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Here and There About Avon Park

By W. M. Hetherington

Approves "Buy Avon Park"

Signing himself the "Observer" a winter visitor sends in the following timely comment on the American Legion Buy Avon Park campaign, which he endorses as "most wonderful idea." He says: "When Mark Twain published a small town newspaper, one of his subscribers found a spider in his copy and wrote in to ask if finding the spider meant luck. Twain's reply was something like this: 'Finding a spider in your paper has nothing to do with luck. The spider was merely looking over the publication to find which merchant was not advertising so that he could go to that store, spin a web across the door and lead a quiet undisturbed life ever after.'"

"Recently I read the new slogan in the Avon Park Times—'Buy Avon Park.'"

"It is a most wonderful idea to educate the purchasing power of the big popularity contest in connection with the 'Buy Avon Park' campaign sponsored by the American Legion, interest is increasing by leaps and bounds and a number of merchants have pledged their cooperation and support. The merchants are not only buying the votes with all purchases of 25 cents and more and everybody is requested to ask for these votes when making purchases and to give them to their favorite contestant. The contest closes Tuesday, March 21, and on Friday, March 24 there will be the big show, 'Radio Follies' featuring the 'Buy Avon Park' movement which will surely come high in the list."

"So the slogan 'Buy Avon Park' is a wonderful thing if carried out by the people."

"On the other hand the merchants must do their part by advertising their merchandise to their buyers the same as the mail order houses and outdoor stores do. In other words, it pays to advertise and let your home town buyer know what you are selling—and knowing that he can buy from you as elsewhere he will buy at home, which helps Avon Park's prosperity by keeping his money in circulation in Avon Park."

It seems passing strange that when the city owes thousands of dollars in current bills for supplies and services that just wait their turn "when funds are available," there is always a "dry" in the hands to pay recall court costs.

We hope Mayor Covington will stick to his decision, refusing to sign checks paying for recall court costs. These costs should be paid by the three councilmen who took the case to court and not by the city, which as a municipality does not have an earthly interest in the outcome of the case. The people should be up and doing it.

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Tag Day Saturday
For Band Uniforms

In order to secure funds to purchase uniforms for the boys' band there will be a Tag Day here Saturday. The affair will be conducted by several ladies who are taking a great interest in the work of the band and are anxious to have the uniforms in time for the band when they appear at the High School Music festival to be held at Tampa next month.

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Ott and Son Showing
New Spring Goods

Ott and Son's big department store announces in a page advertisement this week the arrival of a large selection of spring and Easter goods. The ladies are always interested in this season and an early selection, while the stock is complete, is advised by Mr. Ott. The very latest in dresses, materials, hats and accessories in being shown and there is something to please every woman's heart. There is also a large variety of general household needs at prices that are low for the long time and the thrifty housewife will benefit by calling at Ott's.

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Drive in Cemetery

According to Mayor M. E. Covington a name is wanted for the most beautiful street in Bangaville cemetery and is seeking some public spirited citizen who will contribute \$50 to the cemetery. This money would be used to buy a monument and the donor would have the privilege of naming the drive as a memorial to some friend or a member of the family who has passed on.

Three drives have already been named. They are Canfield Memorial Drive, Memorial Drive and the Dixie Memorial Drive.

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New Englander Vesper Speaker Sunday Afternoon

According to Dr. W. A. Davison, chairman of the vesper committee at Highland Park, Hammond, Dr. William S. Beard, of the Community church of Durham, N. H., will be the speaker at the vesper service at the Highland Park church, Sunday, March 5 at 3:30 p. m. The subject of Dr. Beard's sermon will be "Some Men Who Have Never Died."

Dr. Beard has never been in this section before, and will arrive Sunday morning at Harbor Hall. He is interested in what Mr. Reeling has done to preserve this beauty spot of natural growth. Dr. Beard with his mother was responsible for saving the burial site of General John Sullivan, Revolutionary war hero, who with his troops captured the powder at Fort Mifflin and Mary, of Portsmouth, N. H.

The service will be in charge of Dr. Kelly McClure, pastor of the First Baptist church of Avon Park. Prof. P. J. Gustaf will lead the singing assisted by Miss Eliza McIlwaine at the organ.

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Rehearsing for "Taming of the Shrew" to be Given Wednesday

The cast has been completed for the "Taming of the Shrew," the brilliant, modernized musical comedy with chorus and frolics which is to be presented at the High school auditorium on Wednesday evening under the auspices of Rebekah Lodge No. 65. With Edward Edmann of New York directing, the cast is made up of some of the best local talent in the city.

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The American Legion and the director extend a special invitation to anyone who is interested in the play, to the Follies, and are asked to drop in at the office and meet the cast.

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High School Pupils
To Demonstrate
Historic Ability

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A wide diversity of scenes, costumes, characters and times will be represented, but the only types of drama permitted in the play contests are comedies, farces and fantasies.

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At Baptist Church

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Revival services at the Baptist church will begin Monday night at 7:30 and will be led by Dr. D. F. Sheahan. The topic of the revival will be "Thine Enemies, both of Plant City. Dr. Edminger is a singer of note and the revival will continue for two weeks and the services will be conducted twice daily, at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Rotarians Heard Travel Talk at Luncheon

E. P. Redfield of New York and who is spending the winter at Sebring was the principal speaker at the Rotary club luncheon on Wednesday noon. Mr. Redfield has traveled over nearly and gave a very interesting description of a trip he made to South America and South Africa, including the island of Tristan da Cunha in the South Atlantic ocean.

Mr. Redfield gave a graphic description of life on the lonely island and the first inhabitants of which were shipwrecked sailors and whose descendants still live there. Mail is received and sent twice a year and once a request was made that no more Bibles or Episcopal Bibles be sent to the island.

The luncheon was given by C. J. McVie and Sebring, Major Ed. Keenan of Frostproof, Adam Wuest and Dr. L. A. Thompson of Cincinnati, O., and C. F. W. Green of St. Louis, Mo.

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COUNTY STARTS SUIT ON OLD DE SOTO CITY NOTE

Held by County and School Boards With Defunct Bank Collateral

Highlands county entered suit in the circuit court last Thursday afternoon against the Town of DeSoto City on a \$10,000 note of the city's which the county commissioners decided ought to be paid.

The note came into possession of the county through the school board which acquired it as collateral to secure their deposits in the defunct Highlands Bank and Trust company. When the bank closed in 1920 the collateral was forfeited as it has paid no dividends since.

The suit which was filed Thursday asks for damages of \$20,000.00. McNichols and Ritter are attorneys for the county while it is understood R. R. Rudy, Sebring attorney, will handle the defense for the town of DeSoto City which will fight the suit.

ARBORETUM IS EXPECTED FOR THE HAMMOCK

Much Interest Was Shown At Meeting Last Saturday

Local citizens, representatives of Garden Clubs from every part of the state and high officials met at Highlands Hammock Saturday afternoon to discuss the proposed arboretum. The meeting was held at the Highlands Hammock and Trust company and is endorsed in blank by the banks by Walter L. Meyer, cashier. It was originally signed for the Town of DeSoto City by L. C. Pearce, Mayor and L. T. Pearce, County Commissioner.

Interest is due on the obligation since December 26, 1928, the date of the creation of an Arboretum bordering Highlands Hammock.

The meeting was called by Miss Anne McIlwaine of Clearwater, sister of Mrs. John A. Reeling, the park's most generous donor, and was attended by Harry E. Baker, head of the State Forest Service, officials of the Hammock and their wives. Mrs. Arthur C. Cammer of Jacksonville, Dr. Harold Hume of Gainesville and others.

Following a picnic luncheon just before the gates of the Hammock, the visitors went on a tour of inspection and with Ray Vinton as guide, had many of the beauties and things of interest pointed out to them.

At the meeting in the amphitheatre before the tour, Mr. Baker expressed the idea that the area just East of the Hammock, and North of the road leading into the Hammock, was most suitable for the proposed arboretum, stating that the drainage ditch which follows the road so closely at this point could be used to advantage in the raising of aquatic plants.

Ray Vinton, the group president present for the amphitheatre in the park which is to be constructed as soon as funds are available.

The gift of several rare plants, imported from China, Africa and other distant parts of the world, was made by Mrs. Sumter Young of Tampa as a "starter" in the proposed arboretum. Mrs. Lowry recently endorsed the Hammock and the tract outside the Hammock as the right place for the Florida Arboretum as did Mr. Baker.

Miss McIlwaine told of Mrs. Reeling's intense interest in the park and its dedication to the public. While Mr. Hume told many things of interest about Arnold Arboretum in New York City and the beauty and suitability of Florida would receive with the establishment of a similar park here. Dr. Lord added to the commendation by saying that the arboretum and library would have to be established in connection with the arboretum in order to give the latter real value to students and nature lovers but he was reminded by Mrs. Arthur Cammer that it was necessary to "draw before we walk" and that the herbarium and library would make worthy projects at a later date.

While short speakers were Mrs. C. Miles of Tampa, an authority on wild flowers, Walter Cochran of Lakeland, and Dr. Thomas, conservation chairman of the Florida State Federation of Garden Clubs. Miss Palmeroy, chairman of the herbarium work in the state, and Laura McNeil of the Ringling Art School at Sarasota.

A committee to investigate the arboretum idea is to be named by Mr. Baker and report at a later date.

All those present heartily endorsed the Hammock as the logical place for such a park in this section.

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Men really have the best of it, and the women know it.

Canfield Named Receiver For Mutual Crate Co.

A voluntary petition in bankruptcy was filed in federal court in Tampa Tuesday by the Mutual Crate Company, and D. F. Canfield, former tax collector, was appointed as receiver for the concern by Referee H. B. Pava.

Mr. Canfield said there are plenty of orders for crates and he will resume operation of the mill to give employment to the workers and attempt to work the company out of its financial difficulties. Mill officials stated that the mill would in all probability start up Monday.

The Mutual company has been operating under financial handicap, having recently emerged from one receivership. Lack of sufficient operating capital is said to have hampered their activities this season and resulted in the plant closing down Friday.

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The gift of several rare plants, imported from China, Africa and other distant parts of the world, was made by Mrs. Sumter Young of Tampa as a "starter" in the proposed arboretum. Mrs. Lowry recently endorsed the Hammock and the tract outside the Hammock as the right place for the Florida Arboretum as did Mr. Baker.

AVON PARK High School News

Faults

Faults of others oft remind me—
—We have faults of our own. Or do they? Few minds work reflectively; few persons recognize in others the faults that they too are guilty of. Strange isn't it? But that truth is stranger than fiction has been proved many times. The faults of others are most annoying to the person who is himself least perfect.

If you cannot correct a fault in others, overlook it. If you cannot improve a situation, forget it. For your sake and for the sake of others do not guard about and bemoan an unpleasant circumstance. Take a tolerant attitude toward the faults of others; it is often easier and more sensible to overlook a fault than to try to correct it. All people dislike criticism no matter how carefully spoken, how true it may be, or regardless of the good intention with which it was offered.

When you are tempted to say: "I dislike that person," say instead: "Am I likeable?" If you are contented, the question will be much more constructive than the exclamation.

If you cultivate a pleasing personality, have a variety of interests and know how to do things, you can smile through almost any situation. Little things will not be so annoying. Life will be a game worth playing.

Senior News

Some of us seem to get the idea that show people are merely "show people"—people born solely to entertain us. We get the idea that they are hard, heartless creatures, with absolutely no feeling. The Senior class is going to prove to you that your idea—if you have such an idea—is all wrong. We are going to give you a "peek" into the intimate, personal lives of these show people. Come to see "Back Stage," the Senior class play, Friday night, April 6.

Tuesday was "Kid day" for the Seniors—and did we have fun! However, we ate so much candy that we had to suffer the consequences. Grace and Harry were voted the most "kiddish" girl and boy and were appropriately rewarded by Miss Bryant. Mary Turner and Nelson Smith managed to disturb classes all day in quite a "babyish" manner. After school the seniors formed a matinee party, seeing the picture, "Bring 'Em Back Alive."

Backstage season is over, so far as we are concerned. We had a very good season and the players are certainly to be congratulated. The last game was played Friday night in Froedproof with the Red Devils marching victoriously off the court. There has been some talk of a baseball team but nothing has come of it as yet.

Junior News

Did you see those Seniors Tuesday? Who would have thought they could be so childish? They certainly set bad examples with their suckers and dolls. The Juniors are going to have their fun Friday night. We are going to give a "kid" party then at the home of Virginia Baldwin. We appreciate the kindness of Virginia and her parents in allowing us to use their home for our party. We all feel sure we'll have a "swell" time. We're going to see how childish we can be.

It is rumored that "Shorty" Lee will be in town this week and we hope she does come and that she's the same old "Shorty" and of course we know she will be. Mildred Wray had a birthday Monday.

We had a new Junior Tuesday afternoon, little Nellie Schweiger visited with us.

Two of our late classmates, Willie Mae and M. L. Shiley, write that they are now dignified Seniors. Their school at Lake Geneva has closed. We're glad to know that they're making good where they are.

Every time any two girls from the Senior or Junior classes get within speaking distance they start a very absorbing conversation. What's all the excitement? Why our Junior-Senior banquet dresses of course. We're planning to have a grand time.

Sophomore News

Being ill last week I didn't write the news, and the party for our classmates, Denzil and Gurda Hunt, was never published in the paper.

The party was Wednesday night of last week. It was a hobo affair. We were dressed as hoboes, we went to various people's houses, and asked for handouts, and the people seemed really to think we were hoboes. We went out to our president's home, and there we had our yearly meeting of the Hobo club. Denzil was elected president and called on each hobo to tell of the many adventures he had this year. Those were very interesting. Later, we were given a lot of rolls, woiners, and marshmallows, to roast. Those enjoying the hobo party were:

Patsy Loomis, Martha Weber, Reba West, Allie Lee Belin, Mildred Martin, Sally Moore, Sara Smith, Betty Brooks, Helen Tuten, Zelda Langford, Senior Stebbins, Carbett Howell, Jesse Elliot, Hal Wingate, Arthur Ebberts, Walker Basley, George Bryant, Womden Saddle, Joe Tidwell, Rawleigh Foster, Miss Millie Pearson and Mrs. M. A. Smith, the chaperone, and the honor guests, Gurda and Denzil Hunt. We every one had

a most enjoyable time.

Martha Walden, our classmate, is sick with tonsillitis.

I wonder how many of us pupils have been thinking about how much longer school will be. Just twelve more weeks! That isn't so terribly long. We sophomores will actually be Juniors next year. Won't we be proud?

It hardly seems ten long years since we sophomores started to school. Time flies by and some of us wonder just where it has gone. We will soon be out of high school, and it is interesting to look about us, and see how many different people there are who are striving for the same goal—will do great things in our life-time. Some will go ahead through college; some will be quiet and content sitting by the fireside; some will get married; some may be writers, some will be authors, some may even be school teachers; some may be lawyers, some may be bankers—anyway let's do our utmost, and try to make the best of everything we do. We're living for the present, and not for the past. We may have many long years yet, so let's go along and sing a song, with our heads held high, and a smile on our faces, and make those around us feel happy.

—Zelda Langford.

Jokes

Mr. Ringling came springily, smokes denicotized cigars; takes daily exercise; and until the beginning of this illness, was able to touch the floor with his finger tips without bending.—Selected.

Garmen—"Jr., you think more of that old wireless set you have than you do me."

Jr. Stebbins—"Well, I get less interference from it."

Dentists are searching for a slogan for their profession. What about "Be true to your teeth, or they will be false to you."—Selected.

"He was considered the most expert parachute jumper in the army," wept a fair maiden standing beside the open grave.

We told our folks about it. They said there was no such thing as ghosts. We didn't argue with them, but we have never been back to that house.

Home Economics

These lines—I wrote them in a hurry.

Are rather rough, but don't you worry.

The good word and line is true, And good or bad; yours fits YOU.

Schwartz is the last name, the first is Grace.

If you're little "Ogie" she will put you in your place.

"I think you are terrible" is her true cry.

And now, look that lipstick "hits you in the eye.

Otto Foster is not a crook nor is he a "dick."

He is not as good as Peter nor as bad as Nick.

He is average; we really have no lick.

But to us he is "just a small-town chick."

Phil Lacey says Spanish is not a sell.

Do we hear a "ditto" from twin brother Bill?

Senior Stebbins is a giant, big as a meter.

Why, he could kill a whale with just one han'.

Patsy Loomis is a girl to be admired.

She is different from the girls that make you tired.

Patsy, you are liked because you're democratic.

Please, never become a high-hat fanatic.

Robert Roberts is a boy of too much leisure;

His daily occupation is seeking for pleasure.

He needs something he cannot shrink—

Spelled with four letters—work!

The meter and rhyming of these lines are very poor;

The punctuation—if I'm not sure,

But as for truth, that is expressed With a frankness some will surely detect.

Kid Day Celebration

"Kid Day" has come and gone and the Seniors are once more delighted. It was a glorious day for the Seniors—they had privileges denied all other classes. The teachers were very appreciative and the Seniors appreciated their leniency.

Refreshments of chewing gum and candy were enjoyed throughout the day. Bare feet were all the rage; Nelson even suggested that the Seniors set a precedent—let the people and the depression. Big dolls, little dolls, pretty dolls, and ugly dolls were much in evidence. The rumor got around that Pauline was trying to desert her baby-doll. We wouldn't have thought that of Pauline. The water was not nice for little girls and boys to venture

A Ghost Story

I was spending the week with my grandmother in Fort Meade. One evening about three-thirty o'clock a bunch of girls came after me to go on a picnic with them. My grandmother consented to let me go, so off we went. About five o'clock it started to thunder and lightning. All of a

sudden it became very dark and started raining. We were talking about where we were going. All-

en spoke about an old house about a quarter of a mile down the road. We all started running toward it. When we got just about where it started raining harder than ever.

We went now going up the back down steps into the house. Mary said, "I don't want to go into that house. A girl told me it was haunted."

"Oh, my goodness come on. There are no such things as ghosts. I was going to be brave and so that's what I said."

When we went in the door we heard some kind of a funny noise. This scared us all, even me who was going to be brave. The house was very dark inside and spooky. All at once it thundered very loudly. We thought we heard something around the corner.

I thought the wind blew it open so I didn't pay any attention. The door opened again but this time we looked and saw two of the biggest eyes and a big black looking figure. It was coming toward us. I was seeing things or was I dreaming?

The big black and mysterious figure kept coming closer and closer to us. I was now stopped. But the valiant survivors pressed forward serenely. To "the ramparts we watched," when some others are dropped. And the loss of the leader is manifest keenly.

Then "the rocket's red glare" gives the bravest a scare. And there's few left to face the "horns bursting in air."

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Critic's Column

We are getting a lot of sober and sedate write-ups—first "Tomorrow" and last week "Time."

Who was that girl who wrote the "plea for dates," article in "Miscellaneous" last week?

Says, "Boys, why don't you give us a better break all the time, and we would not desert you at a time like this."

She was talking about the University boys. What does she expect us to do? Spend a lot of money for these tuxedos and go around scattering money to the four winds on them, or will they give us a chance just as Avon Park boys?

Kid day is all right, but some of the Seniors who came to school Wednesday dressed as kids looked so natural that we could not tell the difference.

Where was the Gossiping Poet last week? I surely am interested in her poetic ideas of branding people.

The Sebring-Avon Park party will not happen this Friday night. We have to wait for Sebring because their band is having a musical minstrel that night. Now, they will have to wait for us because we don't have an open Friday night for many a day.

Home Economics

The Home Ec girls of Avon Park, accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Archley, and Miss Anna Harrell, left town Saturday morning to visit the United States Sugar Corporation at Clewiston, Fla.

Upon arriving there at 12:00 o'clock we found a convenient place on Lake Okechobee and ate our lunch, which was well balanced, because of our study of lunches this year.

At 2:00 o'clock we were finally admitted into the mill, and with a guide we started our tour of the plant.

The first thing we were shown was a huge outdoor tank. It was a container for all the water that was used in the mill. 24,000 gallons of hot water empty into it per minute.

The cane is dumped from freight cars into a pit and sent up into the mill. From 150 to 170 tons of cane are ground in an hour and from 25,000 to 30,000 gallons of juice are extracted from the cane each hour. There is about 20 to 30 tons of cane loaded on each car.

There are 15,000 varieties of sugar cane and after the juice has been extracted the remaining pulp is called bagasse.

There are several mills in one factory, and three steam engines operate a mill.

The weigher, a large barrel-shaped construction, holds 330 gallons of syrup and empties 20 to 30 times a hour.

Somewhere around 82,500 gallons of juice are extracted in a day. It takes from 5 to 9 hours to process the sugar.

We were shown huge, wooden containers in which juice was being crystallized into sugar.

The raw sugar is manufactured at this factory, and this is sent to Savannah, Georgia, to be refined.

There are 2,000 people employed in the factory, and 2500 are employed in both mill and factory.

The remaining cane pulp that is made into cellophane is used as fuel.

The guide took us as far as the door of the power plant, but we were not allowed to go in as it was

too dangerous.

After our visit we were each given a sample of sugar that had been refined in Georgia and put up in small bags, which we appreciated as souvenirs of a very pleasant and instructive trip.

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—General Reporter.

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How valiant they shout when they're first starting out; But "the dawn's early light" finds them floundering about.

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Men's three-button front shorts, elastic side; colors, blue, tan and green; here is a knockout.

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They're still raising sheol in Jehol.

With our new Secretary of War on the job, if any nation gives us any sass or sauce we can tell it to be-Derned.

It looks like we could have found a real Democrat to take charge of the Treasury. However, as it seems to be empty, perhaps a Republican can be trusted with it as well as a Democrat.

Babson says the depression is curing itself. Many a sore is cured by simply leaving it alone, but everybody persists in picking at the depression, so it isn't given much chance to cure itself. However, let us hope Babson is right.

We complain bitterly of the mismanagement of our affairs by politicians, but we are the ones who put politicians in places where their mismanagement hurts us. An adept politician has ten chances of garnering the people's votes where a statesman has one.

The Tampa Tribune says, "No Governor of Florida has ever been shot or shot at no Governor-elect or ex-Governor." Recalling the administration of one Governor, we consider this statement a tribute to the wonderful patience and forbearance of the people of this state. We'll let you name the Governor referred to.

It's Banker Henry Ford now. He says he will not loan any money on real estate "not for speculative purposes." Bankers we know don't use so many words. They merely say, "We won't loan you money." But now, Henry, suppose we wanted to buy a car—the right make of car, of course—how about a l'il loan?

Whatever plan may be adopted for the convention on repeal, the question should be put squarely up to the people in such form that they will know exactly what they are voting for and how to record their votes. The number of delegates, or the basis of representation, is perhaps not important, but it is important that every voter should know just how the delegates stand and be able to mark his ballot so that it may register his preference for or against repeal.

They are having trouble over at Miami because people don't dress carefully enough when they appear on the bathing beach. Or is it because they undress carefully? Anyway, objection on the part of the authorities seems to be aimed mostly at the men—which is as it should be. In the interest of the beautiful let the ladies go as far as they like, says we. But any man failing to cover up his ugly hide completely should be canned indefinitely. There's ugliness enough in the world that can't be covered up.

Strawberries are very cheap all over South Florida now. So are citrus fruits of all kinds. Nor is sugar dear. But housewives in many instances will continue to buy preserves as well as orange marmalade and other similar articles, that were put up in London and had to be sent here across the seas. They could make these things at a fraction of the cost of the "boughten" goods, and the home product ought to be better. But this is only one of phases of our national life that give us the reputation of being the most extravagant people on earth.

The incoming Congress will not have the lame duck alibi to excuse its sins of omission and commission, as has the Congress of the term just closing. Whatever criticism may be directed at the session of Congress ending tomorrow is not due to lame duck action or inaction, though there has been an evident effort to create an impression that these retiring members are in some way to blame. The truth is that among those to whom the appellation, "lame duck" has been applied may be numbered some of our most able and useful public servants. They have been replaced,

but it remains to be seen whether or not their places have been filled.

It is a pity that this bank moratorium idea, whereby a bank may close for a short time to stave off the onslaught of depositors, was not working when our Florida banks were facing the storm. Many of these banks would not have closed if they had been given a little time to secure some cash. Perhaps the government should not go into the banking business, but it should provide some agency which would protect any solvent, properly conducted banking institution from being forced to ruin by panic-stricken depositors. The R. F. C. has done this in several instances recently, thereby saving much loss and distress to the people, but the smallest bank in the country should be given the same temporary assistance if in the course of legitimate operation it should be threatened with disaster.

We are all enthused over the fact that a new man, sponsoring a new deal, is taking the governmental reins in hand, particularly as it seems he is going to have the power to put his ideas into operation. We are hopeful that conditions will speedily respond to the wisdom and ability of this man who has already won the hearts and the confidence of the people. Yet, in simple justice and fairness, we can find at this time no word of censure or condemnation for the man who for four years has struggled gallantly as best he knew against conditions beyond his control. Say what you will, Herbert Hoover is a big man. To our mind his character has loomed largest since his defeat. His fine spirit of cooperation and his sympathetic attitude towards the man who supplants him, shows elements that could not be found in the make-up of a small man.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By EDSON R. WAITE
Shawnee, Oklahoma

It is as easy to acquire a good habit as it is to acquire a bad one.

Being a Member of Congress is not by any means a happy one. Even in the best of times occasions arise when he tries to introduce a policy disapproved by the majority of the people of his section of the country, entirely upon his own initiative, whereby his reputation as a successful public official suffers. And often he tries to force something through at the dictates of a few, which he may consider injudicious and which he knows will cause considerable resentment. The average Member of Congress gets cussed if he does and cussed if he doesn't.

In some cities there are a lot of people who should lack less and work more.

Inconistencies are to be found now, as always, in every place and country. Going back to war times, the soldiers did not enlist to grow great in fame, but to defend their country. During the war any citizen anywhere would take exception to any disparaging remark made against our soldiers, but how different is it now! Reminds me of the following words written by Kipling:

"Our God and soldiers we alike adore;
When on the brink of ruin, but not before;
After deliverance both alike required,
Our God forgotten and our soldiers slighted."

Opportunities for great savings are to be found in the advertising columns of this newspaper.

A whole lot of pessimists in business are "riding for a fall." It's the optimists who succeed.

State Press Comment

A Chicago newspaper offered \$100 for an editorial written by a college graduate if the copy could be typed to the linotype with no editing marks on it. Over 400 manuscripts were submitted and not a solitary one qualified. This does not mean that the garden variety of newspaper men is a bit "smarter" than the regular run of college graduates. It merely proves that even a college education has not made young men and women as observant as they could be. Writing an editorial that can go to the composing rooms "as is" shouldn't be a great feat.—Leesburg Commercial.

Grosvener Dawe, well known in this city, writes the News this week from Washington, D. C., as follows: "The fact that I have returned to Washington after an absence of 17 years will interest you. However, my deep interest in Florida is not diminished and will not be until I pass on; for the sun of Florida very largely restored me after months and years of hospital and doctors subsequent to my return from France in 1920." The "Governor's" scores of friends wish him happiness "back in the home town" but will always look forward to future visits from the scholarly gentleman.—Lake Wales News.

UNCLE SAM PUTS JIGGS IN RED

My favorite banker just hopped over that my personal bank account was in a really healthy condition until it was tried to deduct from the daily balance the amount due Uncle Sam for the little check tax. That put me one cent in the red. The idea of Uncle Sam overhauling my bank account. Someone—but who?—should be jailed. The bank is all right about it, and Congress adjourns this week. Probably nothing can be done about it. Well, Mr. Woodin becomes sec. of the treasury, and then we'll get our money mixed—pine and oak.—Jiggs in Tarpon Springs Leader.

THE DAWN OF A NEW DAY



Program To Assist Florida Cities Is Backed By Sholtz

Tallahassee, March 1.—Presenting a 17 point program, intended to aid Florida cities in meeting their bond debt and other problems, Mayor R. B. Gutter of Miami as spokesman for the League of Municipalities urged the consideration and support of Governor Dave Sholtz.

The relief program was prepared by the legislative committee of the league, and approved at a recent meeting of the organization held at Winter Haven. It calls for the introduction of 17 bills, each covering a point in the program, to the next session of the legislature.

It was pointed out by William M. Madison of Jacksonville, counsel for the league, that the entire program was based on the proposition that Florida as a whole cannot prosper unless the cities do.

Governor Sholtz termed the program "ambitious," stating that while he was in sympathy with certain points, he did not approve of others, but that he was "open-minded and friendly" to the program in general.

A point in the program calling for the creation of a state bond refunding board, the Governor called "the best part of it," but said he thought the board should be made up of the governor, comptroller and treasurer of the state, assisted by an expert attorney, appraiser and analyst, to avoid the creation of any new boards. "The bond problem," the governor stated, "is the real problem confronting municipalities." "Let's all face the music and go through the wringer together," he concluded.

Mrs. Welch Passed Away Here Monday; Interment Tuesday

Mrs. Elizabeth Tindler Welch passed away at her home here on Monday morning about three o'clock following a lingering illness. Burial was Tuesday afternoon in Bougainvillea cemetery following services at the Christian church conducted by Rev. E. A. Ritchie. Burial bearers were F. S. Jordan, T. J. Russell, Herman Wilford, Albert K. Smith, J. O. Parks and E. E. Sheumaker. The honorary pall bearers were Jerry White, E. O. Garrett, L. A. Wolff, F. Kelsey and C. M. Ott.

Mrs. Welch was born in Gadsden, Tenn. and had been a resident of Avon Park for the past 14 years. She was the widow of J. E. Welch at the time of her passing. Surviving are H. T. Welch of Humboldt, Tenn., G. E. Welch and J. F. Welch of this city, J. E. Welch of Pharr, Tex., Mrs. W. T. Wright of McKenzie, Tenn., and Mrs. W. L. Caplin of Jackson, Tenn.

Circuit Judge Cuts Salary Voluntarily

Tallahassee, March 1.—Following the lead of the six justices of the Florida Supreme Court, Circuit Judge Jefferson B. Brown of Key West notified Governor Dave Sholtz that he would voluntarily cut his salary in the same proportion as the justices, who recently reduced their pay from \$8,500 to \$7,000 a year.

Church Notes

METHODIST CHURCH
Bible school 9:45 a. m.
Sunrise 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
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. Hubert 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 People's Service League, 7:30 P. M.
Visitors are always welcome.

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. W. B. McClure, Pastor.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p. m.
Sunday School Teachers' Meeting, Friday evening at 7, taught by Mrs. J. B. Coen, Jr., followed by choir practice.

Brotherhood meeting first Friday evening of each month at 8 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
E. A. Ritchie, Minister.
Bible study, 10 a. m.
Preaching, 11 a. m.
Young People's study, 6:30 p. m.
Preaching, 7:30 p. m.
Singing for morning, "Endurance."

Jesus Christ sent His apostles out into the world, with the life giving message, as sheep in the midst of wolves. As they went out they were to be as wise as serpents and as harmless as doves. Jesus told them they would be hated by men and would be delivered up before councils and governors, but that those who endured unto the end would be saved. Christian people today must endure temptation, gossipping and many other things to be found pleasing in the sight of God. Subject for evening: "The Rich

HINTS TO HOUSEWIVES

Weekly from Home Demonstration Specialists, Tallahassee

CLEANING PEWTER.

In taking care of the home metals one must remember that some have to be polished repeatedly, some need only be cleaned of dust and grease, while others require careful attention so as not to injure a beautiful surface color or patina. There is no universal method which can be applied indiscriminately to all metals.

Pewter is an alloy which is mostly tin. It is not a difficult metal to care for, but two considerations should be remembered: never use gritty polishes, and never use polishes containing acid. Use a soft cloth in applying paste and rub until clean. Wash, dry, and give it a final polish with dry rottenstone. Should the article not be in daily use the finish can be maintained for a long time by covering it with a thin film of vaseline. If done carefully it will not show and can always be rubbed off when wanted.

At times a scale-like rust will form on old pewter, or it may be pitted, cracked, or broken. If it is worth being mended have an expert do the work. Small scratches can be taken out by scraping with a piece of broken glass or an old razor blade, after which it should be polished all over. Pewter which has become so badly tarnished that polishing paste will not clean, it should be boiled in water with a generous handful of hay. Keep it covered with water so that there will be no danger of the pewter melting, and remove as soon as it appears clean. Dry it and polish.

New Line of Phoenix Hosiery at Abrams

A complete spring line of Phoenix hosiery for ladies, children and men has arrived at Abrams and is now on display. The new line is featuring the custom-fit top which is said to eliminate a number of former evils in hosiery and there is wide range of sizes and shades. The use of certified silk adds beauty and life to the hose, Mr. Abrams says and asks an inspection of his stock.

Fool. The rich fool was a man who was rich in this world's goods, but rich in God's. "The fool has said in his heart there is no God." This man left God out of his thinking, thought the human soul could be satisfied with material things, and that he had a perpetual lease on life. The happy life is not the material rich life, but rather the life that is rich toward God.

GULF LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

G. P. BURDICK, Agent
Avon Park, Fla.

Life and Customs of the Seminoles Next Sunday Night

An address on the life and customs of the Seminoles Indians of Florida, with screen pictures made in the Florida camps, will be given in the Congregational church Sunday night by Alexander Linn, in charge of Sunday school organization for the Presbyterian church in Florida. Mr. Linn has had many years acquaintance with these first Floridians, and his talk and pictures will be of extraordinary interest both to adults and children. The service is at 7:30 p. m.

At the morning service 11 a. m. at the Congregational church the special musical number will be a vocal trio, "Lift Thine Eye," sung by Miss Sophie Brooks, Mrs. Paul Garbar and Mrs. Vaughan. Sermon theme, "The Miracle."

Beauty Specialist Coming Next Week

D. G. Perry of the Avon Park Drug Company announces that Miss Mabel Reed, special representative of Richard Hudnut and DuBarry beauty consultant, will be in Avon Park on Tuesday and Wednesday to explain the home methods of DuBarry beauty treatment. Miss Reed will be at the Avon Park Drug Company's store ready to give expert advice on the daily care of the skin, a subject always of great interest to the ladies.

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The SIGN OF THE CROSS

with

FREDRIC MARCH
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AND 7500 OTHERS

Please note this picture to be shown 3 days in mid-week. Despite its magnitude, it is NOT recommended for the children.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Big Double Feature

George O'BRIEN

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SOCIAL and Personal News

BY RUBY TURNER MORGAN
Society Editor

Junior Music Club Meets

Last Saturday afternoon the Junior Music Club met with Miss Virginia Baldwin as hostess at her home on Highlands avenue.

A social business session was conducted by the president, Miss Virginia Baldwin, immediately following which a most interesting program was rendered:

Piano solo—Harry Hancock.
Violin solo—Grace Schweitzer.
Piano solo—Lula Marsh.
Two numbers—Congregational.

Sunday school orchestra—Miss Marcella Weisheimer, Miss Dorothy Weisheimer, Miss Mildred Way, Miss Martha Marsh, Miss Lettie Reck.

Paper on life of Frances Scott Key—Lettie Langford.
Piano solo—Mildred Way.
Parliamentary laws—Mrs. Fred Stevens.

Short talks were given by Mrs. John Raab, who was one of the charter members of the Music club, and who has just recently returned to Avon Park; Miss Anderson, Miss Martha Marsh and Mrs. Edwin Smith, the latter two expressing a desire that the club increase its membership.

At the close of this enjoyable and instructive program the hostess served sandwiches and punch to about sixteen members present.

Todd Home Scene of Club

The Todd home, on Lake Lotels, which is so admirably arranged for entertaining, was the scene of a delightful social event Thursday evening when Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Todd entertained members of their bridge club at 8:30 o'clock.

Low bowls of vari-colored flowers were used in decoration to give a pleasing atmosphere for the five tables of guests invited for this occasion.

Several interesting progressions of bridge were enjoyed, resulting in Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Melton receiving the high score, a lovely home made cake on an attractive plate. Second high, a lunch cloth went to Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Trent.

The hostess served home made ice cream, cookies and coffee to her guests, who were: Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McMichael, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Reck, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Melton, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dorniney, Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Touchton and Mrs. M. A. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Trent and Mrs. L. V. Pringle of Sebring.

—By Avon Park—
Evening Contract Club Meets

The lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Powell at Lake Byrd was the scene of a delightful social event last Friday evening, when they entertained members of the evening contract club, and an extra table of guests.

Mixed bouquets of spring flowers were effectively arranged about the rooms made a colorful setting for the three tables of players.

Individual scores were kept on score tallies, and when the scores were tallied Mrs. C. E. Lanier was found to be high scorer for the ladies, and was awarded a beautiful framed picture, while S. E. Booth received for his score, high for the gentlemen, a bottle of following lotion.

After the awarding of prizes the hostess served tempting refreshments to her guests.

Those enjoying Mr. and Mrs. Powell's hospitality on this occasion were Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Colburn, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dorniney, Mrs. L. E. Thomas, Mrs. Charles Washburn and Mrs. E. P. L. Harts.

—By Avon Park—
Pardee Home Scene of Party

Tuesday afternoon the Pardee home on Lotels, which was the scene of a delightful social event, when Mrs. S. C. Pardee entertained members of her contract bridge club at 3 o'clock.

The beautifully tinted bunched flowers were used about the room to add a pleasing note for the interesting progressions of contract bridge played during the afternoon.

Mrs. George Scott McKnight was the holder of high score for the afternoon.

The hostess served a delicious ice course to her guests following the afternoon's play.

Those entertained by Mrs. Pardee on this occasion were Mrs. George Scott McKnight, Mrs. Olive Anderson, Mrs. Charles Washburn, Mrs. L. E. Thomas, Mrs. J. Paul Garber, Mrs. Joe Lande and Mrs. C. H. Pardee.

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

SATURDAY
Tag Day.—To purchase uniforms for school band.

MONDAY
Prayer service at Baptist church at 3 p. m.

TUESDAY
Prayer service at Baptist church at 3 p. m.

Luncheon club, Mrs. A. M. Morgan, hostess, 1 p. m.

Gerrard Circle meeting, M. E. Church Missionary society 2:30.

Bailey Circle meeting, M. E. Church Missionary society 3 p. m.

WEDNESDAY
Guild meeting Episcopal church parish house, 3 p. m.

Evening contract club, Mrs. L. H. Bass, hostess 8 p. m.

"Taming of the Shrew" M. E. Church Missionary society 8 p. m.

Contract club, Mrs. H. F. R. Reck, hostess 8 p. m.

THURSDAY
P. T. A. meeting high school 3:30 p. m.

FRIDAY
Chop Suey supper Masonic Temple.

Contract Club Entertained Monday

Miss Eleanor Bryant was the charming hostess last Monday evening at the home of Mrs. R. C. Jarrette, her guests being members of the Monday evening contract club.

Vases filled with beautiful roses were used in decorating the party room, where several interesting progressions of contract were played resulting in Miss Alma Harrell receiving high score for the evening, her prize being a box of powder. Miss Louise Houck was second high scorer and received a novelty pin tray, while Mrs. R. L. Brown was consoling with a stein of kony.

The hostess assisted by Mrs. R. C. Jarrette served golden brown pumpkin pie topped with whipped cream and hot coffee to her guests.

Those enjoying Miss Bryant's hospitality were Miss Millie Pearson, Miss Elizabeth Achley, Miss Alma Harrell, Miss Mildred Weiss, Miss Hettie Hundertmark, Miss Dorothy Craig, Miss Louie Houck, Mrs. Fred Pedron, Mrs. Ray Brown, Mrs. C. R. Ginn, Jr., Mrs. R. C. Jarrette, and Mrs. Raymond Dilly.

—By Avon Park—
American Legion Auxiliary Meets

Mrs. John Hood and Mrs. Alice Sherman were co-hostesses at the home of the former Monday evening, when they entertained members of the American Legion Auxiliary at their regular monthly social and business meeting.

A short business session was presided over by Mrs. Charles Sherman, vice-president in the absence of the president, Mrs. Louis Martin. Plans were discussed for raising funds for continued work in the unit, and each member was asked to earn one dollar before the next social meeting, reporting her progress in making this dollar.

Immediately after the business session, a delightful social hour was enjoyed, the hostesses having planned several contests and games for this occasion. The hostesses served delicious home made cake, sandwiches and coffee to their guests, who were: Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. R. M. McCabe, Mrs. W. Rouse, Mrs. W. M. Hetherington, Mrs. N. H. Trent, Mrs. Raligh Lawson, Mrs. E. E. Melton, Mrs. W. H. McCarthy, Mrs. John Hood, Mrs. Charles Sherman and Mrs. A. M. Morgan.

—By Avon Park—
Monday Contract Meets at Anderson's

Mrs. C. Parke Anderson was the charming hostess last Monday afternoon to members of the Monday contract club, of which she is a member, at her lovely home at Lake Byrd.

Choosing various colored flowers, the hostess had arranged numerous effective bouquets about the party room.

Those enjoying the hostess's hospitality enjoyed several interesting progressions of contract during the afternoon. Mrs. R. E. Booth being high scorer on this occasion, received a set of score pads and bridge tallies.

A tempting salad course was served to the guests following the awarding of prizes.

Those present were Mrs. S. E. Booth, Mrs. M. V. Pilcher, Mrs. M. E. Covington, Mrs. E. F. Carmichael, Mrs. E. E. Melton, Mrs. D. G. Terry, Mrs. L. E. Thomas, Mrs. H. A. Harts, Mrs. W. T. Hart, J. Paul Garber, Mrs. Joe Lande and Mrs. Charles Washburn.

Benefit Party Harder Hall

Outstanding among the social events of the season was the card party and dance given Monday night at Harder Hall by the members of the Woman's Guild of the St. Agnes Episcopal church, of Sebring.

Those sponsoring this party in addition to the members of St. Agnes Guild were Mrs. M. P. McGee, Mrs. David P. Talle, Mrs. G. H. Thompson, Mrs. Ray Green, Mrs. J. W. Parker, Mrs. Franklin Potts, Mrs. Gertrude Norris, Mrs. R. R. Rhudy, Mrs. J. L. Haines, Mrs. Edwin Lewis, Mrs. M. T. Solar, Mrs. Guy Maxey, Mrs. W. Z. Carson, Mrs. R. N. Bishop, Mrs. J. E. Spigner, Mrs. Margaret Washburn, and Miss Ruena West of Sebring, Mrs. Alexander Blair, Mrs. F. F. Harts, Mrs. L. H. Harts, Mrs. L. H. Harts, Mrs. George Scott McKnight, Mrs. W. A. Davison, Mrs. G. T. A. Gibson, Mrs. DeForest Canfield, Mrs. Eubank Johnston, Mrs. S. C. Pardee, and Mrs. C. H. Pardee of Avon Park.

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Thursday Club Entertained

Baskets of beautiful gladioli were used in decorating the party room of the McKnight home Thursday afternoon, when Mrs. McKnight was the gracious hostess to members of the Thursday Club.

Individual scores were kept on dainty tallies, and concluding the games a suitable token was awarded Mrs. Lula Bass for her high score for the afternoon.

A delicious strawberry mousse with cookies and coffee was served to the guests by the hostess following the game.

Those enjoying Mrs. McKnight's hospitality on this occasion were Mrs. A. R. Pringle, Mrs. Kathryn Dickinson, Mrs. Robert Franklin, Mrs. Lula Bass, Mrs. Norton T. Smith, Mrs. William Hauptmann, Dr. Louise Eastman, Mrs. Anna B. Rogers, Mrs. Y. Hart, and Miss Fannie Hays.

—By Avon Park—
Contract Club Meets Wednesday

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Reck entertained members of the Wednesday evening contract club this week at their home, on East Pine street.

Mrs. Reck chose old fashioned flowers in many hues to decorate the party room, where the two tables were arranged for the contract bridge games enjoyed throughout the evening.

Couple scores were kept on dainty tallies, and Mrs. S. Y. Hart being high scorer for the evening.

Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess to the following guests:

Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Hart, Dr. and Mrs. George Scott McKnight, Mrs. Kathryn Dickinson, Mr. and Mrs. George Scott McKnight, Mrs. Eubank Johnston, Mrs. R. E. Harts, Mrs. L. H. Harts, Mrs. George Scott McKnight, Mrs. W. A. Davison, Mrs. G. T. A. Gibson, Mrs. DeForest Canfield, Mrs. Eubank Johnston, Mrs. S. C. Pardee, and Mrs. C. H. Pardee of Avon Park.

—By Avon Park—
Missionary Circle Three Met Monday

Missionary Circle Three of the First Baptist church met last Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. L. Smith.

The meeting was opened with the devotional which was led by Mrs. B. F. Martin. Following this was an interesting study of the Mission book, "The Maidens of the King" was conducted by Mrs. J. D. Sherman gave the closing prayer.

Those present were Mrs. J. L. Collins, Mrs. M. K. Radloff, Mrs. C. Touchton, Mrs. Pearl Jones, Mrs. Ben Fussell, Mrs. B. F. Martin, Mrs. S. J. Pendleton, Mrs. J. D. Sherman, Mrs. L. H. Harts, Mrs. George Scott McKnight, Mrs. W. A. Davison, Mrs. G. T. A. Gibson, Mrs. DeForest Canfield, Mrs. Eubank Johnston, Mrs. S. C. Pardee, and Mrs. C. H. Pardee of Avon Park.

—By Avon Park—
Circle One Meets With Mrs. McGiboney

Circle number one of the Baptist Missionary circle met last Monday afternoon with Mrs. L. D. McGiboney at her home at 3 o'clock.

W. M. Carter led the devotional.

The circle then held their regular study class finishing on this occasion the book which has been the subject of the past several months, "The Hand Maidens of the King."

Mrs. J. B. Coen, Sr., closed the meeting with a short prayer.

Those present were Mrs. J. B. Coen, Mrs. Kate Hays, Mrs. E. C. Weaver, Mrs. J. C. Green, Mrs. W. M. Carter, Mrs. L. M. Langford, and Mrs. W. W. McFarland.

—By Avon Park—
Delta Deck Club Meets

Decorated with baskets filled with various colored flowers, the Kempton home was the scene of a pleasant social event, when Miss Ruth Kempton entertained members of her bridge club last Wednesday evening.

Prizes were awarded the holder of high score, Mrs. Francis Shook, and the second high scorer, Miss Lillian Smith.

A dainty ice course was served to the club members present.

Those enjoying the event were Miss Barbara Weaver, Miss Ethel Clark, Miss Inez Dawson, Miss Ruth Kempton, Miss L. H. Harts, Mrs. Charles Stone, Mrs. Roland Drott, and Mrs. Francis Shookley.

—By Avon Park—
Rooms Wanted During Federation

Requests are being received by Mrs. A. A. Davison local president Women's club, for rooms in private homes during the Federation here March 14-17.

A uniform price of 75 per day for each guest, without meals, has been established and any one desiring to list rooms is asked to communicate with Mrs. Davison, Highlands Lakes or Mrs. G. P. Thayer, Jacaranda Gift Shop.

—By Avon Park—
Wimodauis Club Announce Supper

March 10 the Wimodauis club will serve a chop suey supper at the Masonic Temple, the hour and prices to be announced later.

Powells Honored By Friends

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Powell on the occasion of their wedding anniversary, a few friends planned a delightful surprise party last Saturday evening.

Dancing to the music of a band was carried through out the evening, fruit punch being served to the guests.

Those calling on Mr. and Mrs. Powell were Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Garber, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Pilcher, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Coates, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Booth, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Head.

—By Avon Park—
P. T. A. To Meet Thursday

Next Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock the Parent-Teacher's association will hold its regular monthly meeting at the school house. This is a combined business and program session, and it is urged that all members will attend.

LEGAL NOTICES

No. 3281
BILL TO FORECLOSE LIEN.
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, IN CHANCERY.

AVON FLORIDA CITRUS CORPORATION, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida, Complainant, vs. J. R. POLANSKY, Defendant.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.
THE STATE OF FLORIDA TO J. R. POLANSKY:

It appearing by the sworn bill of complaint filed in the above styled cause that the defendant, J. R. Polansky, is over the age of twenty-one years; that he is a resident of the United States of America; but is not a resident of the State of Florida; that the place of residence of said defendant is in the city of Martinsburg, Berkeley County, West Virginia; and the post office address of said defendant is Care of Perfection Garment Company, in the said City of Martinsburg, West Virginia; and that there is no person in the State of Florida the service of process upon whom would bind said defendant.

It is therefore ordered and you are hereby required to file with the clerk of said court your written appearance (personally or by attorney) in said suit, on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1933, being the sixth day of said month, and thereafter to file with said clerk your written defenses, if any, on the first day of January, this 31st day of January, A. D. 1933.

Herein fail not or judgment will be entered against you by default. It is further ordered that this notice be published once each week for four consecutive weeks in the Avon Park Times, a newspaper of general circulation in said county and State. Done and ordered at Sebring, Florida, this 21st day of January, A. D. 1933.

W. Z. CARSON, Clerk Circuit Court.
By LEONA JORDAN, D. C. Solicitor for Complainant.
Feb. 3-10-17-24-Mar. 3

No. 3282
BILL TO FORECLOSE LIEN.
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, IN CHANCERY.

AVON FLORIDA CITRUS CORPORATION, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida, Complainant, vs. S. M. ALLEN, Defendant.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.
THE STATE OF FLORIDA TO S. M. ALLEN:

It appearing by the sworn bill of complaint filed in the above styled cause that the defendant, S. M. Allen, is over the age of twenty-one years; that he is a resident of the United States of America; but is not a resident of the State of Florida; that the place of residence of said defendant is in the City of Paterson, County of Passaic, State of New Jersey; and the post office address of said defendant is No. 416 Edison Street, at said Paterson, State of New Jersey; and that there is no person in the State of Florida the service of process upon whom would bind said defendant.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE AS ADMINISTRATRIX.

IN THE COURT OF THE COUNTY JUDGE, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.

IN RE: The Estate of William A. King, deceased.
Notice is hereby given, in all cases in which it may concern, that on the 1st day of April, A. D. 1933, at 10 o'clock, A. M., the undersigned, Judge of said court, as Judge of Probate, for her final discharge as Administratrix of the estate of said deceased, and at the same time she will present her final accounts as administratrix of said estate, and ask for their approval.

Dated February 2nd, A. D. 1933.
MARY A. KING, Administratrix.

Feb. 2 to Mar. 31, 1933.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED.

Notice is hereby given, that JOHN JONES, holder of Tax Certificate No. 123, dated 1st day of March, A. D. 1933, has filed certificate in my office, and has thereon in accordance with law, and with the following described property situated in Highlands County, Florida, to-wit: Lot 1, Block "L", DeSoto City, Sections 22 and 23, Twp. 25 North, Range 29 East.

The assessment of said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 21st day of March, A. D. 1933.

Dated this 16th day of February, A. D. 1933.

W. Z. CARSON, Clerk of Circuit Court, Highlands County, Fla.

Feb. 17-24-Mar. 3-10-17

IN THE COURT OF COUNTY JUDGE, HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA, IN PROBATE.

In Re: Estate of William A. Marshall, deceased.

FINAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will on the 1st day of May, A. D. 1933, present to the Honorable County Judge of Highlands County, Florida its final return, account and vouchers as Executor of the Estate of William A. Marshall, deceased, and at said time, then and there, file application to the said Judge for a final settlement of its administration of said estate, and for an order discharging it as such Executor.

Dated this 23rd day of February, A. D. 1933.

THE BARNETT NATIONAL BANK OF JACKSONVILLE, as Executor of the Estate of William A. Marshall, deceased.

By Sam S. Conoly, Vice-Pres.

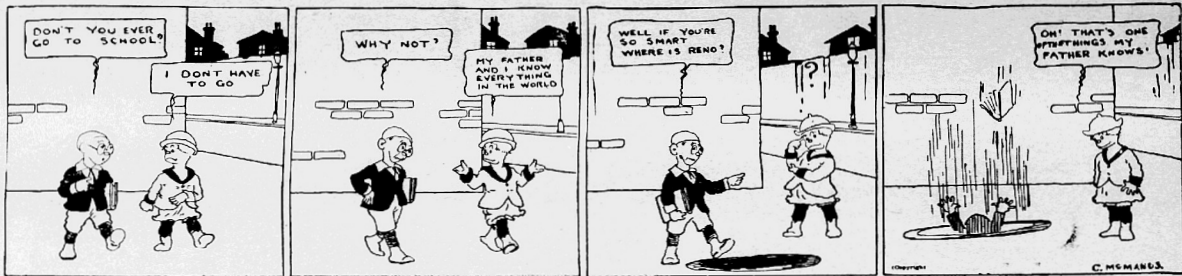
Grapefruit supplies in competing countries are low, and the export outlook would be bright were it not for the foreign duty situation.

The hardest job of all is trying to look over your own nose.

THE TIMES' WEEKLY PAGE OF COMICS

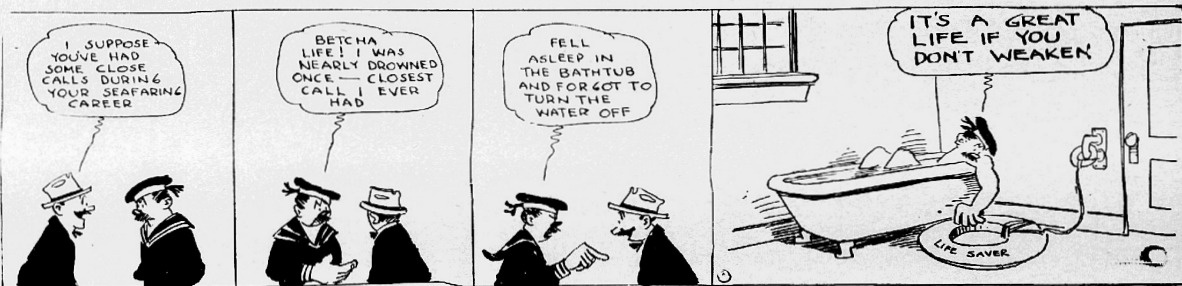
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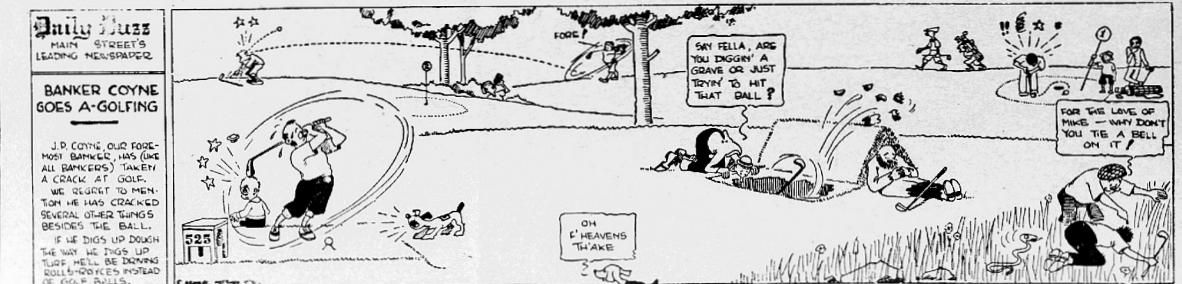
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