

NEWS of General Interest To Highlands County

HICORIA

By Miss Lillie B. Eures.

C. H. Shackelford is repairing the porch at the schoolhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Carlson motored to Arcadia Tuesday.

Mrs. W. A. Causey was a caller in Lake Placid Sunday.

Mr. Tison is busy dicing J. B. Bunch's grove this week.

R. T. Eures and son, Harry, were calling at J. B. Bunch's Sunday.

Rev. Barringer is on the sick list and we all hope he will soon be out again.

Mrs. Hart's baby died Sunday night and was buried at Venus Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lisberg spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. William Eures.

Mrs. Neils and infant baby died last Sunday night and were buried at Venus Monday.

Garfield Carlton, Walter Smith and William Eures were rabbit hunting Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carlton motored to Arcadia Saturday where they attended the show.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick and family of Brighton were calling at J. B. Bunch's residence Tuesday.

The Hicoria school is progressing nicely with Miss Nita Sapp as teacher. She now has 43 pupils.

William Eures and family and sister Vivian attended the picture show in Lake Placid Monday night.

Ernest Eures was a caller in Hicoria Saturday and after visiting in Sebring, returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tucker and son, Joe, were at their farm in Venus Saturday. They also attended the cake grinding at Ben Hogan's place.

Mrs. W. O. Causey went to Arcadia Thursday and returned home with her husband who has been in the hospital there. He is recuperating nicely from an appendicitis operation.

J. B. Bunch and L. B. Eures went to Venus Saturday afternoon where they visited Charles Tucker and R. T. Eures farm. They report plenty of fine vegetables.

Mrs. A. J. Sapp moved to Lake Placid Saturday and is keeping house for her son, Aubrey. We are very sorry to lose her from this community. Miss Nita Sapp is staying with Mrs. Winston Kelley.

Mrs. Pelham gave her daughter Eldora a birthday party Monday afternoon. Those attending were Russell Eures, Mrs. Edgewood, Bobbie Ruth Smith, Chester Sullivan, J. E. Wiggins, Virginia Shibley, Chester, Helen and J. L. Pettus, Sybil and Rayford Franklin. Lemonade and cake were served.

VENUS

By Mrs. W. H. Cannon.

F. H. Deloach of Arcadia was a business visitor Tuesday.

Mr. Hughes of St. Petersburg was in town Tuesday with a load of horses.

B. C. Hope motored to Arcadia Tuesday with a load of beans, tomatoes and syrup.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stalls of Palmdale were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stalls Friday.

Mrs. Richard Stalls and daughter June motored to Ft. Myers Friday as guest of Mr. Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Mullins, of Louisianna, were a business visitor in Venus Tuesday gathering collections of syrup, cane and vegetables for the Venus Fair.

The Methodist Sunday school gave a cabbage supper at picnic oaks Saturday night in honor of their pastor, Rev. Reed of Moore Haven.

The community extends its sympathy to Mrs. W. C. Stalls for the loss of her brother, Roy Mallory, who died Saturday in the Lakeland hospital.

County agent Louis Almsmyer was a business visitor here Wednesday. He was locating syrup, cane, vegetables and poultry for the Tampa Fair.

Bassenger-Cornwell News

By Mrs. Robt M. Waldron.

Margaret Chandler motored to Sebring Friday.

L. C. Pearce was in Sebring on business Monday.

Elford Worley was in Sebring on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Davis moved here Monday.

William and Behring, Mr. and Mrs. F. Florchinger, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Wheeler were visiting friends here Saturday.

Joe Zigler made a business trip to Okechobee Saturday.

James P. Wheeler of Sebring was here on business Thursday.

Mrs. Double Crawford spent the week-end at her home here.

Mrs. C. B. Hicks was in Brighton on business Saturday.

"Kid" Daniels spent Saturday afternoon here visiting friends.

Moss Tomlinson made a business trip to Sebring Saturday.

Mrs. Emma Smith and son Ted were in Brighton Saturday on business.

EFFORTS BEING MADE STOP FRUIT THEFTS

Prosecuting Attorneys To Meet in Winter Home To Discuss Methods

Winter Haven, Jan. 25.—Florida citrus growers, threatened to break up or at least curtail theft of their fruit. According to clearing house to design an effective legal machine for their protection.

As a first step in the task, prosecuting attorneys of more than a score of citrus producing counties have been asked by the Florida Citrus Growers' Clearing House association to attend a meeting here Friday to discuss ways and means of blocking thievery of citrus. According to Clearing House officials, it is hoped that from this meeting will come some idea that may possibly be enacted into legislation and make prosecution and conviction of fruit thieves easier than it is now.

Large quantities of citrus fruit, it is said, which orchards are stolen from groves every year. Under existing laws, they point out, it is difficult to secure prosecution and conviction even when offenders are caught red-handed. Added to this obstacle, instances are numerous, it is said, in which offenders have been freed on parole and thus enabled to continue their thieving.

The situation in some sections, officials say, has become so acute—despite local road patrols—that incensed growers have declared they were ready to discuss with legal assistance and take the law into their own hands.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Pearce and George Hicks went on a fishing trip this week and caught four bass which weighed 20 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Moss Tomlinson and Lester McGee went to Istokpa to visit at the home of Irvin Tomlinson this week-end.

DeSoto City News

By Miss Sara Leaphart

Mrs. E. L. Peck was in Tampa a few days last week.

Rudolph Leaphart was a visitor in Sebring over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tauschen and family were visitors in Sarasota Sunday.

Mrs. Louise Etheredge and son, David Clark were business visitors in Tampa Saturday.

Misses Nardie and Margaret Leaphart, David Clark and J. C. Leaphart were visitors in Arcadia Sunday.

Lee Etheredge of Augusta, Ga., arrived Tuesday to spend a few days with his brother, Dr. E. J. Etheredge.

Presiding Elder E. Watt Smith and wife, of Hartow were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Etheredge Sunday.

Dr. E. J. Etheredge returned home Tuesday from Tampa where he underwent an operation for appendicitis. He is recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. William Toney of Staten Island, N. Y., arrived last Tuesday to spend a while with the farmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Toney.

Dinner Party Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Peck entertained at a dinner party Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peck's birthday. The table was beautifully decorated with pink candles and a love letter centerpiece of ever pees and ferns. The house was trimmed with lovely roses. After dinner, Mrs. Peck was presented with a surprise of lovely gifts. Those enjoying the day were: Mrs. Charles Kleinfelder, Chicago, Mrs. Warren Castleman of Rochester, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Henderson of Okechobee and Mr. and Mrs. James Williams of Sebring.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Club was held last Thursday at the Hotel DeSoto.

President, Mrs. J. W. Leaphart presided. Mrs. E. L. Peck, chairman of the program, presented a very interesting program, the main feature being a talk on Hawaii by Major Amos Tyree and Hawaiian music by Mrs. William Parrish of Istokpa and Mrs. F. Florchinger and niece, Miss Winifred Florchinger.

Benedict Bridge Party.

Mrs. William Toney, Miss Mary Katherine Smith and Mrs. John Peyer went joint hostesses at a benefit bridge party which was sponsored by the Woman's Club Friday night at the Hotel DeSoto.

Mr. and Mrs. William Toney, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kleinfelder, Chicago, Mrs. Warren Castleman of Rochester, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams of Sebring, Mr. and Mrs. F. Florchinger and son Frank, Mr. and Mrs. Parrish, Mr. and Mrs. Kessler of Buffalo, and Mrs. Billow of New York City, Mr. Amos Tyree, Mrs. H. E. Galloway, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Barrow, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tenney, Mrs. E. E. Barlow, Miss Larkin, Mrs. Amos Tyree, Mrs. Nora Webster, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. Louise Etheredge, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peyer, Mrs. E. L. Peck, Mr. and Mrs. William Toney, Mr. and Mrs. William Toney, Jr., Mr. Frank, Mrs. McCaffrey and Miss Nardie and Margaret Leaphart, Allie Mae Etheredge and Bernard Etheredge, J. C. Leaphart, Joan Barrow, David Clark and Merrill Wilson.

HINTS TO HOUSEWIVES

Weekly from Home Demonstration Specialists, Tallahassee

THE PARENT AS A PLAYMATE

The father and mother who can play with their child and help them develop their imagination are really and truly glorious friends and comrades. Can a mother be quite so mother as she sits on the floor and plays with her child? Browning, the poet, never forgot how when as a child his father sat on the floor and played with him and went through with him the history of the Siege of Troy. This was true learning, and this was perpetual comradeship with a father who knew how to play.

Room For Play.

No house correctly built that does not provide a play room or a play house for the children, and for the very young children. A chest or low case with shelves and a curtain should be in the mother's room for the young child to keep the playthings in after playing with them. A young child should not have its playthings with the older children. The younger child will try to keep up with the older child and so be exhausted mentally as well as physically. A play room, with plenty of sunshine and ventilation, near the mother's room will be good for the very young child.

Should Put Toys Away.

When the child plays in mother's room, in the play room, or in the yard, it should make a game of putting its playthings in the place provided for them when play is over. This may be a chest, a box, or a case with shelves, but it is up to parents to provide some undisturbed place for the child to keep as its own.

This is really one of the early steps toward order and training in good citizenship. Let the child feel that the problem of picking up its playthings and putting them away in their place is its problem. If it is made a game it will soon be done automatically. Plans for building play rooms may be obtained from the State Home Demonstration Department, Tallahassee—Virginia P. Moore.

Experiment Plots Selected in County

Plots of two and a half acres in the groves of four county owners have been selected for fertilizer experiments by E. F. DeBusk and county agent Louis Almsmyer. It was learned this week.

The plots which are subject to fertilization under the direction of the Extension Service are located in the groves of the Lake Placid Land company, Earl Hart, the Avon Florida Citrus Corporation under Parke Anderson and O. B. Alvarez.

Special attention will be paid to the use of lime materials, the fertilizer being donated by the manufacturers to the State University to be used in this work. It is planned to check present fertilizer practices and emphasize the use of phosphate.

HER KISS KILLS

Her Eight Lovers Shot One After Another—The Strange Fate That Lurks Behind "Fatal Mary" Underworld Romances. See The American Weekly, The Magazine distributed with next Sunday's Atlanta Sunday American.

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RALPH BELLAMY and GLORIA STUART in "THE UNIVERSAL PICTURE" New Circle Theatre, Thurs., Fri., Sat., Feb. 2, 3, 4.

EXPERIMENTING WITH FLORIDA RANGE STOCK

Federal Government Crossing Red Polled Cattle With Native Scrub Stock

To determine the value of Red Polled cattle for improving native Florida stock, 11 purebred bulls were recently placed on as many Florida farms and ranges. They were furnished by the federal government and loaned through the Florida Experiment Station at Gainesville.

Each of the bulls will be bred to 40 native cattle. The offspring will be raised regularly, and a check will be made of pasture carrying capacity and other management problems, according to the plan of the experiment drawn up by Dr. W. Sheets, chief of the Animal Husbandry Division of the Federal Bureau of Animal Industry, and Dr. Wilmon Newell, director of research, and Dr. A. L. Shealy, head of the Animal Husbandry Experiment Station.

The bulls have been placed over a wide area of the state, going to Leon, Taylor, Dixie, Marion, Alachua, Polk, and Hernando counties. Thus the value of this breed for improving native cattle will be tested under actual farm and range conditions, and at a very low cost, Dr. Newell said. He further stressed the need for Florida cattlemen producing animals that make better gains and turn out better quality meat. Florida, in spite of her vast area of range land and mild climate for grazing, produces only about one-fourth of the beef consumed in the state.

The Experiment Station is now conducting similar trials with Devons, Brahman, Herefords, and Angus. In Clay County, a Devon, a Brahman, and a Hereford bull are being bred to native herds, and in Jackson county another Devon bull is being used on native stock.

The North Florida Experiment Station, Quincy, an Angus bull is mated to a native herd, while at the main station here a Hereford bull is being used on native cows. At the West-Central Florida Experiment Station, near Brooksville, a Red Polled bull is mated to native herd and a Red Polled herd is maintained by the federal government.

Also has placed a herd of Devons at the Everglades Experiment Station, Belle Glade.

When you start at sudden noises, worry over trifles, can't bear the noise that children make, feel irritable and blue—ten to one it's your nerves.

Don't wait until your overwrought nerves have kept you awake half the night and paved the way for another miserable day. Take two teaspoonfuls of Dr. Miles' Nervine and enjoy the relief that follows. Take two more before you go to bed. Sleep—and wake up ready for the day's duties or pleasures.

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LOCAL LEADERS HELP IMPROVE FARM LIFE

Dr. Newell Says Local Leaders Are Great Help To Extension Department

Much of the progress made last year by Florida farmers and farm women in living at home, in lowering production costs, and in better home making is credited to an organization built around 2,850 local leaders who were without pay, according to Dr. Wilmon Newell, director of the Agricultural Extension Service of the University of Florida, at Gainesville.

The Extension Service is now actively demonstrating better farming and home making in 1,038 communities and reaching 17,180 farms and 10,076 homes. During last year 11,776 demonstration meetings were held with a total attendance of 220,000. Two hundred and nine farm and home tours were held with 14,388 persons making them, and 40,000 attended achievement days. The present staff of 65 county and home demonstration agents and 26 state specialists and supervisors could not reach nearly the number they now reach were it not for the planning and supervision of the local leaders, Dr. Newell said.

Thus, the Extension Service is working with a large number of county councils and local clubs composed of farmers and farm women and each of which is an organization within itself. The details of bettering the community fall to the local leader who looks to the county and home demonstration agents for expert advice.

In spite of reduced expenses, the agents are being called on more than ever before. This the local leaders realize, and with more experience and training they are taking more responsibility in extending the work for the financial and social betterment of the respective communities.

Care is taken in selecting the leaders, and then special assistants are made to train them. Dr. Newell said. Last year 457 local leadership training schools were held with an attendance of 4,107, most of the leaders attending two of the schools. A large number of the local leaders received their first training in the 4-H clubs of their communities. Of the 225 local leaders for 4-H club boys at present 106 are former 4-H members. Almost as good a record is shown by the girls, with alumnae 4-H clubs in several counties.

Home Gardening Over Nation Causing Less Demand Truck Crops

Home gardening in eastern and central States has already reduced the demand for commercially grown truck crops, it is believed by marketing specialists of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

The bureau has no statistics on the quantity of food produced in home gardens, but it is known that rail shipments of fresh fruits and vegetables last year were markedly below those in 1931. Some of the decrease is accounted for by increased transportation by motor truck, but no considerable part of the reduction is attributed to lessened consumer buying on account of home gardening.

"A great deal of 'live at home' farming may be expected so long as the present general price level or anything closely approaching it remains," says Wells A. Sherman of the bureau.

An International Egg Laying Contest will be held in connection with the World Fair in Chicago from May 1 through October. Florida poultrymen interested in entering pens should write Norman R. Mehrhoff, Agricultural Extension Service, Gainesville, Fla.

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About the most outstandingly over-worked word in the language is "outstanding."

How much light wine can a man carry without its becoming a staggering load?

Mr. Gall has just been appointed as a member of the State Road Board. Hope he's the berries.

We do not recall that ever before the flame vine was as beautiful as this season. All South Florida is ablaze with its glory.

Have you tried asking your grocer for an egg's worth of eggs? If he looks puzzled explain to him that you are a technocrat.

If energy is to take the place of money as the unit of value, we know a lad under ten years of age who is one of the world's biggest capitalists.

Keep looking, Governor—maybe there are some other boards, or bureaus, or commissions, that might be dispensed with and the State's business go on just as well.

Perhaps the reason you had never heard of some of the appointees on the Road Board is that the Governor is trying to give a break to "the forgotten man."

The future looks dark, indeed. John Masfield predicts that after the depression "a new great poetry will spring up." Let's keep the depression.

We know a man who never paid more than \$10 taxes in any year of his life. He complains bitterly of his tax burdens, and is convinced they have prevented him from becoming financially independent. Aren't a good many of us that way to a greater or lesser extent?

The move to impeach President Hoover was an asinine piece of business. Fortunately Congress showed its disapproval by a vote of 342 to 11. Mr. Hoover deserves sympathy for a hopeless struggle against conditions he could not control—nothing worse.

Unless large revenues are provided through legalizing beer and wines, a sales tax seems probable. And that may not be such a bad thing if food and wearing apparel of ordinary value are exempted from the tax. Most people would pay the tax without ever knowing the difference.

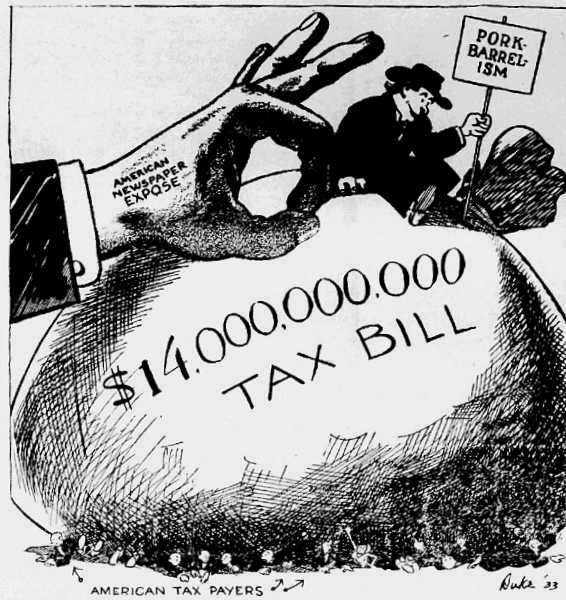
Northern readers of this paper may be interested in the fact that many acres of watermelons are being planted this month in South Florida, and they might try this on their snow shoes. The melons, ripe and luscious will be shipped by trainloads beginning about May 20.

That story which relates that it was necessary to import from Georgia women to work in a Lake Wales cannery because sufficient help could not be obtained in the home community, makes strange reading in these times when we can talk about nothing except unemployment. Seems like there are people who are not as anxious for work as they pretend to be.

Civil war pensions continue to take a good bite out of the State's revenue. Yet we note that on Lee's birthday, on the 19th of this month, in a community of over 20,000 only three Confederate veterans could be found to be honored in the day's observance. Nobody objects to the old soldiers being dealt with most generously, but the roll might well be scrutinized, and parasites cut off.

Wanted—In this country, a system of banking that will insure safety of funds and yet retain the human element that characterized the relations between banks and their customers prior to the mutual loss of confidence that has been the most deplorable product of the stress of the past four years. A system that will not only

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provide in a bank a safe depository but that will enable it to be a factor in community development and upbuilding.

The easiest thing we know is to evolve a plan to cure all the ills to which mankind is subject. Your barber, the cobbler, the gentleman who serves soft drinks from a hole in the wall—can give you a perfect theory. The only difference is in getting any considerable number of people to adopt their Utopian ideas. It remained for a group of self-styled scientists to have the colossal conceit to suggest that the affairs of the world be placed in their hands, that they might experiment with half-baked theories, most of which are made of old stuff and long ago discredited.

Our sympathy goes out to the teachers of the common schools of this state, whose salaries, already small enough, have been cut in some communities as much as sixty percent. With all the millions the taxpayers provide for schools, there is something radically wrong in this condition—particularly as it recurs year after year. If good practical business sense is needed in any department of the State, it is in the direction of our school system. If we can only buy a certain amount of education with the funds provided, why can't we buy and pay for that much, and eliminate the non-essentials until such time as we are in better financial shape?

State Press Comment

SERVICE CLUBS NO GRAB BAGS.
People who do not belong to service clubs have a tendency to believe that these clubs function in a capacity similar to community chests.

Nothing like it.
Service clubs, Kiwanis, Rotary or any others, do not have treasury wells into which to dip for charity or participation in any collecting scheme.

Kiwanis, Rotary, Civitan, Lions, and all the rest exist primarily for interchange of ideas and ideals. They were never organized to furnish any community chest with the where-with-all.

Members of these clubs pay their dues and their luncheon charges—nothing else. When you want a donation, ask everybody else before you ask the service clubs for they have nothing on earth to reward you with. And practically every service club there is has a rule against taking up a collection at a meeting. If they didn't there would be a very decided drop in attendance.

So our advice to solicitors is this:
LET SERVICE CLUBS ALONE.

You might remember, if you are honest, that these clubs do things you cannot or do not. Let them do these things unmolested.—Leesburg Commercial.

Controllor J. M. Lee won plaudits of the state press generally by firing all employees of his office who were members of families of other employees of state or county offices in Tallahassee. He takes the position that in these times of scarcity of paying jobs, no family should be holding more than one state job.—Zephyrhills News.

Wah! America, the great preacher of peace, stumble toward conflict. Next the flags will wave and patriots will shout. Sacrifice, give, die. To make the Orient safe for the Chinese. Nonsense, you reply. Yet that is the certain trend unless it is checked.—Miami Herald.

TWO DOLLARS A YEAR

When a subscriber handed out \$2.00 for a year's subscription to this paper he said of the two \$1.00 bills: "That represents two days' labor to me." And the publisher says, "Yes, and I have to work for you for a year for it."—Everglades News. Where else could you hire a man to work for you, week in and week out, for two dollars a year? The editor stays on the job, rain or shine, and gets your paper to you, every week, for only two dollars a year.—Florida Advocate.

CUTTING EXPENSES

Comptroller Jim Lee is to be commended for severing the ties that have bound a number of people to the state pay roll as soon as he took office. The policy of having your wife and son and all your wife's relations on the state pay roll is bad and if Sholtz and Lee get it stopped it will be one big accomplishment of the new administration. The reduction of the number of employees and abolishing of a lot of bureaus and commissions is another thing they are starting in to do. May success crown their effort along these lines.—Southwest Floridian.

REPUTATING TECHNOCRACY

Columbia University, from whose portals have come some of the craziest ideas of our age afflicted the brain of man, has set itself right in the eyes of most people by repudiating Dr. Howard Scott, the "apostle of technocracy," and withdrawing all support for the theories and "laboratory work" under his direction. It took Columbia some weeks to awake to the fact that Scott was making himself and the college ridiculous by his theories (which few people understand and care less), but now that it has opened its eyes we trust it will in future discourage fanatics from spilling their cockeyed notions to the world, already too much under the influence of theorists when what it needs is practical common sense applied to the problems of industry, sociology and morality. Of course, Columbia and Dr. Scott got plenty of publicity during the past month. Whether it was good or bad or indifferent probably didn't matter, for they may have gone on the theory of "not giving a hang what the people said so long as they talked about them."—Winter Haven Chief.

The new comptroller, J. M. Lee, has started out in a manner which not only shows his fitness for the position which he was elected but shows a willingness to carry out his campaign pledges. The bank situation in Florida is bad—many people were inclined to believe that it could have been better with someone other than Ernest Amos as comptroller. The voters thought that J. M. Lee is the right man—so let Mr. Lee see to it that they were not mistaken in his ability and good faith.—Punta Gorda Herald.

If we remember right, some doctors have claimed that all past sixty should be chloroformed. By the way, won't the next Congress be our seventy-third?—Florida Times-Union.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

By RUSSELL KAY

Well I sneaked over to Tallahassee last week just to see the "ruins." Outwardly, the old village seems to be calm and peaceful, but boy, how the folks up here go around on tip toe whispering to each other. If you ask me, what the Japs have done to Manchuria ain't got a thing on what Mr. Sholtz and Mr. Lee have been doing up here, and if you happen to know anything that's lookin' for a few nice second hand velvet chairs, why this will be a good place to find 'em right now.

And while there aren't as many folks holdin' a job here as there used to be I believe there's more people workin' if you know what I mean. I sneaked around the Capitol building for awhile and the way they were poundin' the works out of those typewriters and cranks in the addin' machines, it reminded me of a Big Shot Real Estate office during the Boom.

When you see a guy walkin' down the street with his chest out whistlin' "Happy Days Are Here Again"

he isn't hard to classify, he's IN, but the bird that shuffles along with a face as long as a bad dream, well he's an OUT or expects to be.

And you know, to me there is somethin' downright pathetic about these poor birds we see goin' IN and OUT on the political tide. For a time they are sittin' pretty, and then blooey, the well-known axe swings on 'em and they're all dazed and daisy. A lot of 'em have established homes here, and they have kids in school and have built up fraternal and social contacts that have become a part of their lives. Now they must get all washed up and go back where they came from.

Of course turn about is fair play and the ones who happen to be lucky enough to step in now are all peppy and happy, but political terms pass quickly and it won't be so very long before those favored now will find themselves in the parade that goes the other way and it ain't a pleasant procession.

Everybody is suspicious of the stranger who arrives in town, and the first question they ask is "Whatta you doin' here?" If you happen to be talkin' to a guy that's still got a job, he thinks you're after it, and if you meet up with one of the fellows who has just lost it, he starts makin' a fuss over you in hopes you can help him get in somewhere else.

I don't believe Tallahassee has gotten over the shock of the last election. Of course they think Dave is a nice boy and they like him and all that, BUT—and the old timers find it hard to take Mr. Lee into their hearts in Ernest like they did Amos. They just can't understand these boys comin' up here and takin' the State's CAPITAL more seriously than they do the State's CAPITOL.

And when they started puttin' out the first State vouchers without the name Ernest Amos stamped across 'em, even the old men with white whiskers couldn't remember ever seein' anything like that before. A lot of folks were really surprised when the banks cashed 'em, it just didn't seem right.

Right now you don't have any trouble gettin' a room at any of the hotels and there are vacant homes and apartments available as well as considerable office space but the home folks here are hopeful, they are all sittin' around waitin' for the next session of the Legislature, then they can pack 'em three in a bed and rent the park benches to those who get here late.

The kind of a house or apartment you'd pay \$35 or \$40 a month for in Tampa or Miami, they'll knock down to you for the SESSION at a mere \$150 or \$200, and if the politicians can't pay it, well some prosperous Lizzards will, and the same goes for offices. Desks, chairs and typewriters may be cheap and plentiful where you live but they're hard to find and harder to pay for up here. But they tell me it's gonna be a great little show this year, and cheap at the price, no matter what you pay to see it. But speakin' of a BIG SHOW, there's nothin', not even the Legislature, that can compare with the one that opens in Tampa next Tuesday, the South Florida Fair. This year you will find some magnificent county exhibits, and there will be plenty of new and interesting features. You can't be sorry if you miss it, and remember the dates are January 31 to February 11, and the password is FIFTY CENTS. You drop it in the slot as you go through the gate, and I'll be lookin' for you.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By EDSON R. WAITE
Shawnee, Oklahoma

Money-saving opportunities can always be found in the stores of the home city.
Home city merchants have great aims and ambitions.

They should know no defeat.
Up-to-date merchants of the home city always carry the best lines of seasonable merchandise.

Every dollar spent in the home city makes better business and helps your city grow.
A city is never so good but what it can be made better.

YOU SHOULD KEEP YOUR DOLLAR WORKING IN YOUR OWN HOME CITY AND HELP TO MAKE IT BETTER.

WORRY

By JUDGE JOHN W. DODGE

WORK WILL REMOVE WORRY.

I met a friend today, who, when I said to him, "How are you?" replied, "I have gained fifteen pounds in the last month. I stopped worrying."

Worry injuriously affects each of us in many ways, mentally, physically, morally, and otherwise. It is not only useless but positively injurious.
Only a rich man can afford to worry—many of them now do. A poor man, or a man of moderate means, cannot afford to indulge in worrying; he needs to conserve all his powers. Worry destroys powers of every kind. It creates friction, and all friction retards progress.

Be thoughtful, be careful, be active, BUT do not worry. Because you cannot see a mile nor a year ahead of you is no reason for standing still where you are. We must have movement and action if we are to progress or attain.

Doing the duty which lies nearest, be it ever so small, apparently trivial, often removes from our mind false appearing obstructions. It clears the way—it permits us to see other things more clearly and understandingly. Worry only weakens our will—it saps our strength—it twists our thoughts—it makes our objectives obtuse—it juggles up and down our judgment.

If most of us could only realize, and would admit to ourselves, our own weakness and smallness, and do something instead of nothing, because we can not do something, then worry will cease and greatness will have a chance to take its place.

We need a new Religion of Living. Carlyle expressed our present condition thus:

"Religion in most countries, more or less in every country, is no longer what it was, and should be—a something apparently trivial, often removed from our mind false appearing obstructions. It clears the way—it permits us to see other things more clearly and understandingly. Worry only weakens our will—it saps our strength—it twists our thoughts—it makes our objectives obtuse—it juggles up and down our judgment."

Work Will Destroy Worry—Get Busy—Start at Home—Start Today—Forget About Greatness of Self—"One Only Is Great."

Visitors Register at Chamber Commerce

Visitors and tourists registering at the Avon Park chamber of commerce the past few days include: S. S. Snader of Connelleville, Pa. Paul Coles of Indianapolis, Ind. Robert Lee of Wilkesburg, Pa. Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Starna, Miss Hannah Muhlen and Henry Muhlen of Crawfordville, Ind. Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Jennings, of Sullivan, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo C. Ham and Mrs. Mabel Humphrey of Wolfboro, N. H. The latter is spending the winter at Bradenton and was visiting friends here.
A. P. Bursley of Cleveland, O. He is here 11 years ago and was much impressed with the progress made since that time.

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.

CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER (Episcopal)

Rev. Heber W. Weller.
Pleasant and Verona Streets.
Holy Communion (2nd and 4th Sundays), 7:00 A. M.
Morning service and sermon, 11:30 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.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p. m.
Sunday School Teachers' Meeting, Friday evening at 7, taught by Mrs. B. H. Coen, Jr., followed by their practice.
Brotherhood meeting first Friday evening of each month at 7:30 o'clock, in the basement of the church.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE.

East Canfield, Near Lake Ave.
E. E. Zachary, Pastor.
We are starting a new assembly year, and we hope it to be the greatest year in the history of the church.
Sunday Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching service, 10:45 a. m.
Young People's service, 6:30 p. m.
Evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m.
Mid-week prayer meeting, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.
A warm welcome to all of these services is extended.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Erna A. Ritchie, Minister.
10 a. m. Bible Study.
11 a. m. Preaching.
6:30 p. m. Young People's Meeting.

7:30 p. m. Preaching.

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BY RUBY TURNER MORGAN
Society Editor

Legion Auxiliary Has First Meeting

Monday afternoon at 2:30 the American Legion Auxiliary met for their first business and program session of the year. Mrs. Louis Martin, club president, presided at the business session. Mrs. Ed Littleton, vice-president of the sixth district, of Bradenton, and Miss Jessie Miller, Department National Defense Chairman were guests of the unit, and both gave very interesting addresses, stressing the importance of continued work in the Auxiliary for the ensuing year.

The unit voted to continue the feeding of one child at the lunch room at the school, for the remainder of the school term. Mrs. Martin also appointed the following committee chairman: American, Mrs. Alice Sherman; Legislation, Mrs. S. Y. Hart; Emblems, Trophies and Awards, Mrs. John Deleaga; Memorials and Gold Star, Mrs. Cyril Baldwin; Education, Mrs. F. Carmichael; Junior, Mrs. W. T. Coates; Junior Activities, Cradle Roll, Mrs. Anna Johnson; National Defense, Mrs. Miriam Lawhorn; Speakers' Bureau, Mrs. Ruby Morgan; Publicity, Mrs. E. Melton; Rehabilitation, Mrs. Margaret Mandi; Community Service, Mrs. Alice McCarthy; Crippled Children and Child Welfare, Mrs. D. V. Rouse; Membership, Mrs. Louis Martin; Music, Mrs. Eunice Perry; Public Education, Mrs. Virginia Codd; Poppy, Mrs. Lillian Hood; Fides, Mrs. Alice Sherman; Ways and Means, Mrs. Vivian Hart.

Mrs. John Hood and Mrs. Alice Sherman were appointed to act as hostesses for the month of February. Following the business meeting a program was given by Junior members of the auxiliary as follows: Reading, Betty Chace; Mandolin, Mrs. Eunice Perry; Piano, Mrs. Betty Chace; Dance, Eliza; both Hetherington; Dance, Eliza Jones.

Punch and cookies were served to the guests by the Junior members, Mrs. Louis Martin and Mrs. A. M. Morgan being hostesses for this meeting. About twenty members were in attendance.

Wednesday Club Entertained

Wednesday afternoon at her home on Pine street, Mrs. E. W. Hartt delightfully entertained members of her contract club. Garden flowers were used to artistically decorate the party rooms of the Hartt's lovely home.

Concluding several progressions of contract bridge, individual scores were tallied. Mrs. E. W. Hartt was high, and Mrs. E. F. Carmichael second high. Both received attractive prizes for their skill in the game. A tempting salad course with hot coffee was served by the hostess following the games.

Regular club members present were Mrs. T. A. McNicholas, Mrs. W. D. Dorniney, Mrs. W. T. Coates, Mrs. L. E. Thomas, Mrs. P. L. Rumpus. Guests of the club were Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mrs. C. E. Crabtree and Mrs. E. F. Carmichael.

Miss Dawson Hostess To Delta Deck Club

Members of the Delta Deck club were delightfully entertained Wednesday evening by Miss Inez Dawson at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dawson. Nassurtiums were used in decorating the party room, a yellow color motif being carried out in all the bridge appointments.

Mrs. Roland Drott was high scorer for the evening. Mrs. Frances Shockley being second high.

At a late hour the hostess served dainty sandwiches and orange juice to the guests.

Those present were Miss Ethel Clark, Miss Lillian Smith, Miss Inez Dawson, Miss Barbara Weaver, Mrs. Frances Shockley, Mrs. Roland Drott and Mrs. W. E. Dawson.

Woman's Club Will Meet Friday

Next Friday afternoon at 2:30 there will be the regular monthly business and program meeting of the Avon Park Woman's club, to be held in the club rooms. Mrs. Mrs. W. A. Dawson, president of the club will preside at the business meeting.

The following program has been arranged for this meeting: Music, New materials, Mrs. W. H. Kempton. Strides in Science, Mr. H. J. Mumman.

Woman's Club Has Benefit Bridge

The Woman's club room was the scene of an interesting social affair Thursday evening, when the business and means committee of the Woman's club sponsored a benefit bridge. Mrs. Charles Lanier and Mrs. W. D. Dorniney being hostesses of this occasion.

The club room, where twelve tables were arranged, was gayly decorated with spring flowers, making a lovely setting for the players, who enjoyed several progressions of contract. Mrs. C. P. Turner, Highlands Lakes, was high scorer among the ladies, and was awarded a unique flower container, and Mr. P. L. Rumpus received for his high score a set of brass ash trays.

Mrs. T. B. Culler was the fortunate winner of the lucky number and received a delicious looking home made angel food cake. At the close of the pleasant period devoted to the interesting progressions of contract, the hostess, assisted by Mrs. J. E. Powell, Mrs. J. H. Anderson, Mrs. E. F. Carmichael, Mrs. W. T. Coates and Mrs. J. Paul Garber, served dainty sandwiches, devil's food cake and orange juice to the guests.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hartt, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Coates, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Rumpus, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Garber, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Wilkes, Mrs. Olive Anderson, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mr. and Mrs. George Scott McKnight, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McNicholas, W. H. McKalip, Mrs. Frances Shockley, Miss Susan Pauley, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier, and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dorniney.

Entertains Contract Club at Sebring

Miss Hettie Hundermark was the gracious hostess of members of her contract club, and a few invited guests at her home in Sebring last Saturday night. Adding to the attractiveness of the party rooms, where six tables were arranged for play, was a huge basket of pink gladioli and numerous vases of lovely white roses. Also placed artistically about the rooms. Receiving the guests with the hostess were her sisters, Miss Claire Hundermark and Mrs. Martha Ammons.

Tallies, reflecting the spring motif, were given each guest, and following the games, refreshments were tallied. Mrs. Lee Hagood was high among the guests, and Mrs. C. L. Johnson scored high for the club members.

Both received attractive boxes of linen handkerchiefs.

Mrs. Raymond Dilley and Miss Elizabeth Attey were low scorers and received fancy dress hangers.

The hostess assisted by her sisters served delicious chocolate roll, topped with whipped cream, and hot coffee to her guests.

McNicholas Hosts To Bridge Club

Members of the evening bridge club were delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McNicholas last Thursday evening. A profusion of spring flowers, pink gladioli and roses lent a colorful atmosphere to the party rooms where five tables were arranged for bridge. After several interesting progressions games were tallied and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier were awarded a lovely iriscent bowl for their high score, while Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Pringle, Jr., of Sebring received a fruit basket for their second high score.

A tempting salad course was served to the members following the games. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dorniney, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Trent, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. R. Reck, Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Touchton, and guests of the club, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Coates, and Mrs. Charles Britt, of Asheville, N. C.

Home-Coming at Rebekah Lodge

The tenth anniversary "home coming" of the Eleventh Sevens Rebekah Lodge No. 85 will be held Monday night, February 6th, at 8 o'clock at the Rebekah hall. It is anticipated that there will be a good attendance.

Contract Club Entertained

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth delightfully entertained members of their evening contract club at their home on East Pine street, Saturday evening. The party rooms, where two tables were arranged for play were artistically decorated with baskets of pink gladioli.

Following the games scores were tallied and Mrs. W. T. Coates was awarded a lovely felt card table cover for her high score. G. E. Lanier receiving for his score, which was high for the gentlemen, a combination ash tray and cigarette lighter.

In the dining room, where the guests were invited for refreshments following the games, a colorful motif of low and green was carried out in all the appointments. Centering the table was a lovely bowl of calceolarias, surrounded by a colorful fern, and lighted tapers cast a soft glow over the room. The hostess served a tempting salad course, with hot chocolate, nuts and fruit.

Those enjoying Mr. and Mrs. Booth's hospitality on this occasion were Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier, and Mrs. W. T. Coates, and Mrs. Perry Louis.

Mrs. Hartt Hosts To Bridge Club

Mrs. J. B. Hartt entertained members of her bridge club at her home on Tulane Circle, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Lovely vases of spring flowers gayly decorated the party rooms, where several spirited games of contract were enjoyed.

Mrs. C. H. Pardee was high scorer for the afternoon, and received a lovely token.

The hostess then served tempting strawberry short cake topped with whipped cream, and hot coffee to the following guests:

Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. Olive Anderson, Mrs. George Scott McKnight, Mrs. W. H. McKalip, S. C. Pardee, Mrs. S. Y. Hartt and Mrs. Lula Bass.

Luncheon Club Meets Thursday

Mrs. Jack Head was a charming hostess, when she entertained members of the luncheon contract club at her home on Tuesday. The reception room of the Head home was artistically decorated with early spring flowers, making a lovely setting for the club members gathered on this occasion.

The dining room table, where a tempting turkey luncheon was served, had a bowl of red radishes as a centerpiece.

Several progressions of contract were enjoyed. Mrs. Paul Jones being winner of high score, receiving a unique wall clock.

Those enjoying this lovely affair were Mrs. Paul Jones, and Mrs. Parke Anderson, and the regular club members, Mrs. J. E. Powell, Mrs. W. T. Coates, Mrs. H. E. Keller, Mrs. M. V. Pilcher, Mrs. A. M. Morgan and Mrs. S. E. Booth.

Ways and Means Committee Meets

Last Saturday afternoon Mrs. C. E. Lanier and Mrs. W. D. Dorniney were co-hostesses to members of the ways and means committee of the Woman's club. Bowls of spring flowers were used in decorating the rooms, where the meeting was presided over by the Chairman, Mrs. W. T. Coates.

Plans were discussed for the benefit party to be given Thursday night, January 26th in the Woman's club room in the city hall. Light refreshments were daintily served by the hostess to the following club women: Mrs. W. T. Coates, Mrs. M. A. Smith, Mrs. Parke Anderson, Mrs. J. Paul Garber, Mrs. D. V. Rouse, and Mrs. E. F. Carmichael.

Missionary Circle Meeting Monday

Missionary circle number three met Monday afternoon with Mrs. S. J. Pendleton and the class studied the second chapter of "Hand Maidens of the King." Mrs. Pendleton read the eighth chapter of second Corinthians for the devotion. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. W. T. Coates.

Those enjoying the meeting Monday included Mrs. J. L. Collins, Mrs. Ben Fussell, Mrs. W. C. Rebeck, Mrs. N. D. Sherman, Mrs. B. F. Martin, Mrs. M. K. Radcliffe, Mrs. S. J. Pendleton, Mrs. Marvin Jones, Mrs. L. B. Radcliffe and Mrs. R. L. Green.

Missionary Circle Number 1 Meets

Mrs. J. B. Coen, Sr., was hostess to members of Missionary Circle Number one of the First Baptist church. Many afternoon at three o'clock at her home on Lake Avenue. Mrs. J. W. Green, chairman of the circle was in charge of the business session.

After the Bible Study Class, conducted by Mrs. W. W. McFarland, Mrs. L. C. Hunt read several chapters from the Mission Study Book, "Handmaidens of the King."

Executive Board Holds Meeting

Mrs. Louis Martin, president of the American Legion Auxiliary held a meeting of the executive board at her home last Tuesday evening. Tentative plans for the year's work were outlined, and numerous questions of work to be undertaken by the auxiliary for the year discussed.

Following the business session a social hour was enjoyed. Mrs. Martin serving at this time a frozen salad course with coffee. Those present were Mrs. Charles Sherman, Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. C. L. Johnson and Mrs. A. M. Morgan.

Contract Club Meets With Mrs. Anderson

Mrs. Olive Anderson was the delightful hostess to members of her contract club Wednesday evening at her home on Pleasant street. Several interesting progressions of contract were enjoyed by the guests. Mrs. Lula Bass being high scorer for the evening, and received a suitable token.

Light refreshments were served to the following members, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hartt, Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Dr. and Mrs. George Scott McKnight, and Mrs. Lula Bass.

Recent Arrivals at Pine Crest Club

Arrivals during the past week at Pine Crest Club include: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Navon of Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. Stephen A. Goodman, Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. W. H. Clifton and daughter Miss Eleanor Clifton, of Baltimore, Md.; H. E. Meeks and mother, Mrs. S. F. Meeks of Meriden, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Shryver, Chicago, Ill.; and Mrs. and Mrs. W. J. O'Connor, Chicago, Ill.

Wimodassus Club Enjoying Party

Today members of the Wimodassus club are meeting at the Macdonalds, enjoying a splendid party. The day is being pleasantly spent in sewing and chatting, and at noon a covered dish dinner is being served.

Louie Martin spent last week end here with his family.

Col. J. M. Lee, state controller, spent last week end in Avon Park.

Rev. and Mrs. W. K. McClure are spending today in Fort Meade.

Mrs. Mel Jones of Akron, Ohio is visiting her sister, Mrs. Oscar Bridges.

Prof. and Mrs. R. T. Fairry spent last Saturday in Bradenton on business.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth spent Wednesday in Tusaville transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Trent and daughter Sara Lucy visited in Tampa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier spent Wednesday and Thursday of this week in Jacksonville.

Charles Clements, who is employed at Tallahassee, spent last week end with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Smith left Monday morning on a business and pleasure trip to Tallahassee.

Miss Creola Fortner is seriously ill in a Sebring hospital, where she expects to undergo an operation.

W. W. Tillis of Frostproof is visiting his daughter Mrs. S. E. Booth, at her home on Pine street.

James N. Ball of Sebring, court reporter for this circuit was a business visitor here Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. L. E. Thomas, Mrs. Tom Culler, Mrs. A. H. Frey and Mrs. E. Frey are spending today in Tampa.

Judge D. V. Rouse left Monday morning for Tallahassee after spending the week end with his family.

Miss Lora Lee of Tallahassee has returned home after spending a few days here the guest of Miss Ethel Clark.

F. H. Airfield of Green Bay, Wisconsin, is the guest of C. A. Straubel for a few days at his home on the Sebring road.

Norton Smith, H. A. Straubel, F. H. Airfield and C. A. Straubel spent Wednesday touring interesting points on the west coast.

Miss Christine Reeves of Tallahassee spent last week end here the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Spink.

Mrs. L. D. Roberts has been called to Plant City on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. B. S. Booth.

Miss Joyce Powell, student at Southern College, spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Powell at their home at Lake Byron.

Mrs. H. F. R. Reck is spending some time this week in Winter Haven, visiting friends and relatives, and attending the Orange Festival.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Head and children, Yvonne and Jack, Jr., spent Sunday in Fort Meade, guests of Mrs. Head's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Parke Anderson, Mrs. V. Anderson and Mrs. J. Paul Garber were visitors in Winter Haven Wednesday, attending the Orange Festival.

Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Able have as their guests at their lovely home on Highlands Lakes, Mrs. Able's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hanna of Estill, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. John Koonen of Columbus, Ohio, and Tampa, are spending the week end in Avon Park, guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Armstrong.

Mrs. Charles Britt, who has been the pastor of New York City and broadcasts weekly as pastor of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America.

Upon his previous visit to Sebring, Dr. Fiedick has preached to a Sebring congregation and great numbers of people in this section have availed themselves of the opportunity presented by attending the services.

Sunday night, Dr. Fiedick will preach at the Kenilworth Lodge at 9 o'clock. Upon advice of David F. Tuttle, manager of the Sebring hotel, the general public, as well as hotel guests are invited to be present.

McFarland Talks at Rotary Luncheon

W. W. McFarland, Atlantic Coast Line agent was the principal speaker at the regular Wednesday luncheon of the Rotary club. Speaking on the subject of "Transportation," Mr. McFarland traced the history of transportation from the time man first found it necessary to use beasts of burden to transport goods up to the present day, with its modern methods.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Keller, and son Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Pilcher and daughter, Mrs. M. Morgan and daughter Nancy and W. E. Pilcher spent last Sunday very pleasantly at Bradenton Beach.

Dr. and Mrs. G. P. Thayer, Mr. and Mrs. B. Newcomb, and daughter, Smith, and R. W. Smith, the latter two of Fort Pierce, spent last Thursday fishing on the gulf near Fort Myers.

Mrs. M. V. Pilcher has returned to her home after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cardwell in Tampa. Mrs. Pilcher was accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. J. T. Cardwell, who will be her guest for a few days.

Mrs. Fred Kuene was the week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Hartt at their home on the Sebring road. Mr. and Mrs. Kuene who have been in Avon Park guests for the past two years are moving this week to Fort Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Keller left today for Jacksonville on a combined business and pleasure trip. While there they expect to attend a dance sponsored by the Junior League of Jacksonville, Rudy Vallee and his ten piece orchestra furnishing the music.

Prof. and Mrs. Charles H. Stone of Brookline, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. L. Warren of Manchester, Mass., spent last week end in Avon Park guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Pringle, at the Midstate hotel.

They returned Tuesday morning to Orlando where they are spending the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Yates, Mrs. B. F. Read and Mrs. G. P. Thayer motored to Winter Haven Wednesday, going over to attend the annual Orange Festival. Mrs.

Thayer remained over for a few days the guest of friends, in Winter Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hucksaby, Jr., and Sara Catherine McIntosh of Dade City spent last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Hetherington. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Anna Hucksaby, who has been the guest of her daughter and family for the past two weeks.

What is the whole town talking about?

Girl Scout Program Last Friday Night

(By Betty Brooks, Scribe)

The Girl Scouts held an interesting program Friday night which began with the investiture service during which tenderfoot pins were presented to Elizabeth Hetherington, Betty Sherman, Mary Lydia Stebbins and Mary Smith. A child nurse pin was awarded to Dorothy McNicholas.

Then came patrol corners and this was followed by a story, "The Code of the Girl Scout" selected from the "American Girl" and it was read to the troop by Mrs. Charles E. Stone, sister of Miss Ruth and Miss Ruth Kempton. Miss Ruth Kempton led in singing and a breakfast was planned for last Saturday morning and a stunt night for tonight.

Visitors present for the evening were Martha McNicholas, Sajeette Dorniney, Mary Townsend, Marjorie Mervin and Mrs. E. Stone.

Dr. Fiedick, Noted Radio Clergyman Speaks at Sebring

Returning to Sebring for their third winter, Reverend and Mrs. Harry Emerson Fiedick arrived at Kenilworth Lodge this week for a brief vacation.

Dr. Fiedick, who is probably the best known clergyman on "the air" is pastor of the Riverside Baptist church of New York City and broadcasts weekly as pastor of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America.

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J. W. Dawson, Jr., Hit By Bicycle

J. W. Dawson, Jr., five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dawson, was rendered unconscious Tuesday afternoon when he was knocked down by a playmate riding a bicycle. He remained unconscious for five hours but did not seem to suffer any other ill effects.

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Sunday School
Lesson

FOR JANUARY 29, 1933.
SUBJECT: Jesus and the Sabbath

GOLDEN TEXT: "The sabbath ~~was~~ made for man, and not man for the sabbath; therefore the Son of man is Lord also of the Sabbath." Mark 2:27-28.

LESSON TEXT: Mark 2:23-28;
Mark 3:1-6.

CENTRAL TRUTH: Deeds of necessity and deeds of mercy may be performed on the Sabbath.

TIME AND PLACE OF THE LESSON: Spring of A. D. 28, at Capernaum. Since our lesson last Sunday, Jesus had been down to Jerusalem to attend, in all probability, the second passover of his public ministry. He was now on his way to Capernaum again.

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"And it came to pass, that he went through the fields on the Sabbath-day; and his disciples began, as they went, to pluck the ears of corn. And the Pharisees said unto him, Behold, why do they on the sabbath day that which is not lawful? And he said unto them, Have ye never read what David did, when he was hungry, and he and they that were with him? How he went into the house of God in the days of Abiathar the high priest, and did eat the shew bread, which is not lawful to eat but for the priests, and gave also to them which were with him? And he said unto them, The Son of man is Lord of the sabbath, and not man for the sabbath: Therefore the Son of man is Lord also of the Sabbath."

The fact that the grain was ready to harvest shows that it was the spring of the year, shortly after the Passover, which is the time that grain ripens in Palestine.

The Shew Bread (Leviticus 24:5) was thus ordered, "Take fine flour, and bake twelve cakes thereof; set them * * six on a row, upon the pure table before the Lord * * every Sabbath * * and it shall be Aaron's and his sons; and they shall eat it in the holy place."

It was this bread which David and his followers ate when they were fleeing from King Saul and became hungry.

One of Christ's greatest teachings was as to observing the Sabbath. Pharisees had exalted Sabbath-keeping till it fairly over-shadowed the rest of their religion. They had buried the simple rule of the Fourth Commandment in a vast number of regulations of their own devising * * * just how far man might walk on the holy day, just how heavy a load might be carried and the like. So far did they go with their fanaticism that if a house took fire on the Sabbath, it was allowed to burn with everything in it, for the water might be believed to put out the fire, none of its contents might be rescued. However sick a person might be, no doctor could attend him on the Sabbath.

Christ uttered a great and fundamental truth when he said, "The sabbath was made for man, and not man for the Sabbath." God intended that the sabbath should minister to man's physical and spiritual welfare by providing a day of rest which would also furnish time for public worship and spiritual culture.

turn. Their lesson turns from words of necessity to acts of mercy that may be done on the Sabbath. "And he entered a synagogue, and he taught. And there was a man there which had a withered hand. And they watched him, whether he would heal him: for they said, 'It is not lawful to heal him on this sabbath day.' And he said unto the man which had the withered hand, Stand forth. And he came forth. And he said unto them, 'To do good' to save life, or to kill? But they held their peace. And he stretched out on them, and said unto them, 'Your hands and your ears, and your eyes, be opened: and ye shall know that the kingdom of God is at hand, being grieved for the hardness of their hearts; he said unto the man, Stretch forth thine hand: and he stretched it out: and his hand was restored whole as the other.' This synagogue was probably the same as that where Jesus had healed the man "sick of palsy." The rulers of the Jews were watching Jesus to catch him in some error or weakness, so that they could accuse him as a criminal. When he healed the man with the withered hand, "The Pharisees and the scribes said unto him, 'We marvel at thee, because thou dost counsel with the Herodians against him, who they might destroy him.'"

It is said that Jesus never grew angry with anybody, but when he saw that his anger was aroused when attacks were made on God's laws, the sick, the poor or repentant

These questions confront all of us. How shall I use Sunday? What is legitimate for me to do, and what should I avoid on the Sabbath? For the most part such questions are already answered by the teachings of the Bible.

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How Alphonse Bertillon, the
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THE TIMES' WEEKLY PAGE OF COMICS

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By Charles McManus

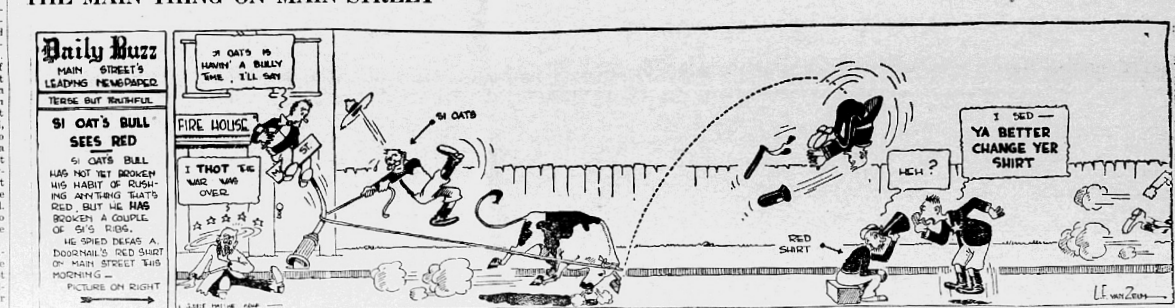


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By Charles McManus



“THE MAIN THING ON MAIN STREET”

By **Jack Rabbit**

MR. BROAD OF WALL STREET

By L. F. Van Zelm



FINNEY OF THE FORCE

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A Recipe She Should Know



"South Gate of Scenic Highlands of Florida"

By RANDALL B. YORK

Methodists Held Their Quarterly Conference at the Church Sunday

Legion Auxiliary Hold Call Meeting

Prof. M. M. Ferguson announced that the semester examinations

Jake De' Cake

GOOD MORNIN', YOUNG MAN, DO YOU WANT TO RENT A ROOM ?

Mrs. E. L. Peck of DeSoto City was a business visitor in town Thursday.

Personal News

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HARRY E. HOUSTON, JR.

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Jackson were business visitors in Sebring Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Kelsey of Hicoria were visitors in town attending services at the Methodist church Sunday evening.

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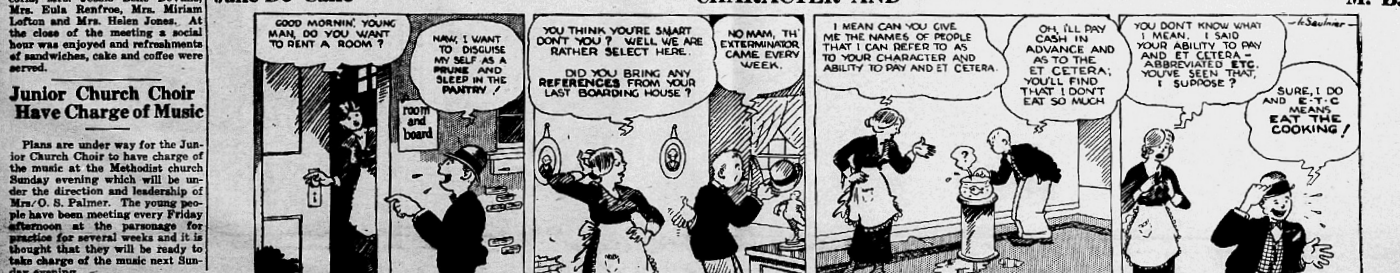
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Gov. Sholtz ended his brief talk by an appeal for co-operation from the "man in the street."

"Don't elect your mayors and county officials and your state leaders and then stand on the street

Present at lunch were Attorney General Cary D. Landis, State Treasurer W. V. Knott, Mrs. Horstense K. Wells, national committee woman; and Secretary of State R. E. Gray.

A After being closed for some time, Reading Gaol, England's famous jail, is to be reopened.

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