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Here and There About Avon Park

By W. M. Hetherington

A local car agency reports the sale of a secondhand car in which the down payment was arranged for by contract to deliver the equivalent of "250 pounds in hogs." The gold standard has no effect on a deal like this.

Some folks we know of who are going around with a long face and the well known tale of "no business," just listen to this: Right here in Avon Park is a small business that made 600 individual sales last Saturday. This same business rings up an average of 200 sales every day in the week. The sales are small, but the expense is proportionately small and this firm is making money. The secret of operating a successful business seems to be that of being in the right spot at the right time.

Comment on Sunday closing appearing in this column last week, which we considered harmless enough, offended one of our friends of the Methodist church, who took occasion to call attention to it in Sunday school. The offensive passage was our statement that nobody has enough religion to argue about. Bert Willson says that he has. We won't argue about that either. Maybe he has. We had no idea we would have to split hairs on this thing. And in case there are some more who feel the same way, we will amend the statement to say that FEW of US have enough to brag about. That ought to be broad enough to take in the chosen few and the rest of us.

One thing that is needed here in Avon Park, and that has been more or less overlooked, is to provide some form of entertainment for our winter visitors. Many of these folks come here with nothing to do but sit around and absorb our sunshine, and while they are about it they would enjoy some forms of recreation. We have the spot for this in Donaldson park, but little has been done so far to make this the recreational center that it should be. Tennis courts, horseshoe courts, shuffle board, and some playground equipment for the children would transform this otherwise unattractive spot into a center of attraction for the tourists and homefolks as well. There is a great opportunity for improvement of this park and the organization that puts it over will be doing a great community service.

Our barbers are all getting new certificates from the state department or whatever it is that supervises barbering. The state has to do a little regulating on barbering too, along with everything else. The next thing may be a tax on shaves, which have come to be more or less of a luxury.

The milkman also gets regulated by the state, and when he is properly operating his dairy, gets certificates, too. Demos Mandis, dairyman extraordinaire, has received a permit from the commissioner of agriculture as plant manager and superintendent of milk and milk products. The permit states that Demos has furnished satisfactory evidence of good moral character and proof of his ability to perform the functions for which the permit was applied. A recent report from state and federal departments reveals that 60 percent of the milk sold in Highlands county is sold from properly operated dairies, but that 31 percent does not come up to proper requirements. Fortunate for Avon Park, the Mandis dairy holds a very high rating with the department and has been highly recommended as a safe place to buy milk. It is a pleasure to boost an institution of this kind.

New Jacaranda Tree For Park Department

Among the new tree arrivals from the U. S. Department of Agriculture for the Park Department of Avon Park are six Jacaranda Acutifolia, which the Government plant explorers recently obtained in Tucumen, Argentina, but are native to Peru. Jacaranda Ovalifolia is the variety we now have in the Mall and about town. The new Acutifolia variety has much finer pinnate leaves, but somewhat similar violet blue flowers. The new trees will be potted and held until next spring when they will be set out to replace a few of the Jacarandas in the Mall that are not growing well.

Farm wages on October 1 were the lowest since 1916, according to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics index.

MERCHANTS WILL DECIDE ON WHICH STORES STAY OPEN

Meeting Called for Next Tuesday at City Hall and Recommendations To Be Made To City Council.

At the suggestion of the business interests of the city, the chamber of commerce has called a special meeting of the business men and others interested for next Tuesday night at 8 o'clock, at which time the problem of Sunday closing will be taken under consideration and an attempt made to arrive at a solution that will be agreeable to the merchants and the public. The meeting will be held at the city hall.

Merchants and every business house of the city will be invited to be represented coming to the conclusion that Sunday closing is a business man's problem and not one in which the public is especially concerned, merchants have indicated that they are willing to get together and settle on which stores shall remain open and which shall stay closed on Sundays. Their recommendations will be presented to the city council with the request that existing closing ordinances be revised in keeping with the present needs of the city.

City councilmen have been issued a special invitation to attend the meeting and take part in the discussions and get first hand views of the merchants.

"Each classification of business will be represented, and will be taken up alphabetically, and a vote taken to decide whether each classification is of sufficient importance to the community as well as the traveling public to warrant its being kept open," said H. E. Keller, president of the chamber of commerce, in announcing the meeting.

"The vote on each classification will be embodied in recommendations to the city council to be used as a guide in enabling them to redraft their Sunday closing ordinance to conform with the wishes of the people. The trouble now is entirely of a competitive nature between the merchants, in which some claim discrimination is being shown in allowing certain other merchants to remain open. We have good reason to believe that if the merchants will get together and settle this phase of the matter, the Sunday closing problem will solve itself. All business represented will vote on each classification at the meeting, and in this manner we should get the views of the whole business interests as to which should and which should not stay open on Sunday."

"The question of Sunday amusements will not enter into or be discussed at the meeting, because the business men believe that to be a question that should be settled by popular vote," concluded Mr. Keller.

Cemetery Clean Up Saturday Afternoon

A general clean-up of the cemetery is scheduled to take place Saturday afternoon between 3 and 4 o'clock. Those who will assist in the work are asked to bring hoes, rakes and other tools and help put the cemetery in order. M. E. Covington, in charge of the work also asks that those who take part bring flowers for decorating the graves. Sunday is All Soul's Day, and he is anxious that a flower be placed on each grave. Flowers may be brought Saturday afternoon, but Sunday is preferred. Hibiscus are suggested as a suitable flower, because of its beauty and hardiness.

H. E. Keller is Not a Candidate

H. E. Keller, prominently mentioned as a candidate for council, denies that he will be in the race, and makes the following statement to clear the situation:

"The rumor that I am to be a candidate for council in the coming election has been circulated with so much persistence that I think it advisable to declare myself. I am not a candidate for council and I have never considered becoming a candidate. I trust that this will put an end to all rumors to the contrary."

H. E. KELLER.

Connell Robbery Solved by Capture of 3 at Vero Beach

The robbery of G. C. Connell's store in the south side of town was solved Wednesday by the arrest of three men in Melbourne, and the discovery of the goods in their car. The three were Roland and Howard Hay, brothers, and Frank Powell. They were caught at Melbourne while attempting to take gasoline from a car, it is alleged. Search of their car revealed a lot of merchandise, which was later identified by Mr. Connell as his goods taken from his store last Saturday night.

Mr. Connell and Officer W. A. Roberts went to Vero Beach yesterday and identified the goods and brought the three young men back with them. They also recovered a part of the missing goods.

FAIREY GIVES COSTS ON AVON SUNDAY SCHOOLS

Comparative Figures for Sunday Schools and Public Schools Given

R. T. Fairey, supervising principal of the local schools, was the speaker at the opening exercises of the Union Congregational Church last Sunday morning. He spoke on "Comparative costs of Sunday Schools and Public Schools in Avon Park," basing his remarks on data secured from the various white Sunday schools of the city, as shown below.

Comparative costs of Sunday schools and public schools in Avon Park, as shown by the speaker were:

Sunday Schools	
Literature	$1000.00
Missions	425.00
Other Causes	350.00
TOTAL	$1775.00
Enrollment	850

"Since the money collected for missions and other causes is mostly sent away from home, it is not fair to say that it is a part of Sunday school costs," said Mr. Fairey. "About the only cost that can be considered is that of literature. Therefore, in arriving at the per capita cost, we divide the cost of literature, $1000.00, by the enrollment, 850, which gives the per capita cost of instruction of $1.18.

"In the public schools, the cost of instruction, including literature, or books, in the white schools of Avon Park is approximately $30,000.00. The average enrollment is 800. This gives a per capita cost of instruction of $37.50. For every dollar spent in Sunday schools for instruction, $30.00 are spent in the public schools.

"The average Sunday school pupil spends 50 hours in Sunday school each year. The same pupil spends 1000 hours in public school, or twenty times as many hours as he spends in Sunday school.

"An interesting side-light may be developed on the use of leisure time from the following computation:

"In one calendar year of 365 days there are 8760 hours. Approximately 300 hours are spent yearly in sleep. Those who go to Sunday school and public school spend another 1050 hours there, giving 4050 hours accounted for. This leaves a balance of 4710 hours unaccounted for, or more than half of the whole year. The biggest problem that confronts American youth today is what to do with this time.

"In making this study, it was found necessary to use only the white Sunday schools and public schools, since the problem of obtaining the desired information from many Negro Sunday schools would have been too difficult to be warranted. It must be remembered also that exact figures are not used in every instance, as it was found rather difficult to secure the exact information from some of the Sunday schools. Also, the public school costs are given approximately, as there was no way of arriving at the exact cost of books and like materials.

A. E. Conoley is Candidate for Council

I hereby announce myself a candidate in the December election for the office of councilman in the city of Avon Park. I firmly believe the city's business should be handled just like private business, and during these critical times the strictest economy in the expenditure of the city's money should be practiced. I will appreciate the support of the electorate.

A. E. CONOLEY.

THREE CANDIDATES MAKE ENTRANCE IN CITY COUNCIL RACE

Jordan, Wolff and Conoley Shy Hat in Ring, Enlivening Councilmanic Contest in December Election.

Three candidates announced this week for city councilmen in the municipal election of December 6. They are F. S. Jordan, Oscar Wolff and A. E. Conoley.

Oscar Wolff, Highlands county's sheriff, made his announcement early in the week and was the first to definitely throw his hat in the councilmanic ring.

F. S. Jordan and A. E. Conoley made up their minds today to get into the race. All have had previous experience.

The air has been full of rumors the past few days of this man and that who were going to run, but no others were willing to be pinned down to a definite announcement.

H. E. Keller, president of the chamber of commerce, is not a candidate for the council, despite persistent rumors to the contrary. Mr. Keller has issued a formal statement appearing elsewhere stating that he will not be a candidate.

W. W. McFarland, who has been urged to make the race, will not be a candidate for the council, he says.

Bert Willson, undecided as yet as to what he will do, may be a candidate for mayor, but was unwilling to make a formal announcement to this effect today. He says that he will be in a position to declare himself in a few days.

Steve Roberts, whose name has been prominently mentioned as a candidate for both the council and mayor, states that he will not run.

Of the present councilmen, only one is definitely out of the race for re-election. That is J. H. McClelland, who says he will not make the race. Of the others, Col. C. R. Head and Ed DeLaney will probably stand for re-election, though neither were ready to make their announcement.

J. L. Masters and W. T. Hall were not reached for a statement, but it is probable that both will make the race.

Miss Hundertmark Gets Appointment For Avon School

Miss Hettie Hundertmark was recommended as an additional first grade teacher in the Avon Park grade school by the local board of trustees this afternoon. Miss Hundertmark recently received her A. B. degree from the Florida State College for Women at Tallahassee, following special work there this summer, and in addition taught two years in Pennsylvania schools.

Roads in Mill Section Repaired

The road into the mill section from the Triangle to the railroad track is being rebuilt by the city and is being made into a splendid pavement. City Engineer Phil Lacey and Louie Marlin are superintending the job which is being done by local labor. Other parts of the road are also being repaired and put in passable shape.

Auxiliary to Meet Monday Afternoon

The American Legion auxiliary will hold its regular meeting on next Monday afternoon at three o'clock at the Legion home. All members and those eligible for membership in the auxiliary are invited.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

9:45 a. m. Sunday school session.

11:00 a. m. Morning worship. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed after the sermon. The pastor's subject will be "Co-Laborers with God."

5:30 p. m. Juniors meet with Mrs. M. H. Gribble.

6:30 p. m. N. Y. P. S. meet for a practical Bible study. The 2nd chapter of Acts will be considered. You are welcome.

7:30 p. m. Evangelistic sermon. The pastor will continue the series of Night Scenes of the Bible. The subject for consideration will be "David's Night at the Jordan."

The Distressful Plight of Marcus, the Cemeterian

(By ACHMED ABDULLAH)

And it came to pass that as evil days came upon the land, the spot known as Bougainvillea near the city, fell into decay. And the keeper of the burial ground took counsel with his wife saying: Lo, there is little of dying and less of burying. And the weeds, the caterpillars and natal hay take possession of our garden.

And his wife sayeth unto him: Alas that there is so little civic pride in the village. Put thee on thy Sunday raiment and go thee before the ministers of the city and make known thy distress unto them. Surely they will not turn a deaf ear unto you.

And the cemetarian did as his wife bid. And he appeareth before the leader of the Methodist flock and begged that they arm themselves with rakes, hoes, and other implements of agriculture that they might combat the weeds in force. But the leader at once began to make excuse saying: Behold my people are weary of well doing and no longer have heart to fight both Satan and the Devilish weeds. Surely thou hast enough laborers in the weedyard without us. I pray that we be excused.

And he went forthwith to see still another; Harcourt of the house of Johnson, saying: Lo, our burial ground is given over to weeds and in a short spell will have spread to the ball park. Come, I say, and all Episcopalers with ye, and we will scurge Bougainvillea of this curse. But the good rector was sore dismayed, and sayeth: Alas, that my flock including my good wife have gone dramatic and of many hearsings and rehearsings there is no end. I pray, good sir, that we be excused.

And he maketh his way up toward the house where dwelleth the pastor of the Baptist. And he reasoned with himself thusly: Here is a man and a group who have great pleasure in their laborings together. Surely method will supplant great numbers and I need no longer be discouraged, for my problem is at an end. But the good pastor was of a mind with the others and sayeth: Good friend Marcus, I am the bearer of sad tidings. My people are of one accord, and would gladly go forth to the work with you where the harvest is green. But our strength is spent and my people labor in the packing plant. But forsooth most willingly will I carry water for the workers to refresh themselves.

And the poor cemetarian turned his feet homeward much depressed in mind and in pocket, and as he journeyed he saw in the distance a large crowd gathered in the market place. And he ran fast and came unto the square and findeth there Deware and Etheridge addressing the multitude in loud voices, crying, Hear Ye Hear Ye We Nazarenes and Christians will on the morrow betake ourselves to Bougainvillea and when the low descending sun sinks in Hardee there will not be a thorn, a thistle or sand spur alive in yon sacred lot.

V.F.W. Post and Auxiliary Elect

Capt. Maynard Named New Commander; Auxiliary Retains Old Officers

Highlands County Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, held their annual election of officers Monday night and Capt. W. R. Maynard was elevated to the office of post commander. Paul R. Price is the senior vice-commander and N. A. Broking the junior vice-commander. Paul VanderSchouw was elected quartermaster, Major E. E. Barton, chaplain and Oscar Halliburton, officer of the day. For the office of trustee for 12 months, H. E. Galloway was elected and L. L. Futrell for the office of trustee for six months.

Charles R. Head was named as patriotic instructor and McKee Elwell as post historian. Clyde Collins was elected as guard and Frank Tauchens as sentinel. Other officers of the post will be filled by appointment by the new post commander.

The new officers will be installed on Monday, November 9 and Adjutant Paul Price was instructed to write the department commander regarding an installing officer.

The Auxiliary held their election of officers Monday evening also and every incumbent officer was re-elected for another term. They will hold a joint installation with the post on November 9.

Capt. Maynard related his experiences at Brooksville last week when he attended the National Fox Hunters meet. He suggested it would be an excellent idea to have this aggregation of sportsmen meet in Sebring next October and as he is on the hunters board of directors the post named him a committee of one to handle the matter and make the necessary arrangements. Capt. Maynard said about 400 were in attendance at the Brooksville meet which lasted an entire week and some excellent sport was enjoyed.

Negro Forged Check And Makes Getaway

John Jenkins, alias L. D. Davis, is being sought by police for the forgery of a check in the amount of $7 last Saturday night, which was passed on the Universal Market. Miss Jennie Waychoff's name was forged to the check. Officer W. A. Roberts investigated the case and was close on Jenkin's trail Monday, too close for comfort for Jenkins, and he skipped out. The negro was traced through the fact that he had used the name of L. D. Davis at Hillcrest groves where he had worked for a week or two. He had worked for Miss Waychoff for a day cleaning her yard and she had paid him by check. He copied the signature and forged it to the check Saturday night, police believe.

County Millage Below Pre-Boom

Canfield Issues Statement Comparing Figures of This and Previous Years

In a letter being sent out with the tax notices by Tax Collector D. F. Canfield, he calls attention to the difference in millage for the year of 1931 and the year 1924, a pre-boom year. According to the figures presented all districts in the county show a material reduction. The highest millage was in 1929 and this year's millage shows a decrease of over 50 percent in one district. The millage for each district for the years 1924, 1929, 1930 and 1931 is shown in detail.

Mr. Canfield says that despite the troubles that have beset the county the schools have been kept in operation, every county obligation has been paid in full to date and one bond issue has been retired.

Continuing, he says, that to offset the tax sale of $40,000 unpaid taxes there has been collected in the past nine months delinquent taxes to the amount of $52,000 and if the same ratio is continued for the year these collections will amount to $70,000. The collections for the 1930 taxes exceeded 80 percent, he says, which is far above the average for adjoining counties.

Avon Picture to Run in Advertisement

An aerial view of Avon Park with descriptive advertising matter will appear at an early date in the Tampa Tribune in the series of Forward South Florida advertising now appearing under the auspices of Maas Brothers. This picture, enlarged 23 times will also appear in Maas Brothers' window during the week of November 8-14, according to a letter received by the chamber of commerce from J. A. Waterman, general manager of the Tampa store.

Silver Tea to be Library Benefit

A silver tea will be given on Saturday afternoon, November 14 by the library committee, proceeds of which will be used in furtherance of the committee's observance of Children's Book Week, November 15 to 31. Proceeds of the tea will go toward a fund for purchasing new juvenile books for the library. The tea will be held in the Woman's club rooms in the city hall.

A feature of the tea will be the presentation of "A Visit from Mother Goose" by the children of the study hour class, under the direction of Mrs. Daisy Ten Eyck. The sketch will be supplemented with recitations and piano solos.

UNCOVER PLOT TO BREAK JAIL WHEN KEYS ARE FOUND

Duplicate Keys Found in Tip Mercer's Cell, Following Arrest of Youth With Hack-Saw Blades in Shoes.

Plans for a jail break by "Tip" Mercer were foiled Friday morning by Sheriff Oscar Wolff, when he searched Mercer's cell in the county jail and found two keys with which the reputed Lake Placid bank robber planned to make his escape.

The keys were duplicates of keys to the bull pen and the outside door. They were made of plated table knives and were found in a package of washing powder. A club was also found in the cell. Who made the keys and how they were passed into Mercer is a mystery at the jail. Jailer Ike Newton says the keys were exact duplicates of his keys, but how they were made is unknown.

Search of Mercer's cell followed the arrest of B. W. "Snow" Dyess, of Hicoria, in Sebring last night on a charge of drunkenness. Search of his person revealed four hack saw blades, two of which were hid in each shoe. Dyess was arrested by Patrolman Jim Hancock late last night, after he had lounged around town and made himself obnoxious, officers say. Dyess said he always carried the saw blades in case he got into trouble. He plead guilty to a charge of drunkenness before Judge M. C. Whitehurst Friday afternoon and was sentenced to six months in jail.

At the time of his arrest, Dyess was under bond as an accessory in the stealing of Dr. L. W. Martin's automobile and surgical instruments several months ago.

Cast Selected For Club Play, "Take My Advice"

Cast of characters for the Woman's club play, "Take My Advice," has been announced by Mrs. Adele Hatton, of the Sebring Little Theatre, director. The play is scheduled for next Friday night November 6 at the high school auditorium.

The cast will be:

Mrs. Weaver—Mrs. G. C. Daly.
Joseph Weaver—Mr. G. C. Daly.
Ann Weaver—Mrs. Harcourt Johnson.
Marcella Scott — Mrs. W. T. Coates.
Bud Weaver—Mr. Harry McFerrin.
Jimmie Thayer—Mr. Paul Garber.
Bradley Clement — Rev. Harcourt Johnson.
Kerry Van Kind—Mr. M. V. Pilcher.

The play is rated as one of the most enjoyable comedies of the season by the New York World critic, who says: "It is the opinion of this reviewer, that one of the most enjoyable comedies of the season is Elliott Lester's "Take My Advice." It is well thought out, expertly written, and absolutely clean."

Of the Little Theatre movement, which has been progressing successfully at Sebring with the production of several plays, and of the Hatton's who are directing the movement, the Sebring American says:

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Hatton have convinced the people of the county that they are real stage folks. The training they gave the cast and the manner in which the production was given, is proof of that fact. Now it devolves upon the people to support the new institution. It will be up to the community to determine whether or no the Little Theatre will continue; whether the people of this section will have an opportunity of seeing "big time" productions in a small center.

Highlands To Get $80,367

Highlands county's share of gas tax under the allocation plan will be $80,367.46, as announced in the press dispatches from Tallahassee today. Basing their calculations on last year's tax receipts but using the 1931 distribution plan, state officials estimated the counties will received $6,790,468 during the current fiscal year which began July first.

MANY EXPECTED AT DEMOCRATIC MEETING

State-Wide Conference To Be Held at Marianna On Nov. 27 and 28

Marinna, Oct. 28.—Letters from all sections of Florida indicate that a very large number of leading Democrats will attend the state-wide conference to be held here November 27th and 28th. The State Democratic Executive Committee will meet at the same time and the occasion promises much constructive good for the party.

Included in the discussions will be the proposition to have the State Committee select the delegates-at-large for the National Convention. This, it is thought, will insure outstanding leaders who will secure more recognition than Florida has ever received at a National convention.

Another proposition to be discussed is the advisability of taking the circuit judges out of the primary. The present method, it is said, is contrary to the constitution and brings a judiciary into politics.

Many other problems will be discussed and plans will be inaugurated for active co-operation with the State Committee in securing an Executive Democratic Organization in every county in Florida.

Every Democrat is invited to this conference and scores of leaders have written that they will be present.

The entire conference is for the benefit of the party as a whole. The committee has under advisement the question of having one afternoon turned over to the candidates for governor, giving each 20 minutes to address the crowd. This can be done, it is said, with discretion, and will give the people opportunity to see and hear all of these candidates.

With this Marianna meeting, Florida's Democratic campaign will, it is thought, be opened in earnest, while national orators will be present to electrify the people. State issues will be discussed by Senator Duncan U. Fletcher, Governor Doyle E. Carlton, Mayor John T. Alsop of Jacksonville, Senator Pat Whittaker of Tampa, Hon. Claude Pepper of Tallahassee, Hon. James M. Carson of Miami and Mayor H. Clay Armstrong of Pensacola. Senator Fletcher will sound the keynote which will be carried to every section of the state.

Sheriff's Forces Have Busy Week-end With Liquor Cases

Sheriff's deputies were busy over the week-end and made several arrests, mostly for violations of the prohibition laws. A quantity of home brew together with some moonshine was brought in from Avon Park Saturday night and several arrests for drunkenness were made. Those caught in the toils of the law were:

Lewis Colster, Hicoria, arrested by Deputy L. C. Pearce and charged with carrying a concealed weapon, jailed.

Bill Scott of Sebring, was arrested by the same deputy and charged with being drunk, out on bond.

Clem Smith, Clewiston was charged by Deputy Pearce with having an improper tag on his car and placed in jail.

Van Taylor, Sebring, was arrested on a drunkenness charge by Deputy Pearce and gave bond.

B. Taylor of Avon Park was charged with the possession of home brew by Deputy Pearce nad is out on bond.

Rubin Howard and Ethel Johnson, both of Sebring, were arrested by Deputy Lamonte Wolff on charges of assault. Howard was released under bond but the other remained in jail.

Sam Brazell of Avon Park, was arrested by Deputy Wolff on the charge of possession moonshine. He made bond.

Roy Cooper, Sebring, was arrested by the same deputy on a drunkenness charge and made bond.

Lake Placid Ships First Grapefruit of New Season Crop

The first car of grapefruit rolled from the packing house at Lake Placid last Thursday and opened the citrus season in that community. This is expected to be followed by a string of others in the immediate future, County Agent Louis Alsmeyer says.

Ivey Futch has been shipping avocados regularly for some time and has been handling the crop of other growers besides his own. He has added about five acres of beans to his acreage and expects to have these ready to market in the near future, the county agent reports.

New Port Richey. — Municipal golf course around Orange lake to be put in shape for play.

Hallowe'en Dainties

By BETTY BARCLAY

CHILDREN expect to duck for apples on Hallowe'en, and perhaps more grownups are children at heart than many realize. Ducking for apples and other Hallowe'en games are appreciated by most adults, and the wise hostess need never fear suggesting such things on this day of witches and goblins.

Precede or follow the games with a delicious Hallowe'en dinner, and you will be voted a perfect hostess. Here are a few suggestions for Hallowe'en:

Goblins

1 cup shortening
1½ cups sugar
3 eggs beaten
2 tablespoons lemon juice
1 teaspoon grated lemon rind
5 cups flour
½ teaspoon salt
2 teaspoons grated orange rind
6 tablespoons orange juice
2 teaspoons lemon juice
2 egg yolks beaten
Sifted powdered sugar
Orange vegetable coloring

Cream shortening and 1½ cups sugar. Add 3 eggs beaten, 2 tablespoons lemon juice, grated lemon rind, flour and salt. Roll very thin. Cut in goblin rounds. Bake in a quick oven (425° F.) until delicately browned. Make an icing by mixing grated orange rind, orange juice, 2 teaspoons lemon juice, 2 beaten egg yolks with sifted powdered sugar to spread. Color with a bit of orange vegetable coloring. Draw goblin faces on cookies with melted chocolate. This makes 7 to 8 dozen goblins. If more icing is needed make icing recipe again using half quantities. This orange icing may be used to ice doughnuts served at a Hallowe'en party.

Chocolate Marshmallow Sundae

1 package chocolate junket
1 pint milk
marshmallow topping

Prepare junket according to directions on package. When just ready to serve add 1 heaping tablespoon of marshmallow topping to each dessert.

Hallowe'en Surprise

(Serves 6-8)

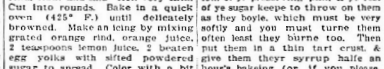
1 cup orange juice
½ teaspoon grated orange rind
1 cup water
⅔ cup sugar
⅛ teaspoon salt
¼ cup butter
6 to 8 sweet potatoes
Marshmallows

Cut tops off oranges, about ¼ way down. Extract juice carefully so that shells remain intact. Remove any pulp remaining in shell. Combine orange juice, rind, water, sugar, salt and butter and pour over peeled uncooked sweet potatoes arranged in baking dish. Bake covered in a moderate oven (375°-400° F.) until tender, 30 to 40 minutes. Baste occasionally. When done, beat up with a fork. Pile into orange shells. Top each shell with a marshmallow. Return to oven to brown marshmallows. Serve at once with meat course.

A Coddling Tarte

This recipe for apple tarts is taken from the manuscript cook book used by Martha Washington at Mount Vernon:

First coddle (boil or stew) ye appies in faire water, yn take halfe the weight in sugar to make as much syrrope as will cover ye bottom of yr preserving pan, & ye rest of ye sugar keepe to throw on them as they boyle, which must be very softly and you must turne them often least they burne too. Then put them in a thin tart crust, & give them theyr syrrup halfe an hour's bakeing (or, if you please, you may serve them in in a handsome dish onely garnished with sugar and cinnomon). — Martha Washington.



Building Materials Down In Price

According to the Florida Realty Journal whose staff has just completed a survey, Florida retail building material prices, including mill work, are between 24 and 25 per cent lower than in previous normal years. The same survey reports approximately 33 1-3 per cent average reduction in building labor costs.

Now is the time to start that new home or repairs to the old one, the Journal says. With the Florida Association of Real Estate Boards, the magazine is sponsoring Florida Home Improvement Week, Oct. 25 to 31.

Work on home construction and betterment repairs, both inside and outside the dwelling proper, will give more employment than any other activity, the association says.

A pound of meat or a bushel of corn has just as much food value in it regardless of price.

Want Ads

FOR RENT—Unfurnished house; hot and cold water; closed garage; rent reasonable. Apply Box 132.

FOR RENT—5-room furnished apartment with bath, hot water connection, fire place and garage. Close in. 109 Walnut street. Phone 37.

FOR RENT—Furnished front bedroom with connecting bath. Mrs. Virginia Cloud.

WANTED—To buy second hand poultry wire. W. P. Martin, Penn-Carol hotel.

FURNISHED ROOMS — Reasonable price. Apply 117 North Forrest Ave.

FOR SALE—A large warehouse and store room combined (Avon Furniture Co) across A. C. L. track from Coco Cola Bottling works at almost your own price. Can also give terms. Address J. M. Elrod, Lake Wales.

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HINTS TO HOUSEWIVES

Weekly from Home Demonstration Specialists, Tallahassee

Guava Preserves,

Use ¾ lb. sugar to each pound prepared guavas. Good flavored, thick meated fruit should be used. If the skin is fine, smooth, and unblemished do not peel, merely remove blossom end, scoop out seed center, and save this pulp for butter.

Cover guava shells with sugar and allow to stand three to four hours, or until sugar is dissolved. Add ginger root and a few slices of lemon, and boil until transparent. Allow to stand over night. Pack in hot, sterilized jars, and process pints 15 minutes at simmering. Or reheat preserves to boiling, pack immediately and simmer five minutes.

Spiced Guava Special.

Ingredients: 4 lbs. prepared guavas, 3½ lbs. sugar, 3 cups cider vinegar, 1 cup pineapple juice, 1 lb. pineapple, cut in small chunks, 1 stick or tablespoon cinnamon, 1 tablespoon allspice, and 3 blades mace.

Boil syrup mixture for 10 minutes, add prepared fruit and cook until tender and somewhat transparent. Let stand over night to absorb syrup. Reheat, put fruit carefully into sterilized jars, boil syrup until it is heavier if necessary, pour over fruit, adjust covers and simmer pints 10 minutes.

Guava Sauce.

Wash fruit and remove blossom end and any blemishes on skin. Run through diver to remove seed. Measure. Cook in heavy aluminum kettle until somewhat thickened. Add about two cups sugar (according to acidity of fruit) to four cups of pulp and cook rapidly again for about 10 minutes, stirring often. Pour into hot jars, put immediately into boiling water bath and process five minutes. This is excellent for pudding sauces, shortcakes, cobblers, gelatine desserts, or ice cream.

Baked Guava Pickle.

Peel, if skin is blemished, cut in halves and remove seed. Cover bottom of large casserole with prepared guavas. Sprinkle layer of brown sugar or white sugar over guavas. Alternate the layers of guavas and sugar until casserole is nearly full, adding a dash of ground cloves and cinnamon mixed in the proportion of one-half part cloves to one part cinnamon. Have sugar layer on top, cover with vinegar and bake—covered—until the guavas are tender and well flavored. Seal hot in sterile jars and simmer 10 minutes.

The International Livestock Exposition and Grain and Hay Show will be held at the Union Stock Yard, Chicago, Illinois, Nov. 28 to December 5. Many valuable prizes are being offered for champion livestock as well as the best entries of grains and hays.

Let the hogs harvest their own feed. This saves time and labor.

WASHINGTON HAD DANGEROUS MISSION

On Hallowe'en 178 Years Ago, Began First Major Assignment

To the American boy of today, October 30 is Hallowe'en and nothing more. But October 30 marks another anniversary of considerable importance. The United States George Washington Bicentennial Commission points out that it was a very important day in the life of George Washington. On that day, 178 years ago, George Washington began the first major assignment in the interest of his people.

On that day in the year 1753, George Washington, only 21 years old but already a Major in the Virginia militia, was sent by the Governor of Virginia to penetrate the Pennsylvania wilderness and warn the French on the Ohio to vacate that territory which, the Governor claimed, belonged to Virginia. It was risky business, because the French were reaching down from their stronghold in Canada and fortifying all that region which is now Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. And long before he could face the hostile French commander, Washington had first to get through a wilderness teeming with doubtful Indians in the dead of winter.

On October 30 he set out from Williamsburg, the Virginia capital in that day, journeying north to Fredericksburg, where he picked up a French interpreter, Jacob Van Braam. From there he rode to Winchester, and thence to Wills Creek, now the city of Cumberland, Maryland. There he was joined by Christopher Gist, a trader and scout, skilled in Indian ways and familiar with the densely wooded region.

On November 15 Washington and Gist, together with another woodsman they hired as interpreter, one John Davidson, set out into the wintry wilds, on a day of rain and snow. At Turtle Creek, a few miles south of the present Pittsburgh, they stopped at the shack of John Frazier, another experienced trader. From there they headed for Logstown, some 17 miles away.

The errand that took Washington there was to meet certain Indian chiefs and win them over as his allies.

In this Washington was successful, and from these Indians he gathered valuable information. Some 70 miles of dangerous and difficult country had still to be covered, but on December 4 Washington set forth, accompanied by Half King and other Indians for further escort. At length they reached Venango, now Franklin, with their objective — Fort Le Boeuf — still further up French Creek near the site of the present Waterford.

Arriving at the fort, the youthful Washington delivered his message from the Governor to the French commander, St. Pierre, and got his first taste of international diplomacy. The Frenchman took two days to consider Governor Dinwiddie's letter, and meanwhile did his best to wean away Washington's Indians with fair speeches and liberal potions of liquor. Even when St. Pierre's reply had been composed, sealed, and presented to Washington, the French made every effort to detain his Indians, with more liquor and presents. Finally, however, on December 16, Washington was able to break away and got back to Venango on the 22d.

By then his horses were done for, and, donning Indian costume, Washington set out on foot, his companions likewise. Even so, his baggage was an encumbrance, and Washington left it in charge of Van Braam, while he and Gist pushed on by themselves. At a place with the startling name of Murdering Town they fell in with Indians of more than doubtful character, one of whom insisted on accompanying Washington and Gist, on the plea that the woods were full of hostile Ottawas, and that he was needed as protection. A little way along on their route, this self-appointed protector suddenly shot at Washington or Gist, but fortunately missed.

By a stratagem, Washington and Gist got rid of this fellow. Pretending to camp for the night, they rushed on, instead, through the night and all the next day, and finally reached the banks of the Allegheny River, hoping to find it sufficiently frozen to cross. The stream, instead, was full of floating ice and therefore dangerous. A raft had to be built; and, with but one hatchet, Washington and Gist consumed a whole day in constructing this craft.

They got half way across the river on this frail float when it jammed in the ice, and Washington was jerked into 10 feet of icy water in attempting to get the raft free. Only by luckily grabbing a log of the raft did he save himself. At length they drifted to an island in midstream, and there passed a night so cold that Gist's hands and feet were frozen. By next morning the river itself had frozen, and they were able to land on the southern shore and reach the cabin of John Frazier on Turtle Creek, along the Monongahela. After a rest there, they pushed on to the cabin of Gist, where Washington was able to buy a horse and hurry on home alone.

He got back to Williamsburg, on January 16, delivered St. Pierre's defiant refusal on the part of the French to leave the Ohio region, and wrote out his own report to the Governor. Vastly to Washington's surprise, the Governor ordered it printed, and Washington found himself suddenly famous. He himself may not have known then that here was the beginning of his career, though we know it now in the perspective of history.

In these days it is scarcely possible to think of Western Pennsylvania, now teeming with important manufacturing towns and cities, as once a wilderness so densely wooded and dangerous that it was almost a miracle for a lone white man to escape it alive. But the Virginians of that day knew it, and the fact added to Washington's reputation. At once he was the rising hope of his Colony; and, on the strength of this achievement Washington began to climb the military ladder. He reached the highest rung when he became Commander-in-Chief of the Revolutionary Army.

So the date of October 30 is important for reasons other than as Hallowe'en. It happens to be something of a date in American history.

A Great American

Fort Myers, Fla.—Thomas A. Edison as he appeared during the celebration held in his honor at Fort Myers, Fla., on the occasion of his 83rd birthday. The great inventor admitted feeling his age and advised looking to "engineers, not politicians" during the coming year and predicted "absolute prohibition."

New CIRCLE
"Sebring's Friendly Theatre"
Program For Next Week

Sunday, Monday, Nov. 1 and 2
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Community Should Poison House Rat With Red Squill

Community poisoning of the common house rat with red squill powder was recommended by Carlyle Carr, extension specialist in rodent control, in a recent address from WRUF.

This pest, which is likely to mince over our foodstuff, eat our stored grains, spread diseases, start fires, and do much other damage, is highly migratory, he explained. Thus, a farmer may poison all the rats on his place and in a short while have plenty of rats from nearby farms. This problem is, therefore, one that can best be controlled by all the individuals over a large area poisoning at the same time.

Red squill is a powder, recently developed by the U. S. Biological Survey, which is deadly to rats but harmless to domestic animals. Thus, it can be used with safety about the poultry plant and barns frequented by animals. It may also be used at the city dump yards without anger to dogs and cats.

As another good method of killing rats he suggested pumping calcium cyanide dust into the burrows or other places in which the rats hide. This dust when exposed to the air generates an extremely poisonous gas. It should not be used inside of buildings, but intelligent persons can use it out-of-doors with safety and effectiveness.

The killing of rats alone will never solve the problem, he asserted. The conditions responsible for the rats must be removed. Rats require food and shelter, and where these are lacking they cannot persist. Rat-proofing buildings and destroying all garbage and trash about the place are two suggestions that will aid in keeping rats off the premises.

Mrs. Johnnie Simpson says:
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If this bile is not flowing freely, your food doesn't digest. It just decays in the bowels. Gas bloats up your stomach. You have a thick, bad taste and your breath is foul, skin often breaks out in blemishes. Your head aches and you feel down and out. Your whole system is poisoned.

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NOTICE!

Occupational License Tax Due

Notice is hereby given that Occupational Licenses for the year ending September 30th, 1932, are due and payable October 1st, 1931, and become delinquent November 1st, 1931.

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ORANGE COUNTY'S "FIVE-YEAR PLAN"

Many Inquiries Being Received For Further Details of New Idea

Orlando, Oct. 28.—"The Five Year Plan" sponsored by the Orange County Chamber of Commerce this fall has received wide publicity through the Florida press and numerous letters of inquiry have been received asking for further details of Orange county's plan for "1000 Farmers in Five Years," the one coming the farthest being from Massachusetts.

To accomplish successful farming in Florida is adapting one's efforts to prevailing conditions and gaining practical education. To promote this fundamental step County Agricultural Agent K. C. Moore has signified his willingness to conduct a school one night a week, holding classes regularly for the instruction of successful crop production. These classes will be under his direct supervision and in addition to this, farmers who have been successful in the raising of different crops will talk on the 'whys' and 'hows.' Mr. Moore will continue his field work in order to advise them upon actual operations.

Marketing of the products so produced will also be given consideration. Where agencies for this work now exist, no changes are planned. Where assistance is needed, constructive thought by community leaders will be available for bettering the marketing of those products not enjoying ready, profitable distribution.

Marvin H. Walker of the Florida Grower writes that he is greatly interested in the details of the "five year plan," being chairman of a committee of the Tampa Chamber of Commerce which is preparing a like program for that section.

Ralph G. Grassfield, manager of Florida State Chamber of Commerce requests complete information regarding the "five year plan." "The move is most interesting," he writes "and hits me as the right procedure. It savors of honest, constructive and direct effort that should bring results."

Charles G. Medlin, Orlando poultryman, states that he heartily agrees with that part of the plan stressing 'instruction to new settlers.' "Should you help the first ten that come to make a real success, I believe this would do more toward getting the next hundred than any other method."

Quest Society To Honor Dr. Nehrling

Lake Wales, Oct. 28.—The scientific services of Dr. Henry Nehrling, who died at Gotha, near Orlando, in November, 1929, will be commemorated by the Quest Society of Florida at 3 p. m. Sunday, Nov. 29th, in Winter Park on the campus of Rollins College.

Dr. Nehrling was born in Wisconsin but lived nearly 30 years in Florida. He was a profound student of plants and birds, and an authority on bamboos, palms and calladiums. He was a prolific writer and a member of many learned societies in America and Europe.

Dr. Thomas G. Lee, of Babson Park, will preside at the Commemoration. Addresses will be given by Dr. Harold H. Hume of Gainesville on "Henry Nehrling as an Author"; by Mrs. Mary Francis Baker of Winter Park on "The Services of Botanists to Florida"; and by Theodore L. Mead of Oviedo in "Henry Nehrling as I Knew Him." The public will be welcome.

WRUF Farm Program

Gainesville, Oct. 28.—Farm women should be interested in many of the talks that will be given next week during the Florida Farm Hour from state radio station WRUF. The Farm Hour is broadcast from noon to 12:45, Eastern Standard Time, each week day. Next week's schedule, as just announced by the University of Florida Agricultural Extension Service, follows:

Saturday, Oct. 31—Florida Farm News and Hints. U. S. Farm Science Snapshots.

Monday, Nov. 2—Planning an Economical, Adequate Meal—Miss Anna Mae Sikes. The Home Canning Budget—Miss Isabelle Thursby.

Tuesday, Nov. 3 — Collecting Stink Bugs on Citrus—J. R. Watson. Farm Question Box.

Wednesday, Nov. 4 — Autumn Flowers and Leaves — Erdman West. Primer for Town Farmers.

Thursday, Nov. 5—Timely Farm Jobs and How to Do Them—J. Francis Cooper. Cane Varieties for North and West Florida—W. E. Stokes.

Friday, Nov. 6—Home Industries—Miss Mary E. Keown. Thrift in Clothing—Miss Lucy Belle Settle. Thrift in Home Improvement—Miss Virginia P. Moore.

Winter Haven.—W. H. Fruit Distributors, Inc., capitalized at $5,000, granted charter.

How to play Bridge

AUCTION and CONTRACT

by Wynne Ferguson

Author of "PRACTICAL AUCTION BRIDGE"

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ARTICLE No. 2

If there is one thing about Auction and Contract that is certain and undisputed, it is the fact that no perfect system of bidding has been or is ever likely to be invented. Almost any system, if clearly understood by partners and intelligently played, will produce good results. The only difference between systems of bidding in both games lies in the difference in the skill of the players advocating the different systems. The only thing that makes one system preferable to another is the fact that it is more easily understood and applied by the average player. The writer has known of many match games between experts advocating different systems and, as a rule, such matches have been more or less even. And it is very lucky that there is no perfect system of bidding. If there were, the game would soon lose its fascination and charm. No one likes to feel that the other fellow knows as much as he does and, if the bidding were perfect, no one could put anything over.

What only makes Auction and Contract so fascinating, however, is its uncertainty. Every bid, practically, is in the nature of a speculation or a gamble for there is no guarantee that the cards will not be so distributed that your bid, no matter how sound, cannot be made. For example, suppose you bid one heart, holding five hearts headed by the ace, King, queen and an outside ace. No one will say that such a bid is unsound under any system, and yet you are doubled and lose your contract by three tricks. There were seven hearts in one hand against you. A bad break but no one can say you made a bad bid.

The following example hands apply equally well to Auction or Contract. The dealer bid one spade and second hand, holding the following:

Hearts — Q, J, 9, 8, 6, 4, 3
Clubs — 6
Diamonds — K, Q, J, 6
Spades — A

correctly bid two hearts. The dealer's partner, holding the remaining six hearts, doubled and defeated the contract by three tricks. These are bad breaks, of course, but show what happens even to the soundest of bids.

Here's the other angle: winning by bad bidding. The dealer holds a strong no-trump hand but only two little spades. Instead of bidding one no trump, he bid two spades and was doubled by second hand. He then bid two no trump and made three odd. Second hand and his partner had a set-up spade suit, but failed to lead it because of the dealer's bluff bid. A fine example of winning by bad bidding.

Still another example. The dealer bid one no trump and second hand, holding the following:

Hearts — 10, 7
Clubs — 7
Diamonds — A, K, Q, J, 10, 7, 5
Spades — Q, 8, 4

bid two spades on the theory that the dealer's partner, if he held a stopper in the spade suit, would undoubtedly bid no trump. It happened just as second hand had planned. The dealer's partner bid two no trump, second hand doubled and defeated the contract by two tricks, making seven diamond tricks right off the red. These examples of winning by bad bidding are given as a warning. Never try stunts of this kind for there's nothing to such bidding. If you win once, you are encouraged to try again and you cannot help but lose out in the long run. Learn some system well and understand it thoroughly. Once you have mastered it, stick to it and you will get results. The system you choose is immaterial, but the application is everything. Let your partner know what he can expect of you and don't disappoint. Be dependable first, last and all the time.

The following problem was submitted by a correspondent, with the statement that he was unable to solve it and asking for assistance:

Problem

	Hearts — K, 8, 7, 3, 2 Clubs — none Diamonds — none Spades — A, 10	
Hearts — Q, 6 Clubs — K, 10, 4, 2 Diamonds — none Spades — Q	Y A B Z	Hearts — 9, 5 Clubs — 8, 7 Diamonds — 10, 4, - Spades — none
	Hearts — none Clubs — A, Q, 5 Diamonds — none Spades — 9, 5, 4, 2	

There are no trumps and Z is in the lead. How can Y Z win five of the seven tricks against any defense?

Solution in next Article.

NEWS of General Interest To Highlands County

VENUS

Miss Rachel Studley spent the week-end in Sebring.

M. A. Millar is selling Japanese persimmons from his farm.

J. H. Holcomb motored to Moore Haven and Citrus Center Monday.

W. H. Cannon and C. F. Poole made a business trip to Arcadia Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Langford were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Sellers Saturday.

Rev. F. K. McGee and family and Mrs. D. C. Rude were visiting old friends in Venus Saturday.

Mrs. Langford and Mrs. Sellers were the guests of Mrs. W. H. Cannon Saturday afternoon.

L. Stalls spent Sunday in Venus with his family. Mrs. Stalls and baby are getting along fine.

Services at the Baptist church Sunday and Sunday night by Rev. Peters. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Whiting of Wauchula were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex McDugald Sunday.

Mrs. Hartafield and two sons Joe and Silas spent the week-end in Palmdale with her daughter, Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hendry and Marguerette McDugald spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Alex McDugald.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stalls and W. E. Hendry spent Sunday in Sunniland as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Stalls.

Mr. and Mrs. McMatchett moved to their home last week. His father has been ill but is expected to soon be well again.

Epstine Poole and family were the guests of C. F. Poole Saturday and left his son Jerome for a week's visit with his uncle.

Mrs. Hartafield and two sons George and Silas motored to La-Belle Sundav and were the dinner guests of Mrs. Lucky.

George and Silas Hartafield Miss Murdock and Miss Beatrice Hicks of Palmdale motored to Hicoria Saturday night to a dance.

Mrs. N. B. Jackson and daughter Sarah Virginia, Mrs. W. E. Hendry and baby and son Roy, have been on the sick list but are now reported better.

Edwin Best and Dan Whidden, Mrs. Elizabeth Stewart and Rev. Lynn of Lakeport motored to Hicoria Tuesday for lumber to build a church on the beach by the school house.

The Sunday school and prayer meeting are getting better. Hicoria is helping out. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Guthrie and two children and Mrs. Dudley and two children were present as were Mrs. Mathis and Mrs. Whidden and two children. Some of the old members are returning and everybody is welcome.

HICORIA

Wade Ammons has returned to Kennansville after a few days stay here.

W. L. Stephens was in Hicoria Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Poppell and Mr. and Mrs. Starr visited Sebring last Saturday night.

Mrs. Dudley and children attended Sunday school at Venus last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. M. Odom's cousins from Georgia have been visiting them for the past week or two.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Guthrie and children attended Sunday school at Venus last Sunday afternoon.

Several boys from Hicoria attended the Men's Bible Class at Lake Placid last Thursday night.

A large crowd from Hicoria attended Sunday school at the Presbyterian church at Lake Placid last Sunday.

Hub Starr, and Miss Juadell Peoples, and Irvan Cobb and Miss Blanch Senteritt were in Arcadia Sunday night last.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Causey and Miss Louise Dykes and Harry Eurers made a trip to Palmdale last Surday.

Arnie Garrett, Earnest Eurers, Rod Morrison and J. B. Register were visitors to Arcadia last Saturday night.

Mrs. Tucker and son Joe and Miss Gertrude Dykes visited Mrs. Rivers, Mrs. Tucker's mother of Bartow last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Davidson and little Miss Inez, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Garrett and baby Bettie visited relatives at Indiantown last Sunday.

The Thursday afternoon Club met at Mrs. Starr's home last week. Those present were: Mrs. E. Poppell, Mrs. Glasgow, Mrs. O. V. Horne, Mrs. G. C. Whitney, Mrs. Guthrie, Misses Daisy Simmons, Lillian Sharpless. Refreshments were served and all enjoyed the occasion splendidly.

J. T. Sullivan, his brother Clark and Chas. H. Shackelford of the Hicoria I. G. A. Store, and Horace Shackelford and his aunt Miss Frankie left last Tuesday afternoon to attend the Prosperity Jubilee at Oneco, Fla. This gathering is in honor of the manager of the I. G. A. store, Oneco, for the purchase of the largest amount of goods for his size store in this district.

Chas. H. Shackelford and son Horace returned last Friday afternoon from a visit to relatives and friends in North Mississippi. While away they made a business trip to Memphis, Tenn. Mr. Shackelford says, "in Mississippi they have the finest corn crop in many years, and the cotton crop is an average one. The same condition prevails in Tennessee." He says, "For corn there is no sale, and cotton was selling for five cents." Mr. Shackelford said further, "While money is short the farmers have plenty to eat and all over the part of the state he visited the people made a "bumper fruit crop and they canned and dried it for home consumption," "and I was told," he said, "in Memphis that business had increased considerably in the past month." Miss Frankie Shackelford, sister of Mr. Shackelford, returned with them and will spend the winter here with them.

DeSOTO CITY

J. C. Leaphart spent Sunday afternoon in Lake Placid.

F. P. Burch and H. E. Galloway spent the week-end in Tampa.

L. E. Jennings of Okeechobee, spent the week-end as the guest of Bernard Etheredge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Leaphart and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tauchen spent Sunday in Okeechobee.

L. D. Mullins of Fort Myers, spent the week-end here visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Franklin.

Miss Kathleen Watters, Gregg Watters and Paul Ritter spent Saturday visiting in Fort Myers.

Rev. G. A. York and son Randall were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Etheredge on Sunday.

Mrs. E. F. Burch, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Page and Carl Franke motored to Okeechobee and Venice Sunday.

Lee and Willard Etheredge and T. U. Jackson spent the week-end here visiting Parker and Zeke Etheredge.

The many friends of George Boyd will be interested to know he has arrived in Sebring to spend the winter months.

Miss Thelma Bailey has arrived from Ashville, N. C., to spend the winter months with her parents Col. and Mrs. F. N. K. Bailey.

Gregg Watters, who is attending the university at Gainesville, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Watters.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Page entertained a number of their friends with a bridge party last Friday night. Mrs. J. H. Twitty won high score for the ladies and J. H. Twitty for the men. At a late hour delicious refreshments were served. Those enjoying Mr. and Mrs. Page's hospitality were: Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Galloway, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Twitty, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Burch, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Barrow, Miss Allie Mae Etheredge and Carl Franke.

ISTOKPOGA

E. R. Selman made a business trip to Sebring Monday.

Charley Gillespie spent the first of the week here, returning to Cisco Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Hadley of DeSoto City were visiting friends in this community Monday.

W. Whatley has been real sick but is improving now. He was badly finned by a cat fish.

H. D. Harrison is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Perry Gay. Mr. Harrison is building a nice boat for Mr. Gay.

D. C. Reid enjoyed a fishing party on Lake Istokpoga with Lewis Tavlor and Perry Gay and a good catch was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Elliott and sons Jessie and Vance of Avon Park, spent Sunday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Naan McClelland.

Col. F. N. K. Bailey, superintendent of public instruction in Highlands county, has received 50 of the new Florida bird books for use in the school libraries in the county. They are being distributed throughout the schools in the state by Nathan Mayo, commissioner of agriculture.

To control flea-hoppers on celery use some of the pyrethrum sprays.

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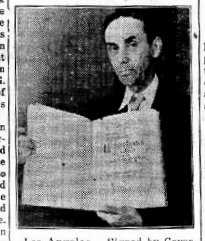

Los Angeles.—Signed by Governor James Rolph, Jr., Mayor John C. Porter, Henry W. Wright, chairman of the Board of Supervisors, and William May Garland, president of the Los Angeles Organizing Committee, chairman of the California Olympiad Commission and senior member of the International Olympic Committee from the United States. The invitation is hand lettered and on sheepskin; it required more than a month of work on the lettering alone. The letters are of the modified Roman type and are illuminated. President Hoover is expected to be in Los Angeles July 30, 1932, to formally open the Games. Photo shows Martin J. Jackson, artist, who did the lettering, and his finished work.

Purposes of Florida Home Improvement

Purposes of Florida Home Improvement Week scheduled for state observance Oct. 25-31, are announced by the Florida Association of Real Estate Boards, co-sponsors as:

1. Provide employment in home construction, repairs and betterments.

2. Getting properties in shape for sale, rent, or greater comfort.

3. Stimulate home building and home buying—hence all business.

The realty association points out that while they have put forth the idea, activity in the campaign is solicited from all citizens.

In a letter to a selected list of several thousand community organization and business leaders in Florida the Association declared these purposes are of direct interest to every citizen and agency in Florida.

"Unemployment can be relieved and the appearance of our cities improved if the campaign is entered into heartily, "the letter said. "Autumn is really spring in Florida, and national clean-up organizations have offered to cooperate for that reason."

"There is no selfish motive in this campaign. Property owners and others having homes in their charge can take this week to make a start in preparing their properties for the winter season, whether or not they are to be on the market. There is no field in which more employment may be provided than in home construction, betterment repairs or beautification. Those who contemplate building will find material and labor costs lower than in years," the announcement said.

Fall Term Circuit Court Opens Tuesday

The fall term of circuit court convenes here Tuesday with Judge W. J. Barker presiding. The docket will be sounded and the grand jury drawn for the term. The cases against W. R. Carver will be called again, he having been granted a rehearing by the supreme court. What States Attorney L. Grady Burton will do in this matter is problemetical at present although it is thought in some quarters the charges will be nolle prossed.

What matters besides the Lake Placid bank robbery will be investigated by the grand jury are unknown although a number of cases have been turned over from the county court including a number of minor infractions of the law.

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Cutworms Best Controlled With Poison Bran Bait

Cutworms, well known by their habit of cutting tender vegetable plants off just above the ground to take only a few bites and cut another, can best be controlled with a poison bran bait, says J. R. Watson, entomologist with the Florida Experiment Station.

Cutworms are the larvae of a moth that flies around mostly at night. The moth lays eggs on the plant near the ground. The worm hatches and digs into the ground, coming out at night to feed. At this time of the year there is a generation every month.

These worms are usually abundant in grassy fields. For this reason the land should be plowed as far as in advance of the setting of the plants as possible. If the field is kept fallow for a month most of the worms will starve.

If it isn't feasible to plow the field a month before the plants are set, the worms can be poisoned. This can be done by poisoning collard leaves, or some such material, with an arsenical and scattering them over the field after it has been plowed and the worms have had time to become hungry. This poison should be scattered late in the evening so that it will not dry out before the worms can get it.

If the worms are found destroying the crop after it is set, the poison bran bait is the best control. This is made by thoroughly mixing 25 pounds of bran with one pound of paris green or calcium arsenate and moistening it with enough water to make it damp but not sloppy. This bait should be scattered over the field late in the afternoon. It should be scattered evenly if the vegetables are closely planted, and should treat about five acres. In the case of plants spaced far apart, like cabbage, it is only necessary to drop a little bait around each plant.

GOVERNOR CARLTON WILL ATTEND ARCADIA'S RODEO

Arcadia, Oct. 28.—Gov. Doyle Carlton has accepted an invitation to attend the All-Florida Championship Rodeo to be held on November 10 and 11 this year, and will speak at one of the programs. A number of men prominent in Legion affairs in the state will also be present. Beside the large number of wild steers and unbroken horses to be used in the events, a contract has been made with a group of professional riders, who will bring to the Rodeo a string of outlaw horses and will present a number of special features each day. Two programs are given, afternoon and evening of both days of the show.

NOTICE
City Registration Books Open

Notice is hereby given that the registration books of the City of Avon Park, Florida, are open at my office in the City Hall, for the registration of the qualified electors of said city, and will remain open from day to day, except Sunday, from the first day of October, 1931, to the twenty-fifth day of November, 1931, at which time they will be closed.

This the 30th day of September, A. D. 1931.

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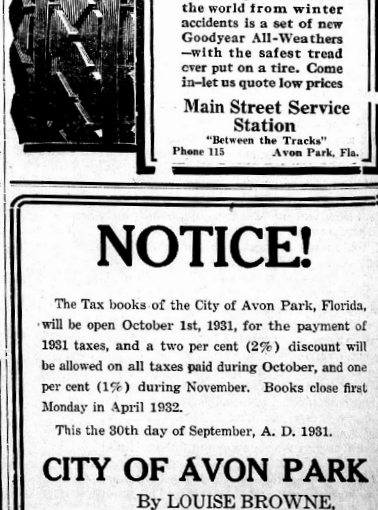

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The Tax books of the City of Avon Park, Florida, will be open October 1st, 1931, for the payment of 1931 taxes, and a two per cent (2%) discount will be allowed on all taxes paid during October, and one per cent (1%) during November. Books close first Monday in April 1932.

This the 30th day of September, A. D. 1931.

CITY OF AVON PARK
By LOUISE BROWNE,
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ADVERTISING RATES FURNISHED UPON REQUEST

Now is as good a time as any to pay your poll tax.

If it were left to the newspapers of Florida it seems that General Summerall would receive the nomination for Congressman-at-large by acclamation.

A lady out in Los Angeles killed two other ladies over a "platonic friend." Friendships that are called platonic—that's as good a name as any—can stir up lots of trouble, and generally do.

Note a statement that ex-Senator Tom Heflin's newspaer venture at Birmingham has gone flooey. You can get away with hooey and hokum much better in the United States Senate than through the medium of a newspaper.

The next great war may be fought between the adherents of Field Marshal Cannon on the one side and those of Mayjor Generalissimo Key, of Atlanta, on the other. Betcha Mayor Key can throw a mean beer bottle, and perhaps Sister Mable can furnish a few wine bricks as missiles for the opposing side.

Sometimes it looks like people are not as hard up as they seem to think they are. Else why is it that 2,500 persons have failed to call for their dividend checks on deposits in closed Palm Beach banks, though the dividends were announced in some instances as long as six months ago?

Suggestion: During the nice long evenings of the approaching season, instead of passing the time working cross-word puzzles, try laying atoms end to end in a row. It only takes a billion atoms to make a linear inch, and there are lots of atoms lying around everywhere that you could use for this game.

Four counties have voted for race tracks. Looks like the ponies will be kicking up some dust in Florida this winter. Let us hope that the financial advantage to the state will be as great as the advocates of racing predict. Frankly, we do not believe that horse racing will hurt the moral status of our people greatly.

Real estate is moving again. A lot in Tallahassee sold for $21,000 the other day. Of course, it was assessed at $1,650, but this was due probably to the increase in value between the time of assessment and the date of sale. Or, perhas again, to the fact that it is always a pessimist who talks to the tax assessor and an optimist who makes the sales talk.

New York, with nearly eleven million in her "metropolitan area," now claims to be the world's largest city. However, Tampa knows something about this metropolitan area game, also, reaching out nonchalantly and gathering in cities like St. Pete and others which have been thinking themselves some pumpkins as they were. New York better hustle or Tampa will distance her yet.

There is a way out of depression for almost any individual who is willing to work. For instance, nearly anybody can acquire a small farm nowadays—owners are almost willing to give away farm lands—and if one cannot produce wealth on such a farm, intelligent labor will at least bring him health and independence. The catch in the thing is that he would have to work, and mankind has ceased to regard work with a friendly eye.

To our mind there has never been a more striking manifestation of colossal conceit than the attempt of some persons at this time to improve upon the language of the standard versions of the Bible. The culmination of this conceit is the rewriting of the Lord's Prayer, to make it conform to modern methods of speech. It seems inconceivable that any person claiming to be a Christian should undertake to change the wording of the prayer given as a model by Christ Himself. For nearly 2,000 years the simple and sublime words have sufficed the Christian who sought to petition the Saviour. The pattern of that prayer can not be improved. Trying to do so is comparable to the efforts of a child in the first grade to rewrite Shakespeare.

"COMING UP"

While President Hoover was reading his Yorktown address a playful breeze whisked the pages from the stand and scattered them over the platform, much to the orator's—or reader's—embarrassment. The manuscript was hurriedly retreived, and the speech went on, but one page was lost. Of course, a speech as a usual thing might be improved by the loss of a page. The Gettysburg address was an exception to this rule, however. Written out, that speech would hardly have filled a page.

A WOMAN'S EDITORIAL

The following discussion on a mooted subject is said to have been written by an Omaha woman, in a contest conducted by the Daily Bee of that city for the best "editorial" by a layman:

"My neighbor has prospered. His home is the last word in modern architecture and equipment. It is his hobby. He loves every board in it. He surrounds it with grassy plots and flowers and adorns it inside and outside according to his sense of artistic grace and beauty.

"Not only is the home a source of pride and satisfaction to my neighbor but by its beauty and grace and general attractiveness it sheds distinction and adds to the value of his property around it.

"Now, my home is a modest affair. It needs paint and the roof does not cover it as well as the mortgage. What is meant for grass plots show bare patches like the exposed portion of a little boys trousers.

"And instead of graceful flowing vines my house is run over by little rosy amblers who clamber about scraping off the paint and leaving muddy streaks in their wake. There are five of them, and all the hard work, sacrifice and care they mean to me is nothing compared to the pride I have in their clean eyes, clean minds and sturdy bodies.

"The hope I hold in their future and present struggle to keep them clothed, housed and fed is a small affair. They represent my family estate. To them I hope to leave an inheritance of character and courage. And to the world I shall not bequeath large sums to charity, schools, hospitals, but a family of men and women equipped to take up the problems in life.

"But when my neighbor begins to talk taxes I have an uneasy feeling that according to his way of looking at it, I should have drowned these dimpled bodies before their eyes were open. He has figured out to a penny how much it is costing to educate one of my children.

"I believe my neighbor is wrong. My children have a monetary value to the town. For their needs my earnings are spent. I buy from him such things as he has to sell, thereby adding to his riches.

"I go farther. I am raising no hogs for profit, no cattle to market, but raw materials for the nation tomorrow. They are not mine alone. They belong to my neighbor as well. It is to his interest as well as to mine that they become fit and useful children. As they become trained, as they are educated they will develop. The community has a part in that development.

"My neighbor has no more right to spread propaganda for cheap schools, a niggardly system that will dwarf the future of my children than I have to throw trash in his yard."

Persons who perpetually worry about the so-called "Younger Generation" will be depressed to learn that in the Baptist Young People's Union, two organizations, and in the Methodist Leagues, three organizations, at 6:30 last Sunday night, more than 150 local "Younger Generation" were conducting their own religious worship. As a matter of fact, if the older generation were as enthusiastic and energetic in their departments of church work as the young people are in theirs, the pastors and descons and stewards would have a great load lifted from their shoulders. —Clermont Press.

BUILDERS

By JUDGE JOHN W. DODGE

THOUGHTS BUILD SOULS.

The words of the poet, "Build thee more stately mansions, O my soul" are both dynamic and powerful.

What doth it profit a man if he gain the whole world and lose his own soul? Soul building is life's greatest goal — it is the shining star of his highest aims and purposes — it is the haven of his peace and eternal rest.

Like all other building, soul building must have deep, solid, strong foundations. It must rest upon a bed-rock of strength and stability — not upon the quick-sands of life. The waves and waters of life must not, in their wild roar and rush, be able to wash away or undermine our soul's foundation stones.

Upon such a foundation must we erect the superstructures of the mansions of our soul. They too must be level, straight, strong, well bound and tied together, piece by piece, from day to day, with the best material, in a workmanlike manner, in symetrical lines, closely fitting joints, studded and braced, with joists and rafters, floors and weatherboards, porches, roofs and windows. Therein will dwell the soul of man in his own self-made mansion.

How are we to so build our mansions? Thoughts are our first consideration. We must have thoughts, daily thoughts, which will increase our faith, courage, industry, ambition, optimism, energy, confidence, independence, determination, power, enthusiasm — all desirable qualities and right thoughts.

The philosophy of life in a nut shell, and the building of the soul's mansions, is founded upon our thoughts. Repeated thoughts lead to acts, and repeated acts at least consolidate into habits. Thus it is that thoughts, acts, habits, character, destiny, and mansions of our soul are built, wherein dwells our own soul.

Florida is building mansions for the souls of our young and old. What kind of mansions? What kind of souls? What are our thoughts? What are our acts? What are our habits? The answers make our future — for weal or woe — for life or death.

Echoes of the State Press

FLORIDA'S SHAME.

We do not question the purpose of those who are trying to keep the unemployed out of Florida. Possibly we have as much as we can do to take care of our own unemployed. But it makes the picture of freedom appear a little ridiculous. It does seem to us to be rather inconsistent that in a supposedly free country, where people who have not been deprived of their liberty through some criminal act, cannot exercise the same liberties whether poor or rich. No one would think of barring a citizen of the United States the use of our public roads on which to walk or seek work if he had money or wealth.

It does seem a little inconsistent to deny to a poor man, without work, without winter clothes, or place to lay his head, the free use of our free public roads. He has committed no crime against society. Our constitution guarantees to him liberty in the pursuit of a livelihood. We do not see the "hobo express trains" of Dade, Broward, Palm Beach and other counties carrying from their communities any of the criminal racketeers who come in their midst with ill-gotten cash procured in violation of our criminal statutes. We may as well say, "Come you criminals if you have money to spend, but to you poor law-abiding citizens who have committed no crimes against society, and are without money, you cannot come to Florida and enjoy the freedom of your neighbor who has prospered through his crimes."

Somehow or other it doesn't seem just right. Since when did the authorities of Florida decide that poverty was a crime? How far are we from complete tryanny when a poor man is to be denied liberties that are not denied to the criminal with money?

Self-preservation is the first law of nature, and if we a native of Florida, were caught in the north this winter without work, money, clothes, home or fuel, we think we would exercise our right as a free American citizen to go anywhere in America, and we would come to Florida where we know, at least, that while we had no shelter there we would, at least, not freeze.

We know personally of some very prominent and well-to-do citizens in Florida, and many of them valuable citizens, who hoboed into Florida in past years seeking work. There is danger, we admit, in hordes of unemployed gathered in any community. There is also danger to any country's future that curtails the millions of poor and hungry from freely seeking a living. If practiced by all communities in America it will lead to anarchy and possibly rebellion.

There are millions of the poor and homeless all over America, and possibly it is only by the Grace of God and the thing we sometimes call "fate" that you are not numbered among them. When the next depression comes, after this one is gone, it would not be surprising to see some of those who are now hoboing and seeking employment running "hobo express" wagons themselves and hauling out of their communities some of the same people who now most loudly advocate turning back the job-seekers. One of the most ardent advocates in favor of this practice we have heard hoboed into this country from another state 40 years ago looking for work. No one will attempt to turn back Scarface Al Capone and his criminal body-guard when he arrives in Florida, and not to do so, and all those like him, is tantamount to saying to the poor that poverty is the greatest crime recognized in Florida.—Okeechobee News.

A NEW TYPE OF BONDHOLDER.

A new type of bondholder has come to the fore. He has none of the attributes of a Shylock; he does not demand his pound of flesh; he is even interested in helping his debtors make payment.

The Lake Worth Drainage District has just announced that it is considering a refinancing plan which would involve an issue of refunding bonds. The proposed interest on these bonds was fixed by the district at a figure it thought it could pay and which also would be fair to the bondholders.

The bondholders studied the plan and then offered voluntarily a reduction of interest.

This is something unique in the history of Florida bond transactions. Here there is no suggestion of a mandamus to force payment, no suggestion of a high tax rate that would be almost confiscatory against property; no threat of a levy that might cause a tax strike.

To the contrary, the bondholders are willing and anxious to help the district work out its bond problems. To this end, they even offer to reduce the amount of money to be paid to them so that the district may continue its opeation and maintenance and eventually be in even better shape to pay its obligations.

It is obvious and almost unnecessary to point out that other types of bondholders could consider such a plan to their advantage.—Palm Beach Post.

ANOTHER ATTRACTION.

Nehemiah Brookes, writing from Sebring for today's Public Pulse, refers to a recent article appearing in these columns in which the Inness paintings, in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Tarpon Springs, were listed as an outstanding Florida attraction — along with the Singing Tower, Lake Wales; Silver Springs, Ocala, and the Ringling Art museum, Sarasota. He suggests an addition to this list — Highland Hammock, a few miles from Sebring, the beauties of which he recites in part.

Sorry to say, we have never had the pleasure of a visit to Highlands Hammock, though such has several times been planned. Information is that it is one of the natural beauty places of Florida not only, but of the world, and quite deserving of being numbered among the things people must see before they can say that they have really seen Florida.

As has been several times said in this connection, almost every community in Florida possesses some particular attraction worth the while of home folks and visitors. It is this that makes Florida so distinctive and desirable. No other state in the Union is more fortunate in this respect. Among these are places of natural beauty — as in the cases of Silver Springs and Highlands Hammock, and man-made things of beauty — as in the case of the Inness paintings, the Singing Tower and the Ringling Art museum.—Tampa Times.

That was a terrible accident on the Tampa-Plant City highway the other morning, snuffing out the lives of two beautiful young ladies, students at Southern college. The saddest part about these accidents is that all could be avoided if drivers were only more careful and if, in this case, there had been proper protection afforded by the state or county. Of course, there had been a guard during part of the morning, but evidently not long enough to prevent the accident which took the lives of two beautiful girls standing on the threshold of glorious womanhood.—Winter Haven Chief.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By EDSON R. WAITE
Shawnee, Oklahoma

THAT the stores that advertise are prepared to be of real helpfulness to you; visit them often.

They keep their stocks replenished with seasonable merchandise so you can make easy selections.

To know the true value of quality goods and to derive satisfaction, you must buy from stores that advertise.

It is a good thing to know where to buy good merchandise. Read the ads; you will find the names of progressive merchants there.

To keep a community prosperous, money must circulate freely; it can only circulate according to the desires of the people.

Money spent or invested in the home city circulates in the home city. If it is spent away from home it circulates in some other city and leaves the home city with no business, which means that the wheels of progress are stopped.

WHEN BUYING, DON'T FORGET YOUR OWN INTERESTS; BUY ADVERTISED GOODS FROM HOME MERCHANTS.

MERCHANTS WHO ADVERTISE PROTECT THEIR CUSTOMERS BY BACKING EVERYTHING THEY SELL.

Saturday Last Day To Pay State Licence Without the Penalty

Tax Collector D. F. Canfield calls attention to the provisions of the new licence law as applied to stores and with especial reference to chain stores and which was passed by the last session of the legislature. There is a change in the fees payable and also a penalty of 25 percent of the licence on all that are not paid by the 31st day of October. In addition to the state licence there is a county licence of 25 percent of the state tax.

The price for a state licence for one store is now $5.00 and $3.00 per $1,000 value of stock in store and storage. A filing fee of 50 cents is also required to be paid. This licence increases with each additional store that is owned and operated in the county. Mr. Canfield advises all who have not done so to procure their licences by Saturday night.

Seed Sweet Potatoes Should Be Selected At Time of Digging

Seed sweet potatoes should be selected at digging time, since that is the time to eliminate trouble from such diseases as mosaic and stem rot, and to select the best tubers from the best hills, Erdman West, mycologist at the Florida Experiment Station, points out.

Okeechobee.—Local airport and landing field improved.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, Management, Circulation, Etc., Required By the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912, of The Avon Park Times, Published Weekly at Avon Park, Fla., for October 1, 1931.

State of Florida, County of Highlands, ss.

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared W. M. Hetherington, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Editor of the Avon Park Times and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation), etc. of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912 embodied in section 411, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

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W. M. HETHERINGTON.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29th day of October, 1931.

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Auxiliary Holds Card Party

The American Legion auxiliary sponsored a well attended and delightful bridge party at the Legion home on Tuesday evening, where eleven tables were placed for bridge and pinochle. The Hallowe'en motif was carried out in all the details. Bowls and baskets of cosmos and marigolds in shades of orange formed a colorful decoration, while the score pads, pencils and table markers all bore pumpkins, witches and other suggestions of the approaching season.

After five progressions scores were totaled and Mrs. Kathryn Wells, holding high among the ladies, received a prize, while Dr. A. M. Morgan receive the gentlemen's high, and Buck James secured the consolation. H. J. Chance was awarded high among the pinochle players and Mrs. England was presented the consolation. Mrs. J. C. Ragsdale was lucky in the cut among all the players and was given a dainty gift.

An iced drink and doughnuts were served at the conclusion of the games and the napkins, table covers and plates all further emphasized the Hallowe'en feature.

Among those attending were: Mrs. O. C. Wilkes, Miss Louise Brown, Mrs. George Scott McKnight, Mrs. Lucy Crumley, Mrs. McGinnis, Mrs. D. V. Rouse, Mrs. Mills, Mrs. J. B. Rodgers, Dr. Eastman, Mrs. Colquitt Pardee, Miss Mattie Tompkins, Miss Kate Tompkins, Mrs. Forbes, Mrs. Dunlavy, Mrs. Joe Lander, Mrs. Henry Timms, Mrs. O. E. Anderson, Mrs. C. S. James, Buck James, Mrs. Floyd Johnson, Mrs. Fred Smith, Mrs. Kathryn Bristol, Miss Eleanor Bryant, Miss Millie Pearson, Mrs. L. E. Bass, Mrs. Milford Dilley, Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mrs. Kathleen Jones, Mrs. Glenn Spink, Mrs. W. H. McCarthy, Mrs. W. R. England, Mrs. Kathryn Wells, Mrs. W. M. Hetherington, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Chance, Mr. and Mrs. Demos Mandis, Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Abrams, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ragsdale, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Marlin, Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. John Wood.

Senior Class Given Hallowe'en Party

The Junior class of the Avon Park high school entertained the members of the Senior class with an informal Hallowe'en party at West Beach hotel on Saturday evening of last week.

The lobby and dining rooms were gay with festive decorations of orange and black. Horns and other noise makers were given as favors.

The evenings entertainment was in dancing, card games, and contests. Fortune telling proved the most popular diversion for both boys and girls.

A refreshment course of sandwiches, cake and punch were served by the hosts.

The guest list included: Miss Ruby Gene Beaver, Miss Dorothy Roberts, Miss Agnes Vilkaitis, Miss Elizabeth Sheretz, Miss Gwandolyn Wever, Miss Mary Turner, Miss Verna Helm, Miss Myrtle Turner, Miss Oleta Bighie, Miss Pauline Bost, Miss Mary Margaret Mills, Miss Cornelia Reynolds.

Messrs Paul Baldwin, Jimmy Roberts, Nelson Smith, Cleo James, Robert Stewart, Claude Daly, Charles Kempton, Raymond Vickery, Alvin Ebi, Marcus Covington and others.

Auxiliary to Sell Coffee and Doughnuts

Don't forget that the American Legion auxiliary will sell doughnuts and hot coffee down town Saturday night. Patronize a worthy cause and at the same time enjoy a good cup of hot coffee and delicious doughnuts like mother used to make.

Christian Endeavor Given Party

Mrs. W. H. Yates entertained the members of the Christian Endeavor with a Hallowe'en party at her home on last Friay afternoon.

The lovely Yates home was decorated with zinnias and other pretty garden flowers placed in vases and baskets. Punch, cookies and cake were served by the hostess late in the evening.

The guests present were: Miss Letta Reck, Miss Marcia Weisheyer, Miss Marjorie McKnight, Miss Mildred Wray, Miss Jeanne Snarr, Miss Dorothy Hobbs, Miss Charlotte Shepherd, Miss Mary Wilde, and Miss Dorothy Weisheyer.

Howard Wingate, Richard Bennett, Joe White, Ovor Farnell, Errie Cobb of Sebring, Austin Heacock of Sebring, Paul Rodgers of Sebring, Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Vaughn, Mrs. D. B. Farnell, and Mrs. W. H. Yates.

Monday Bridge Club Has Regular Meeting

The Monday afternoon bridge club met with Mrs. M. E. Covington at her home in the Covington Apartments for their regular Monday afternoon meeting.

The party rooms were decorated with a color scheme of purple and gold. The other party appointments were also arranged in this motif.

After several progressions of bridge scores were taken with Mrs. E. F. Carmichael receiving high score prize.

The hostess served a salad course to her guests who were: Mrs. W. T. Coates, Mrs. S. E. Booth, Mrs. A. H. Able, Mrs. E. F. Carmichael, Mrs. S. E. Melton, Mrs. W. D. Dorminey, Mrs. L. V. Pringle, Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mrs. M. V. Filcher, Mrs. J. E. Powell, Mrs. C. E. Lanier and Mrs. John Paul Garber.

Brother and Sister Entertain S. S. Classes

Miss Harriett Chance and Jean Chance entertained the members of their Sunday school classes with a Hallowe'en party at their home on Saturday afternoon.

The young folks were dressed in various costumes and enjoyed many of the Hallowe'en games and contests. Popcorn balls and ice cream were served by their mother, Mrs. H. J. Chance.

Those present were: Peggy Lacey, Nellene Cannon, Mary Lydia Stebbins, Elizabeth Hetherington, Frances Cloud, Iris Fairey, Betty Sherman, Tommy Lou Green, Anna Beth Skipper, and Sybil Bigbie.

Phil Baldwin, George and Harry Elwell, Ed Touchton, Buddy Trent, Charles Sherman, J. L. Green, Robert Fairey and Billy Sheffield.

Mrs. John Hood Hostess Wednesday

Mrs. John Hood entertained a few of her friends at her home on Wednesday evening with a Michigan party.

Cut flowers were placed about the reception room and at the close of the evening a salad course was served.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bennett, Mrs. Lula Blank, Mrs. Olive Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley, and Mrs. C. A. Clark.

Mrs. Lucy Dunham Roll Call Chairman

Mrs. Lucy Dunham, Sebring, has been announced as Roll Call Chairman for the fiftieth annual Roll Call of the American Red Cross, November 11 to 26. A regional conference to be attended by representatives of the Highlands County chapter will be held in Tampa at the Floridan hotel, October 29.

Y. W. A. Meets Wednesday Evening

The Young Woman's Association of Avon Park met with Miss Inez Helms for their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday evening of this week.

After a short business session a social meeting was held. Refreshments of cake and hot chocolate were served to those present who were: Miss Mildred Lee, Miss Reba West, Miss Willie Mae Sibley, Miss Lucille Saggus, Mrs. Ellis West, Mrs. J. M. Lee, Miss Louise Helms, Miss Virginia Baldwin, Miss Genevieve McClelland and Miss Margaret Dison.

Mrs. Stodden Entertains for Son

Mrs. Harry Stodden entertained a few of the friends of her little son, Dick, with a Hallowe'en party at their home on Thursday afternoon.

The afternoon was spent in playing games and enjoying various contests. Light refreshments were served by the hostess.

Those present were: Mary Bennett, Letia Bennett, Bill Hood, Charles Bennett, Winnie Hood, and Bobby Keller.

Col. and Mrs. J. M. Lee spent Tuesday in Arcadia where Col. Lee gave an address.

Roscoe Bass spent the week end here with his mother, Mrs. Lula Bass.

Charles Harris and son, Charles, spent Tuesday in Tampa on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rumpsa returned Monday from Pittsburgh, Pa., where they have been spending the past several months.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Brick returned Monday from Williamantic, Conn., where they spent the summer months.

Miss Frances Hargrove of Bartow spent the week-end in Avon Park with their mother, Mrs. H. M. Hargrove and sister, Mrs. Virginia Cloud and daughter, Frances.

Mrs. J. E. Wise, Miss Ann Wise, Mrs. Lucy Crumley and Mrs. Mel Bass spent last Saturday in Tampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Droit and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ling motored to Sarasota and Bradenton and spent the day Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Coen returned Thursday afternoon from Pittsburgh, Pa., after spending the summer months there and at their summer camp in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pitts spent the week end here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mel Bass. Mr. and Mrs. Pitts are well known visitors in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keune spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Hartt. Mrs. Keune will be remembered as Miss Lois Hartt before her marriage.

Wendell Roberts of Winter Haven spent Sunday afternoon here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Roberts.

Mrs. Jack Head, Mrs. D. V. Rouse, Mrs. Neal H. Trent and daughter, Miss Sarah Lucy Trent, spent Wednesday in Tampa on business and pleasure.

John Hood was transacting business in Fort Myers, Wednesday, returning to his home here Thursday afternoon.

Col. and Mrs. J. M. Lee and Mrs. B. F. Martin left Wednesday for Tallahassee where they visited Miss Kitty Lou Martin and Miss Lora Lee at the Florida State College for Women.

Aubrey Roberts of Deland, was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Roberts, and family here Sunday.

Miss Lillian Smith and Mrs. Jack Head and two children, spent Sunday in Fort Meade with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith.

Among those to attend the dance in Bowling Green Friday evening were: Miss Inez Dawson, Miss Susie Lynn, Miss Bobby Hudson, Miss Honey Sue Roberts, Eddie Montsdeoca, Charles Harris, Harry McFerrin, and 'Sally" Taylor.

Samuel Kipp Says Times Bad Seventy-Four Years Ago

Whenever you think things are tough and that there never were such hard times as we are now going through, you are reminded of the following editorial extract:

"It is a gloomy moment in history. Not for many years—not in the lifetime of most of those who read this paper—has there been so much grave and deep apprehension; never the future has seemed so incalculable as at this time. In our country there is universal commercial prostration and panic, and thousands of our poorest fellow-citizens are turned out against the approaching winter without employment and without the prospect of it.

"In France the political caldron seethes and bubbles with uncertainty; Russia hangs as usual, like a cloud, dark and silent upon the horizon of Europe; while all the energies and influence of the British empire are solely tried, and are yet to be tried more sorely.

"It is a solemn moment, and no man can feel an indifference in the issue of events.

"Of our own troubles no man can see the end. They are, fortunately, as yet mainly commercial; and if we are only to lose money, and by painful poverty to be taught wisdom—the wisdom of honor, of faith, of sympathy and of charity—no man need seriously to despair.

"And yet the very haste to be rich, which is the occasion of this wide-spread calamity, has also tended to destroy the moral forces with which we are to resist and subdue the calamity."

The foregoing editorial on the condition of the times was published in Harper's Weekly on October 10, 1857, 74 years ago, which was also the 74th birthday anniversary of Samuel Kipp, of Pittsburg, Pa., an uncle of Mrs. Fred Stevens of this city. The clipping from the Pittsburg Telegraph was sent to Mrs. Stevens by Mr. Kipp, who on his 74th birthday is far from a pessimist and is planning to come to Avon Park this winter to escape the cold weather and incidentally to catch certain of our eight and ten pound bass from Lake Verona and other nearby waters.

Mercer and Givens Indicted In Hardee

T. O. Mercer and Morris Givens, both being held as principal and accessory in the Lake Placid bank robbery, were indicted in Wauchula last week by the Hardee county grand jury. Mercer was charged with breaking and entering and Givens with being receiver of stolen goods.

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DON'T moan, because your last winter's coat won't do for 1931. Here are some of the best-looking coats you ever saw at a price that will scarcely make a dent in your budget! We are able to offer what we sincerely believe are the finest coat values in our history!

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AVON PARK DRUG COMPANY

Sunday School Lesson

FOR NOVEMBER 1, 1931.
SUBJECT: WORLD'S TEMPERANCE SUNDAY.

GOLDEN TEXT: "Be not drunk with wine, wherein is excess; but be filled with the Spirit." Epesians 5: 18.

LESSON TEXT: Galatians 5: 13-26; Romans 13: 1—14.

PRINCIPAL TRUTH: "Personal liberty guided by love will protect the welfare of others."

The lesson begins with Paul's letter to the Gallations, written about A. D. 56:

"Brethren, ye have been called unto liberty; only use not liberty for an occasion to the flesh, but by love serve one another. For all the law is fulfilled in one word, even in this; thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. But if ye bite and devour one another, take heed that ye be not consumed one of another."

"Paul had established the work in Galatia on his second missionary journey, and when he was in Corinth for three months in the course of his third journey he received news from Galatia, which led him to write this letter to the Galatian churches. Jews had come among the Galatian Christians, both Jews and Greeks, insisting that the only way to salvation was through the forms and ceremonies of Judaism. Paul wrote this letter to insist, that men are free from the Mosaic law with its endless ceremonies, and that faith in Christ and His atoning sacrifice was the all-sufficient way of salvation. The very practical teachings at the end of the Epistle are equally suited to our own day, and especially to the great and urgent question of total abstinence." The words appear to be these, * * " Bear ye one another's burdens, and so fulfil the law of Christ * * Be not deceived; God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap."

The lesson continues, * * "This I say then Walk in the Spirit, and ye shall not fulfil the lusts of the flesh. For the flesh lusteth against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh; and these are contrary the one to the other: so that ye cannot do the things that ye would."

The works of the flesh are illustrated by the "Personal Liberty" cry through the country, as quoted from Peloubet: "The Wets are constantly and loudly asserting that prohibition interferes with their 'personal liberty.' 'Whose liberty is of most importance * * a man's right to drink what he pleases or his family's right to a fair share in his income? The consequences of drink cannot be confined to the drinker, or even to the drinker's home; they spill over into the community where the rights to peace, safety and quiet are of greater importance than a man's right to drink poison.'"

In verses 19—21 of the lesson Paul names fifteen of the vices that follow the lusts of the flesh and the violation of God's laws. Near the top of that list he names "Drunkenness." In verses 22, 23, some of the fruits of Christ's Spirit are named. You will do well to read all these, * * both the bad and the good.

The lesson also says, "If we live in the Spirit, let us also walk in the Spirit," and we might make this appeal. If you vote for prohibition, then live for it, and, If you advocate not drinking, then please do not drink intoxicants. Those studying the prohibition laws, might read the following quotation, * * "The nation that has won its freedom has won but half the battle. It has conquered external foes; it has still to prevail over itself. And this is the harder task. Men clamor for liberty when they mean license; what they seek is the liberty of the flesh, not of the Spirit, freedom to indulge their lusts and to trample on the rights of others. The natural man defines freedom as the power to do as he likes; not the right of self-regulation, but the absence of regulation in what he desires." Probably the spirit just referred to is in all of us, in some more and in some less, in some one way and in others differently. But in no way does it do more harm than through alcoholic drink and narcotics.

From an issue of the New Outlook for last year the following data is taken, * * In a United States prison there were found 56 Bootleggers and 896 drug peddlers. The records showed 75,000 girls had disappeared from their homes the previous year, mostly through the drug habit. Certain books captured from a fraudulent drug company, showed 18,000 customers and $39,000,000 profits from narcotic sales. The League of Nations found that only 330 tons of opium was properly used in a year, but actually 8,600 tons were used. Should not the nation become aroused?

"NERVES"

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THE TIMES' WEEKLY PAGE OF COMICS

DOROTHY DARNIT

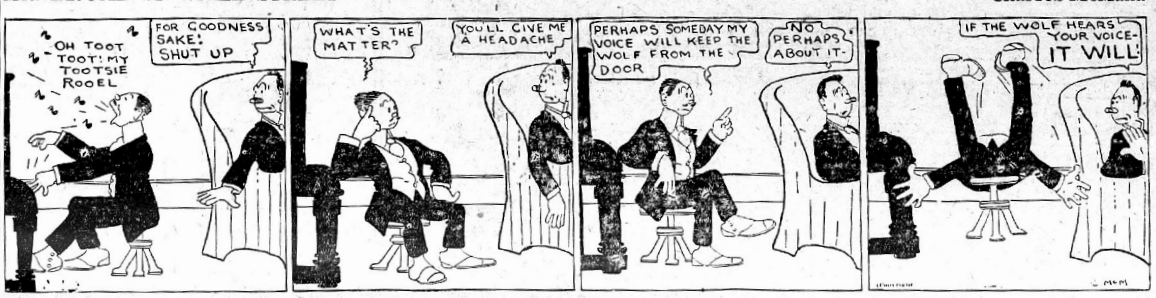
By Charles McManus

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

By Jack Rabbit

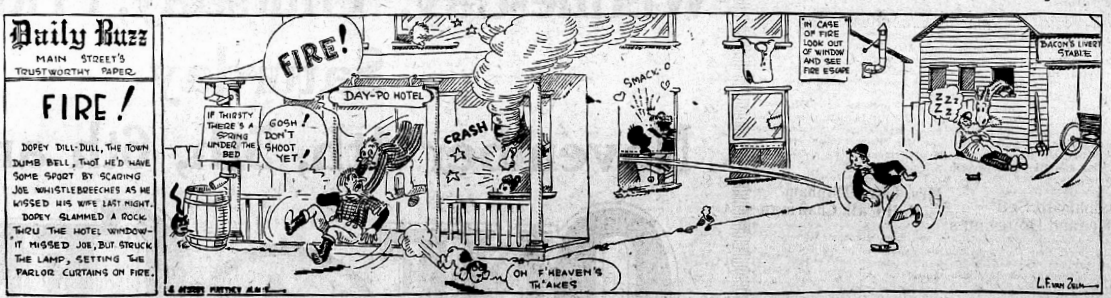
MR. BROAD OF WALL STREET

By Charles McManus



"THE MAIN THING ON MAIN STREET"

By L. F. Van Zelm



FINNEY OF THE FORCE

By F. O. Alexander

That Would Be Tough

NEWS of INTEREST ABOUT LAKE PLACID

"South Gate of Scenic Highlands of Florida"

BY RANDALL B. YORK

JUNIOR BOYS BEAT DESOTO CITY 43-13

First Football Game of Season Played Here Between Schools

The Lake Placid Junior boys of the grammar school defeated the DeSoto City junior boys in the first football game of the season at the municipal field by the score of 43 to 13.

1st quarter: Lake Placid kicked off to the visitors, who fumbled after making several attempts to gain yardage and the local team recovered. On the next play Eures for the locals playing quarter back get away round left end for the first touchdown of the game, Booker after receiving a forward pass scored the extra point making the score seven to nothing. Lake Placid again kicks off to the visitors on their 30-yard line, visitors fail to gain the necessary yardage to get a first down and the ball went over to the locals. Lawton Roberts, playing right half, broke away round right end for the second touchdown of the game. H. Skelton on a forward pass made the extra point, score 14 to 0.

2nd quarter: Lake Placid kicks off to visitors who receive and advance the ball to their own 50-yard line. Visitors were penalized five yards for unsuccessful attempted forward passes, visitors made a gain of two yards through the center of the line. On the next play H. Skelton intercepted a forward pass thrown by the visitors and raced for another touchdown. Booker on a forward pass after touchdown scored the extra point. Visitors again receive the ball from the locals but as they are unable to gain necessary yardage for a first down ball goes to the locals. On a forward pass H. Skelton gets loose for another touchdown. Lawton Roberts scoring the extra point. Visitors receive, make a gain of five yards for a first down. On a forward pass which was good the visitors made another first down. Visitors were penalized five yards for two successful forward passes. Visitors gained a yard through the center of the line and on the next play Lawton Roberts for the locals intercepted a forward pass from the visitors and ran for the third touchdown of the quarter, H. Skelton scoring the extra point. Visitors again receive, but ball goes over on down as visitors fail to gain. After making several first downs and gains in yardage through the center of the line and around the ends E. Skelton for the locals by a double pass raced the length of the field for another score, and Roberts makes the extra point after touchdown. Score at end of first half.

3rd quarter: Visitors kick off to locals and hold the locals on downs and the ball goes over to the visitors. After making a gain of several yards and making several first downs Boney for the visitors on an end run get away for the first touchdown for the visitors. Try for point after touchdown unsuccessful. Lake Placid is again held for down and the ball went over to the visitors. The visitors made several first downs but were held and the ball went over to Placid. Booker on a forward pass raced for a touchdown, try for extra point failed. Visitors kick off. Placid make several yards gain but on the next play Leaphart for the visitors intercepts a forward pass from Placid and races for another touchdown for the visitors. Try for extra point was successful. Visitors kicked off and after making several yards gain Skelton received a lateral pass back of the line and scored the touchdown. Try for point was unsuccessful, and the game ended as Placid kicked off to the visitors. Score 43 to 13.

Locals made 17 first downs against the visitors 14. Referee, Baxley. Umpire, Etheredge. Headlinesmen, Bean. Scorer, York.

Lineup for Each Team.

DeSoto City	Pos.	Lake Placid
Twitty	l.e.	C. Sessions
Register	l.t.	R. Skelton
Boney	l.g.	H. Rhyne
Barrow	c.	Skelton
Waters	r.g.	T. Smith
Pearce	r.t.	Sessions
Peyer	r.e.	Booker
Etheredge	q.b.	Eures
Lephart	l.h.	H. Skelton
Stevens	r.h.	L. Roberts
Register	f.b.	E. Skelton

Legion Ball Saturday.

The American Legion Post will give a masquerade ball at the Legion hall on Saturday evening, beginning promptly at 10 p. m. The Legion is offering several prises of value to the person or persons wearing the best costume representing the Hallowe'en occasion. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Notice To Members Methodist Church

All members of the Methodist church please take notice. There are only three more preaching services in this conference year for this church. Will you, as members, assist your church to finish out the year's work with a good record. If your church and my church falls to bring up everything in full it may be because we have failed as individual members to do our part. Shall we as a church come to the close of the year with such a record that we as members will be proud to look back upon our accomplishments, or shall we have to look back upon it with shame, because we failed to do our part. All departments of the church work, Sunday school, Womans' Missionary society, Epworth League, Board of Stewards all need your assistance in winding up the year's work. Your presence at the remaining services of the conference year will help. What do you say to setting 100 percent attendance of church members at the services for the remainder of the year. The services for the remainder of this conference year will be held on November 1st, 15th and Dec. 6th.

The Men's Bible class of the Methodist church wants all the men of the community who do not attend Sunday school to come and be one with us. We are just a bunch of good fellows that gather each Sabbath for the study of God's word trying to learn from His word how to solve the perplexing problems of life. The class needs you! You need the influence and fellowship of the class. Why not meet with us next Sunday at 10 a. m. at the church for one hour of worship and study of the Holy word. A cordial welcome and a chair awaits you. Will you come?

Recent Bride Honoree at Party

Mrs. Lloyd Thomas entertained a few friends at a bridge party at the Country Club on Thursday evening, honoring Mrs. O. F. Gardner, Jr., a recent bride. Four tables of progressions were played, high prize going to Mrs. Lloyd Zorn and the low prize to Mrs. Mary Pearce. Miss Francis Koetz received the cut prize. When the prizes were being distributed Mrs. Gardner was the recipient of a surprise kitchen shower from the guests, after which refreshments of salad and sandwiches were served. Those present enjoying this party were: Misses Myra McAulay, Francis Koetz, Mesdames Albert DeVane, Tyler Jackson, Roy Gladney, Ivey Futch, Alexander Blair, E. L. Peck, James Hayes, John Coleman, E. L. Tappin, Lee Crews, O. F. Gardner, Sr., the honoree Mrs. O. F. Gardner, Jr., and the hostess Mrs. L. A. Thomas.

Carnival For Schools Here Saturday Eve

The primary department of the Lake Placid grammar school will hold an old fashion street carnival Saturday evening on Main street. This carnival is under the supervision of Mrs. T. M. Johns and the Parent-Teachers' association of this city, with the assistance of the teachers of the primary department of the school. This carnival has been made possible through the generous assistance and donations of the school patrons. The purpose of the carnival is that of raising funds to purchase necessary equipment for this department.

Features of the carnival will be fortune telling booths, fish ponds, hot dog stands, ice cream and cold drink stands and others too numerous to mention.

Miss Koetz Hostess at Bridge Monday

Miss Frances Koetz entertained a few friends at a bridge party Monday evening at her home on Interlake boulevard. Decorations and tallies were in the Hallowe'en motif and in keeping with the spirit of the season. Bridge was played in accordance with some unique rules which made much merriment. Five progressions were played, Mrs. Roy Gladney receiving high prize, and Mrs. Albert DeVane low prize. After bridge delicious refreshments of salad and punch were served by the hostess. Those enjoying this occasion were: Mesdames Roy Gladney, Albert DeVane, Lloyd Zorn, Tyler Jackson, Lloyd Thomas, O. Fletcher Gardner, Jr., Miss Myra McAulay and the hostess, Miss Francis Koetz.

Shelton Rice has been employed to assist in the W. M. Roberts and sons store this city for a few days while Mr. Hendry is recovering from a recent operation.

FIREMEN TROUNCE WAUCHULA 8 TO 3

Sunday's Victory Makes Second In Succession Against the Hardee Nine

The Lake Placid Firemen ball club rung up another victory Sunday on the Municipal field when they defeated Wauchula for the second time in succession, having won the five inning game played on Oct. 18, which was called on account of rain.

First frame: Bass, first up for Wauchula, struck out, Moore out third to first and Douglas struck out. Davis first up for the Firemen went out to center field, Cobb reached first on an error from short, Sharpless was hit by pitcher, while Stiles and Parker, next two men up, went out on fly balls to left and center fields.

Second frame: Three up, three down for the visitors. Three up, three down for the Firemen.

Third frame: Three up, three down for Wauchula. Leaphart, first up for the Firemen, reached first on an error from short, Davis reached first on error from first, Cobb reached first on error from third base and Leaphart scored. Sharpless went out on infield fly to pitcher, Cobb steals second going to third on catcher's overthrow at second and Davis scores, Stiles follows through with a single to left field scoring Cobb, Stiles goes to second on a passed ball, Parker struck out, Mackey received a single to left field and Stiles scores. Thomas out on infield fly to first. Four runs.

Fourth frame: Bass and Moore first two men up for the visitors went out in succession short to first. Douglas gets a pass to first on balls, Sutherland reaches first on left fielder's error and Douglas scores the first run for the visitors, Whidden went out to center field. One run. Buchan first up for the Firemen collected a single, Leaphart received a pass to first, Davis gets a sacrifice hit as he scores Buchan from second, Mackey singled Leaphart to second. The play was second to first. Cobb singles Sharpless went out on infield fly to third. Stiles gets a double to left field scoring Leaphart and Cobb, Parker out third to first. Three runs.

Fifth frame: Three up, three down for both teams.

Sixth frame: Moore received the first hit made by the visitors for the day but was unable to ring up a run as the next three men were out. Firemen, three up, three down.

Seventh frame: Three up, three down for visitors. Sharpless for the Firemen starts the inning off with a single to left field, Stiles reaches first on error from second, Sharpless is thrown out at third as he tries to steal from second. Catcher to third. Parker out pitcher to first. Mackey singled to center field scoring Stiles, Mackey steals second and goes to third on catcher's overthrow to second, Thomas is hit by pitcher, Buchan is hit by pitcher, and Leaphart went out second to first retiring the side with one run.

Eighth frame: Mosley first up for the visitors collected a nice single over short, Bryant out on infield fly to first, Smith singles to right field driving Mosley to third. Bass gets a double to left field scoring Mosley and Smith. Moore and Bass out on a double play catcher to first, first to second retiring the side. Two runs. Sharpless for the Firemen collected the only hit of the inning.

Ninth frame: First two men up go out, first one short to first, second one by the strike-out route, Whidden received a double, stole third and McInis went out on infield fly to first, retiring the side and ending the game.

Score by inninga:

Wauchula .....000 100 020—3
L. P. Firemen .....004 300 100—8

Batteries: Wauchula, Smith pitching first inning, Whidden catching, Bryant pitching from the second inning and Moore catching; Lake Placid Firemen, George (Lefty) Mackey pitching, Cobb catching.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams will be glad to learn that their daughter who has been suffering from tonsilitis for some weeks and who underwent an operation Saturday, is getting along nicely.

Prof. T. M. Johns was a business visitor in DeSoto City, Avon Park and Sebring Monday in the interest of the extension department of the University of Florida which will conduct a two weeks course of study at Sebring beginning this afternoon. This course of study, upon satisfactory completion, entitles all teachers who take the course to a college credit either at the University of Florida or the Teachers College at Tallahassee.

PERSONALS

Joe Stile was a business visitor in Hicoria Saturday.

Edward Kelsey was a business visitor in Hicoria Monday.

Lloyd Thomas was a business visitor in Sebring Friday.

Albert DeVane was a business visitor in Tampa, Saturday.

Mrs. G. A. Devane was a business visitor in Sebring Thursday.

Deputy Sheriff Mathis was a business visitor in town Monday.

W. L. Stevens of Sebring was a business visitor in town Thursday.

W. M. (Jack) Williams was a business visitor in Sebring Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Seaverns were visitors in Avon Park Sunday.

Uncle Ned Spencer of Tasmania was a business visitor in town Thursday.

Rev. Willard Keisling was a business visitor in Sebring Friday afternoon.

Uncle Ned Spencer of Tasmania was a business visitor in town Monday.

Carey Baxley and Cole Danley were Sebring visitors Sunday evening.

Frank Williams was a business visitor in Sebring Tuesday afternoon.

Prof. T. M. Johns and son John Eddie, spent Saturday in Venus on business.

J. F. Morgan and Gertrude Morgan were Sebring visitors Sunday evening.

Mrs. Glasgow of Hicoria was a business visitor in town Monday afternoon.

Lewis Williams of Hicoria was a business visitor in town Monday evening.

J. D. Leaphart of DeSoto City, was a visitor in town Sunday afternoon.

John Payne left here Sunday for Lakeland, where he has secured employment.

Alma Morgan and Park Devane attended the show in Sebring Friday evening.

Mrs. W. D. Carswell and Ruffus Carswell were Sebring visitors Monday evening.

R. L. Gay and Gordon Gay were business visitors in Sebring Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Peters of Hicoria were business visitors in town Saturday morning.

Mrs. Trottie Bowers and Mrs. John Coleman were visitors in Ft. Myers Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Talmage Gay were visiting relatives and friends in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Trottie Bower and Swayne Bowers were visitors in Sebring Friday afternoon.

Lawton Mock and Murine Gay were Sebring visitors attending the show Friday evening.

Lawton Mock, Curtis Trowell and Tom Andrews attended the show in Sebring Monday evening.

C. T. Sessions of Sessions' still on the Arcadia road, was a business visitor in town Tuesday.

R. F. Cody was a business visitor in Lakeland, Orlando and Sanford several days this week.

Mrs. Emma Brown of Bartow, was the guest of Mrs. T. U. Jackson Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Austin and family were visiting relatives and friends in Dade City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Thomas and Myra McAulay attended the show in Sebring Saturday evening.

Myra McAulay and Myrel Johns were business visitors in Sebring Monday afternoon shopping.

Lawton Mock, Murine Gay, Grady Mock and Rebecca High were Arcadia visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. C. Smith who has been spending several weeks in Ft. Myers, returned home Thursday.

Calvin Fentress, of Chicago, and W. J. Kelly, of Jacksonville, were business visitors in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Seaverns and Harry, Jr., were Sebring visitors attending the show Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Whitmore and children were Sebring visitors Saturday evening attending the show.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Linn of Jacksonville are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Peck for two weeks.

Chick Buchan and Geotge (Lefty) Mackey of Arcadia were Lake Placid visitors Sunday afternoon.

Rev. G. H. York and son Randall were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Etheredge of DeSoto City Sunday.

Mildred Booker attended the diamond ball game in Sebring last Friday evening between Ft. Pierce and Sebring.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Andrews and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Kelsey for noon dinner Sunday.

Attend the Rexall One Cent Sale November 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th, and see what you can get for a penny. Two identical articles are offered for the price of one plus one cent. Strictly fresh merchandise. Lake Placid Drug Co., The Rexall Store. Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smith and daughter of Brewster were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sims Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Collins and three children of Sebring were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sims Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stiles and son, and Randall B. York, attended the picture show in Sebring Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Morgan and small son are spending a few days in Jacksonville this week visiting relatives.

O. C. Parrish, Jr., Robert Johns, and Carlton Walker were Sebring visitors Saturday evening attending the show.

Mrs. L. V. Renfroe, small daughter and Mrs. John Coleman, were business visitors in Arcadia Tuesday, shopping.

Jack Parker of Sebring was a visitor in town Sunday afternoon playing third base for the Lake Placid Firemen.

The Betts family who have been living here for some time, left here for Sebring, where they will make their future home.

Pennies are worth plenty at the Rexall One Cent Sale November 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th. Buy one article for the regular price and receive another just like it for a penny. No limit! Buy all you want! Lake Placid Drug Co., The Rexall Store. Adv.

Mrs. Pearl Holland and daughter Betty Ann of Avon Park were visiting Mrs. Lee Crews of this city Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Gould and family, Mrs. Florence Booker and son Norman were Sebring visitors Saturday evening, shopping.

Edward Kelsey, Myra McAulay, Myrel Johns, Horace Shackleford and Nita Sapp were visitors in Sebring Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. G. A. DeVane, Mr. and Mrs. Gladney, Park DeVane and Miss Kathryne Bass attended the show in Sebring Sunday evening.

W. E. Dawson of Avon Park, district manager of the Standard Oil company, was a business visitor in town Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. L. T. Farmer and her daughter, Mrs. Jones of DeSoto City, were business visitors in town a short while Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Payne and infant son of DeSoto City were visiting Mrs. Payne's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kelsey, Sunday.

Save nearly 50% on fresh medicines, toilet goods, candy, stationery, and drug store sundries, Nov. 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th, at the Original Rexall One Cent Sale. Every purchase guaranteed. Lake Placid Drug Co., The Rexall Store. Adv.

Mrs. Blanch Weitling who has made her home in this city for the past few years, left here Thursday for a trip to New York on business. She expects to return about the seventh of November.

Better values than ever before at this Rexall One Cent Sale, November 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th. There are more than 125 drug store articles offered to you at the rate of two for the price of one plus one cent. Lake Placid Drug Co., The Rexall Store. Adv.

Jack Williams, Joe Stiles and Edward Kelsey attended a district meeting of the Standard Oil company in Avon Park Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Roberts, Harvey Roberts, Hubert Roberts, Julian Holman and Virginia Holman were visitors in Winter Haven Sunday.

Mrs. S. A. Austin of Ft. Meade is spending several days in town visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Austin of this city.

O. C. Parrish, Jack Sims, J. T. Taylor and Professor T. M. Johns attended a meeting of the Florida Game and Fish association in Sebring Thursday evening.

Horace Shackleford who has been away on a two weeks' vacation visiting friends and relatives in Tennessee, Kentucky, and the Carolinas, returned home Friday evening.

Col. F. N. K. Bailey of Sebring was a business visitor in town Friday inspecting the work of the local school. Col. Bailey reports that he finds the school in excellent condition.

Swayne Bowers left here Saturday evening for Savannah, Ga., where he will meet Mrs. Bowers, who has been away on a vacation of two or three weeks visiting her people.

Dr. B. N. Lauderdale of Orlando connected with the U. S. Department of Agriculture, was a business visitor in town several days last week, in the interest of cattle tick eradication.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Paige who have been residents of this place for some time left the first of the week for Sebring and will live at Highlands Hammock in the future where Mr. Paige is employed.

Last Friday marked the opening of the Lake Placid Citrus Growers' association packing house under the general managership of G. A. Devane, with J. C. Trowell as house foreman, J. M. Keen chief mechanic, and Fletcher Gardner in charge of the office force.

Cut the cost of medicines and toilet goods practically in halves at the Rexall One Cent Sale, November 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th. You get two standard products for the regular price of one plus one cent. Lake Placid Drug Co., The Rexall Store. Adv.

Lake Placid people attending the diamond ball game in Sebring Friday evening were: Mrs. T. U. Jackson, Mrs. T. M. Johns, Mrs. C. T. Jackson, Mrs. A. D. Roberts, Mrs. Lee Crews, Mrs. G. A. Devane, Mrs. B. F. Hayes, Mrs. L. A. Thomas and Miss Myra McAulay.

Joe Stiles was a business visitor in Sebring Wednesday morning.

Edward Kelsey was a business visitor in Venus Wednesday morning.

Shelton Rice and Bobbie Rice attended the show in Sebring Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan of this city are the proud parents of a nine pound boy who arrived at Weems' hospital in Sebring Tuesday morning. Mother and son are getting along nicely.

Rev. O. O. Roberts of Bowling Green will fill the pulpit at the Baptist church on Sunday, November 1st, morning and evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all people to attend these services.

J. T. Taylor left here Monday morning for New York on a business trip. Mr. Taylor will join Mrs. Taylor who has been looking after business interests in New York and they will return to this city within a short time.

Aspirin Tablets, Milk of Magnesia, Tonics, Laxatives and Cold Remedies are available at Rexall One Cent Sale prices November 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th. Two products for the price of one plus one cent. Lake Placid Drug Co., The Rexall Store. Adv.

R. P. Pray of Long England Newary, N. J., who has been spending a few days in town as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Blair left here Monday evening for his home. While visiting the Blairs, Mr. Pray caught a 12-pound trout in Lake Huntley.

Mrs. O. F. Gardner, Sr., was hostess to the pupils and teachers of the Cathedral school in Orlando, Saturday at her home on Piney Point, this city. There were 43 in the party and an enjoyable day was spent sailing, swimming and other sports. Miss Ethel Gardner is a student at the Cathedral school.

Face powder, talcum, complexion creams, toilet water and perfume at practically half price during the Rexall One Cent Sale, November 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th. You'll enjoy making these big savings on fresh products. Lake Placid Drug Co., The Rexall Store. Adv.

The choir of the Methodist church met Wednesday evening for practice and the following were present: Mrs. C. T. Jackson, Mrs. George Kelsey, Lois Kelsey, O. C. Parrish, Jr., Julian Holman, Carl Rhyne, J. C. Wamack, A. E. Austin, director, and Mrs. J. S. Rice pianist. Mrs. E. W. Kelsey, Rev. and Mrs. G. H. York, visitors.

Arrangement has been made for the Lake Placid Junior boys to play the DeSoto City boys in another football contest on the municipal field Saturday afternoon at 3 p. m. Those who witnessed the game last Saturday will have a chance to see these two junior teams in action again. The public is cordially invited to attend and contribute 15 or 25c to the team, for the purpose of purchasing equipment.

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Furniture	6.3	Florists	5.0
General merchandise	1.5	Millinery	2.2
Drug stores	1.0	Music stores	3.3
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Editor-in-chief, Raymond F. Vickery.
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Senior reporter- Agnes Vilkaitis, J. T. Willeford.
Junior reporter, Ruby Gene Beaver.
Sophomore reporter, Harold Wingate.
Freshman reporter, Mildred Epperson.
8-A reporter, Clarice Thomas.
8-B reporter, Billy Martin.
7-A reporter, J. L. Green, Dorothy Weishever.
7-B reporter, Thelma Perry, Margaret Harris.

Senior News.

Heigh, ho—and another week is gone. What has happened to (or among the Seniors this past week? Well, Claude took Gordon Lee to the Rotary luncheon, and Gordon is similar to the other boys in one respect especially—he enjoyed it immensely. And we poor girls haven't changed in the past week—we're still looking and hoping for that "break."

And then the Haines City-Avon Park game happened. "Y come?" —"muy bien", (Spanish, in case don't know it. What does it mean? ask "Bubber). A few Seniors were there to witness the grand victory, and our sponsor, Miss Bryant, was too. Haines City seems to have an appeal for her. The "dignitaries" referred to above are Dot Roberts, Mary Turner and Agnes Vilkaitis, who made the Senior representation at the game.

A number of Seniors attended the game in Wauchula Friday night. Clarence Wilcox, Jimmie Roberts, Paul Baldwin, Mary Turner, Dot Roberts, and Agnes Vilkaitis made up the list.

Another event in the social history of the class of '32 is the delightful Hallowe'en masque party given them by the Juniors Saturday night. A number of the Seniors could not attend because they clerked at various downtown stores Saturday. We regret this, but those who did attend had a jolly good time. We all wish to thank the Juniors again for the lovely time.

We also hope the other underclassmen will follow the example of the Juniors, since we enjoyed their party so immensely.

Agnes Vilkaitis,
Senior Reporter.

Junior Class News.

The Juniors entertained the Seniors with a grand Hallowe'en party at the West Beach hotel, Saturday night. Of course, it was grand. Everybody says so—even the Seniors. How could it help from being good when Miss Bryant got down on her knees and very emotionally proposed to Claude Daly? But that's getting ahead of my story. I'll start at the beginning.

First came the cracker race with Dot Roberts as the winner. She was the first one to run across the room, kneel down, eat two crackers and then whistle. That's hard. Try it yourself some day and see.

Next came the cat contest. Miss Bryant was the one who was the most catty. I mean she was the one who answered the most questions with words beginning with the letters cat in them. Then all the lights were turned out. Everything was dark and spooky—just the right setting for the traveling ghost story. And that was what came next. Each person took his turn at making up the ghost story, and anybody who talked out of turn had to give a forfeit. And oh, what a lot of forfeits. How could anybody have kept still when Ethel Hixon screamed like she did?

After the lights were turned back on and all the feeling of spookiness had vanished, we sold the forfeits. That was when Miss Bryant proposed to Claude.

Miss Atchley got twenty-seven navy beans in a glass with a straw in a minute. That proves to me that she is certainly long winded. Here's where I never disagree with her.

But what's a Hallowe'en party without fortunes? We were aware of that fact so we had Miss Pearson telling fortunes with cards and each person was given a fortune wrapped up in a capsule. Such things as 'You'll get married, so take your time," "If you will be happy in life never take for you a wife" and "You'll be a traffic cop, watch out for skids" were the fortunes.

Then came the refreshments. The punch was very good—thanks to Gwendolyn. Also the Junior class wishes to thank Ethel and her mother for offering their home and helping decorate and fixing the refreshments and cleaning up afterwards. Verna and Mary Margaret made the party possible by decorating, getting refreshments, planning the games and doing everything in general. Elton was the girl who made the punch cold by furnishing the ice. Elizabeth made the fortunes and Dot gave us religion by teaching us the Chinese Prayer. We also want the teachers and Seniors to know that we were very much honored by their presence and hope that we can return the honor some day.

Anybody would think the party would be enough undertaking for the Juniors—but no. The Juniors are still reviewing plays, carrying on a who's who contest, practicing for the chapel program, and trying to act as Juniors should.

Ruby Gene Beaver,
Class Reporter.

Sophomore News.

Well the Sophomores are still here, and rolling along as well as ever. We got the pencil sharpener that we talked so much of—not saying that it will sharpen pencils though.

Last Tuesday the Sophomores were entertained during chapel period by Peggy Lacy who gave us two nice little readings one of which was "The Purple Cow." Thanks, Peggy.

Dorothy—"I wouldn't leave my happy home for any man."

Edgar (brightly) "All right, we'll live here then."

Eighth-A News.

The Tuesday morning class peiod was opened with Devotional Exercises. The president, Sara Lucy Trent, then took charge. The secretary, Hazel Wilkerson, read the minutes. The treasurer, Emily Phillips, gave her reports. We then discussed ways and means of spending the money we have in our treasury. Some one wanted a party. At this moment the bell rang, and the important question will have to be decided upon at some later date.

Clarice Thomas.

Seventh A News

We, the seventh grade A, invite our parents to attend P-T A. Thursday, November 5. You do not have to be paid up to vote for the class in which you have children.

We are planning to have a class party for Hallowe'en. Unless the plans are changed, the party will be given at the home of Jean Correll, Thursday evening at 7:30.

Dorothy Weisheyer and
J. L. Green

Red Deviltry

The authors or the ones who compiled "Who's Who" have nothing on the Juniors and Seniors. Each class has elected its celebrities in dumbness, good looks, It, and all the rest of it. As yet I haven't had to hurt anyone for nominating me as being the best looking. Don't you just hate sarcasm, too?

Wednesday, I saw the first radio without static. The Juniors had it for Nelson to review his old time gals. Truly it was surprising to find how delightfully those girls can sing. I can see where the ideal Senior girl will have a lot of competition.

We won our first game of the season at Haines City's expense 9 to 6. With a game in the bag the boys are practicing at Cardinal Field like professionals. Auburndale is coming here for a game on the sixth of next month. They have an extra good squad this year and have played some hard games already. Our gang says that they will find themselves in another hard contest, here. No one will let the small admission fee keep them away, so let's have a good crowd out.

Red Devil Sports.

The Avon Park Red Devils won over Haines City Friday 9-6. The field, being rough and dusty, had a lot to do with the Hornets holding the Red Devils to such a close score.

The Hornets' only score came in the second period when Cline caught a pass thrown by one of his teammates and ran 55 yards for a touchdown. The Red Devils scored a safety in the first period, and Baldwin, on two successive quarterback sneaks, scored a touchdown and the try point in the third period.

Maddox, the Red Devils' fullback, did excellent kicking. The Avon Park line was holding good, as most of the Hornets' gains were on passes.

The Red Devils will meet Okeechobee there Friday. The locals are expecting to win this game, as Okeechobee does not have such a strong team.

Who's Who in the Senior Class

Most honest—Charlotte Shepherd and Novell Barwick.

Most trustworthy — Charlotte Shepherd and Novell Barwick.

Best sport—Mary Turner and Claude Daly.

Most athletic—Dorothy Roberts and Paul Baldwin.

Most Dignified—Virginia Chandler and Raymond Vickery.

Neatest—Virginia Chandler and Raymond Vickery.

Best disposition—Maude DeLaney and Gordon Lee.

Best-looking—Oleta Bigbie and Novell Barwick.

Physique—Novell Barwick.

Best all around—Dorothy Roberts and Paul Baldwin.

Most popular—Dorothy Roberts and Cleo James.

Wittiest — Mary Turner and Claude Daly.

Most studious—Virginia Chandler and Carroll Belin.

Flirt— Mary Turner and Paul Baldwin.

Most personality—Agnes Vilkaitis and James Roberts.

Jokes.

Jimmie Roberts: "Lady, will you subscribe for 'The Home Companion'?"

Lady: "No Sir! These companionate marriages will not get any support from me!"

Albin Ebi giggled when Miss Bryant read the story of the man who swam the river three times before breakfast.

"You do not doubt that a trained swimer could do that, do you?"

"No," replied Albin, "but I wonder why he didn't make it four times, and get back to where his clothes were."

Miss Pearson: "Miss Atchley, did anyone make any remarks about your driving when you were learning how?"

Miss Atchley: "Yes, one man made a brief remark—Fifty dollars and costs!"

Mrs. Ginn (pointing to the map): "Now, J. T., when you stand facing the north you have on your right-hand the great continent of Asia. What do you have on your left?"

J. T.: "A wart, but I can't help that!"

Various Personalities

It appears to me that Willie Mae Sibley has always been denied something that she really wants. Here's hoping she gets a good match, shall I say in the near future or the distant future? Charlotte Shepherd must have a worry or so on her mind. What is this about a football game Jimmy Roberts played with some of the Senior boys and girls Sunday night? Marie MacFarland was woried about her Biology drawings last Wednesday. It was a good thing those Sophomores didn't have history that morning so they could get up their sketches. We wonder if Lawrence Ford laments about his Shorthand or anything else—it would surprise you what he has on his mind sometimes. Why is it you never see Walton Touchton worrying—or does he? I believe that Latin is gradually being drilled in his mind. Ask Mildred Lee about her troubles. I believe that she has a good many. And the Seniors won't cooperate with Virginia Chandler in getting a list of what profession we intend to follow after completing high school. She has me down for a stenographer. We have to begin somewhere, you know. I believe Zelda Langford still thinks about how many people have told her that she resembles Norma Shearer, and the great number of people she has told: "I had a dream about you last night" and she proceeds with pleasure.

Ask Grace Schweigart if Mary Margaret Mills has something serious on her mind, and just to reverse it ask Mary Margaret about Grace. They always seemed to understand each other. I believe Dorothy Schweigart may become a "prima donna" some day. Claude Daly sometimes reminds me of Richard Barthelmess. Here's to A. B. Wells, I hope he can turn all of his deep sorrows to gaiety. Does Dorothy Hobbs always think about somebody and the good or bad she can render in relieving one of his sorrows? I don't know. Maybe a mind reader could tell you. In conclusion, I hope Mr. Fairey wasn't talking about this column the other morning in chapel. Maybe I am too slangy and frank as the expression goes; but there's no harm in this, I don't believe. Ask Miss Bryant to give her opinion on it.

Chatterbox.

American Home Is Subject of Address For Club Meeting

The American Home will be the subject of an address to be delivered by Mrs. J. Reid Ramsey, of Lutz, at the regular meeting of the Woman's club next Friday afternoon, November 6 at 3:30. Mrs. Ramsey is chairman of the department of American Home of the Florida Federation.

Other numbers on the program will be an address of welcome to the president by Mrs. G. P. Thayer; Current Events by Mrs. R. W. Swearingen; and tap dancing and music by Mrs. Campbell and children, Clarence, Jr., and Venia Jeanne of Sebring. The program will be in charge of Mrs. M. A. Smith.

Preceding the program there will be a short business session, called for 2:30.

The executive board will meet at 9:30 on Thursday morning in the Woman's club room. All officers and chairman of committees are expected to be present.

Rev. W. K. McClure Gives Book Review

In an interesting and entertaining manner, Rev. W. K. McClure gave a review of the book "Forever Free" by Honore Wilson Morrow at the library Thursday afternoon.

The story deals with the life of Abraham Lincoln; as an indulgent father to his children; a kind and sympathetic husband and as a president who was ever master of the situation.

The author writes that Lincoln was never too busy with his cabinet or other affairs of state to stop and investigate a fight in which his two sons were engaged, or other trivial matters, stressing the fact that his love for his children came before everything else. But with it all he proved his executive power, the speaker said.

Clever descriptions and unusual circumstances mark the book as unusual and the clever manner in which Rev. McClure reviewed the book was a delight to those present.

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15c 2 lbs. 25c
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POTATOES
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17c

DELMONTE No. 1 No. 2 No. 2 1-2
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RICE 5 lbs. . . 19c

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LARD
2 lb. pkg. . 18c
4 lb. pail . 35c
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FERLITA'S, Package
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5 GALLONS
KEROSENE . . 55c

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PICLKES . . . 15c

DIPLOMAT, NO. 2 1-2 Yel. Cling
PEACHES, can . 15c

3 POUND PKG. 10c
Meal or Grits 6 lbs. 17c

DREAMLAND
SYRUP, gallon . 69c

SWEET
POTATOES, 10 lbs. 35c

7 PACKAGES
Soap or Powder . 25c

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