

PATSY LOOMIS WINNER LEGION BIG CAMPAIGN

Crowned "Miss Avon Park"
By Mayor in Ceremony
at Follies Show Tonight

The query, "Who will be Miss Avon Park?" was answered to the evident satisfaction of all at the close of the American Legion fifty-one contest, when Miss Patsy Loomis was announced winner and crowned by Mayor Covington in the grand finale of Radio Follies at the school auditorium tonight.

The new title holder is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Loomis. She is a student of Avon Park high school, popular with a wide circle of friends, and received a tremendous ovation upon receiving the crown from Mayor Covington.

In addition to the crown and the official title for 1933, the winner also received a cash award of \$20 from the Legion. The amount was split between the three girls selling the most tickets to the show. These were, Miss Mary Turner, first prize, \$10; Miss Ruth Kemper, second, \$5; and Miss Barbara Weaver, third, \$5.

Radio Follies, a musical extravaganza, was a mythical broadway show, each number of which was sponsored by a business firm of the city. The Legion show, coming as a climax of a three-day campaign featuring the "Buy Avon Park" movement, made a decided hit before a packed house.

The show was arranged and directed by A. Carle Henck, whose untiring efforts on behalf of the campaign proved of value to the Legion in bringing it to a successful conclusion. Ferd de Anguera, as announcer, handled the "mike" like a veteran, his voice was carried to every corner of the large auditorium by the amplifying system used, lending a realistic touch to the broadcast.

A twenty-piece orchestra from the school band played faultlessly for the entire performance, lending the difficult orchestrations to perfection. They were led by Mr. Henck who directed from the pit. Miss Virginia Baldwin accompanied the orchestra on the piano and Mrs. Francis Shockley accompanied the minstrel and other numbers from the stage piano.

The opening program, sponsored by the Barnett National Bank featured a chorus of twelve pretty girls, good singing and dancing, tap dancing by a group of smaller girls, accompanied by a smaller orchestra. The show was directed by Francis Browne, a tap dancer by Marguerite Brown, a solo by Mrs. H. R. Corrie, and a fast stepping number led by Little Miss Prior, which the audience called back for an encore.

The Children's Revue, sponsored by the Avon Motors company brought on the stage the little tots in great array in a number called the Baby Parade. The show was arranged by Mrs. TenEyck and was most favorably received.

Clare Hutton of Sebring presented a German song and dance program being sponsored by the B & C grocery. A professional long dancer, Miss Betty Hutton always gives a good performance.

The American Legion minstrel, "That Old Gang of Mine," led by J. Paul Garber, produced some beautiful male chorus effects. Mac Elwell and Lloyd Correll as men and Paul Garber as an interactor provided the laughs. Park Motor Sales sponsored the numbers.

Dr. Able's Mother Passed On Sunday; Burial Wednesday

Dr. A. H. Able and daughter Mrs. Francis Shockley left Monday afternoon for Louisville, S. C., being called there on account of the death of Dr. Able's mother, Mrs. Mary Able. Mrs. Able passed away Sunday night at an Atlanta, Ga., hospital where she had been confined for the past two years. She was 82 years of age at the time of her death.

Besides Dr. Able here live two sisters, Mrs. H. L. Bridges and Mrs. Victor Wall, both of Atlanta. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock at Louisville.

—Buy Avon Park—

COUNCIL MET TUESDAY

No Bonds Will Be Accepted
In Payment of
1932 Taxes

There was just a quorum of the Avon Park city council Tuesday night for the meeting as Councilmen Charles R. Head and E. A. Delaney were absent. The new waste fire fighting truck recently presented this community by John H. Roebeling was first discussed as to its upkeep. Some of the council thought it should not be up to the city as the bills for the city's own trucks could not be paid promptly. City Attorney C. P. Pardee expressed the opinion the city should maintain the truck as it would be cheaper and more efficient than the other trucks and it is a great asset to the community and well worth the operating costs. No action was taken to receive further information and investigation.

The sale of property acquired by the city for taxes and assessments was discussed and it was unanimously decided that taxes for 1932 on each piece of property should be paid by the purchaser when sold by the city. The property in question is not on the rolls for that year but the tax must be figured and added to purchase price when a sale is made, it was ruled by the council.

City Clerk Francis Shockley called attention to the fact that 1932 taxes will be delinquent after April 1 and asked authority to place notices to that effect in the newspapers. It was pointed out that some taxpayers are holding back hoping that bonds will be accepted for these taxes, but as the council has decided that the budget for 1932 was on a strictly cash basis this cannot be done and knowing this, some taxpayers are holding back. It was stated this cash basis budget was adopted at the suggestion of the bondholders and has been the cause of a falling number of mandamus suits.

With reference to mandamus suits it was stated that as yet no service had been made on the city regarding the suit recently filed by John H. Burns of Wichita, Kansas.

Council decided to place a man in charge of the houses owned by the city. The man selected will take care of the collection of rents and will be paid on a commission basis. Groves owned by the city will also be cared for by another man to be selected it being deemed wiser to keep the groves in good condition than to let them run down.

The city limits case was discussed and special legislation will be applied for setting forth new boundaries. A referendum will be inserted in the bill to be prepared and the council resolved to meet again soon to give this matter thought and consideration.

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Richard Ellis Is Freed of Assault and Battery Charge

Richard Ellis was found not guilty of a charge of assault and battery in the court of Justice of the Peace J. M. Alderman on Wednesday. Ellis was charged by Miss Louise Lawrence, wife of Harry Lawrence, and pushed her on the night of Sunday, September 11, 1932 when she was returning from a late hour.

FAIREY'S AGAIN NAMED TO HEAD SCHOOLS HERE

Makes Eighth Year; Schools
Will Close In County
Next Month

On recommendation of the Avon Park board of trustees the county school board at their meeting Tuesday unanimously endorsed the reappointment of R. T. Fairey as the supervising principal of the Avon Park schools. This will make Prof. Fairey's eighth consecutive year here and it is expected his action will meet with the hearty approval of the patrons of the schools.

At the meeting Tuesday the DeSoto City council, headed by the mayor, together with their attorney, R. R. Rudy, appeared before the school board regarding the \$10,000 note held by the board and the county commissioners. The DeSoto City officials offered to settle the claim for \$2,500 but this was declined and the county attorney, T. A. McNicholas, instructed to proceed with the legal action to collect the note.

The note in question was one given by the town of DeSoto City to the defunct Highlands Bank and Trust Company, and by them transferred to the county as collateral for county funds. When the bank closed the note was in the possession of the county and they are now trying to collect.

The county board discussed the school situation in connection with present economic conditions and the recent "bank holiday" as well as the loss of income due to the fewer number of auto tags sold this year and decided to close the schools in the county the last of next month. The schools in Avon Park will close on April 25 with Dr. W. A. Davidson in charge. The Sebring schools will close on April 27, with Dr. Davidson also the principal speaker. On April 28, the DeSoto schools will close on April 28. All the county schools in the county will close that day.

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Noted Sebring Resident Was Buried Tuesday

Elijah P. Brown, more familiarly known as "Ramshorn" Brown, one of Sebring's best known residents, passed away at his home there Sunday afternoon. He was over 90 years of age and had been a resident of Sebring since 1914. He was one of the early newspapermen of Sebring having founded the Sebring White Way, which he conducted for several years.

He was a journalist, lecturer and divine of national note and was known as "Ramshorn" from the title of a publication "The Ram's Horn" with which he waged a vigorous war for temperance a number of years.

He had a long and colorful life and during the Civil war was a member of the Union forces. At the battle of Shiloh he was reported killed but re-emerged after recovering from his wounds.

He was buried in Pinecrest cemetery, Sebring, on Tuesday afternoon with the Masons having charge of the services at the graveside.

—Buy Avon Park—

Abrams Starting Dollar Day Sales Tomorrow Morning

Being convinced that the bottom has been reached and business conditions are now on the upturn and "a new dawn" has begun, Abram, one of Avon Park's leading merchants, is inaugurating a series of "dollar day" sales tomorrow morning. Many bargains are being offered for as low as well as for higher prices and the page advertising to be found elsewhere in this issue just lists a few of them.

Mr. Abrams specializes in nationally advertised merchandise and a number of the leading brands at bargain prices will be found in his store. As some of the stock at the present prices is limited an early visit tomorrow morning is advised. The bargains offered include everything for men, women and children, as well as household needs.

Chanters Presented Excellent Program Sunday Evening

The Congregational church was filled to capacity Sunday night when the Shrine Chanters of Egypt Temple, Tampa, rendered an excellent program. The presentation was in place of the regular evening service and proved one of the best and most enjoyable musical programs ever given in Avon Park. The Chanters were brought to Avon Park through the efforts of C. E. Head, one of the local members of Egypt Temple.

The program consisted of solo, an octet, a quartet, besides the numbers by the entire group of chanters. Fred Carter was the organist and accompanist, the numbers and John Phillip Shaddick directed.

—Buy Avon Park—

THE GLEE CLUB WILL SING AT SEBRING FRIDAY

Will Appear in Concert With
Serge Borowsky, Noted
Russian Baritone

In response to a cordial invitation from Sebring, the Avon Park Ladies' Glee Club under the able direction of W. H. Yates and with Serge Borowsky as their guest artist, will present a concert there on Friday evening, March 30.

This will be the first time the Ladies' Glee Club has appeared in Sebring. They are anxious to have with them as many as possible of their local admirers and as a special inducement to sing the new selections while Borowsky promises a program entirely different from his recent appearance at Pine Crest Lakes club.

Those fortunate ones who were privileged to attend this previous concert at Pine Crest Lakes were delightfully thrilled, have been looking forward to another enjoyable evening with Borowsky and the Glee Club ladies.

Every music lover is most cordially invited to attend the event on March 30. There will be no admission charge but a free will offering will be collected to help defray a considerable expense.

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F. F. W. C. EXTEND THEIR THANKS

Express Appreciation For the
Hospitality Shown Them
Last Week

The Florida Federation of Women's Clubs in convention here last week were greatly pleased with the hospitality extended and have expressed their appreciation through their corresponding secretary, Mrs. Lafar Lipscomb, in the following letter:

March 21, 1933.
Chamber of Commerce,
Avon Park, Florida.

Please accept the thanks of the women of the Florida Federation of Women's Clubs for the splendid hospitality of your city extended during the recent convention. Each organization added much to our pleasure and happiness, and we appreciate that the spirit of helpfulness and kindness. No finer convention in Florida can be found than Avon Park proved itself to be.

Please include the press of the city in our thanks; they gave such generous space to our convention. If possible, we would like to have everyone in the city know of our recent gathering.

Thanking you for the opportunity to visit your scenic highlands, known far and wide, I am, Gratefully and sincerely yours,
Mrs. Lafar Lipscomb
Corresponding secretary.

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Taming of the Shrew To Be Given April 18

With business conditions on the upturn Eleanor Seaverns Rebekah Lodge consider they are warranted in announcing that the postponed performance of "Taming of the Shrew," with chorus and frolics, under the direction of Edward Walden will be given on Tuesday night, April 18.

COUNTY ASKED TO CONSIDER TAX ON WASTE LAND

Request Made For Low Tax
On Prairie and Cut
Over Lands

E. D. Treadwell of Arcadia appeared before the county commissioners Tuesday afternoon on behalf of the Consolidated Land Co., the Neocate Crute Co., and other land owners of Highlands county. Mr. Treadwell said he was not asking any special favors for his clients but would like to make a few remarks regarding prairie and cut-over lands in the county.

Mr. Treadwell predicted that all unimproved land would be off the tax rolls soon unless some action is taken and then the improved property would have to bear the burden of taxation and when it is off the rolls it would stay off. Much of this land, he said has no connection and the project is although there are some good spots of muck and bay head land, homesteading is a failure at present, he said, and he believes right at some future time. Taxes must be lowered in order that the eastern may wish to come and he had made a survey for the Consolidated company of 50 cents per acre for assessment purposes.

This return Tax Assessor Cyril Baldwin had last week, Mrs. W. A. Davidson, president of the Avon Park Club, writes as follows:

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He told of experiments the Consolidated company is making on Dixie county with cattle on 40,000 acres which have been fenced. There is very little overhead in this type of farming and he expects to carry itself, paying taxes, the upkeep and a small return on the investment.

John Hood, chairman of the board, said he agreed with what Mr. Treadwell had to say except he thought \$10.00 per acre would be a fair assessment. He was of the opinion such land should be able to pay a tax of five cents per acre and this would not be the case with a 50 cent valuation.

Tax Assessor Baldwin said he assessed prairie land now at a minimum of \$1.25 per acre and cut-over land at \$1.50 per acre, according to the present law. He said figures to show that at present there are 405,565 acres of land in this county off the tax rolls. There are 14,000 acres of open prairie, swamp and waste land, 215,670 acres, timber land, 17,250 acres, cut-over land, 18,404 acres.

Mr. Treadwell urged that some form of assessment be arrived at by which the owners of these lands could pay their taxes so the property would be put on the tax rolls and be of some benefit to the county in the future.

Col. F. N. K. Bailey, county superintendent of schools said the entire matter is due careful thought and consideration and should not be dismissed with a wave of the hand. The county officials should consider what action to take for the best interests of the county.

No action was taken by the board but will be discussed and given every consideration at an early date.

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County Audits Made Only By State Dept., Cary Landis Rules

Tallahassee, March 23.—Attorney Cary D. Landis, gives the following reply to a question asked:

"There is no authority granted under the law for a private citizen to have an audit made of the county books by private auditors, but any citizen of the state has the right to request that such an audit be made by the State Auditing Department."

Request for a ruling on this point came from attorneys representing the county commissioners of Sarasota county, where a group of taxpayers desired an audit of county books by private auditors.

"Public records of the county are open to inspection by any citizen of the state, who may make copies thereof in all instances wherein he has a special interest, this does not however authorize a general audit of county books by private auditors," the attorney general said.

D. G. Perry Named President of Avon Park Rotarians

D. G. Perry was elected to the presidency of the Avon Park Rotary Club at the meeting of the board of directors Wednesday afternoon. Dr. Perry will assume office in July, taking the place of E. E. Melton, who fills the office at this time.

The new board of directors as elected by the club consists of D. G. Perry, R. E. Fairey, W. T. Cones, Charles Lanier, Herbert Reek and E. E. Melton. McKee Elwell was chosen secretary, an office he has held for a number of years.

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MRS. DAVISON'S APPRECIATION

Thanks Workers For Help
and Co-operation During
Convention

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REBEKAHS WERE HOSTS AT JOINT MEET MONDAY

Lodges From South Central
Florida Were Well
Represented

With the lodge hall exquisitely decorated with flowers artistically arranged, the Rebekahs of the Florida lodge were the hosts Monday to the Rebekah membership rally for South central Florida. Many state officials were present as well as representatives from numerous lodges in the territory and visitors from northern states.

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AVON PARK High School News

Hold On

The battle is nearly over—don't give up! The fight is nearly won—don't stop work! Now is the harvest time for many, the reward of honest, steady workers; now is the time for weeping and gnashing of teeth for the few.

But wherever you stand don't give up, don't stop work. If you are in the lead, work to stay there. If you are somewhere behind, there is still time to catch loose stitches for most of you.

Now that the last of the term is over,

If you have worked you need not fear.

In fact, 'tis the best time of the year—

And it is here, it is here, here, here!

Junior News

Did we have a good time last Friday night? Well, we should say we did. Remember I told you last week we were entertaining Sebring? It's all over now but we're still some of us dreaming about it.

Dreaming, did I say? Well, we were. We were awakened from our peaceful slumber early this morning. The shock is still on the poor girls' (oh, dear what will they wear?) The long awaited Junior-Senior banquet is to be given on March 31. There is so much to do these last few days of school until we hardly know where to go what to do.

One thing which has been done this week is the announcing of commencement marshals. Their names are:

Evelyn Clements, Chief
Virginia Baldwin
Arthur Johnson
Dorothy Schweigart
Clyde Clark
Lucille Langford
Zula Maudsford
Here's to more, at least one more commencement, when the Juniors will graduate with high honors.

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Ask your dealer for new Premium Catalog. More Havana tobacco is now used in JOHN RUSKIN, making it the greatest cigar value at 5c. Smoke the size you prefer—Perfecto Extra or Panetela.

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Sebring, Florida

Senior News

The party for Sebring came off rather successfully last Friday night. A large number of young people from both schools attended.

All one can hear out of the Senior girls these days is "What in the world are you going to wear Class Night?" "Well, I'm not going to wear that kind—not for anything I want!" And so it goes. But just wait—we will get together, some sweet day.

Miss Bryant announced this morning that Grace Schweigart will be our valedictorian and Elizabeth Sherertz our salutatorian. Congratulations, girls!

The Juniors have finally set the date for the Junior-Senior banquet. The affair will take place March 31.

Who's It

Hair—real copper tinted brown, long and wavy.
Eyes—blue.
Complexion—olive tan color and clear.
Features—beautiful eyes, and eyelashes and well proportioned in build.
Medium—medium, about 5 ft. 6 in. and weighs about 120 lbs.
Sex—female.
Personality—makes friends but often has a time holding their friendship.
Best asset—ability to look nice in anything she wears.
Hobbies—having a good sewing, dancing, "setting" hair and sewing.
Favorite Teacher—Mr. Funder.
Ambition—to run a beauty parlor, preferably in Gainesville.
Can you guess? Answer next week.

Answer to last week's Who's It: Marie McFarland.

Miscellaneous

Why will teachers (and pupils) persist in propping their heads on their hands? We know school is getting tiresome now, but this manner of supporting the falling minds is often very unbecoming.

The party has come and gone and I think no one is sorry for its passing. It was not so bad—neither was it so good. Some reported a grand time while some were not so enthusiastic. It is all in the way you look at it.

The Senior play is suffering numerous interferences, but is nevertheless progressing rapidly. They are working hard to make a success and are hoping for a good crowd. Let's not forget!

Back Stage, April 7, 8 o'clock. High School Auditorium. Come and bring your friends.

The Junior-Senior banquet is raising considerable excitement now—What to wear for Class night is the big debate now in the Senior Class. The graduation ceremony is still going on. Of course the Wildcats are absent. It does not look like the Tigers are doing so much this time.

8th Grade Girls

We had several short plays in home room chapel this morning which were very good. The contest between the Tigers and Wildcats is still going on. Of course the Wildcats are absent. It does not look like the Tigers are doing so much this time.

Sophomore News

NEWS-DAY—, I never know what to say. I wish some body would give a long list of subjects for us news reporters to write about. If I were the Junior news reporter, I should have many interesting subjects. The Juniors and Seniors are always doing something. Their party last Friday night was well attended according to what I hear some of the Juniors and Seniors say. We'll be there next year, and we girls (at least) will be in the height of our glory. I wonder if we can really live through the summer months, knowing we are actually Juniors.

The weather has been ideal, and it is just beginning to show the signs of spring-time. The flowers are all in bloom, the birds sing, and even the old sun is shining just as hot as if it were summer. The non-day sun is so hot that some of the sophomores have begun to bring their lunches. In the morning it is actually a pleasure to arise early and get to school on time.

It is pure and fresh that is real fun to hike to school. When I feel alone like running.

Literature has been a pleasure to us sophomores, the last few weeks. The weather ideal, the first period, and most of all, the King Arthur stories. It was very captivating, and I'm sure some of the Sophomores will feel lost when we finish the "Taming of Shrews." Say, Sophomores don't forget the twenty lines of poetry. Don't you pity us?

We have two Sophomores running for Miss Avon Park. Sophomores, help your sister-classes. Our class surely does have some popular girls. Last year, "Miss Popularity" was Sara Smith, and in our class too, only we were Freshmen then—"Good Luck, Miss Avon Park!"

In History we are studying about the "reformation of church," and we find that one-fourth all the land in western Europe was owned by churches. This has been very interesting also because we study about so many different men the spent most of their lives in reforming the churches. Among them was St. Francis of Assisi. He was a man who loved all animals, and was leader of an order of Friars.

We have less than five weeks of actual class-room study. Then the hard examinations will come. That surely will disappoint some of us. (?)

I have a song which is dedicated to the tune "Let Me Call You Sweetheart":

Let me call you Dumbell, I'm a half-wit too,
I'm from that place too,
Keep the love light shining
In your eyes coo-coo—
Let me call you Dumbell, I'm a half-wit too,
(Repeat until exhausted, then repeat again.) From (?)

We have a lot of "curious great" in our room. They are: Ten years from now.

"The great musician, Sara Smith, just finished her studies in Berlin, Germany, and will play in the new opera house in New York. (In 1943.)

"See, now, Eliot the strong, captured a man eating lion in the depths of darkest Africa, and will be seen, and heard at the Miami Auditorium in Tampa Monday evening at eight o'clock. (In 1943.)

"Miss Lorey Mae Bachand, has just returned from the Chicago Art Institute where she has accepted the honor of being the best artist ever graduated from this school. (In 1943.)

"Miss Patsy Loomis has just signed an exclusive contract with Fox Films in Hollywood. She is to receive \$5,000 for a start."

WHAT WOULD HAPPEN IF:

Walker Beasley would take a certain girl to the show?
Mildred Martin would walk in chapel alone?
Helen would not think of Gorda so much?
Dot Hobbs didn't talk about moving to Tampa?
Joe didn't tease the girls?
Martha Weaver couldn't demonstrate her skill in art to the Sophomore?
Mary Coen would refrain from being sweet and gentle to every one?
George Bryant didn't speak Spanish?
Carmen didn't always wear a goose costume?
Woodson didn't always take the wrong seat in History class?
Charlie Bost wasn't so firm and set in his ways?
Ralph was a platinum blond?

Health should be prized above everything because it is the essence of happiness.

Economic Highlights

Happenings That Affect the Dinner Table, Dividend Checks and Tax Bills of Every Individual. National and International Problems Inseparable From Local Welfare.

At the moment all news has necessarily been observed by the bank situation. A brief resume seems to be in order at this time.

Holidays started with the closing of all Michigan banks by order of the governor, in order to prevent the potential collapse of Detroit's larger banking institutions. Reversions from this took the form of unusually heavy withdrawals in other states. A bank holiday was declared in Maryland, then in California, Oregon and Washington. Within a few days the holiday was in a heavy percentage of the states. Restrictions varied in stringency. In most instances banks were permitted to make withdrawals of small sums when good cause could be shown, and the withdrawal of large sums to meet current needs. In a few instances percentage withdrawals—usually five percent of total on deposit—were permitted.

The Presidential proclamation came as no surprise. Rumor was that it had been foreseen well ahead, and had been delayed until the new Administration could take charge, in its belief that it was so the public morale. That seems to have been the case.

The federal proclamation was extremely stringent, providing that all banks should be closed during the holiday; that no bank should accept deposits, make loans, transfer credits abroad or direct foreign exchange; that the Secretary of the Treasury might, in his discretion, suspend the enforcement of the issuance of clearing house certificates during the holiday, etc. Heavy penalties were provided—maximum of \$10,000 and 10 years in prison—for violation.

Talk of Federally backed scrip became widespread, and at one time the Administration stated that some move in this direction would be made. Later, it was announced that no Federal scrip would be issued. Banks continued to meet necessary withdrawals. In a few instances local scrip, good among local merchants, was issued.

Calming event was the Presidential announcement that all sound banks would be opened for business as usual on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 13-15, those in the 12 Federal Reserve cities with Federal Reserve branches on the second, those elsewhere on the third. The problem thus resolves itself into a matter of credit for sound banks, minimizing so far as possible losses to depositors. Stricter banking regulatory laws are inevitable.

During the first week of the holiday, money in circulation rose to \$10,000,000,000, a record of expansion in history and a new high. Monetary pool stocks of the country declined \$110,000,000.

Excellent sign was the public attitude. It was, on the whole, serene and confident. The holiday was accepted casually, and the public was not panicky, no panic, no disturbance. Practically universal support of Administration policies was heard.

The belief is expressed on every hand that the holidays were the final event in preparation for recovery. Sentiment is that the bottom has actually been reached, that the slide has stopped, and is at least in sight.

Interesting and important phase of the situation is the fact that the public has accepted the gold hoarding. The amount of gold thus held is unknown, but those in a position to estimate believe it to reach almost unbelievable heights. Various means for eliminating this condition are suggested. One would be, publicity which would, in effect, characterize gold hoarders as "public enemies." Another is a stiff tax on hoarded gold. It is possible that a law making the hoarding of gold a crime may eventually be passed. This has been done in criminal times in other countries. Universal public support of this drive may also be expected.

All in all, the logical conclusion to be drawn is that the holidays were necessary, were definitely in the interest of depositors, the public and honest banking, that the situation has been properly and aggressively handled by those in charge, that the work done will mean much to the national future.

Other great event of the week was the amazing power given President Roosevelt by the new Congress. It is the greatest individual power ever held by a peace-time president—indeed, it may be even greater than was Wilson's during the War. Many of the troubles of the last Administration are traceable to an always difficult and often unfriendly Congress. The new administration will have none of these. The President speaks, Congress acts—and the public generally, weary of Congressional caprice and aloof, approves overwhelmingly.

What's the idea of teaching a boy to play golf before he's learned how to make a living?

NEWS of General Interest To Highlands County

DeSoto City News

By Miss Sara Leaphart

Mrs. O. S. Palmer

Honoree at Party

Mrs. J. H. Twitty and Mrs. W. Masters were joint hostesses at a bridal shower given in honor of Mr. O. Sewell Palmer.

Contests and games of all kinds were enjoyed. Mrs. E. L. Peck and Mrs. Belle Etheridge won prizes.

Late in the afternoon, delicious refreshments were served to the guests.

Mrs. E. L. Galloway, Mrs. L. T. Farmer, Miss Mary Katherine Smith, Mrs. Del Preston Jones, Miss Allie Mae Etheridge, Miss Thelma Bailey, Mrs. F. N. K. Bailey, Mrs. W. Parrah, Mrs. E. L. Peck, Mrs. C. E. Galloway, Mrs. L. T. Farmer, Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. Perry Etheridge, Mrs. V. G. Watters, Mrs. G. L. Galloway, Mrs. C. E. Black, Mrs. Nora Webster, Mrs. Belle Etheridge, Mrs. Chas. Tyson, Miss Timmerman, Mrs. Fankie, Mrs. Herwig, Mrs. J. H. Twitty, Mrs. W. Masters, Mrs. Louise Etheridge and the honoree, Mrs. O. Sewell Palmer.

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F. P. Burch spent Monday in Avon Park on business.

Mr. Herman Buehl of Sebring is visiting his father, F. P. Burch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Leaphart and family and Mrs. Louise Etheridge spent Sunday night at the home of Mrs. F. M. Dean Tuesday evening.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Club will be held at the DeSoto Hotel Thursday afternoon.

Officers for the coming year were elected as follows: President, Mrs. C. E. Galloway; vice-president, Mrs. John Peyer; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Louise Etheridge. After the business session, a social hour was enjoyed.

Venus News

By Mrs. W. H. Cannon.

E. R. Poole is guest of C. F. Poole this month.

H. E. Franklin motored to Lake Placid last Tuesday.

N. B. Jackson took a load of fryers to Miami this week.

H. E. Franklin motored to Arcadia Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Farrington and son Bobbie motored to Arcadia Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Peters and son, Bonnie Joe, motored to Oklawaha Sunday.

W. H. Cannon motored to Sebring Tuesday to work on the school board.

Joe Peoples of Citrus Center was in town Tuesday getting ready for the cattle dipping.

Rev. C. M. Taylor is in Oklawaha each week this week. He is thinking of moving in the near future.

E. E. Selman of Oklawaha was the guest of his brother-in-law, C. Taylor last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Farrington and Rev. Hammond were guests of Mrs. J. H. Halburn Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stalls and daughter June, returned home Saturday after a week visiting in Ft. Hicks, Sunday.

Supt. F. N. K. Bailey of Sebring was here helping to arrange the transportation to the Hammock Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Sumbal of Winter Haven, who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Franklin, have returned to their home.

Mrs. Alex McDugald and Mrs. Perry Sellers motored to Wauchula Monday as guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. S. S. Whiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Crawford of Pennsylvania, tourists this season, were in town last week. They are thinking of locating here later.

C. F. Poole left Tuesday evening.

2 Minute Relief

HEADACHE NEURALGIA

Two Bits

Manually rub and pinch, testaceous, carotid, pericardial and other points to relieve neuralgia. No opiates.

Avon Park Drug Co.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR

Notice is hereby given, that Jack P. D. D. 1933, dated the 5th day of March, A. D. 1933, has been filed in my office and made application for tax deed in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Highlands County, Florida: To-wit: Lot 1 of SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Section 1, Township 28 S., Range 20 E., Meridian 16 W.

Under the said certificate, said property will have power of sale under the said certificate issued by the name of "United States Trust Co. of New York," as trustee, to be sold at public auction, to-wit: at the courthouse in the City of Miami, Florida, on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1933.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 5th day of March, A. D. 1933.

J. P. CARRON, Clerk of Court, Highlands County, Fla.

Mar.

Sholtz Preparing Legislative Speech

Tallahassee, March 23.—Governor Dave Sholtz has turned his attention to the preparation of his message to the 1933 legislature.

Governmental economy, a 25 percent reduction in expenses, consolidation of certain departments, abolishment of others, lower automobile tag costs, and other constructive suggestions are expected to be dealt with in his message.

The legislative session will open at noon on April 4, and the Governor's message will receive first consideration after the organization of the house and senate.

Stop Asthma Torture, NOW!

Relief comes over 10 minutes, does not cost a cent more than food. The most effective remedy for asthma, hay fever, and all other respiratory ailments. It is a powerful, yet safe, and reliable remedy. It is available at your drug store. If not obtainable at your drug store, write to: DR. MILES' NERVINE, Liquid, 125 East 17th St., New York, N. Y. Free trial on request. Sold by

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For a Beautiful and Slender Figure

REDUSAN

SALT

Woman Lost 10 Pounds

Fat in 3 Weeks

Improved Complexion and Health

Safe—Sure—Healthy way to eat and lose fat—Redusan Salt

Avon Park Drug Company

Relief

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 you overwork nerves have kept you awake half the night and paved the way for another miserable day. Take two powerful Dr. Miles' Nerve 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.

Dr. Miles' Nerve is now made in two forms—Liquid and Effervescent Tablet. Both are the same therapeutically.

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RICH IN ALL HEALTH GIVING ELEMENTS FOR INFANTS AND ADULTS

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2 Jacaranda Arcade Avon Park

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Having Continued Confidence in our Community We are Offering the Highest Quality Merchandise at Prices that will Make You Forget Your Hoarding and Start Buying Now

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... and A New Deal

Starts Saturday, March 25 at 8 a. m.

Fast Colored Prints

8 to 10 a. m., Only
Beautiful Patterned Borden Prints in Plaids,
Stripes and Dainty Prints, Special only

3 yards 25c

NEW SPRING

Millinery

In all popular shapes and
colors. A beautiful selection
at

\$1.00



Silk Voiles in Patterns

Also all other Summer Materials in an array of
designs. Values to 59c per yard, only

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Newest patterns, while they last

10 yards \$1

Washable House and Street FROCKS

All fast colors. Sizes 14 to 44.

2 Dresses \$1

PHOENIX ANKLETES

For the Kiddies
All new Spring shades in this assortment

5 pairs \$1

MEN'S STRAW HATS

In Panama and Sailor Models—All \$2 Hats for
\$1.00

BEST QUALITY WORK PANTS

In blue stiffel and gray couverts—Special dur-
ing Dollar Days at
Only 89c

New Silk DRESSES

In pastel shades, long silhouettes
and Sport Frocks, some with detach-
able capes.

\$3.95 and 2 for \$4.95

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\$1 Hand Bags and Purses

To close out at

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Saturday Morning Only 9-10 A. M.

PHOENIX HOSIERY

For Ladies. Full fashioned, all new-
est Spring tones in chiffon and semi-
service weights.

2 pairs \$1

Only two pairs to a customer.

PHOENIX SOX

For men. Fancy patterns as well as solid colors
of this well known brand of wear quality hose

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Manhattan Dress Shirts

In solid colors, while they last

SATURDAY Special Only \$1

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Don't delay as some items are limited.

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Store of Advertised Merchandise

Men's Fancy Dress Sox

In a nice assortment of colors and designs,
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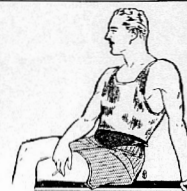
8 pairs \$1

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In slip-over and button-up models, sizes A, B,
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\$1.00

WORK SHIRTS

Full cut, two-buttons, sizes 14 1-2 to 17

2 for \$1.00

LADIES' BED ROOM SHOES

One inch heels, in colors Black, Red and Blue
Sizes 3 to 8

2 pairs \$1

MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

Fast colors, included are white, blue and
colored broadcloth

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One Rack—Odd and end lot at only
\$1.00 a Pair

SILK TIES FOR MEN

In all new Spring patterns and shades.
A real value at
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WORK SHOES—SCOUT STYLE

Composition soles—an odd lot—get yours at
\$1.00 a Pair

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ADVERTISING RATES FURNISHED UPON REQUEST

Florida's grand old man—Senator Duncan U. Fletcher.

Before they put a saloon on every corner they'll have to move many a filling station.

We confess to an ignorance so deep and wide that if we should drink a glass of beer we wouldn't know whether it was 3.2 or 3.5.

We wonder, if Zangara had had plenty of money and some smooth lawyers, would justice have moved so surely and swiftly?

Now let the handling of the Zangara case form a precedent to be followed in disposing of all other wanton murders in Florida.

When the banks advertise they are open, "with no restrictions," they don't mean exactly that. They still have some restrictions as to making loans—just a few.

Another thing that we refuse to get too excited about is the marital gyrations of Doug, Jr., and Joan. We can think of several things more important.

A great reduction in State expenses has been figured out for the next two years. The fly in the ointment, however, is that it has been found necessary to raise the millage.

Winter Haven police are watching the auto drivers in that city and are publishing lists of the "safe drivers." That is much easier in any community than to attempt to print a list of unsafe ones.

Mussolini has a plan for world peace. Haven't read any of the details but we are pretty sure that the prime feature of any such plan is the world shall do exactly as Mr. Mussolini directs.

Let's give our public servants from President down, our aid and support, that they may have every opportunity to make good. Let's not hamper them by criticism or complaint, at least until they have had a chance.

See where Stanley Hanson, of Fort Myers, is being urged for appointment as Indian agent. He is, by excellence, the man for the place. No other man in Florida is equally well fitted. He knows the Seminoles and has a genuine unselfish interest in them. The Indians recognize him as their best friend. He is the logical man for the place, and ought by all means to be appointed.

It is said that an armed camp atmosphere prevails in Europe and that the assassination of a duke, or other comparatively trivial incident, would likely precipitate a war in which numerous nations would be involved. Let us hope that in such an event this country will have sufficient sense to mind its own business, and that neither its men or its money will again be sacrificed on account of the hates and jealousies of other nations.

Anything saving of criticism of our common school system that may have appeared in this paper is not based upon the costs of school operation. In the opinion of many these costs are excessive, and doubtless should be reduced. And the reduction should not be at the expense of the teachers, whom we consider already underpaid. But cost is not the phase of the matter that should give the most concern. A grave cause for complaint is the failure to attain satisfactory results. The graduates of our common schools do not measure up to the entrance requirements of even those colleges whose standards are quite liberal. They are woefully lacking in a knowledge of the fundamentals of education which our school system was designed to supply. A thorough knowledge of a few essential things is infinitely more useful than a vague smattering of many things. A common school system that does not supply the

It is so easy to make people happy that it seems all of us might every day add our bit to the joy of the world. All it is necessary to do is to tell various people we meet that they have B. O. Then they bathe, become belles of the ball, marry the most desirable mates, and live happily ever after. Of course, before doing all these things they might bash us in the face and tell us to mind our own business; but the advertisements don't show this phase of the happy drummer.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

By RUSSELL KAY

It looks like Dave meant what he said about not wanting a lot of "lobby lizards" under foot here during the coming session of the legislature. Anyhow he's passed out another gentle hint that the place for state and county officials is at home tending to the particular little job you and I are payin' 'em to do, and not up in Tallahassee playin' pussycats-a-corner all over the capitol building.

Of course we can't really blame the boys for wanting to come up here and ask the legislature their little grumpy brows, but we have gone on ahead and elected a flock of senators and representatives to take care of our little playhouse up here, this might be a good time to let 'em alone and keep out of their way.

They've got a hard enough job as it is without being messed up with a flock of lobby lizards trailin' 'em everywhere they go and yappin' at their heels. If there was ever a time when a legislator ought to be allowed to do his own thinkin' and make up his own mind, it's right now. If any of 'em find they need help, it'll be plenty time enough to start passin' it out when they get for it.

But on the other hand if there's any group of lobbyists, or county clerk, or other officials, that was plannin' to come up here and ask the legislature to reduce their fees or cut their salaries, well they can count on my help.

I heard a fellow snappin' his teeth and frothin' at the mouth the other day about reducin' the gas tax. To hear the poor sap talk you'd think he was actually payin' it.

If you do your thinkin' with one brain cell, all you can see is the amount of the tax—eight cents. Then you start chewin' a pencil and drawin' on your imagination about all that jack comin' out of the taxpayers' pockets. It does seem kinda logical if you stop there and don't go any further with it. But let me tell you a little secret. If we were to reduce the gas tax to six, or even to three, cents it wouldn't help the poor dumb taxpayers a cockeyed bit. But oh man, what a swell break for the big oil companies.

Do you think the gas stations would be sellin' us joy juice at eight or ten cents a gallon today if there was no tax? Don't be silly! They would seek you as much as you pay now only the money would go to pay extra dividends to stockholders and not to the state for your benefit.

All right, you don't know I'm a liar, but you think I am. Get out your pencil and paper and do a little checkin'. How much more are you payin' for gas now, than you paid before we had the eight cent tax? Go back a few years and see what gas cost the consumer then. You'll find that it's the oil companies that have been payin' the gas tax, not you. If you'll prick up your ears and do some pokin' around you'll find that the oil companies are the ones that are raisin' up the gas tax reduction.

Of course I can't prove it, but I'm willin' to bet that if the legislature is dumb enough to reduce the gas tax during the coming session it won't help anybody but the guys that are holdin' 'em in some oil company. You go right on payin' just as much for your gas, and you'll have to hunt a long long while to find any other form of state revenue that will be as practical and painless.

Now allocation of the gas tax is somethin' else. I'm not talkin' about that. But before you go hog wild on this "reduce the gas tax" gag take yourself over in a corner and do some first class thinkin' and see if you don't get a different answer.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By EDSON R. WAITE
Shawnee, Oklahoma

Paul R. Kelsy, editor of The Portland Oregonian, says: "Newspaper Advertising is the one dependable medium day in and day out that sells and keeps 'old' customers and makes buying habits of the new." "A thinking season precedes a buying season and the consistent newspaper advertiser pre-sells his customers long before they visit his store. In the great majority of cases prospective customers who have been drawn by newspaper advertising to the store are actual buyers." "The elements of the desire to own have been aroused and it remains for the same friendly, persuasive salesmanship—only in person—that so characterizes the advertiser's selling message, to consummate the sale."

"Any good medium will agree that he must be consistent in all his policies. He would discharge in a minute any salesman who would put forth his best selling efforts one week and who on the following week would treat his customers indifferently, assuming a lackadaisical attitude by virtue of his week of lethargy. It is not good business to vacillate in selling any more than it is in advertising."

"In the United States each year 3,200,000 young people become of age and their buying habits change. Another 1,100,000 marriages are performed—and that same number of brides take up new interests in life and thoughts of damsels and dates are abandoned for that all-absorbing venture of making a home. Furniture, electrical appliances, rugs and food—what to buy, how to buy, and where to buy them is the next order of both business and pleasure for these young home-makers, and it is here that the consistent advertiser makes valuable contacts and establishes a life-long mutually profitable business relationship."

"Markets are growing—growing, growing—at every turn, irrespective of business conditions. Over two million homes are blessed every year with 'little white' cars, and they demand service, plenty of it—and present a lucrative market of their own."

"A GOOD ADVERTISER NEED NOT Necessarily BE A LARGE ONE—BUT HE MUST BE CONSISTENT!"

DAVID AND GOLIATH



Budget Commission Offers Figures For 1933 Expenses

GOVERNOR DAVE SHOLTZ and other members of the State Budget Commission have finished the preparation of the budget for 1933 to be presented to the State Legislature with a cut in the proposed expenditures of \$2,102,914.50 per year under the 1931 budget.

Below is the tabulation of the figures compared with the 1931 budget showing five departments recommended for consolidation or abolishment and 11 items which show an increase in 1931, the largest increase being in the office of the State Comptroller except for the increase of the Milk Inspection division of the State Chemist, which is a new department.

Departments	1933 Budget	Approved	Decrease
General Revenue	recommen-	tion	legisla-
			ture
Board of Control	\$ 8,100	\$ 9,400	\$ 1,300
University of Florida	561,000	789,305	228,305
U. of F. Experiment Station	59,000	236,233	177,233
Agricultural Extension Service	83,282	83,282	0
State Plant Board	25,000	200,000	175,000
Fla. State College for Women	360,000	480,000	120,000
School for Deaf and Blind	140,000	140,000	0
Fla. A. & M. College (Negro)	122,100	141,550	19,450
Fla. State Hospital for Insane	940,000	1,020,000	80,000
Florida Farm Colony	110,000	162,900	52,900
Fla. Industrial School (Boys)	100,000	140,000	40,000
Fla. Industrial School (Girls)	32,000	33,000	1,000
Confederate Soldiers and Sailors home	3,000	6,000	3,000
State Board Public Welfare	11,250	16,500	5,250
Labor Inspector	2,000	3,600	700
Crippled Children Commission	40,000	50,000	10,000
Shellfish Commission**	56,038	109,754	14,716
Florida National Guard	8,210	9,000	690
State Game Warden	20,000	40,000	15,000
State Geologist**	10,000	20,160	10,160
Game, Fresh Water Fish Commission**	130,000	169,920	39,920
Shellfish Commission**	54,380	61,256	8,876
Railroad Commission	57,500	55,120	2,380
R. R. Comm. Motor Transport Division	15,700	15,820	20
State Library Board	5,000	6,475	1,475
Auditing Department	75,000	72,400	2,600
Governor's Office	38,150	41,500	3,350
Supreme Court	73,895	98,435	24,540
Secretary of State's Office	27,500	27,962	462
Comptroller's Office	104,470	140,134	35,664
State Treasurer's Office	47,180	41,760	5,420
Attorney General's Office	41,800	29,410	12,390
State Dept. Public Instruction	37,080	40,860	3,780
Hotel Commission**	16,880	61,240	44,360
Judicial Department	511,300	584,900	73,600
Miscellaneous	294,850	422,350	127,500
State Prison Farm	340,000	549,951	209,951
State Board of Health	173,870	272,920	94,050
Hotel Commission**	16,880	61,240	44,360
Livestock Sanitary Bureau	225,000	320,000	95,000
State Marketing Bureau	59,680	69,740	10,060
State Chemist	34,120	29,744	4,376
State Chemist-Milk Inspection Div.	23,287	24,287	0
Motor Vehicle Commission	141,160	156,504	15,344
Auto Theft Department	45,940	72,366	26,426
Commissioner of Agriculture	120,900	114,000	6,900

*Items represent increase in budget figures.

**Items indicate departments the budget commission recommended for consolidation or abolishment.

(a) Recommendation is made that State Board of Forestry, State Geological Survey, Game and Fresh Water Fish Department, and State Shell Fish Commission all be placed in one department to be known as the Conservation Department.

(b) Recommendation that Hotel Commission be abolished and work taken over by State Board of Health.

Plan 200 Acre State Oyster Farm in Bay at Apalachicola

Tallahassee, March 23.—Shell Fish Commissioner G. W. Davis, has made plans to establish a 200-acre state-owned experimental oyster cultivating farm in Apalachicola Bay.

Deputy commissioner R. D. Marks of Apalachicola, will supervise the

cultivation. Charts of the progress and growth of the cultivated oysters will be kept on file as a source of definite and intelligent information to all interested in the cultivation of oysters.

Florida's Fish and Shell Fish industry at the present time are worth ten or twelve million dollars annually to the people of the state. And the oyster industry grows the income to the state from this source will increase.

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 Sunday), 7:00 A. M.
Morning service and sermon, 11:00 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.
Fellowship at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
R. 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 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.
Fellowship 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 THE REDEEMER (Episcopal)

Rev. Harcourt Johnson, priest-in-charge.
Sunday Services
Holy Eucharist, 8:00 a. m.
Church school, 9:30 a. m.
Morning service with sermon at 11:00 a. m.

Week Day Services

Wednesday, 9:30 a. m.
Friday, 7:30 p. m.
Sabbath Day, 9:30 a. m.

Want Ads

DRESSMAKING—Children's clothes a specialty. Reasonable prices. Mrs. G. P. Burdick, Grand street, Avon Park, Fla. 50c.

—Buy Avon Park—

Slash Expenses of Okeechobee Flood Control at Meeting

Tallahassee, March 23.—Commissioners of the Okeechobee flood control district at a meeting held in Tallahassee with Governor Sholtz took steps to carry out the governor's economy program.

A. W. Young of Vero Beach, executive secretary of the board and general manager of the district, was requested to cut all salaries and other operating expenses 15 percent.

W. I. Evans of Miami, attorney for the board, was instructed to prepare bills to be presented to the 1933 legislature to reduce the amounts of the ad valorem and special acreage taxes in the flood district; and to eliminate the separate tax sales on delinquent special tax districts by merging them with the regular state and county tax sales.

The secretary was instructed by the board to notify all tax collectors in the flood control district not to make up delinquent tax lists until after the meeting of the legislature.

Board members were of the opinion that simplified methods and tax reductions would improve collections.

Governor Sholtz, a member of the board, said he believed a saving of 20 percent would be effected by the simplified tax plan. George H. Hills of Jacksonville, consulting engineer of the district said that the flood control district is obligated to pay two-ninths of the cost of the \$9,000,000 Federal Government project now under way in the Everglades. So far about \$200,000 of the amount has been paid, Hills said. The district expects to make a payment of \$50,000 by June 1, 1933, and another payment of \$100,000 by June 1, 1934, secretary Young told the board.

—Buy Avon Park—

Appointments of Honorary Deputy Wardens Are Void

Tallahassee, March 23.—G. W. Davis, Shell Fish Commissioner has announced that the appointments held by all Honorary deputy commissioners in his department have been cancelled. This step was taken on account of confusion caused between these and the regular wardens and bonded Deputy commissioners.

All regular deputies have been instructed to give county sheriffs all the cooperation possible in enforcing our conservation laws, Davis said.

LEGAL NOTICES

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA. No. 2248.

CONVICTED TRUST COMPANY, a Corporation, and WILLIAM J. STANLEY, Trustee, Complainants, vs. R. H. BAILEY, ET AL, Defendants.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

THE PLAINTIFFS, vs. THE DEFENDANTS, S. R. HAYES, CLERK OF THE COURT, and RICHARD J. MARGHERITA, MARSHAL.

It appears from affidavits filed in the above entitled case that the defendants are persons who are residents of the State of Florida, and who are the owners of certain real estate in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit: the premises known as the "Margarita Ranch," situated in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, and which is more particularly described in the petition filed in this case.

That there is no person in the State of Florida, the service of a writ of habeas corpus upon whom would bind you, and that you, and that you, and each of you, are parties defendant in this case.

THIS IS HEREBY TO notify you, and each of you, that there has been filed in the Circuit Court, in and for Highlands County, Florida, a Petition for the appointment of a Receiver, to-wit: the Convicted Trust Company, a Corporation, to receive and manage the property of which is the subject of this case, and which is more particularly described in the petition filed in this case.

That the said Receiver, to-wit: the Convicted Trust Company, a Corporation, is a duly organized and existing corporation, and that it is authorized to receive and manage the property of which is the subject of this case, and which is more particularly described in the petition filed in this case.

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SOCIAL and Personal News

BY RUBY TURNER MORGAN
Society Editor

Missionary Society Meets

The Women's Missionary Society met at the M. E. Church Tuesday afternoon, this being the regular monthly business and program meeting.

Mrs. L. M. Orr, president presided at the business meeting, the routine business of the month being disposed of and the committee reports given.

Following the business hour the meeting was turned over to Mrs. Hayes Maxwell, program chairman, who had arranged the following instructive and entertaining program:

The Deacons—Who is She? Discussed by Roscoe Claussen and Mrs. Hayes Maxwell.

Mrs. L. M. Orr gave report of Missionary work going on in Africa.

Possessed by a Dream—Mrs. S. E. Roberts.

Assembly Song—Jesus, Call Us.

Scripture—Mark 1:29-31.

Poem—The Voice of God is Calling—Mrs. Hayes Maxwell.

Those attending this meeting were Mrs. S. E. Roberts, Mrs. James Atchison, Mrs. C. R. (Gladys) Mrs. Joe Adams, W. S. Rawlings, Mrs. A. H. Hancock, Mrs. W. M. Davis, Mrs. T. H. Hughes, Mrs. J. L. Cloud, Mrs. G. H. Gerrard, Mrs. T. W. Gray, Mrs. K. J. Bailey, Mrs. T. W. Gray, Mrs. C. H. Harris, Mrs. R. C. Jarrette, Mrs. L. M. Orr, Mrs. Hayes Maxwell, Mrs. J. A. Gerrard, Mrs. John Raab, and Miss Rosa Lee Claussen.

Jacaranda Scene of Special Event.

Decorated with delicately tinted gladioli and various other spring flowers, the palm room of the Jacaranda hotel was the scene of an interesting social affair Wednesday evening, when Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Thomas entertained members of their bridge club and a few guests.

Dainty tidbits were used for keeping score, which were added at the conclusion of the evening's progressions, Mrs. C. E. Lanier being high scorer among the ladies.

She received for her award a unique shoe bag. N. H. Truitt, high among the men received a lovely cigarette box.

An ice course with hot lemonade was served to the guests following the interesting games.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Coates, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Lanier, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Truitt, Mr. L. E. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Pringle, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Thomas, and Mr. D. M. Barnett of Michigan.

Mrs. J. E. Powell Club Hostess.

Tuesday afternoon the members of the contract luncheon club were delightfully entertained by Mrs. J. E. Powell at her lovely home on Byron Lake.

Mrs. Powell chose for her floral decorations on this occasion varicolored spring flowers, which added charm and fragrance to the living room, and also the dining room, where a delicious two course luncheon was served.

Individual scores were added at the conclusion of the games and Mrs. A. M. Morgan was awarded the prize for high score, a dainty sewing box.

Those enjoying Mrs. Powell's hospitality on this occasion were Mrs. H. E. Keller, Mrs. S. E. Booth, Mrs. W. T. Coates, Mrs. M. V. Picher, Mrs. L. E. Thomas, Mrs. Mel Bass, Mrs. Jack Head and Mrs. A. M. Morgan.

Contract Club Entertained.

Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. E. Y. Harts delightfully entertained members of their bridge club at their home on the Sebring road at 8 o'clock.

Part with decorative feature was unusually large bouquets of garden flowers artistically arranged about the room.

Several interesting progressions of contract were played, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harts being the fortunate holders of high couple score, for which they received a lovely token.

The hostess served light refreshments to her guests who were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harts, Dr. and Mrs. George Booth, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bass and Mrs. Olive Anderson.

Freed Peden Honored.

Mrs. Freed Peden entertained recently honoring her husband on his birthday anniversary. An interesting feature of the evening was the six course dinner for which covers were laid for six guests.

In keeping with the season, colors of green and white were noted in the table decorations. Those dining with Mr. and Mrs. Peden were Miss Myrtle Coker, Miss Eleanor Bryant, L. D. Geiger and Ferdie Derbes.

Following the dinner Mrs. Peden was surprised by a number of other friends calling for an evening of bridge.

St. Patrick's colors were noted again in the bridge apartment.

When scores were tallied Miss Elizabeth Atchley was awarded high prize for her score, while Stewart Thayer was fortunate winner of high among the gentlemen.

Mrs. Milford Dilley and R. Funderburk were awarded lucky prizes.

The hostess served dainty refreshments consisting of ice cream, green and white cake, mints and coffee.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Dilley, Miss Eleanor Bryant, Miss Elizabeth Atchley, Miss Milie Pearson, Stewart Thayer, Ferdie Derbes, and K. Funderburk.

Church Service League Meets.

Wednesday afternoon the Service League of the Church of the Redeemer met at the parish house at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. M. E. Covington presided at the business meeting, at which time the routine business was disposed of for the month.

A social hour was enjoyed following the business session, at which time Mrs. Demos Mandis served tea and cookies to the members present.

Those attending this meeting were Mrs. M. E. Covington, Mrs. Norton Smith, Father and Mrs. John Johnson, Mrs. G. E. Gibson, Mrs. W. R. England, Mrs. Putney, Mrs. Kathleen Jones, Mrs. Fred Smith, Mrs. A. M. Morgan and Miss Marion Coen of Cleveland, Ohio.

Miss Lillian Smith Entertains.

Members of Delta Deck Contract club were delightfully entertained last Wednesday evening by Miss Lillian Smith at the home of her sister, Mrs. Jack Head.

Bouquet of roses were placed artistically about the room to give a festive note for the contract luncheon.

When scores were tallied Miss Ruth Kempton was found to be the holder of high score, while Mrs. Hagan Brunson second high.

The hostess served a tempting salad course and hot tea to her guests who were Mrs. L. E. Thomas, Miss Lee Kempton, Miss Dorothy Craig, Miss Ethel Clark, Mrs. Charles Stone, Mrs. Maude Brunson of Atlanta, Ga., and Mrs. Roy Drott.

Dinner Party at Maxwell Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Maxwell delightfully entertained a number of their friends Tuesday evening at an elaborate six course dinner.

Bright garden flowers were arranged about the room, a lovely bouquet of orange blossoms and crimson bougainvillea being placed at the center of the table, which was greatly appreciated by the guests who are winter visitors in Avon Park.

Those being included for this affair were Mrs. Edward Clark, Cartersville, Ga., Dr. and Mrs. S. B. Bradley, Dalton, Ga., Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Franklin of Adairville, Ga., G. F. Smith, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell.

Ladies' Report Wonderful Time.

Mrs. A. J. Pruitt, Mrs. D. L. Hagan and Mrs. J. C. Rogers returned Friday night from Avon Park with glowing accounts of state convention Florida Federation of Women's clubs. The registration at its highest number, around 400, which is indicative of the interest in the meeting.

When the election was held, the present officers were elected for the next annual meeting, Mrs. R. S. Pruitt of Chicago, Mrs. E. N. Morrow of Edinburg, and Mrs. W. Passmore formed a congenial group attending the meeting the closing day—Saturday Sunday Ledger and Star Telegram.

Party Honoring Mrs. T. L. Trent

Thursday afternoon Mrs. N. H. Trent gave the second of a series of parties honoring her husband, Mrs. T. L. Trent, of Knoxville, Tennessee.

The lovely Trent home was beautifully decorated for this occasion, bouquets of larkspur, may daisies, gladioli, roses and other colorful flowers being arranged about the party room.

Three tables of players were in play during the afternoon, and when individual scores were tallied Mrs. H. E. Keller was found to hold the high score and received a double deck of cards for her award, while Mrs. Dick Head was awarded for her high score a linen luncheon cloth.

The honoree and Mrs. Dick Head were present, along with other guests who were present for the happy occasion.

The hostess served ice cream, cake and coffee to the guests who were on this occasion:

Mrs. T. W. Trent, Mrs. Dick Head, Mrs. Jack Head, Mrs. O. C. Wilkes, Mrs. D. V. Rouse, Mrs. H. E. Keller, Mrs. T. R. Collier, Mrs. S. E. Booth, Mrs. E. F. Carmichael, Mrs. Parke Anderson, Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mrs. Paul Jones, and Mrs. Fred Smith.

B. P. W. C. Entertained.

Tuesday evening the Business and Professional Woman's Club met with Mrs. O. C. Wilkes, Mrs. Olive Anderson being the hostesses.

This being the social meeting of the month for the club members, refreshments were enjoyed by the guests until a late hour.

A profusion of flowers, in rainbow hues, were used artistically about the room.

Individual scores were tallied after the games, Miss Milie Pearson being presented with two companion pictures for her high score, while Mrs. Katherine Bristol was consoling with a set of cards.

The hostess served pineapple, Spanish cream and individual cakes to their guests.

Those attending this delightful affair were: Mrs. Catherine Bristol, Miss Eleanor Bryant, Mrs. Lee Hagood, Miss Milie Pearson, Mrs. Pearl Spink, Mrs. Fred Peden, Miss Mattie Tompkins, Miss Kate Tompkins, Mrs. Alma McGinnis, and two guests of the club, Mrs. G. J. Taylor and Miss Nettie Hundmark.

Wednesday Club Meets.

Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 the Contract bridge club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. P. L. Rumpka at her home on East Walnut street.

Out flowers, from the hostess' garden, were placed about the room, lending charm and fragrance to the setting for the two tables of players.

Dainty tidbits were used for keeping high score for the interesting progressions of contract resulting in Mrs. H. F. E. Reck receiving high score and Mrs. C. E. Lanier second high.

The hostess served a dainty salad course to her guests who were on this occasion: Mrs. E. W. Harts, Mrs. T. A. McNichols, Mrs. H. F. E. Reck, Mrs. W. T. Coates, Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mrs. L. E. Thomas, Mrs. O. C. Wilkes and Mrs. H. E. Keller.

Royal Neighbors Entertained.

Mrs. Fred Peden and Miss Myrtle Coker were the hostesses Friday evening, March 17, to the Royal Neighbors of America at a luncheon party given at the home of the former.

The colors used in the decorations and refreshments were in keeping with the St. Patrick's day. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Glenn Spink for high score and to Mrs. Durrah Martin for second high.

At a late hour the hostesses served a delicious salad course to the guests.

American Legion Aux. Meet.

Mrs. W. H. McCarthy and Mrs. Demos Mandis will be joint hostesses to members of the American Legion Auxiliary at the home of the latter next Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

The American Legion Auxiliary, a special program has been arranged covering this phase of Legion work, and it is urged that all members be present.

Covered Dish Luncheon.

The ladies of the Congregational Ladies Aid Society held their annual covered dish luncheon and spent the day party at the Church yesterday, covers being placed for the sixty-four guests who assembled about the luncheon tables, where a sumptuous repast was enjoyed at noon.

The day was spent in sewing and conversation, and a pleasant time was reported by those present.

Supper at M. E. Hut.

Tuesday, March 28th, there will be a dinner served at the Hut and sponsored by the Methodist Missionary Society, a charge of 25c per plate.

The following menu will be served: Selected roast, rice and gravy, string beans, pickled beets and tomato salad, lemon meringue pie, coffee and cream.

Winodausis Club Meeting.

This afternoon at 3 o'clock Mrs. O. L. Hendrix will be hostess to the Winodausis club at her home on East Pleasant street.

This is the regular meeting of the club and a pleasant time is being anticipated by the members.

Mrs. M. E. Powell spent Wednesday in Winter Haven.

Parke Anderson and A. V. Anderson were visitors in Waverly yesterday.

Mrs. and Mr. E. Powell spent Wednesday in Winter Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Smith spent this week in Miami, conducting business and pleasure.

Mrs. W. A. Davison and Mrs. Johnson are visiting in St. Petersburg yesterday and today.

Col. J. M. Leo, state comptroller is spending today in Avon Park greeting his many friends here.

Dr. W. A. Davison is in Arcadia yesterday and today attending a meeting on relief work for this section of the state.

Judge and Mrs. D. V. Rouse and Mrs. C. A. Straubel have returned from Miami where they spent several days here.

Mrs. and Mrs. Dick Head and daughter Betty Leck have returned to their home here after spending several days here this week visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. and Mrs. Ted Gittens of Bartow were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kempton at their home on Lake Isis, last Sunday.

Miss Fannie Hiers of Dayton, Ohio, is leaving for home after a pleasant winter spent in Avon Park guest at the Midstate hotel.

Mrs. M. H. Porter, of Kinsmore mother of Mrs. Lula Bass, and Mrs. Emma Powers of Atlanta, Ohio are visiting at the Bass home on Lake Lela.

Mrs. Louis Martin and daughter Barbara Allen have returned from Tallahassee where they were guests of former Avon Park residents in that city.

D. M. Barnett, president of the Barnett National Bank spent a few days here this week, guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Coates at their home on Lake Lela.

Mrs. R. L. Pack of Sanford and H. L. Pack, Jr., and three children spent last week end in Avon Park guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Whitcomb.

Mrs. Virginia Cloud, and daughter Miss Francis Cloud, Mrs. George Bryant and sons George and Bobby spent last week end visiting in Tampa.

Dr. and Mrs. R. S. Bradley and daughter, Mrs. Ernest Clark of Dalton, Georgia, are spending a few days here guests at the Midstate hotel.

Mrs. Paul Schromenger of Philadelphia, Pa., spent five days here this week guest of Mrs. Charles Pringle at the Midstate hotel.

Mrs. and Mrs. John W. Bolton of Lawrence, Mass., and St. Petersburg, Fla., will arrive in Avon Park for the week end, to be the guests of Mrs. Charles Pringle.

Mrs. Jennie C. Edwards of Darlington, S. C. left last week for her home, after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Covington.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Mack, Philadelphia are visitors in Avon Park guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Pardee. Mr. Mack is a well known Music Publisher of Philadelphia.

Mrs. Lula Bass and son Mel Bass spent Thursday in Winter Haven where they were guests of Mrs. W. H. Kempton at the home of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kempton, have gone by motor to their home in the north. They expect to go

Edson have returned from Bartow where they were the guests of Mrs. Melton parents Mr. and Mrs. Jones.

Miss Helen Bryan, who has been a guest at the home of Judge and Mrs. D. V. Rouse for the past few months has returned to her home at Jasper for a few weeks visit.

Mrs. Ida Marshall and Mrs. Jack Head and daughter Yvonne have returned from Melbourne where they spent several days last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dick Head.

Miss Joyce Powell, student at Southern College will arrive in Avon Park Friday to spend the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Powell.

Miss Fannie Myers, Mrs. Katherine Dickson, Mrs. A. R. Pringle, Mrs. J. R. Thompson and Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Vaughn spent Monday and Tuesday in Orlando and Howeyville-Hills.

Edward Touchton, son of Dr. Touchton, C. Touchton went to Hollywood last week end where he was the guest of his brother, Walton, who is a student in Riverside Military Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Armstrong of the club and a pleasant time is being anticipated by the members.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Page and Miss Jean Page of Birmingham, Ala., left Saturday for their home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Armstrong.

The many friends of Mrs. Dorothy Chapin, of Washington, D. C., who has a winter home here, will be pleased to know that she and her infant son have returned to their home in Miami, conducting business and pleasure.

Miss Marion Coen, who has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Norton Smith, has left for Atlanta where she was joined by her father, from whence they will proceed by motor to their home in Cleveland, Ohio.

Dr. A. H. Able and daughter Mrs. Francis Shockley were called to Louisville, S. C. Tuesday on account of the death of Dr. Able's mother. Mrs. Able was unable to make the trip on account of her health.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Hetherington, Mrs. Etta Hetherington and daughter Frances, and Miss Gertrude DeBelle of Lakeland, will spend Sunday here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hetherington and family.

Among those from Jacksonville here last week attending the Florida Federation of Women's Clubs convention was Mrs. S. A. Furr. She was the guest of Mrs. C. L. Johnson while here. She returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Augusta D. Covington and Mrs. Orison Barnett of Oviedo have returned to their home after a pleasant visit with Mayor and Mrs. M. E. Covington. While they were in town they attended the Florida Federation of Women's Clubs.

E. A. Riser and mother Mrs. E. W. Riser and Mrs. D. Johnson of Atlanta were guests of Mrs. Maude Brunson and her mother, Mrs. Alma McGinnis last week. While they were here they were visitors at Bok Tower and also enjoyed a trip to Tampa.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Youngson of Pittsburgh, Pa., who spent the winter in Avon Park last winter were guests at the Jacaranda hotel for a few days this week. They were entertained by their numerous friends here and are expected to return to their home in Pittsburgh for the next season. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jack, of Stratford, Ill.

Among those from Avon Park attending the benefit party Friday evening at the El Lago Club, Sebring, sponsored by the Altar Society of the St. Catherine's Church, were Mrs. E. Rouse, Mrs. Ruby Frank, Mrs. P. L. Rumpka, Mrs. W. J. Heim, Mrs. A. R. Pringle, Mrs. Katherine Dickson, Miss Mildred Myers, Mrs. A. M. Morgan, Mrs. C. A. Straubel of Green Bay, Wis., Mrs. Adams F. Shaffer, Mrs. E. McGinnis, Mrs. Helen Croll, and Mrs. and Mrs. R. L. Nichols.

Rev. Bird Robinson will speak at the Church of the Nazarene, April 3, 4, and probably the 5th.

Rev. Robinson better known as "Uncle Biddle" is an internationally known evangelist, a wonderful entertainer, and an old time gospel preacher. The Nazarenes are planning to begin a revival immediately following him. The work here has been taken over by Lehigh C. C. graduates, Mrs. Trevecca College, Nashville, Tenn. The public is cordially invited to all services.

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New Motion Picture Microphone



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Hollywood, Calif.—A new motion picture "mike" has been perfected which will prove a boon to the whole film industry. This microphone will eliminate the necessity of delaying recording until every foreign sound has ceased. If an airplane is passing overhead, and the screen star is whispering sweet nothings in the beautiful actress's ear, there will be no unpleasant buzzing to necessitate a re-take in the scene. Much time, patience and money will be saved with this universal focus spot microphone, as it follows the players about the stage, recording just the words they speak and the sounds they make. All outside noises are cut out, and just the desired sound is recorded. Photo shows new universal focus spot microphone at the Universal Motion Picture Studio. The new microphone follows the players about the set, and cuts out all foreign sounds on the film track.

home via Tallahassee and Maule Shoals, stopping over at each place. Park, and Mrs. Glenn were received numerous social calls during their sojourn in our city. Last Saturday they were given the farewell picnic by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clements at Lake Wales, this affair also being in the nature of a farewell party for Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clements of Cleveland, Ohio, who have been wintering in Sebring.

Must Again Argue Chain Store Tax Before High Court

Tallahassee, March 23.—Florida's chain-store tax law must again be argued before the State Supreme Court, states Attorney General Landis.

The statute was recently declared invalid by the United States Supreme Court on account of provision in the act requiring the amount of the tax to be based on higher in such a case.

The Florida Supreme Court will hear arguments on the question of whether or not this section also invalidates the entire act. No date has been fixed for the hearing.

In the meantime over \$50,000 has been collected by the state comptroller under this law and is being held undistributed awaiting final decision. Should the Florida Supreme Court decide that the other provisions of the act are valid the comptroller's office will not be requested to return the tax collected.

Notice To Property Owners

Taxes for the Year 1932 will be delinquent after April 1, 1933. They are payable in CASH only and no bonds can or will be accepted in payment of these taxes. There will be no deviation from this policy.

Francis Shockley City Clerk, Avon Park, Fla.

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Co-operative Marketing of Farm Products is the title of Bulletin No. 10, recently issued by the Federal Farm Board. It contains pertinent information of value relating to conditions under which co-operative marketing associations may reasonably expect to succeed.

—Buy Avon Park—
Drink Water With Meals
Good For Stomach
Lower Avon Park (near top and bottom) and make a good meal of it. (See page 10 for more on this subject.)
Water with meals helps to keep the stomach and bowels in good condition. It also helps to keep the blood pure and the system healthy. It is a good habit to get into, and it is one that will pay for itself in the long run.

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COLMAN CYNARA
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TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY

Patole Girl
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NEXT THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY

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CAL KID FROM SPAIN
THE ROYALTY OF THE DOLPHINS

MATINEE SATURDAY, 3:30

We are giving our best to give you the pick of the pictures. Tell us, if you enjoy them.

Sunday School Lesson

FOR MARCH 26, 1933.

SUBJECT: Review of Quarter's Lessons.

During the quarter we have studied some of the important events of Christ's ministry up to one year before his death. The baptism of Jesus occurred in January of A. D. 27 * * * possibly a month earlier. The feeding of the five thousand was in April, A. D. 29, the crucifixion being one year later.

The purpose of these Reviews is to give the most information and greatest benefits obtainable from the lessons. The books give several methods for this quarter's review. If carefully read and thought over, the following outline will benefit you. It gives, for each lesson, the meaning or purpose of Christianity; names of the prominent characters; words concerning Christ; and the great Scriptures, thus:

LESSON I.—Christianity as God's plan for the world; John the Baptist; Jesus was the Messiah foretold in prophecy; Jesus was the beloved Son of God; Make ye ready the way of the Lord; The baptism of repentance unto the remission of sins; He shall baptize you in the Holy Spirit; Thou art my beloved Son.

LESSON II.—Christianity as Seeking Souls for God; Herod Antipas; Herodias, Peter, Andrew, John, James, Zebedee; Jesus was tempted as other men, but overcame the devil; Jesus bade men repent and believe; Jesus bade his followers win other followers; The kingdom of God is at hand; Repent ye, and believe in the gospel; Come ye after me, and I will make you to become fishers of men.

LESSON III.—Christianity and helping men out of their troubles; The Capernaum demoniac; Simon's mother-in-law; Jesus drives evil spirits out of men; Jesus heals sick bodies as well as sick souls; He taught them as having authority; Hold thy peace, and come out of him.

LESSON IV.—Christianity as Salvation from Sin; Four friends of a paralytic; The Capernaum paralytic; The critical Pharisees; Jesus is the only Saviour of Sin; A man sick of palsy, borne of four men, thy sins are forgiven; The Son of man hath authority on earth to forgive sins.

LESSON V.—Christianity and Sabbath-observance; The man with a withered hand; Matthew; Observe the Sabbath; Jesus is Lord of the Sabbath, which should be spent as he desires; The Sabbath was made for man, and not man for the Sabbath; The Son of man is Lord even of the Sabbath.

LESSON VI.—Christianity promoted by select leaders; Jesus chooses his special friends and assistants; Jesus sends men forth to win the world; He calleth unto him whom he himself would.

LESSON VII.—Christianity promoted by earnest listening; Jesus commands men to drive evil out of their hearts and give earnest attention to spiritual affairs; The sower sows the word; Satan taketh away the word; The cares of the world, and the deceitfulness of riches, choke the word; They bear fruit thirtyfold, and sixtyfold, and a hundredfold.

LESSON VIII.—Christianity growing slowly but surely; Jesus takes small things and makes them great; Jesus expects his kingdom to expand from little beginnings; Take heed what ye hear; What measure ye mete it shall be measured unto you; First the blade, then the ear, then the full grain in the ear; The kingdom of God is like a grain of mustard seed.

LESSON IX.—Christianity opposing the powers of evil; The Gadarene demoniac; Jesus can calm all the storms of life; Jesus can subdue the most violent passions; He said unto the sea, Peace, be still; Why are ye fearful? have ye not yet faith? Go to thy house unto thy friends, and tell them how great things the Lord hath done for thee.

LESSON X.—Christianity giving life and health; Jairus; The woman who touched Christ's robe; Jesus is always ready to answer calls for help; Jesus responds to the least touch of faith; Jesus is the Lord of life; If I but touch his garments, I shall be made whole; Daughter, thy faith hath made thee whole; Fear not, only believe; The Child is not dead, but sleepeth; Damsel, I say unto thee, arise.

LESSON XI.—Christianity giving plenty and happiness; The Lad with the leprosy; Jesus is able to use our smallest resources to great ends; Jesus is the Bread of Life; Come ye yourselves apart into a desert place, and rest awhile; He had compassion on them, because they were as sheep not having a Shepherd; Give ye them to eat.

LESSON XII.—Christianity teaching temperance and self-control; Jesus bids men control their evil desires and subdue all iniquities; At last it biteth like a serpent, and stingeth like an adder; The crown of pride of the drunkards of Ephraim shall be trodden under foot; They drank wine, and praised the gods of gold, and of silver, of brass, of iron, of wood and of stone.

THE TIMES' WEEKLY PAGE OF COMICS

DOROTHY DARNIT

By Charles McManus



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

By Charles McManus



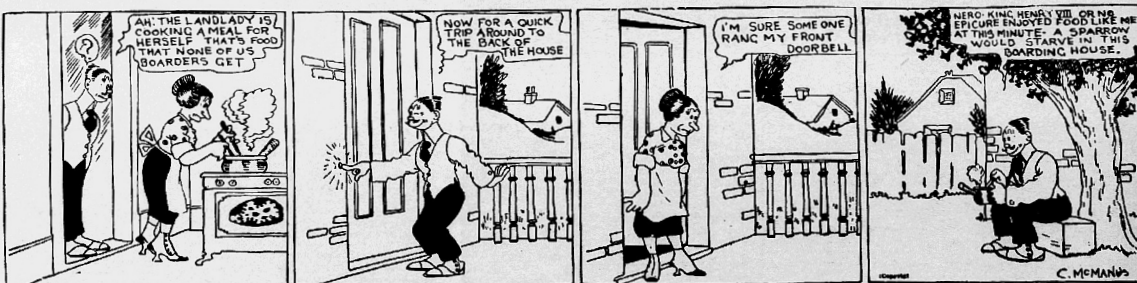
"THE MAIN THING ON MAIN STREET"

By Jack Rabbit



MR. BROAD OF WALL STREET

By L. F. Van Zelm



FINNEY OF THE FORCE

By Ted O'Loughlin

A Sure Thing



Lake Placid News

By REV. O. SEWELL PALMER

MAJOR TYREE'S CLUB SPEAKER

Members of Placid Woman's Club Held Discourse On Hawaii

The Lake Placid Woman's Club held its regular monthly meeting at the Country Club last Friday afternoon, March 17th.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Muriel Blair, and opened with the singing of the club song, "America, the Beautiful," followed by the Club Collect and Allegiance to the Flag.

The meeting was then delivered by Mrs. Irene Carwell, chairman of the program committee, who introduced the speaker of the afternoon, Major Amos Tyree, retired army officer, formerly of Hawaii but now a resident of DeSoto City.

Major Tyree gave a most interesting description of Hawaii, the size, population, and general character of every island in the group. He said that the chief industries are raising and exporting sugar and pineapples.

He said that the climate is more like Florida than any place that he has been, the lowest temperature being 65 degrees and the highest being 85 degrees. He gave a description of the leper hospital and the leper colony, saying that the lepers are cured in the early stages of the disease, and that the incurables usually are accommodated in the families to the colony where they live is not an unhappy one. On only one island could water be obtained and they were used for the size of a cantaloupe and sold for 60c each.

The flowers and shrubs are most beautiful and luxuriant. Fern forests are as tall as pine trees and are very dense. There are two thousand varieties of hibiscus used in hedges everywhere, and whole avenues of Royal Poincianas. The flowering tree that most resembles the Japanese cherry trees in Washington, D. C., when they are in full bloom. When Captain Cook discovered the Hawaiian Islands the population was 200,000 and only 10,000 are left. There are many Chinese and Japanese farmers. The islands now have no singing birds because the natives killed them to procure two feathers from each bird in order to make the marvelous feather robes. The museum at Honolulu is one of the robes valued at \$1,000,000. Their only bird is ferocious and destroys both other birds and the crops. He is the mimic bird.

The natives are gifted in music, poetry, and the famous hula dance. The native dish is poi, very good, and cured the speaker of stomach trouble and cancer throat. There are no size of the island of enormous size also. Spiders the size of dinner plates enjoy devouring the roadside shrubs and viewed as friends and "treasured as house pets."

After the speaker promised to talk to them another time on the same topic the club reluctantly permitted him to depart.

The business session followed. Mrs. Morgan reported for the entertainment committee, saying that \$4.85 had been received from the bridge benefit party. Mrs. Rhine thanked the club for its co-operation in featuring the comedy, "Cool Knights," and reported that the Woman's Club realized \$50.41 from the play.

Mrs. Ethel Seaverns, chairman of the library committee, reported that 18 books had been loaned and that the library had 15 patrons. She made an appeal for an appropriation for new books. The club voted \$15 for this purpose and added to it sums which were used last year for a stove and chairs.

The club decided to buy two dozen folding chairs. The following members were present: Mrs. Muriel Blair, Mrs. Sadie Mathis, and Mrs. Marjorie Bosman, hostesses, and the following members and guests: Mesdames Fern Austin, Muriel Blair, Mabel Andrews, Frances Bowers, Marjorie Case, Irene Carwell, Elizabeth Colburn, Lillian Crews, Jesse Belle Devane, Hazel Finch, Elizabeth Gifford, Hoffman, Marie Huey, Mary Louise Johnson, Helen Jones, Nellie Kleinfelder, Castlemann, Marian Lofton, Eula Partridge, Mrs. Payne, Annie Lou Rhine, Ethel Seaverns, Annie Lou Sims, Helen Tappan, John Taylor, Frances Townsend, Paul H. Dunley, Annie Townsend, Paul H. Dunley, Margaret Stewart, and Misses Frances Wallace, Pearl Pierce, Joan Bryant.

Sunday morning Mrs. and Mrs. E. W. Kelsey and George Kelsey were visitors at the Presbyterian church.

Tuesday evening the official President of the Presbyterian church convened on the Robbing Estate for the sale of convening for some of the members who are on Kilauea.

SCHOOL NEWS

HARRY K. MOUNTAIN, Reporter

Friday, March 17th, the student body was entertained by the Senior class which rendered a St. Patrick's Day program. Speeches were delivered by Loree Henderson, Rebecca Hill, Alma Morgan, Muriel Gay, and Lucille Whidden DeVane. Harry Houston entertained with jokes. The class gave a Limerick concerning the faculty and students.

Thursday, March 16, Professor Ferguson dismissed the school at 2:30 to attend the Highlands Hammock program. Alexander Blair secured transportation for the students who went Thursday and Saturday.

The Junior and Senior classes gave Mrs. Ethel M. Seaverns a surprise party at her home Tuesday night, March 21. Many games were played and a multitude of jokes were told. Refreshments of cake and punch were served. Mrs. Seaverns was the guest of honor.

In the spelling match conducted Friday, the 17th, the students defeated the eighth grade. Eighth grade words were used.

Professor Ferguson announced that the tentative date for the Graduation Exercises is April 24th. The fourth and fifth grades used in the spelling match. The date for the spelling-off has not been set.

The Home Economics Class has completed its first dress, the first real pattern the class members have made this year.

Miss Boetha Frojen, state supervisor of Home Economics, was present at the school and gave approval of the Home Economics work and gave important instruction for the work through the Spring months.

Wednesday, the 15th, the seventh grade had a picnic at Breezy Point. Baseball and men were enjoyed. Mr. Ferguson and Mrs. Stewart were the chaperones.

The eighth grade also had a picnic Wednesday and were chaperoned by Breezy Point by Miss and Mrs. Ethel M. Seaverns.

Baseball practice has begun. No positions have been assigned yet. Those attending practice are: Harry Houston, Herbert Starr, Lawton Roberts, Ray Tompkins, Richard Houston, Joe Sickle, Norman Booker, Red Howze, Telford Smith, Vernon Tyson, Edwin Kelley, M. Ferguson, the coach.

The tentative date for the closing of school is April 25th.

The Senior class has sent the order for their invitations and calling cards to the Balfour company.

The seventh grade students are diligently studying their spelling in the effort to regain their lost reputation.

This week of school ends the seventh month of the High school term. Mr. Ferguson announced that examinations will be given as early as possible.

Lake Placid Invited.

The Okaloosa Senior class has invited the Lake Placid Senior Class to see the play, "The Red Headed Step Child," that they are to present in three acts March 31st.

Placid To Have Baseball Team

Last Wednesday evening a meeting in the Town Hall was called by Commissioner Jack Sims to consider the prospects of baseball this year in Lake Placid. Quite a large number of baseball fans were present.

E. L. Tappen was elected manager of the team for this year. The next meeting will be held on call of the manager. The present aim is to find out how many of the other teams are interested in playing baseball this year. If it is discovered that there will not be enough teams to make an interesting season then perhaps Lake Placid will not have a team either.

Rufus Morgan and family motored to Sebring Thursday to see the movie, "State Fair."

Negro Spirituals On Thursday Night

Thursday evening at the Methodist church the junior choir of the African Methodist Church was the special feature of the program. The negro boys and girls sang to a splendid audience that greatly appreciated them. Such spirituals as "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot," and "Columb's Hear Nobody's Prayer," and "Gonna Walk All Over God's Heaven," delighted the hearers. Their pastor's wife is their trainer and school teacher. They "did themselves proud."

Their pastor, Rev. Brown, has accomplished one of the unusual feats. He has disposed of denominational bickerings and brought such harmony between the Methodist and Baptist elements in his community that they now worship together Sunday after Sunday, using the same building, and alternating preachers.

B. Y. P. U. Held Meeting Sunday

The leader of the B. Y. P. U. program last Sunday evening was Dorothy Payne. The subject of the hour was "The Saving Work of Christ." Ernestine Payne talked on "The Mission of Christ." Norman Booker spoke on the subject, "The Fitness of Christ to Be the World's Savior." Jack Smith used the topic, "He Was the Son of Man." Edith Lewis had the topic, "Christ's Atonement for Sin." Mrs. Lewis spoke on the subject, "The Substitutionary Character of the Atonement," and James Bosman closed the program with a talk on "The Effects of the Atonement." Sixteen were present.

Junior Choir at Methodist Church

The Junior Choir of the Methodist Church last Sunday evening gave the congregation with a special song by 11 boys and girls. The choir group in obtaining the most points during the next six weeks. The group that brings a new member receives 10 points. There are five points for each member of the group present. If the member arrives more than 30 minutes late, no credit. At the conclusion of the contest the losing side will feature a party or a picnic for the winning group.

District Laymen's Meeting Friday Eve

The southern end of the Barlow district of the Methodist Church held its District Laymen's meeting at Lake Placid Friday evening. All attendees will bring box lunches for a picnic and supper at seven o'clock. The social hour will continue until 8:00 p. m., at which time the evening's program will commence.

The presiding elder, Rev. E. Watt Smith, will be present. Others will be here from Barlow, Avon Park, Okechobee and Moore Haven. This meeting follows upon the series of three preaching services on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday evenings in which the presiding elder did the preaching.

Wednesday Evening Bridge Club Met

At the home of Mrs. A. D. Roberts the Wednesday evening Bridge Club was entertained last week. These present were Mesdames E. L. Tappen, DeSoto City, Charles Kleinfelder, Castlemann, Margaret Stewart, R. P. Dunley, L. A. Thompson, and Mrs. M. C. Moore.

Delicious refreshments of peach cake, whipped cream, and iced tea were served.

Judge J. M. Andrews was sick last Sunday.

Boy Scouts To Be Organized

At the last meeting of the commissioners it was decided that they would request each major organization in town to send representatives to a meeting to be held last Monday night to continue the work of organizing Boy Scout troops here. The meeting Monday evening was attended by the following: Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Glasgow of Hicoria were in town Monday. Monday afternoon Miss Mildred Booker motored to Avon Park. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Farmer was a business visitor here Saturday morning.

E. A. Whitaker of Hicoria was visiting in Lake Placid Monday. Friday afternoon Judge M. C. Whitehurst of Sebring was in town. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Crews were on a pleasure trip to Sebring Friday.

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Several names were presented as possible prospective Scout Master and Assistant Scout Master. Character qualifications and reliability and dependability were the chief recommendations. Mr. Palmer especially emphasized the fact that whoever is selected should be "a person definitely interested in the religious life of the community." The representatives from the several organizations agreed to visit their respective groups for an immediate contribution of a minimum of five persons to commence the Scout work.

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PERSONALS

Thursday and Friday P. T. Richards was in bed sick.

Tuesday night someone robbed Mr. Simpson's fish boat.

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FRATERNAL AND CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS

Leigh Chapter No. 85, O. E. S.

Meets first and third Tuesday of each month at 8 p. m. at the Masonic Temple.

MRS. CHARLES McFARLAND, Secretary.

MRS. S. AGNES COX, Secy.

Poinciana Lodge No. 227, F. & A. M.

Meets first and third Fridays of each month at Masonic Temple at 7:30 p. m.

E. E. MELTON, Worshipful Master.

PHIL ABRAMS, Secy.

Highlands Chapter No. 42, Royal Arch Masons

Meets second Monday of each month at Masonic Temple at 8 p. m.

D. F. CANFIELD, High Priest.

C. R. HEAD, Secy.

Holyrood Commandery No. 27, Knights Templar

Meets third Monday of each month at the Masonic Temple at 8 p. m.

LOUIS G. HILL, Froostproof, Commander.

D. F. CANFIELD, Recorder.

Highlands Post No. 69, American Legion

Meets first and third Wednesday of the month at the first meeting at 8 p. m.

W. M. HETHERINGTON, Commander.

GLENN SPINK, Adjutant.

Highlands Unit No. 69, American Legion Auxiliary

Meets every other Monday at American Legion Home on Butler Avenue at 3 p. m.

MRS. L. R. MARLIN, President.

MRS. A. M. MORGAN, Secy.

Richard P. Hobson Camp No. 20, United Spanish War Veterans

Meets fourth Thursday of each month at Veterans Hall, on the pier, Sebring, at 8 p. m.

MAJOR WHITE, Commander.

REUBEN JOHNSTON, Adj.

Woodmen Circle Victory Grove No. 248

Meets every second and fourth Tuesday nights at Odd Fellows Hall at 8 o'clock.

MRS. VIVIAN HARDEN, Commander.

MRS. BARBARA MEADOWS, Secretary.

Boy Scouts of America Avon Park Troop No. 1

Meets every Friday evening at 7:15 at the Armory.

E. E. MELTON, Scoutmaster.

MAX BRUNK, Assistant Scoutmaster.

Avon Park Dramatic Club

Meets every second and fourth Tuesday night at Woman's Club room, City Hall.

MRS. PHIL ABRAMS, Pres.

MRS. LEE KEMPTON, Secy.

Girl Scouts of America Avon Park Troop No. 1

Meets every Friday night at 7:30 at the Congregational church.

MRS. LEE KEMPTON, Scout Leader.

MISS RUTH KEMPTON, Assistant Scout Leader.

BETTY BROOKS, Scribe.

Royal Neighbors of America Upandown Camp No. 10623

Meets first and third Tuesday nights of each month at 8 o'clock in Odd Fellows hall.

WILMA PEDEN, Oracle.

FANNIE SPINK, Recorder.

Parent-Teachers Association

Meets at High School Auditorium every second Thursday in the month at 3:30 in the afternoon.

MRS. W. W. McFARLAND, President.

MRS. B. F. MARTIN, Secretary.

Business and Professional Woman's Club

Meets first and third Tuesday of the month at club room in the City Hall.

MISS MILLIE PEARSON, Pres.

MRS. PHIL ABRAMS, Secy.

Wimoda Club

Meets first and third Friday afternoons at 3 o'clock at homes.

MRS. GLOVER C. DALY, Pres.

MRS. W. W. McFARLAND, Secretary.

Rotary Club

Meets at luncheon every Wednesday at 12:15 at the Jaegerbach hotel.

E. E. MELTON, President.

A. MCKEE ELWELL, Secretary.

I. O. O. F.

Meets every Thursday night at 8 o'clock at Odd Fellows hall.

JOE ALLEN, Noble Grand.

A. C. WESTER, Secretary.

Eleanor Seaverns Rebekah Lodge No. 65

Meets first and third Mondays in May. A. D. 1933, at 8 p. m.

KATHLEEN JONES, Noble Grand.

RACHEL WESTER, Secretary.

Woman's Club of Avon Park

Meets every first Friday of the month at Woman's club rooms in the City Hall at 2:30 p. m.

MRS. W. A. DAVIDSON, Pres.

MRS. E. H. ABLE, Recording Secretary.

MRS. E. W. HART, Corresponding Secretary.

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 April, A. D. 1933, present to the Honorable County Judge of Highlands County, Florida its final account, as executor of the estate of William A. Marshall, deceased, and as such, for a final settlement of its administration of said estate, and for an order discharging it as such executor.

Dated this 22nd day of February, A. D. 1933.

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

By Sam S. Cuno, Vice-Pres.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT FOR DISCHARGE AS ADMINISTRATOR.

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

Notice is hereby given, that on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1933, Mary A. King shall apply to the Honorable County Judge of Highlands County, Florida, 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 account as administratrix of said estate, and ask for their approval.

Witness my hand and seal of said County, this 22nd day of April, A. D. 1933.

Administratrix.

Feb 2 to Mar 21, Inc.

Now Watch Out For The Installment Collector

By M. B.



RESOLUTION ON SCHOOLS PASSED BY F. F. W. C. HERE

Requests Legislative Action For Full Term of Schools in State

One of the resolutions passed by the Florida Federation of Women's Clubs in annual session here last week dealt with the schools and requested legislative action seeking their operation for a full term. The resolution as passed read:

"The Florida Federation of Women's Clubs at their 39th annual convention in Avon Park, March 14-17 adopted the following resolution and request individual club members throughout the state to give this matter their serious consideration and take it up with their representatives before the meeting of the legislature next month.

Resolution No. 14. WHEREAS, the Florida Federation of Women's Clubs assembled at their annual convention at Avon Park, Florida, realize the importance and necessity of education and their duty and obligation to the children of this state; and WHEREAS, the State Road Department at meeting held in Daytona Beach, Tuesday, March 7, adopted a road budget for the ensuing year, exceeding \$14,000,000 and

WHEREAS, schools in some sections of our state have been forced to close this month and next before completing their full term because of the shortage in the anticipated state funds; and

BE IT RESOLVED, that our Governor and Legislature follow the magnificent example of President Roosevelt in meeting the crisis and that immediate action be taken to provide the necessary funds to the schools to take care of the shortage from the anticipated funds appropriated by the legislature so that our schools can continue to operate for their full term.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Legislature appropriate, for the next biennium, adequate funds for the maintenance and support and operation of our school system for the full period so that this present condition can not again exist.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this Resolution be immediately sent to the Honorable Dave Sholtz, Governor of the State of Florida; Senator J. E. Fitch, President-elect of the Senate of Florida; and the two candidates for Speaker of the House of Representatives to be read to both bodies upon convening and that copies be given to the press of the state, also to copy be sent to all clubs, chairmen and officers of the Federation.

(Signed) Mrs. Wm. Pepper Elizabeth Skinner Jackson Chairman Department of Education.

—Buy Avon Park—

NOTICE! A special meeting of the shareholders of The Barnett National Bank of Avon Park will be held Thursday, April 27th, 1933, at 10:00 A. M., in the banking quarters for the purpose of electing a director.

Signed, W. T. Coates, Vice Pres. & Sec'y.

GULF LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

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

Wake Up Your Liver Bile —Without Calomel

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

If you feel sour and sunk and the whole looks punk, don't swallow a lot of salts, mineral water, oil, laxative candy or chewing gum and expect them to make you suddenly seem and buoyant and full of pep and energy.

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

Horticultural Meeting at Lake Wales Next Month

Lake Wales, March 21.—Sessions of the Florida State Horticultural Society in its 46th annual meeting here, April 11 to 13 inclusive, will be held in the high school auditorium, with the Dixie-Walesbilt hotel as registration headquarters. It has been announced by Bayard F. Floyd, Davenport, the secretary, in giving out the tentative program for the proceedings, which are to be directed by President John S. Taylor, Largo. Opening event is to be a reception 8 p. m., Tuesday, April 11, complimentary to the people of Lake Wales, for which an address has been scheduled by a speaker of national reputation.

On Wednesday, the 12th, three sessions will be held, the morning program starting at nine o'clock. Forenoon discussions are to cover these subjects: "Fertilizing of Citrus Trees," "Intake of Plant Food by Citrus," "Crotalaria in Citrus Crops," "Costs in Citrus Fruit Production," and "Introduction of Summer Oranges." In the afternoon, beginning at two, subjects considered will include: "Trees and Fruit as Influenced by Irrigation," "Increasing the Efficiency of Lime Sulphur Solution," "Maturity of Citrus Fruits," "The Grapefruit and Tangerine Situation," and "Value of the Brand in Marketing."

At the conclusion of the Wednesday afternoon meeting, a luncheon will be held for the principal groves and other points of interest in the vicinity of Lake Wales, including the Bok Tower. At 4 p. m. in the evening the delegates will convene to discuss "Growing of Limes in Florida," "Pollination and Other Factors Affecting Avocado Production" and "Tung Oil Developments of the Year."

Thursday, the 13th, again assembling at 9 o'clock, the Society will hear papers and talks on: "Conditions Favoring Decay in Citrus Fruits," "An Unusual Pest of Citrus Trees," "Melanose and Stem End Rot of Citrus Fruits," "Spray and Other Machinery for Groves," and "A Spray Program for Citrus." From 2 to 2:45 p. m. will be devoted to an illustrated address on "Top Working of Citrus Trees," intended especially for grapefruit and tangerine growers dissatisfied with their fruit.

Adjourning at 2:45 p. m. Thursday, the body will leave for the Bok Tower, where a special music program is to be rendered in its honor. From that point the members and visitors will go to the properties of the Mountain Lake Corporation for a spraying demonstration conducted under the supervision of Superintendent R. H. Lindermann.

The evening session of Thursday, set for 8 o'clock, will be devoted to complimentary. The Garden Clubs of Lake Wales with a program on ornamentals, part of which is to consist of a lecture with illustrations, "Trees — the Aristocrats of the Field and Forest," by an authority.

Business requiring transaction may be introduced at convenient periods during the proceedings but the more important items, election of officers and selection of the next meeting place, are scheduled for the end of the Thursday night meeting.

The Florida Rose Society will have its eighth annual meeting in the assembly room of the hotel at 2 p. m. Wednesday, the 12th, with a program of interest to growers of roses and amateurs of Garden Clubs. Mrs. S. F. Poole, Lake Alfred, is president.

The rose show staged by this organization, the eighth held also will be put on Wednesday afternoon, in the hotel parlors. Competition in exhibits is open to all who wish to exhibit and no charge will be made for admission to the displays.

President W. J. Ellsworth, Blanton, has called the first annual meeting of the Florida Agricultural Council for the Dixie-Walesbilt hotel, Lake Wales, at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday, April 11, to elect officers and agree upon a legislative program.

The Florida Agricultural Council was formed by a committee of the State Horticultural Society to protect an organization for representation of farmers and growers in matters of government affecting their interests.

MEMORIAL FOR MRS. ROEBLING HELD SUNDAY

Several Hundreds Attended Services at Highlands Hammock

With many hundreds present, memorial services for Mrs. Margaret Roebling were held at Highlands Hammock Sunday with Dr. Kerr Boyce Tupper of Philadelphia the principal speaker.

Dr. Tupper chose for his subject, "The Glory of a Consecrated Woman's Service," illustrating how all down the line since man's first history the beauty and devotion of a Christian womanhood had added much to the life of man.

Alexander Blair, personal representative of Mr. and Mrs. Roebling told how the Hammock had been loved and idealized by its donor and how her wishes had been fulfilled in the plans as carried out thus far. He told also of some of the many interesting facts concerning the Hammock and the plans proposed for the future.

Dr. Hamilton Holt, president of Rollins College was represented by Dr. E. G. Grover of the faculty. Dr. Grover spoke of the huge educational value of the tropic park and of Dr. Holt's own intense personal interest in its development.

Dr. W. A. Davison of Avon Park, president of the Hammock Board paid personal tribute to Mrs. Roebling for her generosity in making the project possible and also expressed his appreciation of the works of others in its connection. The Rev. D. J. Miller, pastor of the Brethren church of Sebring and the Rev. Heber Weller, pastor of the St. Agnes Episcopal church assisted in the services. Prof. F. J. Gustat and the Sebring Choral Society with Miss Eliza McIlwaine accompanied, assisted in the singing.

Rex Beach, Sebring's most famous resident, was made a member of the Seminole tribe by Governor Osceola, medicine man of the Indians in one of the two tribal ceremonies which were part of the events Saturday. Beach was bestowed with the name On-Ta-Kee, meaning "Father of the Big Hammock," by the Seminole tribe in the second tribal ceremony, an Indian maiden was christened with the name of Mrs. Thomas A. Edison who was present to observe the ceremony and later to meet her namesake.

Miss Marjorie Kitzelman, 16, of Balaklava, Fla., stunted low over the ceremonial in her plane in honor of Mr. Beach and Mrs. Edison.

Following the two ceremonies, the Indians returned to the forest and W. Stanley Hanson, known as the "Seminole best friend," explained to the audience the meaning of the rites performed, translating the language so that all might understand.

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WRUF Farm Program

Gainesville, March 22.—Radio talks about important Florida farm problems will be given each day next week from state radio station WRUF. They will come on the regular Florida Farm Hour, scheduled from 12 to 12:45, EST, as follows:

Saturday, March 23.—Radio's Weekly Farm Newspaper. Farm Editorial Snapshots.

Monday, March 27.—Practical Spring Citrus Disease Control.—E. F. Delbak. The Value of Cover Crops in Highlands County.—L. H. Alsmeper. The Prevention and Control of Bee Diseases in Florida.—R. E. Foster.

Tuesday, March 28.—Cover Crops to Improve Florida Truck Soils.—W. T. Nettles. Cover Crops Used on Manatee County Truck Farms.—J. H. Logan. Farm Question Box.—Wednesday, March 29.—Diseases that Attack Florida Ornamentals and Their Control.—Dr. W. B. Shippy. The Prevention of Rabies.—Dr. E. F. Thomas.

Thursday, March 30.—Grazing Crops for Hogs.—J. Lee Smith. What Closer Spacing of Pearus Has Meant in Suwannee County.—N. G. Thomas.

Friday, March 31.—The Control of Coccidiosis in Chickens.—Dr. E. F. Thomas. Poultry Flashes from U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Charles R. Lewis Died in Veterans' Hospital Tuesday

Charles R. Lewis died Tuesday morning about three o'clock in the Lake City Veterans' Hospital from injuries received when he was over a truck here on the morning of Saturday, February 11 while picking fruit. Burial was near Cotton, Ga., his former home. He was about 40 years of age and is survived by the widow, five children and one brother, George. He was a member of Highlands Post of the American Legion here and following the accident he was rushed to the veterans' hospital for treatment.

Patsy Loomis Is Winner Legion

Big Campaign

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quartette numbers on the Smith-Dermigny Hardware company program.

Mary and Myrtle Turner as the Dolly Sisters sang "Moonlight on the Delta" and other songs in their sister act, sponsored by the Jacaranda Drug company.

The grand finale featured the crowning of Miss Avon Park by the mayor. Ferd d'Anguera at the mike, announced Miss Patsy Loomis as winner, and as the stage filled with the entire cast, the gold crown set with brilliants, was brought in on a black plush cushion by little Miss Mary Smith, and the emblem of royalty placed on the blonde head of the 1933 queen shown here as Miss Patsy Loomis.

The last act was sponsored by Abrams.

Reception After Show

Immediately after the show, the Junior Music club held a reception at the parish house for Miss Avon

Park, attended by one hundred or more. The orchestra came directly from the show and furnished music for dancing. Refreshments were served by members of the Music club, whose treasury benefited by the activity.

Senior Class Play To Be Given Here Friday, April 7

The Senior Class play will be presented in the High School auditorium on the evening of Friday, April 7 it was announced this week. The play selected for the occasion is entitled "Back Stage" and the Seniors are already rehearsing. They promise Avon Park playgoers a show that will long be remembered. It is said to be something entirely different from anything that has been shown here in the past.

A French colonial "1893" Tahiti stamp was sold in London recently for 500, and a copy of the first folio Bible printed in England, dated 1537, brought only \$280.

England Purchases "Bee Villa" and Has Moved There

Announcement was made this week of the purchase last week of "Bee Villa" on the Avon Park-Sebring road, by W. R. England, well known Avon Park resident. The property was purchased from Mrs. Elizabeth Minkler who with her daughter will reside in Sebring in the future. Mr. and Mrs. England moved into their new home this week. The property was bought furnished and the lot has a frontage of 168 feet on state road 8 and extends from the road to the lake. The price paid was not made public.

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Five hundred of the 800 men employed in constructing the new highway being erected by the local Baptist church is progressing rapidly.

Girl Scouts Selling World's Fair Stamps

The Girl Scouts are sponsoring a ten day drive for the sale of Century of Progress stamps, the proceeds from which will aid in staging the Florida exhibit at the World's Fair at Chicago this summer. There is little time left for the preparations for the fair and the Girl Scouts will appreciate an early and wholehearted cooperation.

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Octagon Soap or Powder

10 for 25c

PALM OLIVE SOAP

3 bars 19c

Cigarettes 10c

COFFEE

Bull's Eye, lb. 15c

All Hours, lb. 19c

KEROSENE

5 gals. 50c

MILK

Tall Cans

BORDENS, 2 for 9c

McCormicks

8 oz. Salad Dressing . . . 10c

16 oz. Salad Dressing . . 17c

8 oz. Mayonnaise 15c

16 oz. Mayonnaise 29c

Blackberries

No. 2 can 10c

White Bacon, Pound

Clear Sides 7¹/₂c

Candy, All 5c bars 3 for 10c

SUGAR, 10 lbs. 43c

2 LB. PKG.	4 LB. PKG.	6 LB. PKG.	45 LB. CAN
Lard 15c	29c	57c	\$2.80

Scot Paper Towels and Racks, set 29c

FLOUR, Whitewater Rose, 24 lbs. 75c

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8c 2 lb. pkg. 15c

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Tennessee or Country Roll Butter 23c

Beef or Pork Roast, lb. 10c

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BAILEY NAMED DIRECTOR STATE TEACHING BODY

**Chosen on Board of Florida
Educational Association
Last Week End**

Election of Col. F. N. K. Bailey, Superintendent of Public Instruction of Highlands county, to the directorate of the Florida Educational Association was made at the Tampa meeting of the educators, held last week-end at Tampa.

Professor Longstreet of Tampa, will head the educators for the ensuing year, while Bailey takes his

place, one of 15 men chosen for the board, representing the first district, comprising Hillsborough, Polk, Hardee, DeSoto, Highlands, Glades, Charlotte, Lee and Okeechobee counties.

Highlands county was represented at the meeting by Colonel Bailey, Prof. R. T. Fairry, principal of the Avon Park schools and Prof. L. D. Stewart, Sebring agricultural instructor.

Attendance at the meeting was cut by the present short term of the state schools which has necessitated overtime work by many teachers and principals in order for the pupils to complete their courses.

Dr. John J. Tigert, head of the University of Florida was one of the principal speakers, stating that although head of the state university, he would rather the public

Other speakers at the meeting were Mrs. Mead A. Love of Quincy, president of the Florida Federation of Women's Clubs and Mrs. Howard B. Hunt of West Palm Beach, head-

All urged that the legislature provide for full school terms in the state. A resolution was passed by the gathering urging a change in the state laws in order that the State Board of Education be com-

posed of a man selected from each of the four Congressional districts and one from the state-at-large, the selection to be made by the Governor and all to serve without pay.

Colonel Bailey stated that figures produced at the meeting showed Florida ranking 43rd among the 48

states educationally, this state spending an average of \$37.22 per child, the average expenditure being \$59.32. Only four states spend less money than Florida on their school children, the highest average being a northern state which spends \$117.60 per child.

In discussing school problems in this county, the superintendent stated that whether or not Highlands county retains a commercial and home economic department depends entirely upon the next session of the legislature. Under a

The greater part of school funds,

approximately four-fifths, Bailey stated, are provided by the state, where several years ago, the county provided four-fifths. The decrease in income, due to less auto tax sales has seriously impaired the income of the schools, he added, stating however that if the cost of 100

The Highlands trustees favor the continuation of the home economic

commercial and agricultural course in this county, providing funds are available, but will use every effort to economize and to keep the system out of debt, he stated.

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Atlantic Coast

Line Announces Special Excursions

Special cent-a-mile excursion from Avon Park to a number of eastern cities are announced by the Atlantic Coast Line railroad.

There will be seven of these excursions from now until November, the first being on April 1 and 15, with the return limit on April 22. Cities included in these special low fare rates are: New York, Philadelphia, Atlantic City, Baltimore and Washington.

A special Easter excursion is also announced with tickets on sale on April 10, 11, 12 and 13 and a return limit of 16 days. The cost of this excursion will be on fare plus \$1.00 for the round trip. Pullman fares will also be great.