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PLANNING RURAL REHABILITATION IN THIS SECTION

FERA Administration Gives Information Regarding Relief Plans Here

Sarasota, Aug. 15.—Although no definite program has been formulated and no sizeable amount of funds has been made available for the task, officials of region eight of the Florida Emergency Relief Administration, with headquarters here, have for some time been studying the possibilities of rural rehabilitation in this section. It was announced today by C. K. Dodd, Regional Administrator.

Data on the needs of worthy destitute families, either now on farms or suited to occupy farms, has been gathered by the regional office and comprehensive charts and plans have been prepared, to show just how the rehabilitation can be worked out in these farms.

"The major and primary purpose of the rehabilitation program," Mr. Dodd said, "is to make it possible for worthy destitute families now eligible for relief to become self-supporting on a plane consistent with American standards and insofar as possible on the same farms."

In line with this thought, the FERA surveys have covered every reasonable need of the individual farm family—such as the present time the rehabilitation program is in the stage of consideration by high FERA officials and other government agencies. The FERA has made it plain that it wants to be sure of its footing and that everything is in readiness before it releases funds for the program.

One of the phases of the rehabilitation preparatory work to be completed soon is a survey for the purpose of eliminating the relief rolls all families or persons in rural areas already possessing the necessary resources and the leaders of the community are being urged to self-support when coupled with proper diligence and energy. In other words, Mr. Dodd pointed out, the money will be needed out of the program is inaugurated.

Quoting from a national bulletin on rural rehabilitation, Mr. Dodd said the following items will constitute the program when started:

1. Making such seed stocks, farm animals, equipment and buildings available as may be required for subsistence purpose.
2. Providing the services of trained specialists in agriculture and home economics to aid in formulating plans for subsistence farming and home management education and in supervising the execution of such plans.
3. Providing supplementary employment in private industry or public relief projects if and when necessary to complete the budgetary needs of these families.

It is recognized that complete rehabilitation cannot be accomplished immediately and that methods employed must be of a temporary nature. The conditions prevailing in various communities," Mr. Dodd said, "Home or community gardens, food canning and conserving, pig raising and producing milk for family use are recognized in general as the first steps of the rehabilitation program. The long time phases of this program should embrace a permanent farm and home management plan and a supplementary employment program."

But the destitute farmer, now living, possibly, on his own farm although he has not been able to make a crop or produce enough for his own family, is not the only beneficiary of this program. The so-called "border line" case, according to Mr. Dodd, will come in for attention as will the "displaced farmer" who is now living in a tenant house or in town because he cannot get a farm to live on.

The "border line" case is defined as a farmer whose resources are so nearly exhausted that he will have to apply for public aid if protective measures are not used immediately. This class of case can include the land owner, managing tenant, or share cropper, who may be rehabilitated by loan consolidation, relocation and guidance of the proper agencies."

A "displaced farmer" is one who heretofore has relied upon farming as a means of gaining a livelihood but who finds himself at present without the necessary land or facilities for farming. But this classification does not, at the present time, under interpretation of government bulletins, include those who, although they have followed farming for a considerable time in previous years, have been recently employed in urban centers but are now out of employment.

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NEWS AND VIEWS ON ECONOMIC PROBLEMS FACING ALL NATIONS

Europe continues to hold tenaciously to the rest of the world. A few weeks ago the German executives constituted the greatest headline feature of recent months. The assassination of Chancellor Dollfus followed, and all eyes were focused on Vienna. Now the death of President Hindenburg has again centered the world's interest on Berlin, and has further complicated the already chaotic Central European situation.

It is a known fact that von Hindenburg was simply a figurehead in Germany for the past year or two. Given old and tired, it is reported he could be easily handled by his advisors. It is said that in three months he would sign anything put before him without reading it. As long as he lived, however, the world knew that the German government was officially headed by a man of proven ability and strength. Von Hindenburg was literally the rock of Germany and Central Europe; some believed that he was all that stood between Germany and economic and political chaos.

Chancellor Hitler moved fast when the President died. He at once seized the office of Field Marshal had held and thus became both President and Chancellor. His power over Germany is absolute in theory as well as in fact; there is no check whatsoever on him. He is more powerful than was the Kaiser in the palmiest days of the Hohenzollerns.

A number of qualified observers are now forecasting that Hitler is turning the clock back to the time when Wilhelm II. was not yet on the throne he left in 1918. Hitler's hope, if reports are correct, is to make himself King of Europe. In his success, his rise will have but one historical counterpart—that of Napoleon, who, after his defeat by the Corsican army lieutenant to become emperor of all France.

These events in Germany have an unmissable effect on the Austrian problem. The Nazi party which resulted in the assassination of Dollfus failed, and its leaders have faced firing squads, but the rebels have not admitted defeat. Preparations for overthrowing the present government are being made and are again underway, and the revolutionaries have money, leaders and men. It will be a fight to the death. The Austrian government is today fighting the Nazis and the Austrians are treating them as traitors. It is confining their property and sending dissenters to concentration camps for long terms. Hated by the great emotion of the hour and it is feared much more blood will flow in the streets of Vienna before the issue is settled.

Henry Tomlinson Died Saturday; Burial Sunday

Henry Tomlinson, 62, passed away Saturday afternoon at his home on Lake Tulane after an illness of several weeks. He had been suffering from heart trouble. His death was the immediate cause of death. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Baptist church at Wauchula with the Rev. Sam Durance in charge and interment was at Hart cemetery in Hardee county. Pallbearers were Grady Fortner, Marion Grice, Frank Grice, Morgan Grice, Tom Lamb and Vernon Roberts.

Mr. Tomlinson was raised in Hardee county and had been a resident of Avon Park for the past several years. He was survived by his widow, four sons, James, Lloyd, Grady and Woodrow, and three daughters, Mrs. Alma Ellis, Mrs. Edna Prescott and Miss Juanita Tomlinson.

Medical Association Met Here Tuesday at Jacaranda Hotel

The DeSoto, Hardee and Highlands Medical association met Tuesday evening at the Jacaranda hotel and after a very delicious dinner Dr. Murphy of Bartow read a paper of interest to these present.

Those enjoying the occasion were Dr. Highsmith, Kirkpatrick and McSwain of Arcadia, Dr. Weems and Martin of Sebring, Dr. G. E. Smith of Sebring, Dr. Chandler of Avon Park and Dr. Murphy of Bartow.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to all our friends for their kindness and sympathy through the illness and death of our dear husband.

MRS. HENRY TOMLINSON AND FAMILY.

SEBRING C. C. CAMP WORKING NEAR HAMMOCK

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By popular consent, work starts at daybreak. Leaving camp in the cool hours of dawn, they ride through dew-drenched country, clearing for several miles Lake Jackson which lies like a mirror sheet reflecting mystic bays and headlands of its pine-fringed shore. Leaving the camp drive, the road turns abruptly westward toward the forest jungle known as Highlands Hammock, which furnishes the camping grounds for the inmates in the early days of our history. Charlie Bowlegs Creek, which flows through this hammock, is a reminder that in former days there dwelt here a Chief named by that name. Just before reaching the forest jungle, however, the trucks unload their crews of lustrous workers on the site of the future garden and arboretum, where amid a growth of native small streams lie the headwaters which supply the luxuriant growth of the Hammock beyond.

Arrived at their destination, the boys are divided into numerous crews. Some are clearing a fence line where a permanent fence of wire mesh and posts will soon be erected to enclose the entire area. Other groups are preparing the course for the future garden and arboretum. For some weeks the landscape department and surveyors have been determining the location of this road which will enter at the southeast corner of the property, sweeping northward toward interesting dense growth of native bay, magnolia, and the many other species of trees, shrubs and vines to be found in these hammocks. The road skits Frit Branch for a mile or more. Quite a ravine has been worn by this stream, giving promise for development of a skillful handling by trained plant specialists and designers together with the magic influence of our Florida sun and rain, which will convert this spot into one of the beautiful features of the garden.

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L. A. Lissenby Died in Sebring Tuesday

L. A. Lissenby, 54, died at the Sebring home Tuesday morning from heart trouble. He lived in Avon Park for a number of years until recently when he moved with his family to Sebring. His services were held here at the Stephenson and Blythe funeral home on Thursday morning with Rev. W. K. McClure of the Baptist church officiating. Interment was in Zephyrhills.

Mr. Lissenby was a native of Illinois. He is survived by the widow and the following children, Vernie, Thelma, Wesley and Mrs. Archie Ryals of Sebring. Mrs. John Luit of Prossdorf and Mrs. W. W. Eures of Hicoria and a grandson.

Fewer Drunk Drivers In Auto Wrecks

TALLAHASSEE, August 16.—After Frank, State Safety Director, today announced that according to reports made to his office by enforcement officers that there have been fewer drunken drivers involved in accidents in 1934 than there were in 1933. In Florida, Mr. Frank attributed the increase in automobile accidents to increased registrations, stating that there have been 14,000 more registrations this year than in years previous in the state.

There has been a marked increase in the consumption of both liquor and gasoline since repeal in the United States. Undoubtedly the greater highway mileage has been the more conspicuous factor in the mounting toll of accidents. The number of lives lost through drunken driving still a comparatively small proportion of the total but cannot be ignored," Mr. Frank concluded.

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FLORIDA TO LEAD IN NUMBER OF AIRPORTS

Aviation Division of State Road Department Outlines Their Plans

Tampa, Aug. 15.—(FNS)—Major A. B. McMullen, manager of the aviation division of the State Road Department in a conference here with division superintendents and engineers, outlined a comprehensive plan of aviation development designed to place Florida ahead of all other states in airports, emergency landing fields, airways and airway markers.

Work has been started on more than 60 new fields. Mr. McMullen stated, and improvements have been made on 34 additional fields during recent months. Every effort is being made to complete the work in a 60-day period.

In addition to the field work, 200 airway markers have been placed throughout the state and plans are under way to increase the number to 700. It is the plan of the department to have the state clearly marked for travel by air as by road, making it virtually impossible for pilots to get off their course or crash up through inability to find a landing field.

Major McMullen recently returned from a trip through the middle west where he found widespread interest in Florida's aviation development. He expressed the belief that the coming winter would witness a heavy increase in plane travel to this state.

Florida is destined to become one of the foremost states in commercial aviation. The Pan American Airways, Gulf Airways and Eastern Air Lines all have extensive programs for further development in this state and anticipate a steady increase in air travel as the public becomes more familiar with the excellent facilities provided.

FEARA Office Here Seeking Clothing

As the time draws near for the opening of school, mothers naturally are thinking of the need of suitable clothes for their youngsters.

The emergency relief staff is confronted with the problem of not only finding the scores of children and they would appreciate any contributions of clothes that your more fortunate child may have outgrown.

Do not bother to mend them as women are employed by the relief to do this phase of the work.

Leave any contributions at room 212, Brickell building.

In business, each day is a fresh adventure.

PROSPECTS ARE BRIGHTER FOR FEDERAL ROAD

State Road Board Minutes Explain Present Position of Project

The state road department is "well highly interested" in building Federal Highway No. 19 through the center of the state, according to a report of representatives of the Seenic Highlanders who attended the August 6th meeting of the road board in St. Augustine.

The importance of building the federal highway through the ridge section was stressed by the Seenic Highlanders.

Chairman Treadway stated that the board was fully aware of the importance of this through highway through the center of the state, according to a report in the Haines City Herald, and the department was still highly interested in the road. He expressed approval and the continued interest of the residents of the Seenic Highlanders in the road, and assured them of the co-operation of the state road board in securing Federal Highway No. 19 as soon as possible.

Dr. C. C. Treadway and Robert T. Dewell of Haines City, L. H. Kramer of Lake Wales and Gene Sebring of Sebring represented the Seenic Highlanders.

Survey Completed

The representatives were also advised that the survey from Haines City to Leesburg was completed and that the more extensive survey parties were now at work on the land survey from Haines City south, as the air survey of this section was now complete.

It is necessary that the residents of the Ridge cities continue their interest in and support of the Seenic Highlanders in the effort of that organization to locate Federal Highway No. 19 on the ridge, as efforts are still being made to secure the road from Haines City, according to the Herald.

Road Board Minutes Definite Minutes of the state road department meeting in Sebring, at which a large delegation from the Ridge presented its case, indicated that the road is pretty well settled as far as the board is concerned. The minutes of the board, taken from the official publication of the matter, after reviewing the facts of the presentation of the case, read as follows:

"Mr. Treadway said that he and other members of the Department are very much interested in the location and construction of Federal Highway No. 19, and fully realize its importance. That he had been in touch with Mr. Thomas H. McDonald, chief of the Bureau of Public Roads, and that he had been glad to find that Mr. McDonald had made a detailed study of the proposed road and that he was enthusiastic in its behalf. The Chairman said the Department is having air pictures taken of the ridge section through which the road will run, using every effort to give the road the best possible location, considering drainage, maintenance and economy in the future. The idea of the members is to stay as close to the present State Road No. 8 as practicable, but he reminded the delegation that the location would be made by the engineers of the Department and the Federal Government."

The road will be a 60-foot right of way, predicting the need for four lanes of traffic within a short time. He said he believes this road will be the very best it can be for this section, and promised the delegation that the Department will do the very best it can for this road as soon as Federal funds can be made available for its construction."

Encouraging Sign

A further encouraging sign that some action will soon be started on the proposed Federal Highway No. 19, is noted by the Lake Wales Highlander in the removal of the big convict camp, heretofore stationed in Sumter county, over the line into northern Polk county. The convicts will be put to work during the coming year in grading the highway from the Lake County line into Haines City, surveying which is complete.

Work is Progressing

A dispatch from Sebring to the Times-Union gave some other facts in regard to progress on the road. (Continued on page eight)

Control Committee Thanks Press For Survey Cooperation

ORLANDO, August 16.—Credit for speeding up the statewide survey of Florida is attributed to the newspapers of Florida which carried a recent resume of the question of the state's road in connection with the census. By Forrest C. Graves, state coordinator of the survey. Mr. Graves stated that the return had been materially stepped up since growers had been informed on what the enumerators would require.

"Orange county and others had been averaging 8 1/2 reports per enumerator per day since August 6, when the press statement was printed. This is due entirely and directly to this newspaper publicity."

"Growers are more willing to cooperate, and the information in the article of August 6 in the state press made it very clear as to what information growers would be called upon to give. All other counties have reported a similar increase, and I am most grateful to these newspapers," Mr. Graves continued.

It is expected that 85 percent of the survey will be completed by September 1st.

Wells Returns With Cars and Trucks; to Leave Again Sunday

J. L. Wells and party returned Tuesday midnight from Detroit, Michigan, bringing back with them three trucks and four cars, Dodge and Plymouth. The three trucks each was loaded with a car and the trip was made without a hitch.

Mr. Wells plans to leave again Sunday for the automobile city to bring back another consignment of new trucks and cars. On this trip the party plans to spend two days in Chicago visiting the Century of Progress Exposition.

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HOW ABOUT LIQUOR CONTROL?

That Florida will vote to repeal state-wide prohibition seems to be a certainty. In which event, the next Legislature will be called upon to enact liquor control laws. The success or failure of legal liquor in the state will depend upon the passage of workable and practical regulations governing its sale. In order to avoid confusion, costly delay and a lot of freakish and conflicting liquor laws, it is essential that some definite and concrete program be laid before the Legislature.

Here is a suggestion: As soon as the result of the election is known, and there appears to be no doubt that it will be favorable, let the governor call together a joint committee composed of representatives and senators for the purpose of collecting data and studying regulatory laws now in force in other states. Find out what other people are doing about liquor, and how it is working out. Sift out the best ideas and combine them into a proposed law that the committee would sponsor before the next session. Such a plan would allow more time for a careful study of the liquor problem, would insure better legislation and would save time and expense when the legislature gets under way.

Insofar as we can see, there is only one hitch in the plan. There are no funds to pay expenses of such a committee. But that could possibly be arranged and it would be money well spent if the committee did the right kind of a job.

THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

Seven proposed constitutional amendments will appear on the general election ballot in November, for the approval of the voters of the state. Because there are so many amendments—the greatest number ever submitted to the electorate of Florida at any one time—they will be numbered for convenient reference and ease of identification.

All of them represent important changes in the basic law of the state, but perhaps the two having the most far-reaching effect are Number Two, calling for tax exemption of homesteads, and Number Three, the state-wide prohibition repeal amendment.

Every voter should familiarize himself with the amendments in order to vote intelligently. They will be the most important items on the ballot, as the Democratic nominees will have no opposition and marking the ballot for them will be a mere formality.

Proposed amendment number one would reduce the number of judicial circuits to 15, the 1935 Legislature being directed to provide for the new division of the state into court circuits.

Number two would exempt homesteads from taxation, other than from special assessments for benefits, up to a valuation of \$5,000.

Number three would repeal state-wide prohibition and provide for county option on the liquor question.

Number four would make it unnecessary for grand juries to be called into session in order to obtain criminal indictments except in capital cases, where it still would be necessary for the grand jury to act.

Number five would provide for a uniform system of county and city government, the Legislature classifying cities and towns according to population and enacting general laws to apply to all within each class. This would replace "local" laws enacted for specific laws already in effect.

Number six would grant ad valorem tax exemption to the motion picture industry located or locating in Florida, the exemption extending to the year 1943.

Number seven would consolidate the governments of the City of Jacksonville and Duval County, leaving one governmental unit instead of the two present ones.

The screw worm fly is a new pest that is said to threaten Florida cattle. It has been reported in this immediate territory and is supposed to have been imported from some of the southern states. The fly lights on a cow which has an open wound from a scratch or cut and sucks the blood, meanwhile laying hundreds of eggs. These turn to small worms and penetrate the

body of the animal to vital spots, causing death. Benzol and Pine Oil are being used in treatment of infested animals, but little information is available for the extermination of the fly. Unless immediate measures are taken to stamp out the pest, it is thought there is danger of serious loss of stock.

Wauchula merchants spent \$917 on their Fourth of July celebration. Most of this was spent for a free fish fry, when 8,000 plates were served to the huge crowd. A good investment, without a question.

Imagine yourself a member of a tribe of people so remotely removed from civilization that they believed themselves the only people on earth. The Martin Johnsons found such a tribe in Africa. Too bad to disillusion them.

Governor Sholtz has issued an order banning all slot machines, which have been operated in some counties in violation of the law. The governor is right. Slot machines are set to pay off for the house, and anybody who plays them is a sucker, pure and simple.

Somebody who knows more about the citrus scrap than we do will have to write the comment on why Secretary Wallace scrapped one apparently good working agreement and substituted another one. Reports from the Orlando meeting, however, indicate that the growers have finally gotten an agreement that satisfies them. We hope it works out to the betterment of the industry as a whole and brings better prices to the grower—which is the milk in the coconut of the whole proceedings, anyway.

Asher Frank, state safety director, says that there has been fewer drunken drivers in Florida in 1934 than there were in 1933. Without appearing to dash cold water on his statement, we point out the fact that there are four and a half months left in the year, and there is still time for the drunks to reach the 1934 total. However, taking the situation by and large, drunken drivers have not been the menace to safety that it was predicted they would be. A stiff fine for the first offense, and a jail sentence for the next appearance in court will reduce the number of this class of accidents.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY
BY RUSSELL KAY

Daytona Beach—And now the mallet fishermen have gone on strike. Well I should worry, I can use fiddlers or pin-fish for bait.

But it just goes to show how cock-eyed the world is getting. I always thought it was the fish that were supposed to be news, like a dog biting a man.

Speakin' of strikes, there are two or three other groups that could walk out without causing me any loss of sleep or breaking my heart.

Any time the Amalgamated Guava Pickers or the American Federation of Spinach Pullers take it into their heads to lay down their baskets and start picketin' the fields, I'll be okay. Dokey with me.

We have certainly had our share of strikes in this country for the past few months. Some folks seem terribly upset about it. They want you to believe that it is only the beginning and predict all sorts of disasters.

However, they overlook the fact that we've been stagin' a first class wrestlin' bout with old man Depression, and came to near havin' our shoulders pinned to the mat that it wasn't even funny.

While the Republicans were referenin' the match anything went. Hair pullin' eye gougin', chokein', kickin' in the shin, or what have you, until the melee got so bloody rough the combatants knocked the referee clean out of the ring and put in a new one named Roosevelt.

So we weren't gettin' any place the way we were goin', so we cracked down on us and said here we gotta play the game accordin' to the rules. That was old man Depression at his best, and we've had him on the defensive most of the time since. These strikes we're havin', while discomfortin' and annoyin', are at the same time an indication that we're makin' headway.

We've had several depressions in this country in years gone by and if you'll take the trouble to go back and check the records, you'll find that in every instance, after we had turned the corner and were well on our way back to normal, our pathway was all cluttered with strikes and turmoil.

It is as natural as a black and blue spot after a bump, ugly looking, yes, but to be expected. We're going through a readjustment period now but we'll come out of it all right and find sunny days ahead.

Here in Florida we have less to worry about than folks have in other sections. Nature has indeed been kind to us. When we compare our few troubles with those of sister states we quickly realize what a blessing it is to be a Floridian.

The coming winter promises to be a mighty good one for Florida. All indications point to a whale of a winter. Our oranges generally are in the best of grade. Our fruit and vegetables will find a splendid market with our marketing arrangements in better shape than for many years.

We can well afford to heed our Governor's call to let this week as a week of prayer for other states beset with strife and difficulties and a week of thanksgiving for the blessings that are ours.

THE AVON PARK TIMES

Up and Down the Mall and Elsewhere

Acting under hizzoner, the mayor's orders, Chief Bob Still buying sidewalk and other improvements to the old Mall. This is the result of the ordinance passed by council at its last meeting.

Salomen and dealers for popular priced cars dickerin' with prospects and trying to make a trade. Ray Wells says they don't have to sell cars, people just come in and buy 'em.

Bert Freeman is going to attend some tax convention in Boston and hopes to take in the World's Series at the same time. Bert ought to know his beans when he gets back from Boston.

McKee Elwell says he went to school with William Powell, the movie actor. He's the same old Bill, Mac says always acting.

Mac also reports a former Avon Park sufferin' from amnesia, was recognized at a local hospital by Joe E. Brown, the big movie comedian. The girl getting this break was known here as Miss Lann Roberts, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Bob Roberts. She later married "Ginger" Shinnall, ball player.

Remors here and rumors there, Chase 'em down and hope you've got a story and they don't amount to anything. If all the rumors were published, somebody might be leavin' town in a hurry.

Hard luck for Bill Dutton of Sebring Sunday afternoon. Bill and his family were leaving for the World's Fair at Chicago and his car and a negro came together on the corner of Main and Central avenue. No one was hurt but Bill had to go home for repairs.

Prospects for the crate milk coming season are very bright. Information credits them with plans for making half again as many boxes as last season. The Ridge Crates Co., formerly the Mutual, has been making extensive repairs this summer and Ed DeLaney says he has four more weeks work in the repair line but only two weeks in which to do it. That puts him in a tight spot about September the first. And that's good news.

Now, if the growers can get good prices for their milk, everything will be all hunky dory. Inez Dawson just back from Atlanta, says its hot out there in Gawwin, but with the complaints about it, other people laughed at her. "Theatre" Johnson sure likes his punch boards. How much did it cost you to break even the other day, Johnson?

Where's that permanent "A" & "P" Johnson was supposed to get. He has not been seen sportin' it yet.

Local bankers strollin' across the Mall on their way to "work."

Marine Spring Is Found Near Daytona

Daytona Beach, Aug. 15.—(FNS)—The discovery of a marine spring, bubbling up from the waters of the Atlantic ocean, three miles off of Matanzas inlet was reported this week by a geologist, Herbert Gunter, who in company with United States geological engineers spent some time inspecting the phenomenon.

Water taken from the spring was salty and sulphurous Mr. Gunter said. The spring is nearly 100 yards in diameter on the surface. This area is as placid as a millpond amid the surrounding white caps of the ocean. The depth of the spring was estimated at approximately 150 feet. The ordinary depth of the ocean bed at that point is but 50 feet.

Two similar springs have been reported in Florida waters, one off Cape Canaveral and the other in the Gulf, between Carrabelle and Lanark.

COUNTY AGENT'S COLUMN

The tropical fruit growing in the Mall at Avon Park is of a wide variety and value.

These plantings, ex-Mayor Donaldson rendered a great service to the citizens of this county as these plants are the only ones of their various plants to our conditions on the Ridge.

The Abachi variety of pineapples is now being offered at local markets and receiving many favorable comments. This variety is one of the sweetest varieties cultivated, has a very small, if any core and waste. The pineapple fruit is relished by practically everyone and can be used for many purposes.

A start in a small home planting of pineapples can be made by purchasing the fresh locally grown pineapples from the table and then twisting the top out of the apple instead of cutting same off the fruit as is usually done.

After the top is removed, then moving any of the fruit which may be adhering to the slip and planting the slip in good soil. With the climatic advantages and conditions existing in most places in this county, most everyone can grow more than enough pineapples for home use.

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Another Letter From Marcus, Jr. On His Travels

Marcus Covington, Jr., and Sherrard and Arthur Johnston had reached Vancouver, Wash., on the morning of the 10th of October, A. D. 1934. Marcus wrote to the Post-Office National Park, when this letter was written:

CRATER LAKE, ORE., Aug. 4

Dear Mother and Dad:

We arrived here at Crater Lake this morning after spending the night in a field near Medford, Oregon. From San Francisco we took the Redwood highway and passed through some of the most beautiful country I have ever seen. We had to stop just out of San Francisco and put in new bands as we had practically no control of the car while in San Francisco. As we were first on the morning after the Post-Office National Park, when this letter was written: We had to stop just out of San Francisco and put in new bands as we had practically no control of the car while in San Francisco. As we were first on the morning after the Post-Office National Park, when this letter was written:

After dinner, he left us as he had no engagement. We walked up and down Chinatown and Market street till about 9:30 p. m., and then we got in the car and drove to the hotel.

We had practically no low and hardly no brakes, so we had a time in traffic. We got on the ferry all right and went on the upper deck, where it was warm. (Steam heat) It was very cold in San Francisco. We wore two sweaters while there. It was windy crossing but we got across fine. When the ferry docked we went to the hotel and then ran the length of it in high (no low) to get up on the pier. The tide was out. That was a certain place we had to go to.

The next morning we started up a hill but could not climb it (no low), so we stopped and had lunch on the side of the road. We now have very good brakes and clutch. Yesterday we passed through the Redwoods, the most beautiful forests I ever saw. On one side it would look just like the mountains, with big trees, streams, mountains, hills, etc., and on the other side was the blue Pacific. Some time we would be level with the water and some time 1,000 feet above it. Yesterday the generator ceased to generate so we had to get a new one. This morning we came on Crater Lake, climbing over 6,000 feet. The lake is the most beautiful thing I ever laid eyes on and more vivid blue than that seen in the National Geographic magazine. It is mid-day now and I have on my sweats and am still cold. They have not seen a single geologist there, so we have seen. We plan to go on to Portland from here. The buildings here are heated every night and some all day.

Love,

A card written on AUGUST 15, said: We are now on our way home as we will go. We are in Vancouver, Wash. From here we will take the Highway down to Boise, Idaho and then on to Yellowstone. We wanted to go to Glacier National Park but the road was too bad. The money low. While at Crater Lake we took a 1 1/2 trail from camp and found snow on the north side of the peaks. We saw the battleship Oregon (Spanish War) and plan to see the Houston this morning if it is still in port."

MARCUS.

Conservation Dept. Collects \$167,770.00

Tallahassee, Aug. 15.—(FNS)—The annual report of the State Conservation department for the fiscal year ending July, revenue increase of \$27,339 over the preceding year, from the sale of 400,000 acres of land.

A total of \$167,770 was collected from hunters, fishermen, dealers in shell fish and seafoods, and operators of boats for pleasure and fishing.

The department is supported entirely by funds derived from the sale of licenses. There are no taxes levied for the support of the conservation department and the legislature makes no appropriation of state funds for its operating or conservation agencies.

William E. Gladstone—"If asked the reason for the heart's deepest sorrows, I must point to the old, old story, told in an old, old book, and which is the greatest and best gift ever given to mankind."

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NOTICE OF EXECUTOR For Final Discharge

In Court of County Judge, Highlands County, State of Florida.

In re Estate of Laura S. Butler, Notice is hereby given, to all whom it may concern, that on the 10th day of October, A. D. 1934, I shall apply to the Honorable M. C. Walchurst, Judge of said County, as Judge of Probate, for my final discharge as Executor of the estate of Laura S. Butler, deceased, and that at the same time I will present my final account as Executor of said estate, and ask for their approval.

Dated August 1, A. D. 1934.

SARAH L. FERRIS, Executrix.

Aug 10-Oct. 5 Inc.

Notice of Application for Tax Dead Notice is hereby given that B. Weissinger, Box 234, Sebring, Florida, has filed Tax Certificate No. 845, dated 3rd day of August, A. D. 1934, has filed said certificate in my office and made application for tax deed to issue thereon in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Highlands County, Florida, to-wit: Lot 11, block 112, Lakeview Place, sections 19 and 20, township 34 S., Range 29 East.

The assessment of said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of Mrs. Mary F. L. C. Ellsworth.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 20th day of August, A. D. 1934.

Dated this 18th day of July, A. D. 1934.

(SEAL) W. Z. CARSON, Clerk of Circuit Court, Highlands County, Florida.

By F. E. Macdonald, D. C. July 20-27 Aug. 3-10-17.

Notice of Application for Tax Dead Notice is hereby given that A. P. Southworth, Sebring, Florida, holder of 1-3 of Tax Certificate No. 1925, dated 4th day of July, A. D. 1937, has filed said certificate in my office and made application for tax deed to issue thereon in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Highlands County, Florida, to-wit: W 1/2 of NW 1/4, Sec. 20, Twp. 39 S., Range 29 East, 80 acres.

The assessment of said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of Townsend Sash, Door & Lumber Co.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 17th day of September, A. D. 1934.

Dated this 11th day of August, A. D. 1934.

(SEAL) W. Z. CARSON, Clerk of Circuit Court, Highlands County, Florida.

By F. E. Macdonald, D. C. Aug. 17-24-31, Sept. 7-14.

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Clerk of Circuit Court, Highlands County, Florida.

By F. E. Macdonald, D. C. July 20-27 Aug. 3-10-17.

Resolution Whereas, Bert F. Wilson, the City Tax Assessor, of the City of Avon Park, Highlands County, Florida, has completed and filed with the City Clerk, a preliminary tax assessment roll for the year 1934, as required by Section 30 of the Charter of said city.

Now, therefore, be it resolved, by the City Council in session duly assembled:

1. That the 11th day of September, A. D. 1934, at 7:30 p. m., be set as a day when the City Council shall sit as an Equalizing Board to hear complaints of all parties who are dissatisfied with the assessment of their property as fixed by the Tax Assessor of said city, and shall make such adjustments in the values on the tax roll as to them may seem proper.

2. That the parties who are dissatisfied with said assessment be required to appear before the Equalizing Board on said day and make their complaint known.

3. That a copy of this resolution be published in a newspaper published in the City of Avon Park for two consecutive insertions.

Adopted in regular session of the City Council of the City of Avon Park, Florida, this 7th day of August, A. D. 1934.

F. W. SHOCKLEY, City Clerk.

Approved: S. J. PENDLETON, President.

Aug. 10-17.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED Notice is hereby given, that Wiley Sauls, Avon Park, Fla., holder of Tax Certificate No. 1270 dated 1st day of August, A. D. 1932, has filed said certificate in my office and made application for tax deed to issue thereon in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Highlands County, Florida, to-wit: W 1/2 of NW 1/4, Sec. 20, Twp. 39 S., Range 29 East, 80 acres.

The assessment of said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of Townsend Sash, Door & Lumber Co.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 17th day of September, A. D. 1934.

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SOCIAL and Personal News

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By MRS. E. E. MELTON
Society Editor

Benefit Bridge Luncheon a Success

The benefit bridge luncheon sponsored by the women and men committee of the Woman's club last Friday was most successful. The party took place at the lovely home of Mrs. J. Paul Garber on Lake Byrd and a variety of flowers were used in decorating the spacious living room, where comfortable were in play.

Four progressions of contrast were played before the delicious luncheon was served at one o'clock.

The prizes were awarded to Mrs. Fred Keune of Fort Myers, holder of high score. Mrs. Harry McFerrin, second high and Miss Barbara Weaver, third.

Those present on this occasion were: Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. M. E. Covington, Mrs. E. E. Smith, Mrs. Frances Shockley, Mrs. Roy Felkner, Mrs. G. E. Thayer, Mrs. Fred Penon, Mrs. Charles Hall, Mrs. C. C. McFerrin, Mrs. Earl Ware, Mrs. George Scott McKnight, Mrs. Demos Mann, Mrs. Reubin Johnson, Mrs. W. M. Rock, Mrs. Fred Keune, Mrs. A. H. Able, Mrs. Y. Hart, Mrs. Fred Keune, Mrs. H. M. Johnson, Mrs. J. E. Spencer, Mrs. O. H. Pardee, Mrs. C. E. Hadden, Mrs. Fred Patterson, Mrs. John Hood, Mrs. Milford Dilley, Mrs. C. R. Ginn, Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mrs. A. McNichols, Mrs. E. E. Melton. Guests from Bartow were Mrs. C. H. Walker, Mrs. Redfield and Miss Lou Wright.

A twelve o'clock luncheon served for the men was well attended.

Meeting of Baptist Missionary Society

The Baptist Missionary Society met at the church Monday afternoon for the regular business program meeting. Mrs. J. L. Pendleton, president.

The program was for the Margaret Student fund, which is an educational fund for the children of missionaries. Mrs. B. F. Martin and Mrs. Otto Skipper gave a short play, that was enjoyed very much.

Those present were: Mrs. J. L. Pendleton, Mrs. J. L. Collins, Mrs. Will Clark, Mrs. Guy Orr, Mrs. W. K. McClure, Mrs. D. Sherman, Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mrs. H. Bowman, Mrs. Otto Skipper, Mrs. B. F. Martin, Mrs. J. M. Alderman, Mrs. Will Bennett, Mrs. Oak Bryant, Mrs. Camp, Mrs. Charles Clements, Mrs. W. W. McFarland and Mrs. Weaver.

Mrs. Covington Entertains Club

Mrs. M. E. Covington charmingly entertained the Monday afternoon bridge club at her home on Pine street, Monday afternoon.

Yates of profit and loss flowers were attractively arranged about the living room, where three tables were in play. After the games the hostess served a delightful ice course.

Mrs. E. P. Loomis was winner of the high score prize. Those present were: Mrs. W. D. Dornier, Mrs. A. H. Able, Mrs. E. P. Carmichael, Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mrs. Harcourt Johnson, Mrs. J. L. Garber, Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. E. P. Loomis, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. Jack Head, Mrs. G. P. Thayer and Mrs. E. E. Melton.

Travel Club Met Last Friday

The Travel club met Friday, August 10 at the home of Mrs. E. G. Todd.

The program was called to order at 3:30, and after a brief business session a program on Russia was enjoyed.

Light refreshments of cake and lemonade were served by Miss Letta Reck to those present who were: Misses Marjorie McKnight, Marcia Weisheyer, Dorothy Weisheyer, Mildred Wray, Darwen Morrell and Allie Bell. Guests of the club were Mrs. E. G. Todd, Mrs. William Reck, Miss Virginia Guthrie and the hostess, Miss Letta Reck.

JEAN CORRELL, Reporter.

Henderson-Spurlock Wedding Monday

Webster Henderson and Miss Jessie Spurlock, both of Avon Park, were quietly married Monday by Rev. Bryant E. Newell, D. D.

Mrs. Felkner Hosts at Bridge

Mrs. and Mrs. Roy Felkner delightfully entertained a few friends Thursday evening at a bridge dinner.

Bouquets of pastel colored zinnias brightened the party rooms and upon the arrival of the guests, a delicious chicken dinner was served. Bridge was enjoyed after dinner until a late hour.

At the conclusion of the games, prizes were awarded. Mrs. Frances Shockley and George N. Wiedenb received high score prizes and Mrs. A. H. Able and Dr. George Scott McKnight held the low scores.

Those enjoying Mr. and Mrs. Felkner's hospitality were: Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Frances Shockley, Dr. and Mrs. George Scott McKnight, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ware, Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Able, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McFerrin, Mrs. H. M. Johnson, Miss Barbara Weaver, M. V. Picher, Roland Drott, Bill Sackmeister, and George N. Wiedenb.

Tuesday Club With Mrs. Keller

Mrs. H. E. Keller was a charming hostess Tuesday, when she entertained the Tuesday luncheon club at the Jacaranda hotel.

After luncheon was served at one o'clock, the guests enjoyed several progressions of contrast. When scores were tallied, Mrs. E. Booth was found to hold high score and was awarded an attractive prize.

Those enjoying Mrs. Keller's hospitality were: Mrs. Jack Head, Mrs. E. P. Loomis, and Mrs. E. E. Booth.

Miss Elder Hostess To Friends

A party was enjoyed at the home of Miss Grace Elder Tuesday evening. The guests played bingo and games. Later punch and cookies were served to the following: Misses Nell Rutledge, Dorothy Skipper, Loretta Reed, Louise Rogers, Goldie Mae Eads, Edna Hadden, Irene Dyer, Edna Earl Griffin, Elsie Lee, Beanie and Earl Hutztag, Albert Melvin, Ralph Rogers, Isaac and Harry Hadden, Mildred Rutledge, William Griffin, Leland Elder, Ellis Elder, and hostess, Miss Grace Elder.

Births

Mrs. and Mrs. S. S. McCollough are the parents of a 7½ pound boy, born Tuesday evening. Both mother and son are reported to be progressing nicely.

Tom Graham was a business visitor in Bartow Wednesday.

J. R. Barnhill of Lake Wales was a business visitor in Avon Park on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. and Mrs. Roy Felkner spent last Sunday in Lake Wales, the guests of Mrs. John Caldwell.

R. W. Glass of Wausau, Wis. and Limestone was a business visitor in Avon Park yesterday.

Miss Ruth Hogan of Sebring was a visitor in Avon Park last Sunday afternoon.

C. H. Davis of Lake Wales was in Avon Park Tuesday looking after business matters.

Mrs. and Mrs. Joseph Jaques, of Frostproof, visited with friends in Avon Park Wednesday.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. L. Wells and children Betty Jo and Marjorie, returned Wednesday from a delightful trip to Detroit.

Wendell Roberts has returned from Mississippi, where he was employed by the government as an inspector of fruit.

Mrs. W. E. Dawson and sons, Billy and Buddy, of Clearwater, arrived yesterday for a few days visit with Miss Inez Dawson.

W. K. McClure will leave Saturday for Tennessee, where he will enter school at Carson Newman college.

Mrs. H. E. Keller and son, Bobby, were guests last week end of Mrs. Keller's mother, Mrs. M. E. Huger in Haines City.

Among others from Avon Park attending the citrus meeting in Orlando Tuesday, were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rumsby, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Turner, P. C. Morrell and Wendell Roberts.

Friends of E. W. Gough will regret to learn that he has been confined to his bed the past week with pneumonia. Latest reports are that he is improving.

Mrs. Jack Simms and Mrs. Fred Crews, of Lake Placid made a combined business and pleasure trip to Avon Park on Wednesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Baldwin of Cocoa, were guests Tuesday night of Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Baldwin at their home on Highlands avenue.

E. G. Todd and George Guthrie spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Orlando, where they attended a citrus meeting that was being held there.

Friends of Mrs. Rose Abrams will regret to learn that she is ill in a Sebring hospital, having been operated on for appendicitis last Wednesday.

Miss Susan Eastman will return tomorrow to her home in Cincinnati, after a delightful visit here with her grandmother, Dr. Louise Eastman.

Miss Mildred Raulerson of Okaloosa and Roscoe Bass are spending this week at Anna Maria beach, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lander.

Mrs. Thomas M. Jones returned to her home in Daytona, after a short visit here with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carter.

Mrs. and Mrs. T. J. Russell and family arrived home Wednesday, after a two weeks trip, by auto, through Indiana. During the trip they visited with relatives.

Mrs. E. E. Melton and sons, Eton and Donald are spending the week end in Bartow with Mrs. Melton's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Fulton.

Mr. and Mrs. Nell Trent and daughter, Miss Sara Lucy and son Buddy, left last Saturday for Nashville, Tenn. They expect to be gone about two weeks.

Mrs. and Mrs. Jack Head and children, Jack, Jr., and Yvonne, left yesterday for Daytona Beach, to spend a two weeks vacation there.

Mrs. and Mrs. W. D. Dornier and daughters, Frances and Sojette, returned on Sunday from Sarasota where they had spent the past week.

Mrs. Pete Burgess and two sons, Peter and Charles, of Thomasville, Georgia, arrived this week for an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Stoenecanis.

G. N. Wiedenb of Jacksonville is here taking the place of W. T. Coates in the Barnett National bank while Mr. Coates is away on his vacation.

Mr. L. E. Bass and Mrs. Ruth Hyllon returned Saturday from Anna Maria Beach where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lander, of Raiford, who are vacationing at Anna Maria.

Mrs. and Mrs. C. C. Jones and children Taylor and Lucille, of Plant City, were guests on last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Head at their home on Tulane Circle.

Mrs. and Mrs. Joseph Patterson of Winter Haven were the guests last Sunday of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Yearwood at their home on Lake Byrd.

Mrs. Ida Marshall, Col. Chas. F. Head and Miss Zeida Langford left Tuesday morning for New York and other northern points. They expect to be gone for about three weeks.

Professor C. E. Croeland of Lake Wales will be the winning speaker at the Congregational church next Sunday, was the dinner guest of Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Able last Sunday.

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Reid, who are vacationing at the Seaside resort, that they are having a wonderful time and expect to return to Avon Park some time next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCabe and children, Bobby and Myra Wilma, of Benson Springs, spent Saturday in Avon Park visiting with friends. Mr. McCabe is connected with the Florida Public Service Co., and was recently transferred to Benson Springs.

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Gilmore, who are spending the summer visiting relatives in Scotland, that they are having a wonderful time and expect to be back in Avon Park by the middle of September.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Pendleton and children, Tommie Lou, Russ and J. L., left Saturday for an extended trip through the north. They expect to visit points in Canada before returning to Avon Park in September.

Mrs. E. F. Carmichael and children Frances and Benjamin will leave in the motor of Mrs. S. C. to join Mr. Carmichael, who has been there since the latter part of June. They will return to Avon Park early in September.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Parke Anderson and daughter Arden, motored to Anna Maria Beach, Saturday, to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lander. Mr. Anderson returned to Avon Park on Sunday, leaving Mrs. Anderson and Arden for a longer visit.

Mrs. T. A. McNichols and Miss Mary McNichols motored to Land Tuesday afternoon, to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lander. Mr. McNichols and Miss Patterson expect to join the Pattersons next week at the beach.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Patterson and son, Fred, will be accompanied by Mrs. Joseph Patterson of Winter Haven, left Monday to spend two weeks at Fort Myers Beach. Mrs. Carlotta Patterson is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Yearwood. Mr. and Mrs. Yearwood and Miss Patterson expect to join the Pattersons next week at the beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Maxwell, Mrs. L. M. Orr and daughter, Charlotte and E. B. Bann, motored to Orlando Tuesday. Mr. Maxwell and Mr. Bann attended the citrus meeting, while Mrs. Maxwell, Mrs. Orr and Charlotte visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jackson at the Summerlin hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Jackson are former residents of Avon Park.

Prof. Croeland at Congregational

Prof. C. E. Croeland of Lake Wales will fill the pulpit at 11 o'clock Sunday morning at the Congregational church. His subject will be "The Greatest Word in the English Dictionary." Prof. Croeland is a graduate of Oxford University has done extensive work on the Chautauqua platform and is also an active worker in Rotary. The pastor, Dr. A. P. Vaughn is away on vacation and during his absence the pulpit is being filled by out of town preachers and members of the congregation.

Timid Soul Turns To Raging Lion in "Sweeney" Comedy

"Friends of Mr. Sweeney," the feature attraction scheduled at the Avon theatre Sunday and Monday, is a red-hot, farcical comedy novel by Elmer Davis, who has taken his prize-winning character of a "timid soul" sort of person who is inspired by love, liquor and a little bit of courage to become a raging lion.

Chick Ruggles, in the role, blossoms out in a night as a big time sport and the terror of a band of crooks in some of the most ridiculously funny situations imaginable. It is a picture filled with thrills that is said to wind up in a smashing climax, in which Ruggles not only catches the bad men, but forces his boss, to whom he had been always obsequious, to give him the run of his business.

Ann Dwyer supplies the love interest in the leading feminine role as Ruggles' secretary who eggs him on to be a real devil of a fellow.

Eugene Pallette, the famous "Sergeant" of the S. S. Van Dine screen plays, adds his share of mirth to the lively Westerner who comes to visit his old college pal.

Dorothy Burgess appears in the role of a Greenwich Village type who is trying to drink the town dry; while Dorothy Tree has the part of a bogus Russian countess, who acts as a seductive lure for a band of crooked politicians.

Robert Barrat is a Russian Red who rails at everything and everybody, the while he sponges on their hospitality.

Berton Churchill is the hypocritical editor of a high brow magazine for whom Charles Ruggles slanders. The cast includes Harry Tyler, Harry Beresford and William Davidson.

The picture was directed by Edward Lauder. From the screen play by Warren Duff and Sidney Sutherland.

Thelma Todd



Heart menace in "COCKEYED CAVALIERS" starring Bert Wheeler and Robert Woolsey. Thelma Todd is a devastating comedy, declaring that with the assistance of these groups this plan could be put into effect in the eight corners of the jurisdiction within a short time after official authorization, which is likely to come through at any time, providing the complete plan received final approval.

It was also pointed out that while the program is "on paper" there are no funds with which to put it to work at this time—and that farmers and others interested in the program will be given due notice. Nothing can be gained by filing applications or calling at FFA offices at this time, it was said.

Gasoline Mileage Depends on How Car is Handled

How many miles per gallon of gasoline you get? Operating economy in a motor car depends as much on the driver as on the car, according to C. E. Lanier, local Ford dealer.

"You hear motorists claiming high mileage and others maintaining that their cars are 'gas hogs.' Often there is a wide variance in these claims even when they involve the same make of car," he said, "and this usually is due to the fact that the motorist does not drive alike. Some drivers have a habit of touching the accelerator while in neutral at a traffic light. Others touch the gas pedal before they have cleared the engine; others make frequent spurts with consequent waste of gasoline through flooding the carburetor. Others drive at high speed, of course, results in the excessive use of gasoline."

"Specific examples of the fact that operating economy depends largely on the methods of driving is contained in records secured by the Ford Motor Company from 33,448 owners of the closed Ford V-8s, who had driven their cars a billion miles. These records showed the average gasoline mileage to be 16 per gallon, but almost 25 per cent of these owners got very much higher mileage—from 18 to 20 miles or more per gallon."

Those records were made with the 1933 V-8. This year's cars give even better mileage, for the use of the dual down-draft carburetor and refinements in the engine have increased the operating economy of the new cars. This is conclusively shown in an accurate record of the cost of a 182 mile trip to the Pacific Northwest recently made with a 1934 Ford V-8 by the principal of a Caldwell, W. Va., high school. Although his road speed ranged from 50 to 60 miles per hour and the trip included hundreds of miles of desert driving, against a very hilly mountainous country, Pike's Peak, he used only 38.3 gallons of gasoline with an average of 18.8 miles per gallon.

"Motorists who compare the mileage of their present Ford V-8 with the mileage they got from the Ford cars of a number of years ago, should remember that today they are driving very much faster than they did a few years ago. Today's cars, if driven at the speeds commonly used fifteen or twenty years ago, would give greater mileage per gallon of gasoline. As a matter of fact, today's Ford V-8 is the most economical car to operate that Ford has ever built. The economy that various owners get, however, depends largely upon the manner in which they drive."

Summer Term Ends At State University

Gainesville, Aug. 15.—(FNS)—A class of 166 students were graduated from the University of Florida Summer school last week with impressive ceremonies. N. Vernon Hawthorne, State's attorney general, delivered the baccalaureate address, entitled "Dollars and sense" in Education. He stressed the importance of education in preparing for life, raising a strong plea that the youth of America be given every educational advantage.

Louis Magid, of Tampa, received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy, the third to be conferred in the history of the University, despite master degrees were awarded during the graduation exercises.

Planning Rural Rehabilitation In This Section

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The rural rehabilitation program has many ramifications and great possibilities, FERA officials say, and they are anxiously awaiting the day when they can start the program in this state and region. It was pointed out by FERA that the rehabilitation program is not to be considered as just another agency of charity, but that beneficiaries are expected to make repayment in cash, farm products or in work on approved public works projects for all capital goods, materials and supplies received.

Mr. Dodd, in his announcement today, pledged for the co-operation of all civic organizations in region eight, declaring that with the assistance of these groups this plan could be put into effect in the eight corners of the jurisdiction within a short time after official authorization, which is likely to come through at any time, providing the complete plan received final approval.

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Florida Guardsmen Train In Georgia

Tampa, Aug. 15.—(FNS)—Officers of the 328th Infantry, Florida's reserve regiment, began a strenuous two-weeks active duty training at Fort Screven, Ga., this week. Colonel Harry C. Calhoun, Tampa, where the regiment maintains headquarters, is commander of the regiment. More than 60 officers are participating in the training at the Georgia post.

Cattlemen Invited To Meeting

Ocala, Aug. 15.—Cattlemen of Florida have been invited to attend the annual meeting of the Florida Angus Cattle Breeders' Association to be held here in September. Following a round-table discussion of cattle problems in the morning, a tour of some of the best Angus herds in the state will be made in the afternoon.

Many Attend Citrus Meeting In Orlando From This County

Several citizens from Highlands county attended the citrus meeting in Orlando Tuesday and some remained over Wednesday as the hearing lasted until Wednesday night.

One Highlands county grower expressed the opinion that there is so much politics involved that he doubts seriously if the grower will derive any benefit from the meeting. Others seem to think that the result of the agreement when finally approved will be better price for fruit and it is possibly a forerunner of the elimination of many of the growers' problems.

Three factions of the industry are affected, the independent packers, the exchange and the growers and according to press reports the independent growers scored a victory temporarily at least.

The agreement will eventually go to Secretary of Agriculture Wallace for approval and it is thought will be approved before the opening of the shipping season early this fall.

Florida Seminoles To Visit Oklahoma

Traveling over modern paved highways through a country in which many Seminoles died almost 100 years ago while traveling the "Trail of Tears" enroute to new homes in the West, a group of Seminole Indians from Florida will visit their Oklahoma tribesmen this summer. Hon. Harjo, wealthy Indian sportsman of Hialeahville, will send a bus to Florida to bring them to the State-Spire (Okl.) Times.

The trouble with committees is that they are always wondering what others will think; they seem to have slight confidence in their own judgment.

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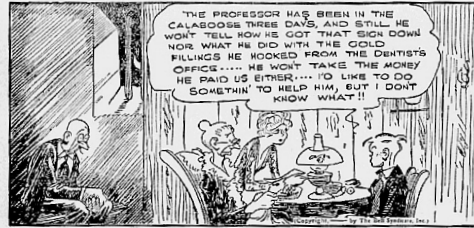
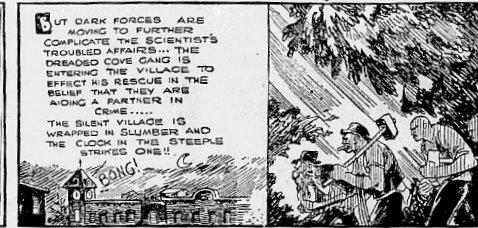
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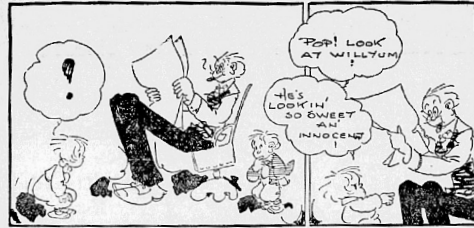
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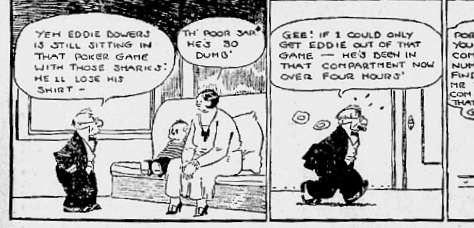
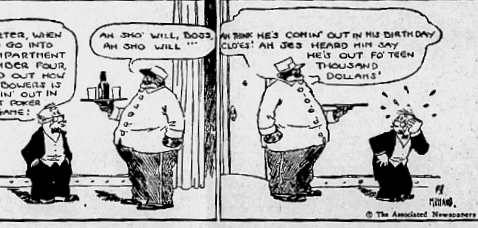
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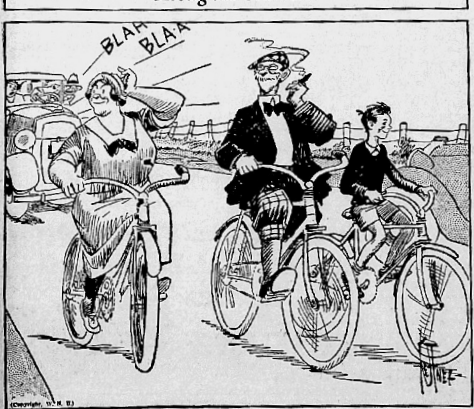
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WILLING TO WAIT



Jogging Pete—Say, missus, can ye gimme a job diggin' taters? Farmer's Wife—Land sakes! We don't dig taters for another month yet.

Jogging Pete—That's all right, ma'am, I'll live here till diggin' time.

LEAVE IT TO 'EM



Did you tell your wife everything you did while she was away? No, the neighbors attended to that.

NO JOKING



I note that you occasionally indulge in a joke. Yes, answered Senator Sorghum. Even if it doesn't happen to be a very good joke, it gives my constituents the assurance that I am anxious to do what I can to make them happy.

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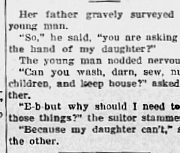
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EXCELLENT REASON



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The young man nodded nervously. "Can you wash, darn, sew, nurse children, and keep house?" asked father.

"E-b but why should I need to do these things?" the suitor stammered. "Because my daughter can't," said the other.

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Prospects Look Brighter For Federal Road

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Certain information desired by the engineers of the State Road Department before the commencement of the actual survey of State Road No. 8 from Haines City south to Lake Placid, will be in the hands of the chief engineer within a week or 10 days, according to a letter just received by H. L. Kramer, president of the Sevier Highlanders from H. L. Furlow, engineer on this division. Mr. Furlow stated that all the aerial survey maps of the route have been made and reviewed in conjunction with H. J. Morrison, engineer for the Federal Bureau of Public Roads, and several alternate base lines were chosen.

"It is upon the final determination of these lines that the route will depend, although generally speaking the present line of State Road No. 8 is to be followed, running from Haines City, through Lake Wales, Frostproof, Avon Park, Sebring and D-Soto City, to Lake Placid and eventually on to Moore Haven, Clewiston and along the Miami Canal to Miami."

"The route has already been designated United States Highway 19 and will join that highway at Ocala, after a direct road is built from Haines City north to Leesburg."

Little on Rotary Program Wednesday

Outside of the "framing" of E. E. "Skeets" Melton on an alleged dinner date and a brief account by J. L. Wells of his trip to Detroit, there was little on the program for the Avon Park Rotary club luncheon Wednesday night at the Jacaranda hotel. The only two visitors present were J. M. Stephenson and Selwyn lives, both of Sebring.

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Florida Strawberry Marketing Agreement Is Now In Operation

Gainesville, Aug. 15.—The Florida strawberry marketing agreement has been signed by Acting Secretary of Agriculture Rexford G. Tugwell, and is now in effect.

It aims at increased returns to growers through limitation of grades and sizes of berries shipped to market, and sets up a control committee. Restrictions will be based on U. S. grade standards, and shippers will not be permitted to handle strawberries that have not been federally inspected.

All shipments are to be under the supervision of the control committee which will consist of shipper and grower members. Growers will elect four members to the control committee, one from the North Florida production area and three from the South Florida area. Shippers will be represented as follows: one member for each shipper and affiliates who handled over 200 cars of strawberries last season, one member elected by majority vote of Florida production area and three from the South Florida area. Shippers will be represented as follows: one member for each shipper and affiliates who handled over 200 cars last season, and one member elected by a majority vote of all shippers who handled less than 100 cars last season, one member to be selected by the Florida Strawberry Marketing Association, and one member to be selected by the Commissioner of the Florida Marketing Bureau and the director of the Florida Agricultural Extension Service.

More Than Million In Crop Payments Coming To Florida

Gainesville, Aug. 15.—A million dollars paid to Florida farmers by the government for controlled production will be shown in the biennial report Dr. Wilmon Newell, director of the Florida Agricultural Extension Service, is preparing for the governor. The cotton, tobacco and corn-hog adjustment programs in Florida have been handled by the Agricultural Extension Service.

The latest figures to be compiled were announced earlier this week, and call for benefit payments of \$229,600 to 1,000 Florida hog producers for cutting production 25 percent.

Tobacco farmers are not only getting twice as much for their crops as they received last season, but they have received \$135,077 for renting land to the AAA and producing less.

In the 1934 cotton reduction campaign 6,516 farmers in 23 northern Florida counties signed contracts and rented more than 43,000 acres to the government. They have received a total of \$291,822 in benefit payments. The 1933 cotton plan up drive netted Florida farmers an additional \$229,600.

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As Florida farmers begin marketing their cotton, success of the acreage reduction program is seen in the fact that they are getting around 14 cents a pound for the first time since 1930, and the government estimate is for the smallest crop of cotton since 1921.

Sebring C. C. C. Camp Working Near Hammock

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Each day, bring in whatever their increasingly keen observation lulls as a new specimen. This department of scientific research is surprisingly popular and enthusiasm has grown from week to week. The boys learn how to prepare the specimens for drying, how to dry them in presses over artificial heat, the careful and painstaking process of identification and labeling afterward, and the final mounting of the collections for filing away in the herbarium cases. A recent visit to the camp by Dr. L. H. Bailey, our master taxonomist of horticulture in this country, was a great inspiration to these youthful aspirants to plant knowledge. They are learning, perhaps for the first time, that success in agriculture, including forestry, grove, truck and forage crops, is not just an accident or a matter of good fortune, but is the result of deep study into the hidden secrets of nature, carried on constantly by scientists for the enrichment of human knowledge and the benefit of mankind.

Realizing the importance of concentrating upon the plant problems of this region from every source and angle, the Florida Botanical Garden and Arboretum hopes to unite in effort with other plant research institutions. It is particularly appropriate, and it is the desire especially, to cooperate with the institutions and expert stations within the State of Florida.

Greater Development Of Tropical Fruits Possible In Florida

By SPUDS JOHNSON.

Florida's salubrious climate and favorable soil conditions make this state adapted to the cultivation of a very great variety of tropical and sub-tropical fruits. It is said that at the present time there are growing and fruiting in the state not less than 150 tropical fruits. More than half of these are not grown in any other state in the United States.

Only a relatively small proportion of the 150 tropical fruits are being grown in commercial quantities. No doubt there are many others which could be grown more widely and which deserve greater development. A bulletin on miscellaneous tropical and sub-tropical fruits of Florida, issued by the Agricultural Experiment Station in Gainesville, describes the most important of these minor fruits and suggests pointers for their culture.

Some of these fruits, notably the papaya, are coming into considerable prominence and receiving no little attention recently. Dr. John Harvey Kellogg of Battle Creek Sanitarium fame and other national figures are emphasizing the value of the papaya, citrus fruits and avocados in the diet.

"During the last four years in the treatment of several hundred patients suffering from various forms of chronic disease, I have made large use of Florida's tropical fruits and found them invaluable aids in combating the various nutritive disorders generated by the deficiencies and reductions of the modern American diet," says Dr. Kellogg.

These tropical fruits of Florida deserve attention and a certain amount of promotion. However, extravagant claims are nearly always made in connection with the promotion of tropical fruits—as with other things being exploited—and these always rebound in harm rather than good for the industry. With the expansion of now minor tropical fruit industries, the income to the state could be materially supplemented. But, conservative development should be the rule.

Florida Had Highway 500 B. C. As long ago as 500 B. C. Florida had a highway system with permanent signs—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Want Ads

WANTED—Pruning orange trees by the tree. Fully experienced and will save you money. W. P. Griffin, Sebring, Fla. 21-21

WANTED—Used sewing machine in good condition, cheap for cash. Mrs. M. B. Hopson. 24-1p.

MAN WANTED for Rawleigh Route of 800 families. Write immediately. Rawleigh Co. Dept. FAH—135-SA, Memphis, Tenn.

WANTED—Roofing and house repairing. Roof repairs a specialty. Prices right. J. T. Hardee, Avon Park, Fla. 23-4

Some Rules To Insure Safety in Driving Automobiles

Remember there are two sides to every story and only half of the road is yours.

A skid can be stopped before it starts if you drive slowly on oily or wet streets.

Inspect your lights before dark. Be prepared for the reckless moves of the other drivers on the road.

Remember DANGER signs are not erected without reason.

Don't back your car unless you are certain you won't repeat the move—look where you drive!

A train can't pull over, so observe the law—"STOP."

Children may be thoughtless, but you are a man and should not be. Blow your horn and give them all the room you can.

Give all the signs possible when making turns or stops—you know you expect them from the fellow ahead.

Never try to pass another vehicle going in the same direction on curves or when going up or down a hill. This is a violation of the traffic law in every State of the United States.

Don't expect to blow pedestrians off the street with your horn—they have the right of way.

Don't run in and out of traffic. Dim your lights for the other fellow's eyes.

If you are walking down the highway, walk on the left side of the road.

Don't let anyone ride on your running board—especially children.

It is against the law for children under 16 years of age to drive an auto or truck. Don't let your boy or girl do it.

Don't let your children play in the middle of the street, or run from behind parked autos. Don't do it yourself.

Don't dispute the right-of-way. A minute or two may save your life.

Don't drive a truck without a mirror or you will be arrested.

If your equipment is faulty in any way, don't use your vehicle. Treat each accident as if it were yourself.

Don't park on the highway without lights. If you must park for repairs, use only one foot of pavement.

THINK! You will live on this earth only once.

You will never have more than one head, two eyes, two arms and two legs. You may lose any one of these, or all, in an accident.

Be careful of animal drawn vehicles and livestock on the highway. They carry no tail light and are difficult to see.

Before starting your car, be sure the gear shift is in neutral position.

DRIVE CAREFULLY 30,500 people were killed in motor vehicle accidents in the United States last year.

516 people were killed in Florida by motor vehicle in 1932.

19,110 automobile accidents occurred in Florida in 1933.

12,560 people were injured in Florida in 1933.

\$2,730,000 was Florida's loss in human life in 1933.

\$500,000 property damage resulted from motor vehicle accidents in Florida in 1933.

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60 miles per hour—88 feet a second.

How many drivers can think that fast? Can you?

Too many 20 mile an hour minds are driving cars at 60 miles. Know your speed!

Daytona Plans Big Auto Race Events

Daytona Beach, Aug. 15.—(FNS)—City officials of Daytona Beach are developing plans for winter racing events on their world famous straightaway racing beach.

A virtual speed tournament may be held during the coming season.

Mayor Armstrong, now in Washington, expects to consult officials of the American Automobile Association with regard to contacting Ford and Chrysler who may attempt to build racing cars which will try to bring the racing record back to the United States.

Heading the list of famous racers will be Sir Malcolm Campbell, British speed king, who has already accepted an invitation to race his Bluebird, the fastest car on earth, on the Daytona speedway this winter.

Freddie Dixon, English racer who recently purchased Kaye Don's Silver Bullet may also try for a speed record here. City officials are trying to interest Italian and French racers in making speed trials.

Arrangements have been made to accord Campbell all possible accommodations when he attempts to establish a new world's record. A fully policed course will be provided and official A.A.A. timing machine will be installed to clock his speed.

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