

Here and There About Avon Park

By W. M. Hetherington

Congratulations to Mary Turner, picked as "Miss Avon Park" for 1932 from among twenty-six pretty girls at the Avon beauty revue. With as much beauty as the judges had a tough time making their selection. The show created much local interest, and something of the kind should be attempted often.

Those people who have been letting their city taxes go delinquent so that they may pay them in bonds, may wake up some morning to find that this is no longer possible. The city council might stop the practice of accepting bonds on delinquent taxes, but as they have declared no more bonds on current taxes. The liberal discounts allowed for current taxes should encourage prompt payment.

Bowling Green and Lake Placid are tied up again—this time trying to break their tie in first place in the second half of the Orange Belt league pennant race. If Sunday's game ends in a tie, it is suggested that they match for it.

The Times, like all newspapers, conducts a "Forum" column, and publishes therein views and opinions of its readers who may care to avail themselves of the opportunity to "write a place" for the paper. These views do not always coincide with those of the editor of the paper, and often the editorial columns reflect views that are directly opposite to those published by contributors. Such is the case with the contributions of Mrs. May Walden, who sees no good in either the Democratic or Republican party, but is espousing the cause of the Socialist candidate, Norman Thomas for the presidency. Mrs. Walden's articles are always interesting, whether you agree with them or not—and besides, it takes all sorts of opinions to make up the political thought of this country. But we are willing to take one more chance with the Democrats, and give Franklin Roosevelt our vote.

Threatened Storm Brings Man Wanted For Embezzlement

"It's an ill wind that blows nobody good," once said an old saying, and it was a sure-nuff ill wind that brought prisoner Franklin of Belle Glade to Sebring when the tropical storm from the West Indies neared the Florida coast.

Franklin, one of 19 from Belle Glade who were housed at the jail during the threatened period, was recognized by Deputy Sheriff Lamont Wolf as being wanted in Sebring.

The charge facing him here, for which a warrant was sworn out some time ago, is embezzlement. As a result of the wind, and the deputy's memory, the Norman prisoner number 13 at Belle Glade, will be returned to Sebring on the 24th of this month to face his charges here.

Ben Tillman, Long Sought On Liquor Charge, Arrested

Ben Tillman, long sought by the sheriff's forces of this county on a liquor charge, was apprehended in Lakeland yesterday and is now a guest of Sheriff Oscar Wolf in the jail here. Tillman was found in Highlands county some time ago by Deputy Sheriff Cliff Pearce, who stopped him to look at what he thought was a stolen license tag on the coupe he was driving. When Pearce attempted to arrest Tillman he ran through an orange grove and left his car together with his wife and family, a mother dog and her puppies and 16 gallons of shine. He was sought for a long time, was caught by former Deputy W. R. England, knocked the deputy down and again fled. All trace of him was then lost until yesterday.

Auxiliary Head Going To Portland

Mrs. Rupert Smith of Arcadia, state president of the American Legion Auxiliary and Miss Ruth McElyea, department secretary, will leave for Portland, September 6, for Portland, Oregon, where they will attend the American Legion National convention. Mrs. Smith and Miss McElyea were to join Mrs. Ira C. Hopper and Mrs. M. C. Gibbs in Jacksonville. Mrs. Hopper is national secretary, and Mrs. Gibbs chairman of rehabilitation for the Legion Auxiliary.

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COUNCIL ADOPTS BUDGET FOR 1933 AND SETS MILLAGE

Fix Millage at 18 1/4 for Old City and 13 1/4 for New; Ten Percent Discount If Paid By November First.

An ordinance, approving the 1932-33 budget of \$60,860 for operating expenses and debt payment, and setting the millage for 1933 at 18 1/4 for the old city and 13 1/4 for the new city, was passed by the city council at a regular session Tuesday night. Both ordinances were declared to be emergency measures, and became effective upon approval of the mayor Wednesday.

The ordinance fixing the new levy, published in full in this issue, provides for a discount of 10 percent if taxes are paid by December 1, 1932, five percent if paid by January 1, 1933, and at face value if paid thereafter.

The ordinance eliminates the practice of accepting bonds in payment of current taxes, and provides that new taxes must be paid in cash only.

The schedule set up at the beginning of the 1932 tax year allowing payment of delinquent taxes with part bonds and part cash, was not disturbed by the new ordinance and this schedule holds good until October 1, this year. The council may either continue the arrangement or make whatever change may be deemed advisable. City Clerk Frank Shackley stated.

In approving the estimate of expenditures (the budget), the ordinance provides that all collections up to and including \$36,000.00 shall be used for operating expenses of the city, as fixed in the budget, and other collections shall be used in meeting debt payments of \$24,050 as provided in the budget. This plan of meeting current expenses and applying the remainder of collections on debt payment was recently approved by the league of municipalities and was followed by other cities, it is stated.

The council approved bill of \$100 per month for street lighting and hydrants at Highlands Lakes, to date, but instructed the clerk to notify Davison and Shepherdson that payment of \$55 per month for white way lights would be discontinued as of the first of this month. The decision to cut down on white way lighting at Highlands Lakes is in line with similar economy measures put into effect in the business district, where lighting costs have been reduced by the use of incandescent lamps.

The city clerk asked the council for an audit of city books to September 30, end of the fiscal year, but no decision was reached on the proposal.

Brother of "Gabby" Knowles Murdered

Word has been received here from G. B. "Gabby" Knowles of Bradenton, state commander of the American Legion that he will be unable to attend the national convention of the Legion in Portland, Oregon because he had been killed at Pleasanton, Texas by the death of a brother. The brother had been murdered. Commander Knowles, who stopped him to look at what he thought was a stolen license tag on the coupe he was driving. When Pearce attempted to arrest Tillman he ran through an orange grove and left his car together with his wife and family, a mother dog and her puppies and 16 gallons of shine. He was sought for a long time, was caught by former Deputy W. R. England, knocked the deputy down and again fled. All trace of him was then lost until yesterday.

To Form Citrus Club. County Agent Louis Almsmeyer announces plans for the formation of a Citrus Club in Highlands county about October 1. Citrus schools will also be held at Lake Placid and other places in the county the first and third Mondays in each month, he says.

T. C. Hobbs Goes to Tampa.

T. C. Hobbs has accepted an appointment with John A. Newsum, liquidator of the Citizens Bank and Trust Company of Tampa and will be connected with that institution. Mr. Hobbs retains his interests and residence in Avon Park, and will not move his family, he states.

The petty troubles of our friends among us when the same things happen to us they seem mighty serious.

Avon Red Devils Start Practice

Avon Park's Red Devils have begun practice under Coach E. F. Carmichael to get in shape for the opening game of the football season at Lake Wales Sept. 30, three weeks hence.

AMERICAN LEGION FORMS RELIEF

Will Be In Readiness For Immediate Duty in Case of Emergency

The formation of a relief unit with the American Legion organizations in the state in case of storm or other emergencies was practically completed at a meeting of Highlands Post Wednesday night. The organization is being hastened to be in readiness in case of storm, such as threatened the past week-end.

The set up of the organization was announced by Post Commander A. M. Morgan, and the appointment of captains of various phases of the organizations were made by Glenn H. Spink, commander of the relief unit. Dr. Morgan is first vice president of the unit.

Captains who will meet with the unit commander Sunday for completion of the organization, were named as follows: Patrol, L. R. Martin; Supply, John H. Hetherington; Transport, C. D. Sherman; Ambulance, A. B. Correll; communication, W. M. Hetherington; personnel, R. T. Fairley. Captains after the Legion meeting and selected a partial list of those who will make up the various departments of the unit. These men are to be contacted and all data as to available supplies, etc., secured before Sunday when the final organization meeting will be held.

Mark W. Lance, captain of Headquarters Battery, 56 Field Artillery, stated that the national guard unit stood ready to co-operate in any emergency, and in case of a major disaster would undoubtedly be called out to help. He explained, however, that equipment on hand at the army could not be loaned to other relief organizations without authority from the Adjutant General of the state. In case of disaster, the army could be used for housing refugees, he stated, but the equipment would have to be used on the government property, and could not be removed to any stricken area without higher authority. He made this explanation because of the mistaken belief that army supplies and equipment could be sent to other relief organizations and to avoid any future misunderstanding on the subject.

Capt. Lance invited Legionnaires to the armory at any time to familiarize themselves with the work going on there. He stated that his unit had a portable radio set, and if called out his battery would be in position to get into communication with other national guard stations and aid in establishing contact in case of disrupted communication caused by a heavy storm.

County Officers Get Sixty Gallon Still

Deputy Sheriff Lamont Wolf and Constable W. A. Woods added another still to their list of trophies Saturday morning about ten miles south-west of Sebring. Found in the vicinity of the distilling apparatus and brought to Sebring by them was Seal Rimes. The officers also found a quantity of "shine" and as a consequence Seal is charged with possession of a still, and possession of liquor also.

Boy Scouts

We have had three meetings this last week and the meeting last Friday was not very long because of the weather. We went to the play at the schoolhouse.

We won several firsts at the field meet last Thursday and had a big turnout. Our members showed up. The attendance was almost 100 percent. We entered almost all of the events.

MARY TURNER "MISS AVON PARK" WINNER AT REVIEW

Wins Silver Cup In Contest With 26 Avon Park Girls In Beauty Show—Joyce Powell Takes Second.

Miss Mary Turner, representing the Jacarana Beauty Shop, was adjudged the winner of the personality contest at the Avon beauty review Thursday night and was named "Miss Avon Park 1932." Miss Joyce Powell, representing the American Fruit Growers, was presented with a silver cup as first award, and Miss Powell received a month's pass to the beach.

Adding a touch of comedy to the show, Charles Harris as "Miss X" represented Sherman's. He was called back to the stage and presented a quart measuring cup.

There were twenty-six beautifully gowned young ladies entered in the review, representing the various phases of the city. All contestants received a big "hand" from the audience which filled the show house to capacity.

Other contestants and firms represented by them were: Jerry Helm, the Pilot Press; Agnes Vilkakis, Avon Park Times; Myrtle Turner, Wells Motor Co.; Honey Sue Roberts, Highlands Dry Cleaning Co.; Grace Kedrick, Ragdale, the Cleaner; Ethel Clark, Barnett National Bank; Rebekah West, Smith-Dormine Hardware; Carmen Bots, Jacarana Coffee Shop; Dot Roberts, Jacarana Dry Goods; Wava Godwin, Avon Park Dry Goods; Marie Kinney, Highlands Barber Shop; Verma Helm, B & B Grocery; Blossom Wall, Associated 5 and 10 Cent Store; Rosalee Lynn, Ott & Son; Oleta Hight, Abrams; Reba Weingard, Stores; Gunda Hunt, Doris Store; Zella Langford, Avon Beauty Shop; Pauline Williams, Jordan & Son; Zula Massel, Fort Connell's Grocery; Helen Schweigert, Sappington & Schweigert; Frances B. Ford, B. Ford Shoppe; Barbara Weaver, Universal Market; Virginia Gough, Seaboard Oil Company.

Glades Prisoners Are Lodged In Sebring for Safety During Storm

Prisoners from Indiantown and Belle Glade were brought to Sebring during the threatened storm over the week end, the Indiantown prisoners, 44 in number, being held in the Seaboard passenger depot, under guard Monday night and Tuesday, while the Belle Glade prisoners, 19 in number, were housed with Sheriff Oscar Wolf's guests at the county jail.

Following the danger period, and along with many other refugees, the prisoners and their keepers were returned to their home jails.

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Seaboard Announces Special Excursion To All Mid-West Points

A. O. Kinsey of the Seaboard Air Line makes the announcement that for the first time in its history it will sell bargain fare excursion tickets on sale September 16 and 17 to Chicago, Detroit and Cleveland for \$21.00 and to Pullman tickets will be on sale on the basis of one and one-half fare for the round trip in connection with this excursion. Similar rates have been on to the east in the past but nothing to the mid-west that compares with the rates named.

TRANSPORTATION FOR SCHOOLS AWARDED NEW ALL STEEL BUS BODIES FOR DE SOTO CITY AND VENUS

At the meeting of the county board of public instruction Monday afternoon the resignations of W. W. Masters and D. Bryan as trustees of the DeSoto City schools were announced and on petition, Ivey Waldron and Judson Twitty were named to fill the unexpired terms.

The DeSoto City trustees also met with the county board and the contract for the transportation of children to the DeSoto City schools was given Frank Tauchen. The board also purchased through Frank Butler of the Sebring Auto Sales, Inc. an update school bus body which will be used on a chassis to be furnished by Mr. Tauchen. The new body is of all steel construction and will seat 30 children.

At a former meeting of the board Parker Etheridge was awarded the contract for conveying the DeSoto City pupils to and from the Sebring high school. He has provided an excellent bus for the purpose which has been painted and lettered and is in first class shape and gives the pupils protection at all kinds of weather.

For the Seaboard school transportation contract for route one has been given to T. H. Worth and J. A. Waldron was awarded the contract for route 2.

At the Sunnyside school Lewis Taylor has the transportation contract for route one and on route 2 the contract went to W. B. Whatley.

The Venus trustees also met with the county board Monday and after due consideration arrangements were made to purchase an all steel bus body to accommodate 35 children and which will be used in the Venus district.

The board will meet later in the month to consider the awarding of transportation contracts for the Brighton and Fort Kissimmee schools.

Metros Forfeit Game to Sebring

The last game of the Orange Belt season went to Sebring last Sunday, when Captain Frank Armistead allowed the game to be forfeited in the tenth inning, rather than to submit to Umpire Barker's decision on a play at the plate.

The score was tied 3 to 3 in the tenth, when Parker batted a ball and ran into it as he started off for first base. With the squeeze play on, Ivings started for home after the bunt. Catcher Bolton picked up the ball and tagged Ivings at the plate. Umpire Barker called Parker out and ruled the ball dead, and sent Ivings back to third base.

Captain Armistead said that he asked Burton if he had called both runners out. He was told by him that he had done so. Manager F. G. Gearing protested the decision and Burton reversed himself, according to Armistead. "Because of the interference on the part of Gearing in attempting to run the umpire as well as his team, I quit the game, and allowed the game to be forfeited," Armistead said. "I considered the decision correct, but there was no rule book on the field, although I called for one. Furthermore, I was never ordered to play ball by the umpire," said Armistead.

Sebring Chevrolet Men Take Over Frostproof Agency

Announcement that Weaver and Puer, Sebring Chevrolet dealers have secured the Frostproof agency for the car of the same make, is contained in a story in the Highlands News, Frostproof publication. The story states: The garage building on DeVane street, owned by E. C. Stewart of Bostow, and formerly occupied by the Allen Motor Company which was damaged by fire recently, is being completely remodeled inside by Contractor O. A. Berg, and upon its completion will be occupied, probably the latter part of next week by a branch Chevrolet agency from the Weaver and Puer agency at Sebring. It is reported that Mr. Weaver's brother will have charge of the agency here, and having purchased the equipment and parts of the Allen Motor Company, former Chevrolet dealer, will perform a complete sales, parts and repair agency here. The building is being completely rebuilt inside, with new floors, pulleys, etc., and will be more convenient for patrons to drive into the building. Contractor Berg has been on to the east in the past but nothing to the mid-west that compares with the rates named.

BANK RECEIVER CALLS DEPOSITORS' MEETING

Highlands Bank and Trust Co., Depositors To Meet September 21

Of more than passing interest to the citizens of Sebring is the announcement of E. J. Etheridge, receiver of the Highlands Bank and Trust Co., that he has called a meeting of the depositors of that institution to be held in the court house, Sebring, on the afternoon of Wednesday, September 21. Mr. Etheridge says that practically all secured and preferred claims of the defunct bank have been settled and he wishes to consult the depositors regarding the completion of the liquidation. In his call for the meeting, Mr. Etheridge says: "To the depositors of the Highlands Bank and Trust Company. The receiver of the Highlands Bank and Trust company having virtually completed payment of all secured claims, and the balance of the assets to be collected will be for the depositors, therefore I suggest to the State Comptroller that I be permitted to call a meeting of the depositors for the purpose of discussing what course to pursue in completing the liquidation of the bank."

"The Comptroller has consented to this meeting, and I hereby give notice that there will be a meeting held in the Court House on September 21st at 2 o'clock p.m., and trust that each and every depositor will be present either in person or by proxy."

"I trust that each person interested will give all the publicity possible, as I would like to have a full meeting as we will have important business to transact."

Democrats To Wage Militant Campaign

Democrats of Highlands county are planning a militant campaign preceding the general election on November 8. The ideals of the party will be carried into every part of the county, according to plans made by the county executive committee and others at a meeting at the court house in Sebring Tuesday afternoon.

A steering committee was named and they met later at Avon Park. Gilbert Freeman was chosen chairman of the campaign committee, with Mrs. C. H. Thyme, Lake Placid, as secretary.

Headquarters will be opened Monday in the Jacarana hotel building, the owners of which have donated a main street store room for this purpose. The county executive committee designated as the campaign committee, the following: Chairman, Gilbert Freeman; secretary, Mrs. C. H. Thyme; treasurer, Mrs. C. H. Thyme; state advisory committee, Mrs. C. H. Thyme; state advisory committee, woman; state committeeman E. J. Etheridge; congressional committeeman, J. W. Rogers and T. A. Shattuck of the county committee.

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SUNDAY GAME TO DECIDE WINNER OF O. B. SECOND HALF

Bowling Green and Lake Placid Will Play at Cardinal Field Sunday to Break Tie in Orange Belt League.

Bowling Green and Lake Placid will play the final game of a three-game series to decide the winner of the second half of the Orange Belt League at Cardinal Field in Avon Park Sunday afternoon.

The two teams, finishing in a tie at the end of the second half, are still tied with one game each in the play-off series. Bowling Green won the first game on the home grounds Tuesday, when they swamped the Lake Placid Firemen 16 to 2. The second game went to Lake Placid Thursday, when the Firemen shut out the visitors 4 to nothing.

With the two teams still in a tie, Sunday's game promises some interesting baseball for fans, and a record will be no further play, as the Firemen were the winners of the first half, and a victory Sunday will put them in undisputed position of the mythical Orange Belt team. However, if the Bowling Green team wins the Sunday game, a post-season series of five games is scheduled to decide the pennant winner.

Tuesday's game at Bowling Green was a walk-away, as the score indicated. Base hits, and plenty of them, accounted for the rout.

Thursday's game at Lake Placid was just the reverse. Mackey, ace for the Firemen, held the hard-hitting Growers to three scattered hits. The balance of the game was a tie. The hits came in the second, sixth and ninth innings. During the ninth, only nine Growers reached first base. The balance of the batsmen were mowed down in one-two-three order.

Durran and Moore for the Growers allowed the Firemen eight hits. Mackey and Sharpless were high for Lake Placid with two hits apiece.

The score:
Belling Green AB R H O A E
Belling, If 3 0 0 0 0 0
Moore, 1b 3 0 1 0 7 0
Murphy, 3b 3 0 1 0 4 2
Horton, 2b 3 0 3 0 2 1
Woods, cf 4 0 1 2 1 0
Mayo, c 3 0 2 0 2 0
Albritton, c 1 0 0 0 0 0
York, 3b 3 0 1 0 2 0
Keene, cf 3 0 0 0 2 0
Durran, p 2 0 0 0 2 0
Addison, cf 1 0 0 0 2 0

Lake Placid AB R H O A E
Belling, If 3 0 0 0 0 0
Cobb, c 2 0 1 3 1 0
Alsbrook, 2b 4 0 1 0 4 0
Mackey, p 3 0 2 0 3 0
York, 3b 3 0 1 0 2 0
Thomas, 1b 4 0 0 0 7 0 1
McAuley, cf 3 0 0 0 0 0
Roberts, cf 4 0 1 0 0 0
Sharpless, If 4 0 2 0 2 0

Summary—Two-hits hit, Sharpless; stolen bases, Cobb, Sharpless; double play, Woods to H. Albritton; sacrifices, McAuley; struck out by Mackey 18; by Durran 2; base on balls; by Durran 3; Mackey 2; hit by pitcher, Bryan, Cobb; wild pitch McAuley; passed ball, Cobb; umpire, Burton, Leighton and Dimerline.

County Donates \$500 For Relief Work In Sebring

The county commissioners at their meeting Tuesday, following a request by H. K. Brown, representing the Sebring city council, chamber of commerce and associated charities, appropriated \$500 for charity and relief work in Sebring. This is similar to a donation for relief work in Avon Park which the commissioners made at a meeting several weeks ago. The Sebring fund will be administered by a committee to be named by the county. H. K. Brown, president of the chamber of commerce and P. A. Naylor, president of the city council.

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES:
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Plenty of Hoover and hooley at Sanford on Labor Day.

It would save worry and expense and be about as satisfactory if we let the Literary Digest conduct all our voting activities.

The "Liberty Party" held a convention at Fort Myers the other day. It was said the entire membership of the party attended.

We approve the resignation of Mayor Walker. And so, we opine, does President-to-be Roosevelt, for whom the resignation provided a welcome break.

The farmers need and deserve a holiday, but if we were one of 'em w'd take our holiday out in fishing, rather than in the less pleasant pastime of blocking the roads.

It ought not to be difficult for any one to select a presidential candidate to suit his case. There are seven that may be voted for, not including Andy Gump.

As this is written, the tropical storm that has been hovering out in the Atlantic, seemed likely to go far north before striking inland. If it hits Labrador or Greenland, it will still be "the Florida storm".

We have now organizations of Black Shirts, White Shirts, Brown Shirts, Red Shirts, etc., but four more years like the past four would give an overwhelming lead in membership to the Order of No Shirts.

Clarence True Wilson will vote for the socialist candidate for President, he says, in a scathing denunciation of Hoover. Though it is difficult to see just how that will help the cause of temperance.

Hoover caught a fish three feet long the other day. That's a poor accomplishment compared with his previous feats. He caught some millions of poor fish back in '28—the sucker variety. They are not biting so freely this year.

A Georgia candidate enroute to a speaking engagement sustained an automobile accident which cost him four broken ribs. But he made his speech anyway. Nothing short of breaking his neck will keep a candidate from making a speech.

Having had a good storm scare thrown into us twice in the past two weeks, and each time after boasting that we are free from destructive storms in this section, we are going to keep our trap shut about storms this week, and see how it works.

Tampa man sues another who lent him some money. Our experience has been that the best way to turn a friend into an enemy is to lend him money, but this case sets a new mark in something or other.

Saw a picture in the Tribune of a proposed "poor farm" for Tampans, and if it is as nice as it looks the people will all be moving out to it. It looked like it could accommodate most of the city's inhabitants, and provide a higher standard of living than is enjoyed by many of them.

Tampa school authorities are looking into rumors that social clubs of the high schools of that city are "high hating," and that their members snobbishly exclude such pupils as do not measure up to the club idea of social position or other requirements. It is hard, perhaps, to make the victims of such snobbishness see it, but the only clubs, fraternities or sororities worth a lot of those whose membership qualifications are based upon scholarship and character.

Some folks we know who don't live very far from here are coming to the defense of the Democratic party in a most admirable manner—provided the party needed any defense. These fellows are most brave and outspoken now that all the party nominees have been named and all the scrapping is over.

Nominally, we have an election November 8th. Actually, we in Florida had our election in June. There is no opposition to the county ticket. The state ticket is a sure of election without a doubt. This is a "natural" Democratic year, and everything points to a Democratic landslide in the national election, so why all the belated show of courage after everything is all set? Where were these fellows during the June primaries when the going was really rough and the business of naming the county and state officers was actually in progress? Behind a palm tree, waiting to see which way to jump, most likely.

The Public Forum

THROWING YOUR VOTE AWAY.
"I don't want to throw my vote away!" said my friend when I urged her to vote for Norman Thomas and the Socialist ticket. She can see that there are many things wrong in the world, but she has not yet seen what makes them wrong.

"Yes, I know John said he would never trust his money in a bank again. He believed the government should own and control the banks—but just the same—" and her argument trailed off to the next oak tree and ended in the banners of moss swaying in the breeze.

"But don't you see?"—I began.

"No I don't see." "Suppose Joe dies"—Jo is her very excellent son-in-law who is quite radical.

"And Mary has to go into a factory to support her two children. She works for twelve dollars a week. In one week she makes for the factory owner eighteen dollars worth of stuff, but she gets paid for only twelve dollars worth of it. The rest of what she has produced goes to the men who own the factory—say three dollars for upkeep, interest, insurance and taxes—a half of what she has earned. Three dollars of it goes to the owners as profits. The owners divide this up in various ways in salaries, dividends and surplus. You can see that the men who own the factory get all this money. Their wives and children have plenty to eat and wear, they have autos and radios and trips here and there. Mary has only the twelve dollars to pay rent, buy food, clothes, school books, pay doctor's bills, and so on.

Now, if the factory could have been owned by the government, repaired and kept up by the government, no taxes to pay, no interest on a mortgage to keep up, there would be much more money with which to pay the hands. Mary would get nearly all that she produced. She would probably get seventeen dollars anyway, besides having food at cost, lower rent to pay, free school books, free medical and hospital service and so on."

"Well what has my vote got to do with that?" my friend asked.

"A whole lot to do with it. The Socialists are working for government ownership of all the necessary industries and resources. The mines, the oil fields and oil wells, the power sites, the forests, the companies that control water, ice, light and power, the railroads, buses, airplanes, telegraph, telephone and radio, all would be owned and controlled by the government."

"Oh that's all a dream! We'll never have all that!"

"It isn't a dream! It is all possible and practical. Russia is doing all that this minute, and a whole lot more. And with our highly trained mechanics and with our ability to organize and manage things, we could have and do lots more than Russia is doing."

"But that is so far away," protested my friend.

"I want my vote to count right now."

Your vote, if you cast it for Norman Thomas, will count right now in this way. It will be a protest against the Capitalist system that is robbing us every day of everything we have a right to enjoy. It will show a willingness to help on with this work of social ownership and democratic control. By voting for Thomas you show that you are sick and tired of this way of living where the few rich people get richer by profit-grabbing and the poor ones get poorer by having to work hard and get nothing for it.

Thomas and the Socialist party will not win this year, nor maybe four years nor eight years from now. But we are working for the future. We are working for our children and our grandchildren. Aren't you willing to do the most important thing of all for them? To free them from a system that breeds so much evil? Think it over in the weeks before election. "Yes, I will think it over, and I guess you are right," said my friend.

MAY WALDEN.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By EDSON R. WAITE
Shawnee, Oklahoma

Donald H. Wilson, Editor and Publisher of The Port Hope (Ontario) Guide, says:

That if the men who write under this heading didn't stop to think you wouldn't stop to read it.

If the man who writes an advertisement doesn't put his mind to it he won't get any attention.

If you don't take time to think what the public want in your line and study their needs someone else will serve them and then you won't get the chance. Other people are something like yourself and won't take what they don't want.

There are a great many things in our modern world and you've got to advertise to get the public attention and you must make your message as interesting or more interesting than the other messages which are floating through the air and spread out on printed pages.

YOU'VE GOT TO LOOK ALIVE AND BE ALIVE TO STAY ALIVE!

FLORIDA CITRUS FRUIT WILL BE ADVERTISED

Exchange and Clearing House To Sponsor Gigantic Advertising Campaign

Winter Haven, Sept. 7.—Florida citrus fruit will make its bid for consumer preference this year bolstered with a comprehensive advertising campaign. It has just been announced by officials of the Florida Citrus Exchange, Clearing House association. While details of the campaign remain to be worked out, it was stated, the announcement was definitely made that the Clearing House is ready to go ahead with its part in the proposed joint advertising campaign with the Florida Citrus Exchange and other citrus marketing interests.

The move for an adequate advertising program behind Florida citrus was initiated last May by the Committee of Fifty and shipper-members of the Clearing House, according to A. M. Pratt, manager of the Clearing House. The shipper-members, at a meeting that same month, he said, went on record enthusiastically approving such a campaign provided the growers themselves were willing to give it financial support, and invited the Exchange and its members and other marketing agencies to join in the movement. The Exchange agreed to co-operate with the Clearing House in the effort, announced its willingness to put up from \$100,000 to \$250,000 toward a joint advertising fund, and appointed a committee to work with a committee from the Clearing House and other marketing agencies on details of the plan, he said.

Throughout the summer the Clearing House has been engaged in sounding out the attitude of growers generally. Various civic clubs and organizations throughout the state were addressed during the past two months by James C. Morton, vice-president of the Clearing House. At these meetings definite facts and figures were presented showing the increased returns which might be expected from an investment in citrus advertising program behind Florida oranges, grapefruit, and tangerines.

This part of the campaign was brought to a close last month by the issuance by the Clearing House of questionnaires to growers. These questionnaires asked the growers to signify their approval or disapproval of the proposed advertising campaign, and asked them also to pledge of two cents per box on oranges and grapefruit, and five cents per box on tangerines.

"Replies to the questionnaires," Pratt said, "are still coming in to the Clearing House offices. More than 91 percent of those who have sent in replies voted in favor of advertising and pledged themselves to pay the assessment of two cents a box on oranges and grapefruit and five cents a box on tangerines."

"There has never been any doubt in my mind," Vice-President Morton said, "as to the business future of our growers and shippers. This state already enjoys popular recognition throughout the North and it is comparatively easy for us to capitalize on the advertising state's naturally inherent in our state name."

"This joint advertising of Florida oranges, Florida grapefruit, and Florida tangerines will supplement and strengthen the splendid brand advertising that has been done and will continue to be done by a great many of the marketing agencies of the state. Those who spend additional money in advertising their particular brands will receive the greatest amount of benefit from the all-state advertising program. The advertising of Florida citrus fruit does not lessen the value but supplements all brand advertising, making it more profitable. The all-state advertising will maintain or raise the price level of the whole industry, and brand advertising, in addition to that, will be decidedly beneficial and helpful to the fruit so advertised."

About Women

Mrs. Bertha Parker of Ashland, Ky., who is born of the North, is probably the only jailer of her sex in the United States.

Mrs. Leo Asahubi is Japan's woman tennis champion, and during the last seven years has risen to a position of prominence in international tennis.

The first and only woman engineer in the world to tackle the thorny problem of dirigible construction is said to be Miss Pinot-Roussie of Russia.

London's only woman glass blower is Miss Olive Whitley, who makes special glass tubes for a London laboratory.

Sunday School Lesson

FOR SEPTEMBER 11, 1932.

GOLDEN TEXT: "Come thou with me, and we will do thee good." Numbers 10:29.

LESSON TEXT: Numbers 10:11-36.

It was now about a year since the Israelites left Egypt, most of which time they had been encamped at Mt. Sinai. Our lesson is taken from the book "Numbers," of which a large part is occupied with various laws, but it also contains, besides the incidents of our lesson, the accounts of the descent of the quails, of Miriam's leprosy, the journey of the spies through Canaan, the rebellion of Korah, Dathan, and Abiram, the death of Miriam, the sin of Moses and Aaron, the death of Aarons, the story of the fiery serpents, the story of Balaam, the choice of Joshua to succeed Moses, and other events of the wilderness wanderings.

"And it came to pass on the twentieth day of the second month, when all the children of Israel were gathered unto the wilderness of Sinai; and the cloud rested in the wilderness of Sinai."

You will recall the "pillar of cloud and the pillar of fire," as mentioned in Exodus 13:21, 22, which was a guide and protection to Israel. In verses 14-28 of our lesson chapter the order of the march of the Israelites is given. When all was ready Moses urged his brethren, saying: "Moses said unto Hobab, the son of Raguel the Midianite, Moses' father-in-law, we are journeying into the land of which the Lord said, I will give it unto you: come thou with us, and we will do thee good. Learn now, I pray thee: forasmuch as thou knowest how we are to encamp in the wilderness, and thou mayest be as our eyes. And it shall be, if thou go with us, yea, it shall be, that what goodness the Lord shall do unto us, the same will we do unto thee."

The assembling of the people and the journey were guided largely by two silver trumpets as described in Numbers 10:2, "Make two trumpets of silver, in which ye shall summon the assembly, and for the journeying. These trumpets are named in verse 3-10 of this tenth chapter. You will be interested by reading these verses."

"And they departed from the mount of the Lord three days' journey; and the ark of the covenant of the Lord went before them. And the cloud was over the tabernacle by day, when they went out of the camp. And it came to pass, when the ark set forward, that Moses said, Rise up, Lord, and let thine enemies be scattered; and let them that hate thee flee before thee. And when it rested, he said, Return O Lord, unto the many thousands of Israel."

The first stop of the Israelites was in the wilderness of Paran, which extended from the southwest corner of the Sinai peninsula immediately surrounding Sinai. It was the scene of most of the wanderings of the Israelites before they came back from entering Canaan on the south.

A writer says, "God's means for pointing out the way for us are not always the same for different persons or even for the same person over and over again. The cloudy pillar showed the way for Israel, but it may be our voice or even only a map impression, for us. God's guidance will, however, be clear and satisfactory for the winning soul."

It is thought that Hobab went with the Israelites and gave them the benefit of his experiences in the desert.

In Judges 4:11 we have "Hobab the father of Moses," and in Judges 1:16 the descendants of Moses' father in law" dwelling with the Israelites; but it is said that the words translated "father in law" and "brother in law," were some times used interchangeably. The "Kenites," mentioned in Judges were descendants of the "Hobab" whom Moses asked to go with them.

Note that the plea of Moses did not rest on the goodness of Canaan, but on the goodness of God. He was inviting Hobab to join God's people, not an emigration party. "Come," he said, "and put yourself under the divine promise. That is still the legitimate invitation of the church. 'Come and take a share in God's promise extended to his people.' That is the church's invitation, and the only one that has weight. In our Christian era it means, 'Come and receive an interest in the salvation won for us by our Lord Jesus Christ.'"

Jesus said, "Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest."

Miss Loretta Turnbull of Los Angeles heads the first trio of women to be given command of a ship in the Regatta Circuit Riders' club, national men's association.

Sweet peas planted in September will make flowers by Christmas, and those planted a month later should bloom in January.

FLORIDA'S EXHIBIT WILL BE THE FINEST

To Transplant To Shores of Lake Michigan Many Exotic Plants

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 7.—Florida is planning to hold the finest exhibit ever held by a state at a Century of Progress Chicago's 1933 World's Fair, according to Harvey J. Seance, member of the exposition's federal and state participation division, who has just returned to Chicago from a tarpon fishing trip to Florida, where he discussed plans for the Florida exhibit with members of that state's world's fair commission.

"Florida expects to bring to the shores of Lake Michigan exotic plants never before seen outside of their native tropical environment," said Mr. Seance. "The commission is transplanting to tubs for shipment various varieties of palms and pecans (including the famous Mahan pecan which bears in its third year after planting). It also intends to set six coconut trees, each 40 feet high, in the exotic garden south of Florida's exhibit space in the Hall of States. These coconut trees each bear about one ton of green and ripe nuts."

"Visitors to the Florida exhibit at a Century of Progress exposition will be able to see bread fruit trees, night blooming cereus, corkwood, kapok, soap berry, tamarind, three varieties of bananas, manioc, guava, persimmon, guava, apple, orchard trees, figs, cactus, plums, peaches, and other tropical fruits."

"Six year old calamondin and Valencia orange trees in full bearing will be shipped here from the Flamingo groves, as well as kumquats, lemons, limequats, and orangequats. Some \$20,000 worth of garden material will be shown in the exotic garden alone."

"Most of the 65 varieties of fish found in Florida, out of 816 native to the United States, will be brought alive to Chicago. Many of the hundreds of varieties of Florida birds will be seen in typical Florida gardens. In the garden in front of the agricultural building, Florida will construct a pool where seasonal water lilies will be displayed."

"During the exposition cut flowers will be shipped daily from Florida, packed in dry ice to decorate the interior of the state exhibit, while many new tropical and sub-tropical plants, some never displayed before, will be shipped to Chicago twice a week."

The Florida Commission plans to spend \$250,000 on the Florida exhibit.

Greek Citizens Want Old Sponger Shown

Deland, Sept. 7.—Citizens of Greek birth or antecedents are anxious that the old sponge fishing boat, which came from Greece many years ago as the first boat to engage in the sponge fishing industry in this country, and still doing business as a member of the Tarpon Springs sponge fleet, be shown as part of Florida's exhibit at a Century of Progress exposition next year.

Since the story of the finding of the old boat at Tarpon Springs was first told several weeks ago, the offices of the Florida commission have been in receipt of letters from citizens of Greek birth or extraction from all parts of the country urging that the ship be sent to Chicago as part of the Florida show at the big fair, most of the writers assuring the commission that it would attract thousands of Greek citizens to the exposition who otherwise might not attend. Manager Brown is giving the matter his most serious thought with a hope that some way may be devised to have the vessel, either sailed to Chicago or transported by rail, without too much expense to the commission.

One of the fine things about business is that efficiency is so promptly rewarded and shiftnessness so quickly rebuked.

Wake Up Your Liver Bile —Without Calomel

And You'll Jump Out of Bed in the Morning Rarin' to Go

If you feel sour and sick and the world looks mud, don't employ a lot of salts, mineral water, oil, laxative candy or chewing gum and expect them to make you suddenly sweet and buoyant and full of sunshine.

For they can't do it. They only move the bowels and a mere moment doesn't get at the cause. The reason for your down-and-out feeling is your liver. It should pour out two pints of liquid bile into your bowels daily.

Lake Worth 4-H Club Awarded Gold Seal

Florida's first standard 4-H club to receive a gold seal is the Lake Worth Club near Palm Beach, and the seal was recently made by R. W. Blacklock, state boys' club agent.

To qualify for a gold seal a standard club must have completed a year's work, every member enrolled must have carried one or more projects, and 75 percent or more of the members must have completed their record for the year and turned in work books.

The Lake Worth club was the first in Florida to receive its charter from the Secretary of Agriculture as a standard club. M. U. Mounts is county agent and E. A. Fritz is local leader for the club.

Four More 4-H Clubs Qualify For Charters

Four more Florida 4-H clubs recently received their charters from the Secretary of Agriculture as Standard 4-H Clubs, according to an announcement by R. W. Blacklock, state boys' club agent. These clubs are located at Hampton and Brookier, in Bradford county, and at Little Springs and Johnstown, in Union county.

Under the direction of County Agent L. T. Dyer, these clubs have met all the requirements of organization and a carefully worked out program of work for the year.

There are three other standard clubs in the state; two in Pinellas county, and one in Palm Beach county.

Sleeps Like a Baby

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

KEEP YOUR NERVE Keeping Ahead of the Times

Is Our Policy

John Rusklin now contains more Havana tobacco than any other man in the world. He sold it at 5c, making John Rusklin by far the greatest value and the best tasting cigarette in America at 5c. John Rusklin Cigarettes are machine made and Clearcut wrapped to keep them sanitary and fresh.

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P. T. A. Meets Thursday Afternoon.

The first meeting of the Parents' Association of the high school term met at the high school auditorium on Thursday afternoon. Following the singing of America, the beautiful and prayer by Rev. McClure, the nominating committee handed in the report of the officers of president and vice president. Mrs. W.W. McFarland accepted the nomination for president and Mrs. T. C. Hobbs will hold office as first vice president for the school year.

It was voted that a different method be used in giving the room prize this year. Hereafter, the room with the most mothers present, received the highest room count and it was decided to try until Christmas, to give the prize to the room with the highest percentage, based upon the pupils' attendance.

Mrs. McFarland urged all members to put forth every effort for the P. T. A. this year and expressed the desire that all departments function to the best of their ability. The P. T. A. meets every second Thursday in the month and a full attendance is urged for each meeting.

The meeting adjourned with the singing of the Battle Hymn for Children, followed by repeating of The Lord's Prayer, in union.

Methodist Circles Meet.

The Rawlings and the Roberts Circles of the Methodist Missionary circles met at the home of Mrs. M. L. Orr at Highland Lakes on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Orr and Mrs. Tom Graham as hostesses. Roses and marigolds were arranged about the rooms where the meeting was held.

Mrs. Mary Roberts conducted the devotional and Mrs. W. S. Rawlings presided over the business session. It was decided to continue the food sales which have been held each Saturday down town. After this meeting the two circles will meet separately during the winter months.

Pineapple sherbet and cake were enjoyed by those attending at the close of the meeting. Those present were Mrs. Mary Roberts, Mrs. S. E. Roberts, Mrs. A. H. Hancock, Mrs. J. J. Chance, Mrs. T. P. Turner, Mrs. Noble Allison, Mrs. C. H. Gerard, Mrs. Howard Higgins, Mrs. Farrier of Ohio, Mrs. W. S. Rawlings, Mrs. J. P. Kincheole of Rectortown, Va., Mrs. E. P. Lacey, Mrs. Pat Gordon, Mrs. C. H. Pardee and Mrs. K. J. Bailey.

Miss Jones Honored at Party.

Miss Myrtle Jones of Bartow was the inspiration for the attractive bridge-luncheon given Tuesday by Miss Joyce Powell at her home on Lake Hyrd. Lovely pink roses adorned the party room. The preceding the daintily served three-course luncheon, several interesting progressions of contract were enjoyed with Miss Jones as the sun, holder of high score, being rewarded with a box of dusting powder and Miss Grace Redick received a pretty handkerchief as second high prize.

Miss Powell presented the honoree with an attractive box of monogrammed handkerchiefs. Friends sharing the courtship with Miss Jones were Miss Ruth Kempton, Miss Lee Kempton, Miss Inez Dawson, Miss Marjorie Lacey, Miss Christine Reeves, Miss Barbara Weaver, Mrs. Phil Abrams, Mrs. Mel Bass, Mrs. Conrad Charlotte, Mrs. W. H. Daniels, Mrs. Jack Head, Mrs. Francis Shockley, Mrs. C. E. Crabtree, Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. Tom Culler, Mrs. Parke Anderson, Mrs. S. E. Booth and Mrs. Edna Timney.

Mrs. Mel Bass Hostess To Club.

Mrs. Mel Bass was hostess to her bridge luncheon club at her home on Friday morning. The dainty two-course luncheon was served at twelve-thirty o'clock in the dining room where a handsome lace cloth covered the table with a centerpiece formed of pink roses in a low bowl.

The prize, a box of linen handkerchiefs, attractively wrapped, was awarded to the holder of high score at the conclusion of the progressions of contract played after the luncheon.

Mrs. John Cardwell of Winter Park and Mrs. C. E. Crabtree were guests of the club and members present were Mrs. W. T. Coates, Mrs. H. E. Keller, Mrs. J. E. Powell, Mrs. S. E. Booth, Mrs. Jack Head and Mrs. M. V. Fletcher.

Mrs. Coates Entertains Club.

Mrs. Wilfred T. Coates was hostess to her bridge club at her home on Lotola Road Wednesday afternoon. Lovely lake summer flowers in shades of pink and blue formed a tasteful decoration in the living room where several progressions of contract were enjoyed during the afternoon.

The tallies were miniature fans and Mrs. P. L. Kumpas, who held high score, was given a beautiful black jardiniere containing varicolored tulips. Mrs. J. W. Sheffield, holder of second high score, received an attractive chintz card table cover.

Date loaf topped with whipped cream and iced tea were served after the distribution of prizes, to the members present.

Dramatic Club To Have Drive.

The Dramatic Club met Tuesday evening at the Woman's Club room in the city hall. Mrs. Ann Abrams chairman, had charge of the meeting. It was decided to sponsor a membership drive for new club members. The club voted to subscribe to the "Book of the Month Club" and the library is to be given one of the year's best books. Miss Grace Redick will be in charge of the next meeting and will give discussion on parliamentary laws. The second scene of the play, "Suppression of Deeds" was read by Miss Ruth Kempton.

Members present were Miss Barbara Weaver, Miss Lee Kempton, Miss Christine Reeves, Mrs. Ruth Kempton, Miss Inez Dawson, Mrs. Harold Currie, Mrs. R. G. Ginn, Mrs. Phil Abrams, Miss Joyce Powell, Miss Grace Redick, Mrs. Edna Timney and as a club guest, Mrs. Conrad Charlotte of Havana, Florida.—By Inez Dawson.

Mrs. and Mrs. Chas. Baker spent the week-end in Dade City with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Powell were visitors to Winter Haven Thursday for the day.

Mrs. Fred Stevens and Mrs. C. R. Head spent Thursday afternoon in Wauchula.

Elizabeth Hetherington has returned home after a two week's visit with relatives in Dade City.

Miss Marjorie Lacey will leave this week-end for Fort Pierce where she will teach science in the school there again this year.

Col. and Mrs. J. M. Lee, accompanied by Mrs. Florence Crews and A. V. Anderson, spent Monday in Sanford, Orlando and Daytona.

Miss Mildred Raulerson and Roy and Charlie Raulerson of Okeechobee spent the week-end here with friends.

Miss Myrtle Jones of Bartow is the attractive house guest of Miss Joyce Powell at her home on Lake Hyrd.

C. B. Martin leaves on Saturday for Athens, Ga., where he will enter the University of Georgia to continue his studies.

Misses Mary Margaret and Joan Mills have left for Greenville, S. C. where they will attend school and spend the winter with relatives.

Junior Stebbins and Robert Roberts left Friday night for Milledgeville, Ga. where they will attend Georgia Military Academy this year.

Judge and Mrs. D. V. Rouse left today for Jasper where they were called by the critical illness of Judge Rouse's mother, Mrs. G. B. Rouse.

Mrs. C. C. Croit is leaving today for her home in Roanoke, Va. after a month's visit in Avon Park as the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Drott.

Mrs. Conrad Charlotte, who was formerly Miss Tillis Marsh, has arrived from her home in Havana, Florida and is the guest of Mrs. Edna Timney.

Mrs. W. W. McFarland and daughter, Miss Edna McFarland, Mrs. H. E. Keller and Mrs. A. McKee Elwell were visitors to Tampa on Wednesday.

Mrs. W. D. Dorminy and two daughters, Frances and Sujette, arrived here Wednesday evening from Fitzgerald, Ga. where they have been visiting relatives.

Jackson went up on Monday and accompanied them home.

Mrs. Annie E. Huckabee and little grand-daughter, Martha Ann East of Dade City are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hedderington and family, 139 East Walnut street.

Mr. and Mrs. Bunk Clark of DeLand were guests of relatives over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Clark were former residents of Avon Park and have many friends here.

Mrs. Roland Drott and her sister, Mrs. T. W. Lofton and daughters, Christine and Mildred of Lake Placid, recently returned from points in Georgia where they spent a two week's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Meltz and two children and M. Levinson and two sons, of West Palm Beach, were visitors here from Monday to Wednesday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Sherman. Mrs. Meltz is a sister of Mrs. Sherman.

Dr. and Mrs. George A. Paik and daughter, Miss Jacqueline, of Miami stopped over Thursday night on their return from a vacation spent in Georgia, and visited with Col. and Mrs. J. M. Lee. While here, Dr. and Mrs. Paik acted as judges in the beauty revue at the Avon Thursday night.

Mrs. W. T. Coates and daughter, Shirley returned to their home on Lotola Road Saturday after a pleasant visit of six weeks in New York City, Utica and Saratoga Springs, New York. They were accompanied on the trip by Mrs. Coates' mother, Mrs. Julien S. Rodgers and her brother, William J. Rodgers who have returned to their home in Jacksonville.

Church Notes

METHODIST CHURCH
Bible school 9:45 a. m.
Sermon 11 a. m.
Junior Epworth League 6:00 p. m.

Senior Epworth League 7:00 p. m.
Sermon 7:30 p. m.
Church night, Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

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

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

CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER (Episcopal)
Rev. Heber W. Weller.
Pleasant and Verona Streets.
Summer Services:
Holy Communion (2nd and 4th Sundays), 7:00 A. M.
Morning service and sermon, 9:30 A. M.
Church school, 9:30 A. M.
Young Peoples Service League, 7:00 P. M.
Visitors are always welcome.

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

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Rev. Chas. E. Deyars.
9:45 A. M. Sunday school session.
11:00 A. M. Morning Worship in the form of a Great Missionary Rally.
6:30 P. M. Junior.
6:30 P. M. N. Y. P. S.
7:45 P. M. Great Evangelistic Service by Evangelist Fred St. Clair. Subject: "The Three Calls."

Want Ads

FOR RENT—Seven room unfurnished house on Lake Verma, 148 North Highlands Avenue, modern improvements, with garage. Price \$18 per month. Phone 177-L. Mrs. M. E. Covington.

Unusually Fine Pictures Booked for New Circle Theatre

Maintaining the splendid attractions recently shown at the New Circle, "Reboring the Friendly Theatre," Manager Charlie Morrison has booked another array of exceptionally fine and varied films for the next week. The current attraction, "Horsefeathers," starring the Four Marx Brothers which will be shown through Saturday, is said to be the fastest and funniest conglomeration of nonsense ever shown on the screen. Sunday and Monday, with matinee Sunday at 3:30, "The Cry of the World," a very unusual and different picture, will be shown. There really isn't a single motion picture star in this film but critics say that attendance at this picture should be compulsory because of the educational, interesting and appealing features therein. Its showing here will be awaited with interest. Next Tuesday and Wednesday, Lionel Barrymore and Karen Morley are featured in "Washington Massacre," an outstanding achievement and tremendously touching, coming as it does, just before the November elections. Next week will be brought to a happy and joyful conclusion with the showings next Thursday, Friday and Saturday of "Love Me Tonight" starring that "Regular Guy," Maurice Chevalier with Jeanette MacDonald again as his leading lady. Some of the outstanding pictures soon to be seen at the New Circle include "Congeniality," "Blonde Venus," "Divorce in the Family" formerly titled "Father and Son" with Jackie Cooper and Lewis Stone; "Chanda, the Magician," "Down to Earth," with Will Rogers, "Bird of Paradise," "Kongo" with Walter Huston and Lape Velez, "Smiling Tiger" with Norma Shearer and Frederic March and many others to be announced later. Charlie states there will be no let up on good pictures as far as the New Circle Theatre, is concerned.

Farm Woodlot Has Place In Florida's Cropping System

The farm woodlot has a place on the Florida farm and should be considered as any other crop, according to Harry Lee Baker, state forester. "One-third of the lands in farms in the state is devoted to woodlands, and forestry and farming are fundamentally the same," he said. He urged the handling of woodlands so that they will be revenue producers instead of tax burdens. "Timber growing can be coordinated with the production of livestock to the benefit of all concerned. With the introduction of improved livestock we need improved, cheap grazing which our forest lands will provide if given a chance."

Many lumber to the state from its forests were piled, such as sawlogs, timber, mill, carriage works, paper pulp mills, and others that employ thousands of people and bring a vast amount of money into the state.

Relative to handling the farm woodlot, he suggested that all mature, dead, crooked, sickly, slow-growing, and crowded trees be cut out and only the young straight desirable ones left. When thinning preference should be given to the more valuable kinds. When clearing land, he advised leaving four pine seed trees per acre and then keeping fires, hogs, and sheep out. In this way nature will help reseed and restock idle lands. Where no seed trees are growing, seeds of desirable kinds should be planted.

The State Forestry Service, he announced, is supplying seedling pine to Florida landowners at cost, and is loaning implements for planting them as well as furnishing expert supervision of the planting.

It's easier to be well known than to be favorably known.

Public Library
Open Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, 3 to 5 p. m.
Second Floor, City Hall.
Membership Free to Residents.
Tourists 50c for Season Card.
Mrs. E. O. Williams Librarian

Citrus Whitefly Fungus Should Be Applied Now

Citrus growers are cautioned that the rainy season may end abruptly about the middle of September and that facilitating the spread of the red whitefly fungus now may lessen if not eliminate the need for spraying with oil emulsion. This advice comes from Dr. E. W. Berger, entomologist with the State Plant Board.

He says that the Plant Board still has several hundred cultures of this fungus available for distribution at cost, or \$1 per culture. A culture is sufficient for treating an acre of trees. Growers who do not have a good stand of whitefly fungus on their trees are urged to apply some now before it is too chance."

LAKE ISTOKPOGA

Elbert Reich entered high school at Sebring on Monday.

Miss Florrie McClelland made a business trip to Avon Park Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Stokes and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives at Fort Meade.

Mrs. W. B. Whitley and Betty and Ray motored to Fort Meade and spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan C. Reid announce the birth of a son, Laurie McDougay, on Friday morning. The little fellow weighed eight pounds and he and his mother are both doing very well.

Sunday with relatives at Fort Meade.

"NERVES"

Here's a good way to quiet "NERVES"—A Dr. Miles' Efferescent Nerve Tonic. A glass of water, a pleasant, sparkling drink. Nerves relax. You rest, sleep, enjoy life. At your drug store, 25c and \$1.00.

Avon Park's Schools

Through our splendid school system each generation advances over the previous generation. That's why America continues to grow and prosper, regardless of temporary setbacks due to depression periods.

Each year finds more practical instruction being given by our Public Schools. Theory, coupled with practical application of the subject taught, is now generally recognized, especially in our high schools, and the graduates of these institutions are much better equipped for life's work than they were ten, fifteen or twenty years ago.

The Barnett takes this opportunity of wishing teachers and pupils a most successful year.

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MANY BRIGHT SPOTS IN BUSINESS WORLD

**Economist Sees Happier Days;
Says Bottom Has
Been Reached**

Wellesley, Mass., Sept. 7.—Ralph B. Wilson, vice president of the Babson statistical organization, says happier days for the business world in 1933.

"The depression would be over at once," he told the nineteenth annual national business conference today, "if it were possible for us to reduce at one fell swoop the cost of governing ourselves fifteen per cent."

He predicted that "business has struck rock bottom" and added "a sharp rise in the commodity and security markets indicates that the worst is over."

"The total volume of business in 1933 should be greater," he said, "than that of 1932. Because the readjustment has been drastic it is not unreasonable to expect the recovery to reach normal by the close of 1934."

Arkansas Mine Reopens

Russellville, Ark., Sept. 7.—Approximately 200 men have been returned to work at the Fernie anthracite coal mine near here after a layoff of nearly a year. Last year's wage scale was put in force.

East Liverpool, Ohio, Sept. 7.—The Globe Brick company yesterday recalled 100 men to plant jobs at its Newell, W. Va., plant which has been idle two months.

Hamilton, O., Sept. 7.—After a month's shutdown, the Hamilton plant of the Ford Motor company resumed operations yesterday, recalling 1,100 men.

Pittsburgh, Sept. 7.—The Carnegie Steel company reported today that it was operating at sixteen percent of capacity, compared with eleven percent at the first of last week and fifteen percent at the end of the week.

Number of Borrowers Decrease.
Chicago, Sept. 7.—L. C. Harrison, president of the Household Finance corporation, said a survey of loans made by his company through

its Chicago and branch offices in ninety-one other cities shows that during the first six months of 1932 the number of borrowers, the total loaned, and the average loan were all smaller than during the same period of 1931.

New York, Sept. 6.—Further bright spots in the economic horizon appeared in the last half of August, according to reports from editors of 115 trade and industrial publications throughout the United States.

The consensus, as recorded by the Associated Business Papers, Inc., of New York, was that "business for the last half of August averaged a shade better than in the preceding fortnight."

The editors reported building construction for the last two weeks of August showed a number of large public enterprises starting, but private building had not yet responded to the encouragement of easier financing and low costs.

In the steel industry, it was said, inquiry and sales of raw materials were active while interest in finished products lagged, thus reversing the course that followed in 1921 depression. Oil refiners had heavy orders for domestic fuel oils, stocks were lower and prices higher, and gasoline consumption all more equalled that of 1931.

Sales of automobiles, in some instances, were declared to be ahead of those in July; prices of lead, copper and zinc were steadily strengthening, business in the chemical division exceeded that of July for the first time in several years and activity in the glass, enamel and pottery categories continued to advance.

The editorial investigators were particularly impressed with the betterment of the textile markets. It was added, however, that department stores have thus far felt no definite benefit "because retail prices remain ridiculously low."

The publishers stated that advertising volume was running about level in some classes of media, with increases less than seasonal in others, and indications that the low point in volume had been passed.

Ordinance No. 178.
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF AVON PARK, FLORIDA, ESTABLISHING AND LEVYING A TAX UPON ALL PROP. ERTY, REAL AND PERSONAL, LOCATED WITHIN THE TERRITORY LIMITS OF THE SAID CITY FOR THE OPERATION AND CONDUCT OF THE VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS OF THE SAID CITY, FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE OPERATING EXPENSES OF SAID CITY AND FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE DEBT SERVICE OF THE SAID CITY INCLUDING ACCOUNTS, TIME WARRANTS, BONDS AND INTEREST AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AVON PARK, FLORIDA: 1. That for the purpose of raising revenue to meet and pay the appropriations of the City of Avon Park as established by the Ordinance of the said city passed on the 6th day of September, 1931, otherwise known as Ordinance No. 177, for the fiscal year beginning October 1st, 1932 and ending September 30th, 1933, THERE IS HEREBY LEVIED, ASSESSED AND ESTABLISHED, by the City of Avon Park, upon all taxable property, real and personal, within the limits thereof, a tax of 18 1/2 mills, AND THERE IS FURTHER LEVIED, ASSESSED AND ESTABLISHED on all taxable property, real and personal, located within the limits of the said City of Avon Park as it existed immediately prior to the first day of January, 1926, an additional tax of 4 1/2 mills.

2. The Tax Assessor of the said city is hereby commanded to calculate the amount of said tax so levied and assessed in Section 1 of this Ordinance as against each piece or parcel of property, real and personal, and to enter the amount of said taxes against each such piece or parcel of said property upon the assessment roll of said city for said year; whereupon, the said Tax Assessor shall attach to the said roll his affidavit, as to the correctness thereof in manner and form prescribed by the Charter and Ordinances of the said city.

3. Upon receipt of said assessment roll, the Tax Collector shall proceed to collect the taxes thereupon assessed, and the said Tax Collector shall accept only money of the United States of America in payment of any such taxes, and shall not accept any sum less than the full amount of said tax, provided, however, that the said Tax Collector is hereby authorized and directed to allow discounts from the face of the accounts as follows: If paid by December 1, 1932, Discount 10 percent.

If paid by January 1, 1933, Discount 5 percent. Thereafter—face value. 4. The said City Council of the City of Avon Park, Florida, hereby finds and so declares that an emergency exists endangering the public peace, health and safety of the said city, and further finds and declares it to be necessary for the

ANSWER YOUR LETTERS SAYS THOMAS A. CLARK

**Former University Dean
Writes In September
Rotary Magazine**

"Young man, answer your letters!" That is the advice that Thomas A. Clark, emeritus dean of men at the University of Illinois, gives to young professional and business men in the September Rotary magazine, in what was probably his last magazine article, written a short time before his death.

"The only sort of letter which may be ignored," according to Mr. Clark, "is the insolent, insulting one. But any courteous letter is entitled to a courteous and a prompt reply."

"Years ago I was closely associated with a man high up in politics and business," he relates. "He never failed to answer a letter. He never lost an opportunity to write the note of congratulation or of condolence or sympathy. If a man he knew won an honor or a promotion or did anything worthy of commendation, a note was sent to him. If he learned of the arrival of a new baby, whether the janitor's or the political leader's, he wrote something that was sure to make the newly-made father feel good. He cleaned up his correspondence every day; there was no unanswered letters on his desk when he closed it at the day's end. It was a wholly commendable habit; it was good business."

"I've gained more friends," he used to say to me, "and I've strengthened my friendship with more men by careful attention to the letters I have written than by any other method. The man, who doesn't answer a poor politician, a poor business man, and he is neglecting one of the most valuable assets that he can possess."

Indifference, lack of interest, procrastination are the reason at the back of the neglect in most of the instances which Mr. Clark mentions in his article, while ignorance or embarrassment, he points out, often keeps a man from acknowledging correspondence or from writing the letter that courtesy or politeness dictates should be written.

5. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

6. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage, approval by the Mayor, and a publication for one issue in a newspaper published in the City of Avon Park, Highlands County, Florida.

Passed in regular session of the City Council of the City of Avon Park, Highlands County, Florida, this 6th day of September, A. D. 1932.

(Signed)—S. J. Pendleton, President of the City Council.
Attest: (Signed)—F. W. Shockley, City Clerk.

The foregoing ordinance was presented to me and approved by me, this 7th day of September, A. D. 1932 at 4:30 P. M.

(Signed)—M. E. Covington, Mayor.

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Butter Fat
Mineral Matter
and
Vitamins**

All the substances necessary in maintaining Good Health.

Our Truck is on your Street at Day-break!

**Mandis
Dairy**

Florida Negroes Planning Exhibit

DeLand, Sept. 7.—The Florida commission of a Century of Progress exposition to be held in Chicago next year, is considering the matter of arranging an exhibit calculated to show millions who are expected to visit the world's fair, what the negroes of the state are doing in the way of advancing themselves from every point of view, agriculturally particularly.

Conferences are being held with recognized representatives of the race with a view toward determining the form the exhibit shall take. It is pointed out that the space given to the colored people of the state at Florida exhibits at Toronto and at many state fairs throughout the north as well as at Atlantic City, have been well patronized, by both whites and blacks, and created much favorable comment in the press wherever shown. It is believed by many that a similar exhibit at Chicago would prove of value to the state.

Arabian Sheik Contemplates Native City.



New York City, N. Y.—Prince Hadji Tahar, who says he was 103 years old on August 14th, at the Hotel Astor, where he announced that he has been commissioned by his first cousin, King Ibn Saud of Hedjaz and Nejd, to reconstruct an Oriental city at the World's Fair in Chicago, Illinois.

HINTS TO HOUSEWIVES

Weekly from Home Demonstration Specialists, Tallahassee

ARRANGEMENT OF THE HAIR

The size of the coiffure and the lines of its arrangement modify the lines of the face in very much the same way that the hat does. The coiffure must be the right size for the figure if it is to be beautiful.

The size of the head is the unit by which the eye measures the proportions of the figure, and for that reason it is important that the hair be so dressed as to suggest the most flattering proportions for the entire body. Therefore, it will be seen that a style of hair dressing that conforms rather closely to the

size of the head will lend grace to the body, while hair that is dressed to make the head look large will make the figure look heavy and clumsy.

One should watch the pattern that the lines of the hair create. It is desirable to secure a beautiful line in the contour of the coiffure, and a graceful pattern against the face made by the arrangement of the hair. A person who has regular features, and a face of average proportions, may wear any beautiful coiffure that is in scale with her figure. If, on the other hand, there are lines or proportions that should be modified, one needs to have a working knowledge of the principles of harmony and proportion.

One's hair should be dressed in a style that seems suited to one's personality. A style that would be becoming, if only the lines of the face are considered, might be entirely unsuited to the type of person. A style which would be smart and attractive on a pretty, sparkling, slender girl, might be ridiculous on a older, stouter, or more conservative person.—Lucy Belle

New York, Sept. 7.—Steelworks and railroads have appreciated approximately \$2,500,000 in the recent rise in scrap steel prices, the magazine "Steel" said yesterday, pointing out that about 2,000,000 tons of scrap are held by such establishments.

AVON PARK
ARCADIA
PUNTA GORDA
FT. MYERS
SARASOTA

B & B

Cash Grocery Stores, Inc.
10 Busy Stores
AVON PARK

PAHOKEE
BELLE GLADE
BRADENTON
CLEARWATER
CLEWISTON

White Bacon, Pound 9c

POTATOES, Irish, 10 lbs. 19c KEROSENE, 5 gals. 55c

BANANAS, 3 lbs. 10c LETTUCE, Iceberg, 2 heads 15c

MEAL or GRITS	RICE	PEACHES	Shivars	SPECIAL!
6 lbs. for	5 lbs. for	No. 2 1/2 Cans 2 for	GINGER ALE 3 bottles for	Kraft MAYONNAISE Pint size
10c	18c	25c	25c	22c

ICE CREAM SALT, 5 lb. pkg. 10c

SOAP, Crystal White, 5c bars, 4 for 10c

OATMEAL	COFFEE	LARD
Regular 10c	Del Monte 29c	2 Lb. Package 15c
Package	All Hours 19c	4 Lb. Pail 35c
5c	Bulls Eye 15c	8 Lb. Pail 65c

TEA	STG. BEANS	CORN	ENG. PEAS	Octagon Soap
1/4 Lb. Package 10c	3 cans	10 Small Bars 25c		
1/2 Lb. Package 19c		6 Large Bars 25c		
		O. K. Powder, 2 for 05c		

B & B Meat Department

Country Roll Butter, per lb. 23c

WESTERN BEEF ROAST lb. 15c

NATIVE BEEF ROAST lb. 10c

PURE PORK SAUSAGE, 2 lbs. for 23c

PIG LIVER or SPARE RIBS 3 Pounds for 25c

WESTERN NECK BONES, 3 lbs. for 20c

BEEF STEW, per lb. 8c

SPRING LAMB STEW, per lb. 15c

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New Circle

"Sebring's Friendly Theatre"

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MARX BROTHERS
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Amazingly Different!

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That "Inside" Story!

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The screen's idol in his greatest role since "A Free Soul."

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