching the 200th Anniversary of George Washington and the Bi-Centennial of the United States. The Bi-Centennial Committee wants everybody to plant a Memorial Tree. First they were gonna have all throw a dollar across the Potomac, but so few folks had that they had to give that up. Then they figured they might get up a big excursion and cross the Delaware, but that idea wasn't so hot either, as the banks on both sides would probably be closed on account of it being a National Holiday or for the protection of the Depositors or something, so now all we can do is plant a tree. In other words TREE cheers for George Washington.

And Florida is to have a wov of an exhibit at the Century of Progress in Chicago in 1933. The Governor wanted to do it up Brown, so he selected the Mayor of DeLand as Chairman of the Exhibit Committee. Looks like Florida was out to get her share of the Chicago PINEAPPLE trade. But we gotta pay the Commission whenever they make the sale or not.

And maybe Flagler Beach didn't throw out her little Community Chest when she found that the guy who dropped in on her was Lindbergh's little boy Charlie. And Mr. Rockefeller invited Charlie to come have lunch with him at Grand Central, but Charlie replied he was having a good DIME where he was. And now some enterprising Chamber of Commerce Secretary can point out the advantages of our Florida Figs. FOGoodness Sake.

And if we build all the race tracks we've been talking about, we'll have a lot of people turn out to see RACE SUICIDE for a lot of the promoters. Anyhow, we ought to have a nice little Dog and Pony show down here this winter, and if Florida goes to the DOGS, well, that'll just be a HORSE on somebody else. But the BIG race will be the GOVERNOR'S DERBY.

According to Colonel Youngberg we can build a nice little ship canal across the state of Florida for around two hundred million dollars. "And then we'd have a lot of fun standing on the bank and watching that beautiful BOND ISSUE floated. Well, why don't somebody write a letter to Santa Claus, or maybe you don't believe in Santa Claus. Sure, a cross state canal would be swell and I'm for it, but let's wait until after Christmas anyhow."

"And the Jack you get with your automobile may be the car, but Mr. Lincoln reminds us that it's up to us to RAISE THE JACK for a new tag, and it's gonna be harder to raise this year than our last. And it seems that if you don't buy your tag, our poor school teachers won't get any salary and all work and no pay will make JACK a dull boy. And if you don't get your new tag before February 1st, you can go to jail and pay twenty-five per cent additional and let that be a LESSON to you."

And one of the biggest troubles with the country to-day seems to be that the RED, WHITE and BLUE ain't what it used to be. A lot of folks can't see anything but the RED and another crowd can't see anything but the BLUE while the Prohibitionists have taken all the rest for WHITE ribbons. What few real AMERICANS have we left can hitch their wagon to a STAR.

Congressman Drane has been wading around in the Everglades, getting' chummy with the Indians and he tells us they're getting a bum deal. Well, what if it, ain't all the rest of us? If the Government really wants to do something for 'em, why not give 'em a BLANKET order. And Mr. Drane says some naughty bootleggers have been sellin' 'em moonshine. So that accounts for the much advertised Seminole Corn Dance. Well, what does Mr. Drane want the bootleggers to do GIVE IT AWAY FREE?

FRIENDS

By JUDGE JOHN W. DODGE

FLORIDA'S REAL WEALTH.
More than forty million friends are our next door neighbors — if we treat each one as a friend.

Rapidity of communication and transportation have greatly annihilated both space and time. The telegraph, telephone, radio, and ships, rails, paved highways, autos and aeroplanes, have made all of us next powers of those with whom we come into contact. Are we rightly using these forms in our contacts?

Prosperity makes friends — adversity tries them. Make friends but be sure you keep them. Turnovers in friendship are much more serious, more disastrous, and more costly than labor turnovers.

When friends are lost the fruits of a life rot, decay, vanish away. Hold your friends.

Actions, not words, are the true criterion of the attachments of friends; the surest liberal professions are very far from being the surest marks of it.

"Words are easy, like the wind;

Faithful friends are hard to find," said Shakespeare. Make friends. Keep friends. Be a friend. Stick to your friends. Friendship is a sacred tie.

"I call you friend," are words divine — "I am your friend," is a heavenly song for the ages of eternity. The fruits of friendship are Florida's best fruits. Grow them.

I can now sing, with the poet, "Let me live in a house by the side of the road, and be a friend to man," to our Forty Million Friends.

As an investment, what would forty million friends of Florida mean to our State? What would it mean to our business men, our banks, our churches, our schools, our counties, our cities — to you and to me — if we made those forty million our friends?

We plant and cultivate; we sow and reap; we market and merchandise; we sow and reap: What? Try Friendship.

"A man that hath friends must show himself friendly." Are we as friendly as we might be?

Friendships are wealth; they are also obligations. Wealth and obligations have varied forms. They exist in the person, property, position, purpose and

Echoes of the State Press

POOR PATRIOTISM.

Under the heading "Besmirching the President," the Winter Haven Chief, calls attention to a remark made against the President at a recent political rally, which reads as follows:

"Judge Uly Thompson, speaking at a democratic rally in Miami, said: 'If Hoover stays in four more years, Gandhi will be the world's best-dressed man. Maybe that was meant facetiously, which is well; but if meant seriously, then that man Thompson ought to be ashamed of himself for descending to the cheap blatherer method of assailing the President of the United States, who has always been, because of his office, the scapegoat for the millions of Americans who themselves are guilty of most of the ills that afflict the nation. Let's have less of this cheap, political twaddle and more honest and earnest facing of the facts.'"

Although voting as a Democrat, we could not countenance a remark of this character against the President of the United States. Irrespective of party affiliation, this is poor patriotism, even if it may be classed as good politics. The President, due to the depression, has been made the "goat" while others of equal or more responsibility have escaped any kind of criticism. It is high time we thought more about patriotism and less about politics. It's politics, if the truth can be told, that has brought us where we are and its going to take some sturdy patriotism to put us back where we were. It is also high time that the President was ceased being made a political football and a little more of the kicking directed against the shyder politician who can find fault with everybody and everything and never sees his own faults. More patriotic airs and less jazz—less ridicule of the United States and more football with the war, and we can have a better type of citizenship, and cleaner politics.—Davenport Times.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By EDSON R. WAITE
Shawnee, Oklahoma

Warren H. Pierce, editor of The Clinton (Indiana) Clintonian, says:

"The depression is over.
"Whether or not the public in general believes it, whether or not we suffer a recession or two on the upward path, it is nevertheless possible to assert confidently that the depression is over and know that the future will justify the remark."

"From this day forward will become evident the wisdom of those businesses which refused to be scared away from advertising by the baraboo of depression. It will become evident that advertising is a two-way force. On the down-grade of business conditions it acts as a powerful brake. These firms that severely curtailed their advertising schedules rocketed to the depths of depression, far far below their more clear-sighted competitors whose steady advertising volume kept them close to the top of the hill."

"And those firms which stepped advertising have a long way to climb back. Not only did they sink lower than the firms that advertised, but even if they now renew their advertising in full volume it will take them a long time to reach the selling momentum they once had."

"It must be borne in mind that the value of advertising is cumulative in its effect. A series of ten ads is worth one hundred times as much as a single ad. And therein lies the great reason for advertisers — keep advertising constantly at it."

"In the time of depression life the greatest of opportunities for the wise and foresighted company. Then is the time that it may gain such an overwhelming lead over its competitors that it can never be overtaken."

"For those firms that have cut their advertising, there is but one hope. And that is to start right now to ride the rising tide in the hopes of distancing those least wise of all firms which insist on waiting until prosperity is back before renewing their advertising."

Chevrolet New Car On Display

(Continued from page one)

dependent suppliers made possible by the introduction of the car, it is conservatively estimated, will add to the earnings of 200,000 people. Twelve standard body styles are in the line this year — three open and nine closed Fisher bodies — all in new Duco color combinations and all with smart new features. In addition, eight models also are available with deluxe equipment, making possible individuality of appearance and providing selection from 20 different types.

Of the mechanical changes, the outstanding one is the new transmission unit, which is entirely Chevrolet-built and is said to combine for the first time in any car the combination of synchromesh with simplified free wheeling as standard equipment at no extra cost. Free wheeling is provided by an over-running clutch engaged at the discretion of the driver by a control button on the instrument panel. This optional feature enables the driver to utilize the full breaking power of the engine if he desires, and to use the free wheeling feature only when traffic conditions make it desirable.

While the wheelbase remains at 100-inches, the car looks longer than last year's lower, speedier and more powerful promises borne out by the greatly improved power plant. The most striking change in exterior appearance is the new front end, which has been completely redesigned this year.

The new "dashbar" front end mounting is an important feature of the new car. In conventional mounting the radiator, fenders and headlights are supported from the sides of the frame, and in driving over rough roads the front end weaves and vibrates. This is annoying to occupants as well as frequently results in the origin of squeaks and rattles at points of stress.

In the new Chevrolet, the fenders, radiator and headlamps are carried on a single fender support unit, which is anchored to the center of the chassis as a member of the frame. This pivotal anchorage enables the front end to sway with the body as a unit, thus reducing the tendency of the car to shimmy and the possibility of squeaks and rattles developing at points of stress.

A double tie-bar, chromium plated, arches gracefully between the fenders and braces them, thus acting as a structural unit as well as an ornament. A support also extends from the tie bar to the radiator, anchoring the units securely together, also carrying the horn. The new Chevrolet is new in design and construction. The exposed core area is larger than last year for better cooling, and a new grille built integral with the radiator in all models.

Front fenders have a deeper crown and skirts, and a wide head comes to a graceful curve at the front tip of the fender. Headlamps, parabolic-shaped, with convex lenses are fully chrome plated and are more powerful than last year to emphasize the impression of speediness.

Cowl lamps, similar in design to the headlamps, are smaller, are standard with all sport models and are mounted behind the chrome-plated cowl molding.

The new Chevrolet is designed to conform to the new radiator shape and offers several radical departures from last year. The conventional panel of louvers is replaced by four ventilating doors on each side, chrome plated on the deluxe and sport models. This "big car" refinement enables the driver to control engine ventilation in relation to temperature.

Two 4-H Club Radio Programs Are To Be Broadcast Saturday

Florida 4-H club members may hear two 4-H club radio programs Saturday, December 5.

The national 4-H broadcast will be given over an N.B.C. network from 12:30 to 1:30 p. m. Eastern Standard Time. The speakers will be a two-way force. On the down-grade of business conditions it acts as a powerful brake. These firms that severely curtailed their advertising schedules rocketed to the depths of depression, far far below their more clear-sighted competitors whose steady advertising volume kept them close to the top of the hill.

The monthly Florida 4-H program will be broadcast from WRUF, Gainesville, from 6:30 to 7:30 p. m. The boys who are now representing Florida at the National Club Congress in Chicago and R. W. Blacklock, state leader, will return just in time to speak on the program.

South Jacksonville.—Southside fire alarm system being connected with Central Station in Jacksonville.

Glenn.—Packing and shipping of present crop of citrus from this section of Indian River belt will start in a few days soon. Sanford.—Two and one-half carloads of amaryllis bulbs shipped to Florida. Southern Fruit Association, Inc.

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SOCIAL and Personal News

Mrs. Jesse Keller Is Complimented.

Mrs. H. E. Keller entertained in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jesse Keller, who is here with her husband to spend the winter months, with a bridge party at her home, Thursday afternoon.

Fall flowers were effectively arranged about the room where the tables were spread for play. After several progressions scores were totaled with Mrs. S. E. West receiving high score with a cream and sugar service, Mrs. W. W. McFarland was awarded second high, a modern home vase and Mrs. A. Vickery was consoled with a novelty necklace.

A dainty salad course with hot coffee was served by the hostess. Invited guests besides the honoree, Mrs. Keller, were: Mrs. Park Anderson, Mrs. E. E. Melton, Mrs. Paul Rumpus, Mrs. Jack Hays, Mrs. Mel Bass, Mrs. W. W. McFarland, Mrs. H. E. Chance, Mrs. W. H. McKelip, Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. E. F. Carmichael, Mrs. S. C. Pardee, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. W. F. Fletcher, Mrs. J. E. Garber, Mrs. A. A. Vickery, Mrs. W. D. Dorniney, Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mrs. W. M. Hetherington, George Harvey, Mrs. E. E. Booth, Mrs. J. E. Powell and Mrs. R. T. Fairly and Mrs. Tom Culler.

Hall-Christensen Wedding.

Miss Ruth Adelaide Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Hall of Avon Park, was married to Paul Louise Christensen of Dalton, Mass., on Nov. 26th, at Pittsfield, Mass.

The wedding took place at the home of the bride's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harold R. Turner of St. Emerson avenue. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Christensen of Lincoln, Neb.

The couple were married in front of a bank of palms and laurel in the spacious living room, and chrysanthemums and ferns were used in the decorative arrangement.

Rev. Robert C. Armstrong, of South Congregational church officiated.

The bride was given in marriage by Mr. Turner. Her gown was of egg shell colored satin with lace; she carried a large bride bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley.

Mrs. Turner, who attended her sister, wore a gown with a bouquet of pink roses. George Christensen, of Washington, D. C., was his brother's best man. Mrs. Robert McKenzie played the nuptial music.

Thirty-five guests and relatives were present at the ceremony and wedding breakfast.

Mr. and Mrs. Christensen sailed from New York for Bermuda on November 25, but will be at home to their friends December 7th, St. Emerson avenue, Pittsfield, Mass.

Mrs. Christensen was graduated last June from Agnes Scott college, in Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. Christensen was graduated from the University of Nebraska in the class of 1927. He has been with the General Electric company as electrical engineer, at Pittsfield since 1928; and previously working in their office at Philadelphia, Pa., and Schenectady, N. Y.

B. P. W. C. Hold Business Meeting.

The Business and Professional Women's Club held their regular business meeting Tuesday evening.

A short business session was held with various discussions. The constitution of by-laws was passed. Plans to sell another fruit cake for Christmas next social meeting will be something to benefit charity.

Members present were: Mrs. Katherine Bristol, Mrs. Marion Marriotte, Miss Millie Pearson, Miss Mattie Tompkins, Miss Kate Tompkins, Mrs. O. C. Wilkes, and Mrs. Phil Abrams.

Twins Celebrate Thirtieth Birthday.

Misses Hazel and Hilda Reddick celebrated their thirtieth birthday anniversary with a birthday party at their home on Forrest avenue, Saturday afternoon.

The young folks enjoyed many games and contests after which a refreshment course of fruit salad and cake with candles was served.

The hostesses received many pretty gifts from their guests who were: Misses Evelyn Thomas, Gladys Thomas, Gladys Thomas, Dorothy Cash of Sebring, Mrs. Martha Thomas, Johnnie Sargus, Evelyn Martin, Frances Browne, and Tommy Lou Green.

Dance at Highland Lakes Casino.

Ricardo's orchestra played for an informal dance at Highland Lakes Casino Thursday evening which was enjoyed by all who attended.

Among those from this city dancing were: Miss Bobby Hudson, Miss Susie Lynn, Miss Dorothy Roberts, Miss Wilma Roberts, Miss Henry Sue Roberts, Francis Roberts, Frank Wilkes, Harry McFerrin, Sally Taylor, and Eddie Clark.

Sebring, Rufus Chappell and Malcolm Pickett. Wauchula, Cully Collins, Lovey Dalt, Phillip Gellier, Miss Eleanor Glorius, Harry Gibbs, Tuck Whidden, Howard Miller, Miss Marjorie Miller, Howard Bailey and Miss Doris Phillips.

Lake Wales, Paul Jett, Wendell G. W. Drake, and J. Parker. Frostproof, Carson Sullivan and J. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. McKelip Bridge Hosts Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McKelip entertained a few of their friends with a delightful bridge party at their home on Lake street Tuesday evening, hosting Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Youngson of Highland Lakes.

The party room was made very pretty with baskets of various flowers and ferns. Scores were taken with Mr. and Mrs. Ferd de Anguera receiving honors for high score, who were given a consolation prize.

The hostess served a dainty refreshment course to her guests for the evening who were: Mr. and Mrs. Ferd de Anguera, Dr. and Mrs. G. P. Thayer, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Youngson, Dr. and Mrs. George Scott McKnight, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Yates and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McKelip.

Co-Hostesses At Bridge Saturday.

Miss Millie Pearson and Miss Elizabeth Atchley entertained in honor of Miss Mary Whitehurst of Tampa, who was the week-end guest of Miss Atchley.

A color motif of green and red was used throughout the affair. After four progressions bridge scores were totaled with Mrs. Fred Peden receiving high score. Miss Whitehurst received a dainty guest prize, and Mrs. W. H. McKelip was lucky on the cut.

Guests for the evening were: Mrs. Fred Peden, Mrs. Lee E. Hagood, Miss Dorothy Cress, Miss Ann Wise, Miss Alma Harold, Miss Lula Chesser, Miss Eleanor Bryant, Miss Mildred Myers, Mrs. Sadie Brown, Miss Mary Whitehurst, and Mrs. W. H. McKelip.

Check Grace of Orlando, was here visiting friends Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Mr. Grace will be remembered by a host of friends.

Col. J. M. Lee and Russell Tynney spent Thanksgiving in Tallahassee with Miss Lora Lee, who is a student at the women's college there.

Joseph A. Carroll left Monday for Reading, Pa., after spending six weeks here with the Florida Public Service company.

Miss Barbara Weaver has accepted a position with the Cream Line Dairy here, recently opened by Captain Maynard.

Miss Christine Reeves spent Sunday and Monday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clean Spink. Miss Reeves is now employed in West Palm Beach.

Charles Metcalf of Bartow, was a guest of his uncle, Charles H. Walker, Sunday at Lake Bay Lodge.

Miss Hazel Cameron of Lakeland, spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. W. D. Cameron, at their home on Prospect avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Keller of Wheeling, W. Va., are the winter visitors of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Keller at their home at Hollyhurst.

Miss Virginia Reddick who is training in the Orange General Hospital in Orlando, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Reddick.

T. A. Holland and son, Marvin, of Barrowville, S. C., and W. L. Holland, former publisher of the Journal and Herald at Spartanburg, S. C., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Stebbins, the past week. They arrived last Sunday and were here until Friday. They are brothers of Mrs. Stebbins.

Dr. Dewey Will Be 80 Next Thursday

MISS INEZ DAWSON
Society Editor
Telephone 87

Was Originator of Modern Classification of Library Books

Some interesting sidelights on the life of Dr. Melvil Dewey of Lake Placid recently appeared in the Lake Wales News from the pen of Grosvenor Davis, former Lake Placid resident. Mr. Davis says:

In a few days Dr. Melvil Dewey of Lake Placid will be eighty years old—December 10th to be exact. To the great joy of his friends he is as keenly alert as ever on all mortal subjects.

At 22—or a year back in 1873—he founded and served Adelphi library and gradually evolved, at first for his own use, and convenience, a system of classifying books he found there. His work was just as much an invention as a reaper or an electric light. Grasping the idea that numbers could be used to the mind than names or even letters he started the plan of numbering books in such a way as to avoid constant renumbering or relocating. Then, realizing the completeness of the integers or Arabic numerals from 0 to 9, he threw all human printed knowledge into ten broad classifications. Each number became expansive into ten other minor classifications, and again and again and again to infinity.

By means of the Dewey system two books the world apart as it is the location of the libraries would occupy the same place on shelves and bear the same number. The invention was valuable that it is now used in 14,000 libraries and in twenty different countries. His first printed classification contained 12 pages; the latest revision of the Dewey System of Library Classification fills 1283 pages. Work on the system goes on steadily in the Congressional Library.

Some illustrations of a quest will help to understand in a fairly clear and simple way what he achieved. You want a book dealing with the theology of the Egyptians; or the internal history of the nose; or the Gypsy tribes of Roumania, or what not. The number assigned to any such book would be the same in Salamanca, Mich., or Buenos Aires, Argentina. The system is as universally applicable as are the numerals 0-9 universally known.

It has been announced that the Quest Society of Florida, under the leadership of Dr. Thomas G. Lee of Lakeland Park will call at Lake Placid on December 10th to extend greetings and good wishes. It is an occasion for drawing attention to the technique of the modern library which in all parts of the United States now renders 162,000,000 volumes available.

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
Evening service, 11 a. m.
Morning 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)
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. E. Coffin, Jr., followed by choir practice.

Brotherhood meeting second Thursday evening of each month at 7 o'clock, in the basement of the church.

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST
William F. Etheridge, Minister.
Bible School 10 a. m.
Sermon 11 a. m.
Subject: "Seven Things We Must Prepare For."
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:30. Motto: Friendship and Worship.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE.
9:45 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.
5:30 p. m. Juniors.
7:30 p. m. N. Y. P. S.
7:30 p. m. Evangelists.

Col. Bailey Speaks To L. Wales Kiwanians

Col. F. N. K. Bailey, superintendent of public instruction for Highlands county, was the guest of honor at the meeting of the Kiwanis Club at Lake Wales, Wednesday of last week. Col. Bailey spoke on the present crime wave.

Free Movies To Be Shown In County

U. S. Department of Agriculture Promoting Development of Livestock

Free movies will be shown at 10 school houses in Highlands county. The United States Department of Agriculture sometime ago decided to carry to the farmer, dairyman and others interested, a story in pictures showing valuable ways of performing different kinds of service for the greatest good to all concerned.

A truck has been equipped with every detail to properly carry out the aims of the department. The pictures are especially made to promote livestock development in the South Eastern States, and stock owners who have viewed this picture in other southern states as well as Florida derived the greatest amount possible of valuable information.

The truck is equipped with an electric light plant and it carries a complete motion picture fire-proof outfit.

The pictures shown are entirely educational and deal almost wholly with Agriculture and live stock raising, both from an educational point of view. The pictures which will be shown will be viewed by people of all ages with the greatest interest. There are six reels of pictures and included in the lot are some which depict beautiful mountain scenery.

There will be no admission charges and no collection; the educational display is for the benefit of the farmers and stockmen and all that is required is the presence of every one. It is believed that the evening will be profitably spent.

The schedule has been arranged which will cover the following schools:

Lake Placid Thursday, Dec. 3rd at 7:30 p. m.
DeSoto City Friday, Dec. 4, at 7:30 p. m.
Sebring, Monday, Dec. 7, at 7:30 p. m.
Avon Park, Tuesday, Dec. 8, at 7:30 p. m.
Hicoria, Wednesday, Dec. 9, at 7:30 p. m.
Venus, Thursday, Dec. 10, at 7:30 p. m.
Lake Istokpaga, Friday, Dec. 11, at 7:30 p. m.
Bassenger, Monday, Dec. 14, at 7:30 p. m.
Brighton, Tuesday, Dec. 15, at 7:30 p. m.
Perille Valley, Wednesday, Dec. 16, at 7:30 p. m.

Registered at the Chamber Commerce

The following are recent registrants at the Chamber of Commerce: Mrs. Edith T. Brown, of Deerfield, N. H., and Mrs. Cora W. Lewis, of Washington, D. C., cousins, both here for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. James Alchison, of Grimsby, Ontario, Canada, who have returned to their winter home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Coffin, of Pittsburgh, Pa., father and mother of Mrs. Willard Kempton, of Avon Park, and Dr. Coffin of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Harry V. Anderson, Jamestown, N. Y., who stopped at the Pointsettia for a week or so. It was well pleased with Avon Park.

Miss Lona Kester, and Esther A. Kester, of Bloomberg, Pa., on way to Palm Beach, with N. L. Kline, of Danville, Pa., and stopped over in Avon Park for a while, as it looked so beautiful and attractive to them.

Mrs. Anna C. Forsee, has just returned to her Avon Park home from Owenton, Ky.

P. T. A. Will Meet Thursday

The Parent Teachers' Association will meet at the auditorium next Thursday afternoon at three thirty o'clock. A full attendance of members is desired.

The pictures at each school indicated above will be started promptly at 7:30 p. m., and farmers with their families are urged to be on hand promptly in order to get the full benefit of the pictures.

Florida Adding New Industries.

THERE is hardly a week passes but what the newspaper columns bring to us detailed information on additional industries finding a place in Florida.

Only a few months ago the newspapers announced the fact that tons of choice, delicious Frogs Legs were shipped to the various markets of the North and from there to be distributed to particular eating places.

Now comes the Squab industry, starting in Lakeland. The Squab, whether canned or fresh, is at present a high priced article and only the few can enjoy it, but we are advised by those in authority that this product is to be undertaken and that much money is to be spent in National advertising; all of which will further the sale of this choice meat and bring dollars into Florida.

The Barnett National Bank is glad to note and to commend any worthy industry that may prove beneficial to Florida.

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Boy Scouts To Be Guests of Avalon

The Boy Scouts and Cubs will be entertained by Mr. Crabtree at the Avalon Theatre on Wednesday evening next. The boys will meet first in the Parish House at 6:45 and go from there to the theatre for the first show.

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