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AVON SCHOOLS HELD FIELD DAY ON LAST FRIDAY

Keen Competition Witnessed
By Large Crowd; List
of Winners

A large crowd was in attendance and competition was keen at the school field day held on Friday afternoon on the school grounds. An elaborate program of events had been arranged by Coach Carmichael for both boys and girls and the prizes had been donated by Avon Park merchants and businessmen. There were entrants from the seventh to the twelfth grades inclusive with the tenth grade scoring the highest number of points, 124. The eighth grade was a close second with 123 points and the ninth grade was third with 105 points. Then came the seventh, eleventh and twelfth grades with 87, 79 and 56 points respectively.

The various events and the winners follow:

Diamond Ball: junior high beat the senior high.
220 yard race, girls: First, Mary Townsend; second, Clara Thomas; third, Lola Holtz.
One mile race, boys: First, Chester Gibbons; second, Walter Greer; third, Cleland Bell.

Basketball throw, girls: First, Martha Walden; second, Mary Phelps; third, Lauretta Reed.

Standing Broad Jump, boys: First, Clarence Wild; second, Otto Foster; third, Eddie Flowers.

Tup of War, girls: First, seventh grade; second, ninth grade.

100 Yard Dash, boys: First, Clyde Clark; second, Corbett Howell; third, Charles Carter.

Running Broad Jump, girls: First, Martha Walden; second, Joyce Landress; third, Hazel Godwin.

Pole Vault, boys: First, C. W. McGraw; second, Albert Rogers; third, Richard Bennett.

Skating Race, girls: First, Eunice Sallier; second, Helen Taten; third, Nellie Wilford.

Skating Race, boys: First, Woodson Aldrich; second, Walter Shovett; third, Ray Beck.

Football Kick, girls: First, Beatie Garrett; second, Carmen Bosh; third, Willie M. Sibley.

140 Yard Race, boys: First, Clifford Windom; second, Clyette Strawn; third, Walter Owens.

100 Yard Dash, girls: First, Clarence Thomas; second, Joyce Landress; third, Elie Rawlings.

Basketball Throw, boys: First, Clyde Clark; second, Billie Martin; third, C. W. McGraw.

Running High Jump, girls: First, Martha Wever; second, Ruth Wilkerson; third, Jo. Langford.

220 Yard Race, boys: First, Clifford Windom; second, Virgil Siff; third, Corbett Howell.

Sack Race, girls: First, Hilda Wilkerson; second, Ruby Bennett; third, Dorothy Hobbs.

Tup of War, boys: First, eighth grade; second, tenth grade.

Nail Driving, girls: First, Eunice Owens; second, Helen DeLany; third, Allie Lee Bell.

Bicycle Race, boys: First, G. D. Gdwin; second, Wm. Bennett; third, Donald Todd.

Bicycle Race, girls: First, Frances Brown; second, Mary Lydia Stebbins; third, Hilda Redick.

Running Broad Jump, boys: First, Albert Rogers; second, Harold McClelland; third, Otto Foster.

Diamond Ball Throw, girls: First, Mary Phelps; second, Mary McCarthy; third, Allie Lee Bell.

Running High Jump, boys: First, Clarence Wild; second, Harold McClelland; third, Eddie Flowers.

Standing Broad Jump, girls: First, Margaret Towles; second, Mary Gordon; third, Lola Holtz.

Basketball throw, girls: First, eleventh grade; second, ninth grade.

Basketball throw, boys: First, tenth grade; second, ninth grade.

Tennis Singles, boys: First, Charles Sherman; second, Eddie Flowers.

Tennis Singles, girls: First, W. M. Sibley; second, Peggy Lacey.

Dutch Diplomat Visits Here

R. K. Molekamp, a member of the Dutch Legation in Washington, D. C., has been a guest of the Avon hotel this week. Mr. Molekamp has been diplomatic and has enjoyed the climate of this city.

Local Golfers Trim Lake Wales 18 to 8

Highlands County golfers trimmed the Lake Wales team last Sunday on the Pine Crest Lakes course, Sebring and Avon Park teams taking eight out of 10 foursomes with a score of 18 to eight. The score follows, with Lake Wales players first named: N. W. Remard and W. E. O'Sullivan 3; Bill Dunham and Matt Pilcher 0; Al Knill and Jay Burns Jr. 3; Bogle and Doug Estes 2; Fallas Gun and Buford Gun 2; Howard McDonald and Chas. Sheehan 0; Fred Davis and V. A. Sims 1; B. Rudy and Tom Dimerline 2; Gaines Epling and Dr. W. B. Williams 1; Adam Sheffer and C. P. Turner 2; Frank Bryan and Ben Burch 0; Mac Elwell and Oscar McDaniel 2; A. Anderson and E. E. Ford 1; M. R. McDonald and J. R. Magavrey 2; Hugh Louden and Jim Louden 0; Les Hagood and Chas. O'Connor 2; Trah Briggs and Jim Twyman 0; Jack Head and Chas. Lamer 3; H. E. Draper and Doug Quintance 0; F. W. Bowers and L. C. Ketchum 3.

LICENSES WERE DISCUSSED BY CITY COUNCIL

Temporary Shows Must Pay
\$100 a Day; Taxes
Delinquent Soon

Various phases of the license question were discussed by the city council at its meeting Tuesday evening. Peddlers selling direct from trucks to stores are required to get a license and the police will be instructed to enforce the ordinance. A new ordinance was introduced by Councilman W. T. Hall requiring only shows of a temporary nature, whether annual or not, to pay a license of \$100 per day. This is an amendment of the present ordinance which set the license at \$25 a day and does not require a license for carnivals which must pay \$250 per week or any fraction thereof. The new ordinance was read and passed three times without a dissenting vote.

Taxes current and delinquent, came up for an airing. Taxes for 1933 become delinquent on April 1 and under the charter no action may be given and those unpaid on that date will be turned over to the city attorney for collection as soon as the matter is made up. In this connection it was determined that no change be made in the present method of payment of the taxes, 75 percent cash and 25 percent in bonds. The present status of the city is 60 percent cash and 40 percent bonds and the requiring of all cash for 1932 taxes will be maintained and no deviation from the rule.

A complaint was registered about the alleged unsightly condition of Garrett's junk yard which cluttered up the lots adjoining City Attorney Pardee said the city could clean up the premises and charge the cost against the property. He said he had spoken to Garrett about the condition in question a month ago and Garrett had promised to move the old cars but nothing had been done and he would take it up with Garrett again.

Councilman Fred Smith reported on his survey of the fire hydrants in the city and his recommendations were accepted. Smith also reported on the proposed plumbing for the new jail facilities at the fire station and the bid will be called for again. The letting of the work to the lowest competent bidder was left in the hands of City Clerk Shockley. The proposed contract between the city and McLanahan, Hawes and Bruce whereby the latter would collect delinquent insurance company licenses and a percentage basis was ordered held in abeyance until a further investigation of the proposition could be made.

P. T. A. Cake Walk Tomorrow Evening

The proceeds of the cake walk to be held tomorrow night at the Avon hotel will be used to aid the high school band. The event is being sponsored by the P. T. A. and the teachers and the night will be a free-for-all. The walk will start at 7:30 and tickets will sell for five cents each.

RED BIRDS LOSE OPENING GAME ON HOME FIELD

Phillies Pound Out 14 to 8
Win in Free-Hitting
Exhibition Game

The Philadelphia Nationals clouted out a 14 to 8 win over the Columbus Red Birds in a free-for-all game to open the spring training season at Head Field this afternoon.

The Birds took a three-run lead in the first inning that looked like the kind of baseball the American Association champs have been credited with playing last season. But their advantage was short-lived. The Phillies went on a hitting rampage in the fourth inning, netting seven runs, sending Columbus, Red Bird starter to the showers after he had held them scoreless for the first three innings. He retired at the end of the sixth in the sixth and five in the seventh just by way of making everything safe for the Wilsons.

After the opening inning, Grabowski, starting for the Phillies held the Birds scoreless for the balance of the game before he retired at the end of the fifth inning and Hansen finished the game.

The game started with a bang as the Birds retired the Phils without damage in the first inning, and came back in their half to make three runs that looked like a comfortable margin. Keane started the fireworks with a triple to left, Moore walked, and Nick Cullip came through with a leading drive over short.

Meanwhile Keane and Moore scored. Cullip scored on Hodapp's fly ball center. Gutteridge hit through the box for a single and stole second, but Odrovolski filed to the infield and ended the inning. Grabowski and Cross settled down to steady pitching, until the ill-fated fourth, when the Phils scored on a single by Hansen. Grabowski hit through the box and took four more off of Harwood who relieved him. Seven hits, two doubles and two triples were scored, accounted for the scoring.

Rube started the inning with a double to center. Oana singled in left center, nobody got to his short fly. Jeffries was intentionally passed, but Todd who followed him tripped to right center and cleared the bases. Cross was then relieved by Harwood. Grabowski hit to short. Haslin doubled to left field, scored on a sacrifice. Oana went out to the plate on the throw in. Chiozza struck out, but Allen was passed and McDonald tripped scoring and clearing the bases. Hit through second and McDonald scored. Oana struck out to end the inning.

The Phils added two more in the sixth, when Chiozza walked and scored on Allen's double, the latter going to right on a throw. Hansen hit through second and Allen scored. Rube walked and Oana singled to right to fill the bases, but Jeffries flied to Keane at short and Todd fanned for the third out.

The seventh was another big inning for the Birds who gathered five more runs, though they did not need them. The inning was filled with mishaps of one sort or another. Hansen hit to Gutteridge at third, but the ball took a bad hop and went for a single. Haslin fanned, but Chiozza hit a fast roller to Odrovolski, filling in at first base for Mickey Hawn, who received a bruised knee in the Cincinnati game at Tampa last Saturday. Allen then flied to center for the second out. Hendricks walked filling the bases, and Rube doubled to right field, scoring Haslin and Chiozza. Gutteridge held Oana's ground ball too long and then made a bad throw to first and the runner was safe. An attempt was made to trap Oana between second and first and while the play was on, Rube scored. Jeffries singled to left, scoring Oana from first as the ball was poorly played to the infield. Jeffries attempted to make third but the ball was tossed to the ball around but was caught at the sack to end the inning. Lyons took the mound for the Birds in the eighth and held the Phils scoreless for the last two innings.

The Birds made three runs in the eighth and won the game.

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Out For U. S. Senate



JAMES F. SIKES

Tuesday of this week James F. Sikes of St. Petersburg, state senator from the 11th district, formally announced his candidacy for the United States Senate in opposition to Park Trammell of Lakeland.

He announced he is strongly behind the New Deal and is making his race on his record. He is a member of St. Petersburg Rotary Club, the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Masonic Lodge, and other social and civic organizations of his community. He is a native of Florida and has served as city attorney of Tarpon Springs, county attorney and county judge of Pinellas county and was elected to the state senate in 1932.

At that time, members of the commission will hear suggestions and complaints from the public and from representatives of various counties, as to the portions of the less than \$6,000,000 available allocated to various subdivisions for construction and maintenance.

Chairman C. B. Treadway of the commission today offered little hope of changing the budget's provisions. He pointed out, however, that routine maintenance will be carried on, as will the work toward completion of paving and grading for construction not made possible by the budget's funds. This includes \$75,000 for or replacement of operating equipment; \$35,000 for new construction; \$4,000 for geological survey; \$4,200 for federal construction and maintenance; \$2,000 for traffic enforcement; \$2,000 for highway beautification; and \$221,000 for road and bridge leases and purchases.

Colonel Head Is Honor Guest at Red Bird Banquet

George M. Trautman, president of the Columbus Baseball Club, entertained the members of the team, officials of the club and Avon Park guests at a banquet at the Jacaranda hotel tonight. Col. Charles R. Head, "field general" of the Red Bird organization, was honor guest of the occasion, which was in the nature of a testimonial of appreciation for his service to the club in establishing spring quarters in the city.

A sumptuous four-course turkey dinner was served to upward of a hundred guests. A delightful informality prevailed as President Trautman introduced members of the Columbus and Cardinal organizations, members of the team and other guests. Among these were Manager Ray Blades and Secretary D. E. Beach of the Red Birds; Gen. Kunt, publicity director of the Cardinals; Joe Sugden and Charlie Barrett, Cardinal scouts; Eddie Dyer, manager of the Houston team; Virginia team; Carey Selph, manager of the Houston team in the Texas league; Empire Clyatt Bailey, Bob Hovey, sports writer for the Ohio State Journal; Byrre of the Columbus Citizen; Frank Colley of the Columbus Dispatch; members of the team in a group, and others.

President Trautman expressed his appreciation to Col. Head for his efforts in behalf of the club and spoke in the highest terms of praise for the satisfactory conditions under which they are working here.

Mayor Covington responded to his introduction with a few words of welcome and Col. Head expressed his pleasure in being of assistance to the club. Mr. Head was presented with a basket of flowers by Mr. Trautman as a token of appreciation on behalf of the club.

Red Birds Win 16-Inning Game From Cincy Reds

The Columbus Red Birds won the opening game of their schedule at Tampa last Saturday from the Cincinnati Reds in a 16-inning game, 6 to 4.

The game was tied three-all at the end of the ninth inning. Both teams scored in the tenth to tie the game again and the deadlock held until the 16th inning when the Red Birds pushed over two runs to win the game.

NO FUNDS TO BE SPENT IN COUNTY ON STATE ROADS

Ridge Section Is Ignored
By State Road Department in 1934

According to a statement issued by the state road department yesterday, Highlands county is one of the 32 counties in the State that are scheduled to receive no aid from the department for road construction in the department's budget for 1934.

Highlands county's request for \$2,400,000 was the largest made from any county except Polk, which requested \$2,820,000 and is scheduled to receive \$105,635. The third largest request came from Broward county for \$2,270,000 and is scheduled to receive nothing, the same as Highlands.

Dixie county is the only county in the State that made no request for aid from the State and will receive none.

Dixie county asked for one million and will receive none, while Hardee and Okechobee counties will receive \$3,481 and \$2,000, respectively.

The state road department's 1934 budget, providing for an expenditure on the state's highways of the \$2,400,000 available funds, is the face of demands from over the state totaling \$49,579,845.06 for road construction and maintenance will be given final consideration at a meeting to be held in Ocala Monday.

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Completion of paving now under contract is estimated at \$185,000; 1933-34; completion of grading under construction at \$1,214,600.86; completion of bridges under construction at \$406,183.31.

Proposed new projects necessary to work credits during 1934 was set at \$60,881.33; routine maintenance at \$1,857,000.01; and betterment of the system generally at \$1,282,949.22.

"We have set up the tentative budget with an open mind," Chairman Treadway said, "and we will welcome suggestions regarding it. The budget was set up with the idea of doing the state of Florida the greatest amount of good in the long run, insofar as her highways are concerned. If we are convinced that our program as outlined should be changed, for the greatest good to the greatest number of people, then we shall be more than glad to change it."

"It appears now, however, in view of records of road department engineers and officials, that the present setup, in view of the fact that only about \$6,000,000 are available for the next year — this including some \$1,720,000 that so far is not available — is the best of what is available."

Chairman Treadway expressed distress at the demands for road construction and maintenance made by county engineers and officials. "It is a physical impossibility to meet such demands as have been sent to us," he said. "Nothing but the state road department more than to meet these requests, but it is impossible to spread \$60,000,000 of funds over a \$60,000,000 program."

High School Band In Music Festival

Avon Park's school band is entered in the seventh annual music festival at Tampa on April 6 and 7 and will compete in class B. The musicians gave a good account of themselves last year and are expected to acquire themselves better than ever this year under the direction of Prof. P. J. Gustaf.

Kiddies Warned About Kite Flying

On another page of this issue is a notice concerning kite flying, which should be of interest to all parents at this time. The boys that fly these kites seldom realize the danger that is attached to kite flying if the string should happen to be wet and come in contact with electric wires. Boys are also apt to take chances in trying to recover a kite that has become entangled in electric wires and thereby come in personal contact with the wires.

In addition to the personal injury, it is also common for electric service to be interrupted due to strings getting into electric wires and causing short circuits.

The Florida Public Service Company is interested in maintaining continuous electric service, but they are far more interested in the safety and welfare of your children, so please call attention to the trouble that might be caused by having a kite come in contact with electric wires.

HIGH SCHOOLS WILL RUN NINE MONTHS HERE

Federal Aid Secured for
Schools in State; New
Salary Schedule

The high schools, junior and senior, of Highlands county, Avon Park, Sebring and Lake Placid will run for the full nine months, County Superintendent F. N. K. Bailey announced yesterday following his return from Tallahassee and Jacksonville where he secured the necessary approval of federal and state officials. The grammar schools will run for eight months. The high schools will close on June 1. The Fort Kissimmee school will close on June 29 and Sunnysland on June 22, the latter dates being due to a late opening on account of storm damage to the school buildings.

Col. Bailey says a new set up for schools went into effect for the entire state on Wednesday. The federal aid act of 1931 made arrangements for all grammar schools to have an eight month term and all high schools which had nine months term in 1931 and 1932 will have nine months this year. A new teacher salary schedule has been put into effect and will run for the next year. High county except in a few instances, Col. Bailey says. The new schedule is as follows:

First year certificates below \$20, grade, \$40.00 per month. Holders of second grade certificates, \$56.00 per month. Holders of third grade and special certificates and those having two years of normal training, \$75.00 per month. Those having a four year college course and graduated, \$85.00 per month. Col. Bailey says few salaries in Highlands county will be affected by the exceptions being that some grammar school teachers who are four year college graduates will be receiving \$75.00 per month will get \$85.00 per month. The new schedule will be in effect for the balance of the school year.

Church of the Redeemer Holy Week Schedule

The last three days of next week will be marked with the usual Holy Week Solemnities at the Church of the Redeemer. On Maundy Thursday there will be a celebration of the Holy Sacrament at 8 p. m. followed by the all day watch at the Altar of Repose.

On Good Friday there will be a morning service at 10 a. m. and Father Johnson will hold the usual service of the "Preaching of the Cross" from 2-3 p. m.

Holy Saturday there will be the service of the blessing of the New Fire and the Pascal candle at 8 p. m. Services on Easter Day will be marked with the beauty and dignity befitting the day. The Easter program will be announced next week.

Have you joined the Chamber of Commerce?



PRICE: FIVE CENTS

HEAD FIELD WAS OPENED TODAY WITH CEREMONY

Formal Dedication Honoring
Local Sportsman Seen
By Large Crowd

A capacity crowd witnessed the formal dedication of the Charles R. Head Athletic Field and the opening game of the Columbus Red Birds this afternoon, as smiling faces favored the occasion with perfect baseball weather.

Never mind that "Our Birds" failed to measure up to their usual championship brand of baseball, and that the Philadelphia Nationals came off victors of the locally played exhibition game. There were reasons for that of a varied and assorted nature, which will be found elsewhere.

The dedication of the park was marked by a brief but impressive flag raising ceremony, in charge of the American Legion. A procession, headed by the flag and accompanied by its sponsor the post emblem, marched from the top of the park to the field where the flag and a Red Bird pennant were raised. Col. Head pulled the cord that sent the colors to the top of the pole as the band played the national anthem. Gathered in a semi-circle around the flag staff were grouped city officials, politicians, chamber of commerce officials and Philadelphia and Columbus baseball players, who, with the band and a color guard, were in the army under command of Lt. H. F. R. Keck, made up the procession. Mayor M. E. Covington and Col. Head, the two sponsors of the dedication, followed the procession directly following the colors, and Post Commander R. T. Fairly was marshal.

The procession returned to the grand stand, following the flag raising, and Mayor Covington made a brief address of welcome to the baseball players lined up in front of the grand stand. He read the recent resolution of the city council and officially proclaimed the park as the Charles R. Head Athletic Field in recognition of Col. Head's public spirited efforts in rebuilding the field and securing big league baseball for Avon Park.

Col. Head responded with his thanks to the people for their cooperation and for the honor bestowed upon him. The Colonel then mounted the pitcher's box and uttered a few words, as he officially opened the spring training season, and the game was on.

Mayor's Address

In his address of welcome, the Mayor said:

"My friends, this is one time that I am sure I can speak for everyone in this city, as I extend the heartiest welcome to the officials and members of the Columbus Red Bird Baseball team."

"Gentlemen: We are delighted to welcome you to our city. I trust we are proving the warmth of our welcome to you. We shall follow your training period and the coming months of contest with keen interest. Already we feel that you have become a real part of Avon Park and we shall be honored, along with your other home town, to speak of you as 'Our Team.'"

"I can not close without a word of deep appreciation to Colonel Head for his real and work in securing this splendid team for our winter training in Avon Park. Every citizen owes Colonel Head a personal debt of gratitude."

To Finley or to them, as Mayor of this city, I welcome you and ask you to make it your city too, and I trust that this season will see the beginning of a long and pleasant relationship between Avon Park and the Red Birds."

Venus Rat Killing Possibly Record

Venus, March 22.—(Special to The News)—Ed. Corrier and W. H. Cannon of Venus had a "rat killing" record when they purchased the flooring of a brooder house and killed 182 rats. Mr. Cannon had previously trapped 150 rats in the same place, making a total of 332 rats less to feed in this section. No record was kept of those that got away. No records are available as to the number of rats killed in this killing, but it is believed this is at least a record for Highlands county.

News Review of Current Events the World Over

**President Asks for Shorter Hours and Higher Wages;
NRA Penalty Provisions Will Be Invoked;
Desperate Dillinger Escapes From Jail.**

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

SEVERAL thousand members of the code authorities gathered in Constitution hall, Washington, at the call of the President to revise and strengthen NRA industry agreements. The opening session was formal and rather stately, with the members of the cabinet, other high government officials and many senators and congressmen present. Before this assembly came Mr. Roosevelt to tell not only what had been accomplished in the last twelve months as what he hoped for in the near future, but also to urge industrial leaders that "the government cannot forever continue to absorb the whole burden of unemployment." He called for greater protection of small business, turning the code authority "the keeper of your small industry's life."

Briefly summarized, this is what Mr. Roosevelt proposed:

Wage increases and shortening of hours to bolster consuming power and spread employment.

Greater adherence by the people to the Blue Eagle symbol to make all "play the game."

Continued enforcement of the anti-trust laws to retain competition and prevent monopoly.

Strict adherence by employers to the law allowing free choice by employees of representatives to deal with their collective bargaining.

Permanent reorganization of the economic and social structure along the lines already started.

General Johnson, NRA administrator, wound up the code authority sessions with the blunt announcement that the Blue Eagle rules were to be tightened up and enforced. "I have been too gentle," he said. "You ain't seen nothing yet." Urging the industrialists to play the game, he said, "I have been too gentle. You ain't seen nothing yet." Urging the industrialists to play the game, he said, "I have been too gentle. You ain't seen nothing yet."

JOHN DILLINGER, embank bank robber, gang leader and alleged murderer, who was captured with great ease in Arizona and conveyed to Indiana for trial, became a plaything of the industrial law to the limit of opposition forces it.

To draft his new plan for making more jobs, Johnson asked the code authorities of the heavy goods industries and of the consumer groups to select twelve members.

President Roosevelt, said the administrator, has approved the plan for putting itself in the NRA. The President himself intended to extend the time limit on the licensing provisions of the NRA. The act gives authority to the President to suspend industry under license and to revoke the license of any concern in the industry, thereby committing it to shut down. The authority to license expires next June under the terms of the recovery act, which granted it for one year. The life of the act was limited to two years.

COMPLETION OF President Roosevelt's first year in the White House called for a chorus of laudation and of hostile criticism. The least that can be said is that it has been a year of excitement and action, of bold experimentation in methods of government, and of the spending of great sums of money in the furtherance of the President's determination to establish a New Deal that amounts to a social revolution.

Mr. Roosevelt himself, in a brief address on the occasion of the installing of Dr. J. M. Gray as chancellor of the American university in Washington, said "one of the most salient features of the salient year in our American life has been the amazing and universal increase in the interest of the people in the subject of government."

The joint congressional Republican campaign committee took occasion to issue a statement in which it said the administration does its first year "with many platform pledges untried and practically untested, with its machinery untried and untested, with its monetary program bewilderingly uncertain—a situation befitting a return to prosperity."

Replying for the supporters of the administration, Senator William Johnson of California, nominally a Republican, said:

"It is not necessary to agree with all that has been said in every conceivable particular, but in every and every would be the individual who

AS WAS predicted recently, the President appointed Judge Florence Allen of Ohio to the federal Circuit Court of Appeals bench. She is the first woman to be made a federal judge. She was admitted to the bar twenty years ago, her legal career in Ohio has been notable. In 1922 she was elected to the Supreme court of that state.

"It is a sorry policy that now says to 120,000,000 people that nothing has been done that is right and that the President has brought them no relief, and the future holds for them no hope."

"We are better, and our country is better, and other people are better, and our times are better for what the President has done during the past year."

LEGISLATION to restore the air mail to commercial operators will speedily be started through congress at the instance of the President. He sent letters to Chairman McKellar of the senate post office committee, Chairman McNamara of the house postal committee and Chairman Clegg of the special senate committee investigating the air mail, which he outlined his plan for new temporary contracts and the eventual regulation of air mail rates and routes by the interstate commerce commission.

The new policy will be for contracts to be let for not more than three years on full, open and fair competition, with the right of the government to cancel at any time. The rate of the rates of compensation above which no contract will be awarded.

Senator Simon D. Fess of Ohio is one of the most energetic of the administration critics, and he found opportunity for another energetic attack when the senate was considering Senator Tom Connally's bill to invade cattle among the basic commodities subject to farm adjustment.

The provision for an appropriation of \$200,000,000 was the subject of a long and heated debate. Senator Fess said that the bill was a "sneak attack" by the administration.

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Howe About:
THIS WEEK

**Where Hope Is Highest
Need Another Win
Receiverships**

BY ED HOWE
TALKED lately to a cautious, conservative man who had just made an automobile trip to Florida. He says that at one place a new perfect road was constructed, 14 miles long. In traveling the entire distance, not a single automobile was encountered. Probably the roads were built to build the roads in default. The cautious, conservative man said that the driver, and says that except at turns, the entire distance was made at the rate of a mile a minute; that finally the speed seemed a little slow. They had picked out a certain town to reach by nightfall, and since the road was so good, they were not in a hurry. The conservative, cautious man gradually grows a reckless. He says that the trip was made on a road in Georgia which lives in a palace of pink marble costing a million dollars. He owns nearly all of a country, a town, a county, a state. Such a man would seem lucky. This man was not; three years later he was dead. The "lucky" man was seventy years old.

At another place a call of the law was made. Three years old who had three thousand dollars in his pocket. For several days the conservative, cautious man did not see a newspaper, or hear a radio, and almost no conversation. The country was in a state of confusion. The people were in a state of confusion. The people were in a state of confusion.

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T. B. Todd, Jr., father of G. Todd, of this city and Mr. A. M. E. G. Todd of Baltimore, are M. E. Brickell of Manassah, Ohio, went last week of Mr. A. M. E. G. Todd and left for their home on Lake Lotela.

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SOCIAL and Personal News

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 By MRS. E. E. MELTON
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Mrs. Guthrie Entertains Glee Club

The following invitations were received by members of the Avon Park Glee Club:

You will please "note" that we wish to "hold" your attention on Monday evening, March 19th, 8:30, please "note" the "time," and be on the "dot" at eight o'clock, and we will keep a "sharp" lookout for you and your "date," for you may need to "scale" the wall and "slide" down inside. Better "tie" the "key" of your "flat" about your neck and not "contaminate" an "accidental" loss may "harm" your entrance. We will give you a fine "time" beyond, "measure" that cannot be "beat," as we earnestly wish to "pitch" the even "tenor" of our way, and it will "pedal" our pleasure to have you "minor" details, just come and we will do the "rest."

Witness our "signature,"
 Mrs. G. Guthrie.
 P (anish) S (ino) - Now "do" "re-member the date. Don't "miss" this affa'ir. We "sol" emmly promise you "lighter" and "singing" "Do."

The Guthrie home was beautifully decorated with cut flowers, calceolarias and lupin predominating to carry out the color scheme of yellow and blue.

After the Glee Club rehearsal appropriate music and games were enjoyed.

A sweet course was served to the following guests: Mrs. J. D. Raab, Mrs. P. L. Rump, Mrs. D. Nolan, Mrs. Love McGibbeny, Mrs. W. T. Hall, Mrs. W. Hauptmann, Mrs. J. B. Coen, Jr., Miss Mary Coen, Mrs. H. F. R. Eck, Miss Della Reck, Mrs. E. H. Rowd, Mrs. L. P. Loomis, Mrs. J. B. Brooks, Mrs. E. U. Youngquist, Mrs. S. V. Hanning, Mrs. Guy Orr, Mrs. A. P. Vaughn, Mrs. D. B. Farnell, Mrs. T. Gerould, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Yates.

Sans Souci Club Meets

Miss Mary Lou St. Clair was hostess to the Sans Souci Social Club Monday night at the home of Mrs. E. C. Jarrett.

The party rooms were attractively decorated with spring flowers in rainbow colors. Easter biddies and rabbits were placed about the rooms and the table appointments also carried out the Easter motif.

After an interesting evening of contract prizes were awarded to Miss Eleanor Bryant, high, and Miss Hettie Hundertmark, second high.

Ice cream, angel food cake and coffee were served to the following: Miss Millie Pearson, Miss Elizabeth Aichele, Miss Hettie Hundertmark, Miss Louise Houck, Miss Alma Harrell, Mrs. R. L. Brown, Miss Mildred Myers, Miss Eleanor Bryant, Mrs. Raymond Dille, Mrs. C. R. Ginn, Mrs. F. Peden and Mrs. C. L. Johnson.

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Rebekah Lodge Met Monday

Eleanor Severn Rebekah lodge held its regular meeting Monday night at the Rebekah hall, which was beautifully decorated with naturalistic floral lupin.

Following the regular routine of business, officers for the coming year were installed. Mrs. Emily Chubb of Port Mendenhall district deputy president, with her staff installed the following officers in a most inspiring, interesting and instructive way:

Miss Doris Williams, noble grand;
 Miss Josephine Sherertz, vice grand;
 Mrs. Agnes Cox, recording secretary;

Mrs. Fannie Spink, financial secretary;
 Mrs. Kathleen Jones, treasurer;
 Mrs. Harriet Smith, chaplain;
 Mrs. Dorothy Schweigart, wardens;

Miss Grace Schweigart, conductor;
 Miss Elizabeth Sherertz, inside guardian;
 Mrs. Stella Schweigart, outside guardian;

Mrs. Ada Dilley, right support to the noble grand;
 Mrs. Margaret England, left support to the noble grand;
 Miss Mary Turner, right support to the vice grand;

Miss Mabel Seibert, left support to the vice grand;
 Miss Mildred Wray, musician;
 Short talks by Mrs. Emily Church, Mrs. Elizabeth Albritton of Wauchula, Chaplain of Rebekah Assembly of Florida, Mrs. E. Crawford, past grand representative and many other visitors were greatly enjoyed.

At the close of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed and delightful refreshments consisting of salad, sandwiches and coffee were served.

Social Meeting of B. and P. W. Club

The home of Mrs. R. C. Jarrett was the scene of a lovely Easter party Tuesday evening when Miss Eleanor Bryant and Miss Mary Lou St. Clair entertained the Business and Professional Women's club at their regular social meeting.

Rainbow colors were carried out in the flowers and other decorations and a sweet course was served.

At the end of several progressions of contract Mrs. O. C. Wilkes was awarded high score prize and Mrs. F. Peden received the second prize.

The guest list included Mrs. Olive Anderson, Miss Mattie Tompkins, Mrs. Pearl Spink, Mrs. Claire Mann, Miss Kate Tompkins, Miss Millie Pearson, Miss Hettie Hundertmark, Mrs. F. Peden, Mrs. O. C. Wilkes, Mrs. L. E. Hagood, Miss Ruth Hall and Miss Jerry Leslie.

Bridge Luncheon at Parish House

The benefit bridge luncheon given by the Woman's Service League of the Episcopal church, at the parish house Saturday was a most delightful event.

Mrs. M. V. Fisher was hostess for the day, and a delicious luncheon was served.

A color scheme of green and white, symbolic of Saint Patrick's Day was attractively carried out in the luncheon and table appointments. Lovely baskets of spring flowers were placed about the room where eight tables of bridge were in play. Fruit punch was served throughout the afternoon.

Prizes for the tables playing progressive contract went to Mrs. Robert Franklin, high, and Mrs. Austin Gilmore, second high. At the tables pivoting, Mrs. C. Parke Anderson won high score prize. Mrs. C. H. Pardee was awarded the cut prize.

Mrs. Booth Hostess to Club

Mrs. S. E. Booth entertained the Tuesday Evening Contract Club last Tuesday evening at her home on Pine street.

For this occasion the hostess had attractively decorated the party room with a variety of garden flowers.

Mrs. E. P. Loomis was awarded the prize for holding high score. A sweet course was served to the following members and guests of the club: Mrs. H. E. Keller, Mrs. W. T. Coen, Mrs. E. F. Loomis, Mrs. Jack Head, Mrs. A. M. Morgan, Mrs. P. L. Rump, Mrs. E. W. Hart, and Mrs. E. U. Youngquist.

Methodist Missionary Meeting

The meeting of the Methodist Missionary Society, held at the church Tuesday afternoon was opened with prayer by Mrs. S. E. Roberts. Mrs. L. M. Orr, president, presided.

Plans were discussed for the supper to be held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. S. E. Roberts.

Mrs. T. Hayes Maxwell was selected as a delegate to the Florida Missionary Conference to be held in Jacksonville April 10 to 18.

The subject of the program for the afternoon was "Brazil" and Mrs. T. W. Graham had charge. The following ladies gave interesting talks: Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. R. A. Gerrard, and Mrs. John Raab.

Those present were Mrs. C. R. Ginn, Mrs. Martin Davis, Mrs. John Raab, Mrs. T. W. Graham, Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, Mrs. C. H. Harris, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. Lloyd Rogers, Mrs. P. Lacey, Mrs. G. H. Gerrard, Mrs. K. J. Bailey, Mrs. A. M. Morgan, Mrs. S. E. Roberts and Mrs. L. M. Orr.

Those present were Mrs. C. R. Ginn, Mrs. Martin Davis, Mrs. John Raab, Mrs. T. W. Graham, Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, Mrs. C. H. Harris, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. Lloyd Rogers, Mrs. P. Lacey, Mrs. G. H. Gerrard, Mrs. K. J. Bailey, Mrs. A. M. Morgan, Mrs. S. E. Roberts and Mrs. L. M. Orr.

Woman's Club at Highland Lakes

Mrs. W. A. Davison and Mrs. F. H. Shepherdson were hostesses to a most delightful meeting of the Woman's club last Friday afternoon at the Highland Lakes hotel.

The following program was very interesting and enjoyed by all present. Mrs. C. H. Walden gave a paper, "Modern Florida Literature," Mrs. Phil Abrams sang a solo, accompanied by Mrs. J. B. Coen, Jr., and Mrs. Davison read a paper, "Interesting Facts About Florida."

At the close of the meeting orange juice and cake was served by the hostesses assisted by Mrs. Julia Mason Smith. Sprays of orange blossoms were given as favors.

The next meeting of the Woman's club will be held on April 6.

American Legion Celebrates Birthday

The fifteenth anniversary of the organization of the American Legion was celebrated in fitting style last Thursday evening when about 100 Legionnaires, members of the Auxiliary, and their wives, sweethearts, husbands and friends gathered at the Scout house on the shore of Lake Lotela to partake of a fish supper.

A long table placed under the trees was laden with food, including fried fish, a variety of salads, rolls, pickles, and coffee. Occupying a prominent place in the center of the table was a lovely birthday cake adorned with fifteen candles and further ornamented with icing roses.

The Legion committee on arrangements for the party was: Mrs. P. L. Rump, Mrs. A. M. Morgan and Charles Sherman.

Meeting of Baptist Missionary Society

Mrs. Otto Skipper had charge of the regular program meeting of the Baptist Missionary Society, held Monday afternoon at the church. The topic for this meeting was "Bible Study."

The Bible study was conducted by Mrs. S. J. Pendleton, the subject of which was, "Hallowed Be Thy Name."

Very interesting papers were read by the following ladies: Mrs. B. F. Martin, "Fading Light;" Mrs. J. L. Collins, "Light Shining Through Darkness;" Mrs. Will Bennett, "Lives of Light;" Mrs. D. H. Bass, "Women Who Let Their Light Shine."

The meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. W. K. McClure. About fifteen ladies were present.

Mrs. J. D. Moore Entertains Club

The Thursday Afternoon Auction club met this week with Mrs. J. D. Moore.

Baskets and vases of lovely cut flowers decorated the party room where two tables were in play. Mrs. W. H. Kempton won the prize for high score and Mrs. H. Fritschman was given a guest prize.

Lovely refreshments consisting of chicken salad, coffee and a desert were served to the following: Mrs. Katherine Bristol, Mrs. L. E. Bass, Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. Hugh Fritschman, Mrs. Ola Head, Mrs. Anna Rogers, Mrs. W. Hauptmann, Mrs. S. Y. Hart and Mrs. Reuben Johnston.

Sunday School Class Has Party

The Mrs. J. B. Coen, Jr. class of the Baptist Sunday School was entertained Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Raleigh Lawton with Mrs. Lawton and Mrs. Theodora Camp as co-hostesses. Decorations in keeping with the Easter season predominated and on arriving the guests were asked to compose a poem containing the word Easter.

After the business session several contests were enjoyed and refreshments of pecan pie topped with whipped cream and hot chocolate were served and at each place was an Easter chick.

Those present and enjoying the evening included Mrs. J. B. Coen, Jr., Mrs. Lenora Taylor, Mrs. J. L. Wells, Mrs. J. A. Spencer, Mrs. J. B. Moore, Mrs. Durah Martin, Mrs. Briscoe Willis, Mrs. Milford Dille, Mrs. Pearl Holland, Mrs. Charles Clements, Mrs. John Deleag, Mrs. Will Bennett, Mrs. P. Louis Soybert and the hostesses, Mrs. Camp and Mrs. Lawton.

Harry Elwell Has Birthday Party

Harry Elwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. McKee Elwell, celebrated his eleventh birthday anniversary Thursday with a party at his home.

Baseball and other games were played and ice cream, cake and Easter candy served. The birthday banquet on which the table was decorated with green lighted candles. A number of nice gifts were presented by the following guests:

Earl Paber, Clyde Jarrette, Warren McFarland, Herbert Todd, Dale McFarland, Edward Sherman, Mrs. Skipper, Henry Clark, Malcolm Grews, Junior Webster, Gene Clark, Calvin Bryant, Robert Paley, Walter Mandis, George and John Elwell.

Mrs. Lacy Entertains

Mrs. E. P. Lacy was a charming hostess to three tables of bridge which she entertained at the bridge luncheon sponsored by the Woman's Service League of the Episcopal church, Saturday.

A large table was arranged and places laid for twelve guests. A beautiful bouquet of garden flowers formed the centerpiece.

After the delicious luncheon was served the following guests enjoyed an afternoon of bridge: Mrs. L. E. Bass, Mrs. Alexander Gilmore, Mrs. Austin Gilmore, Mrs. S. Y. Hart, Mrs. Katherine Bristol, Mrs. W. H. Yates, Mrs. J. D. Raab, Mrs. J. A. Atchison, Mrs. C. P. Thayer and Mrs. J. K. Sackensmeyer.

Mrs. W. T. Coates Hostess to Club

Mrs. W. T. Coates delightfully entertained members of her bridge club Wednesday with a luncheon at Highland Lakes hotel. Lovely spring flowers were used in decorating and a three course luncheon was served.

High score prize was won by Mrs. P. L. Rump and second high was awarded to Mrs. S. E. Booth.

Those enjoying Mrs. Coates' hospitality were: Mrs. E. W. Hart, Mrs. T. A. McNicholas, Mrs. W. D. Dorminey, Mrs. P. L. Rump, Mrs. E. U. Youngquist, Mrs. H. F. R. Reck and Mrs. S. E. Booth.

Grace Coleman Celebrates Birthday

Grace Coleman and number of guests enjoyed a birthday party Sunday afternoon when Grace celebrated her ninth birthday anniversary. A number of games were played and refreshments of iced tea and cake were served. The honoree was the recipient of a number of gifts from her friends.

Those attending were: Misses Elizabeth Jellison, Marie Bess, Jeanette Reeves, Martha Bennett, Louise Bishop, Ruth Davis, Louise Rogers, Ruth Nixon, Thelma Dravay and the honoree whose mother, Mrs. Brooks Coleman assisted in entertaining.

O. E. S. Met Tuesday Night

At the regular meeting of Leigh Chapter O. E. S., held Tuesday night at the Masonic hall, a special Memorial Service was held for Mrs. Carrie W. Harris and Walter S. Scott. / Mrs. Harris was the Grand Matron of Florida in 1918 and 1919. Mrs. Scott was Grand Patron 12 1922 and 1923.

Plans were made to have a covered dish supper at the next meeting which will be on April 3rd. A program committee has been appointed and all members and visiting members of O. E. S., are urged to attend.

REUNION



Not since their splendid work together in "Merely We Go to Hell" have Sylvia Sidney and Fredric March played together. Now they are costared in Paramount's "Good Dances," which comes Sunday and Monday to the Avon Theatre.

Mrs. C. R. Ginn Entertains Club

The Wednesday Afternoon Bridge club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. C. R. Ginn on Wednesday.

Snafudragons and other garden flowers were used in decorating. At the close of a pleasant afternoon of contract the prize for high score was received by Mrs. Briscoe Willis.

Peach shortcake and coffee was served to the following guests: Mrs. F. Peden, Mrs. Harry McFerrin, Mrs. J. L. Taylor, Mrs. Briscoe Willis, Mrs. Lester Armstrong, Mrs. Ewing Brumbaugh, and Mrs. J. L. Wells.

Club Met With Mrs. Anderson

Mrs. Olive Anderson was a charming hostess Wednesday evening when she entertained her bridge club at the Poinsettia hotel.

An abundance of garden flowers were used in decorating and light refreshments were served. At the close of the games Mrs. H. M. Johnson received a favor for holding high score.

Those present on this occasion were Mrs. L. E. Bass, Mrs. Katherine Bristol, Mrs. H. M. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Hart and Mrs. and Mrs. J. B. Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Mandis Have Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Demos Mandis delightfully entertained at a small dinner party Wednesday evening. A low bowl of cut flowers formed the centerpiece of the table, where a delicious three course dinner was served to Mr. and Mrs. Norton Smith and their niece, Miss Marian Coen.

Mrs. Smith accompanied her niece to Cleveland Thursday, and will spend several months there with relatives.

Party at Benefit Luncheon

Mrs. L. M. Chapin was hostess to one table of contract at the luncheon sponsored by the Woman's Service League, Saturday afternoon at the parish house.

Mrs. Chapin presented Mrs. C. Parke Anderson a box of candy as a reward for holding high score.

Guests present were Mrs. E. E. Melton, Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, and Miss Myrtle Jones of Bartow.

Legion Auxiliary To Meet

Mrs. Virginia Cloud and Mrs. T. H. Hughes will be co-hostesses to the American Legion Auxiliary next Monday night at the home of Mrs. Cloud at eight o'clock. An interesting program has been planned and a large attendance is expected.

All members are asked to bring or send something for the charity dinner party at Pine Creek Lakes. The Auxiliary is especially interested in.

Visitors From Pittsburgh Here

Mr. and Mrs. William Jenkins and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Behrhorst of Pittsburgh, Pa., spent a few days here this week looking over their groves. While here Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins entertained at a dinner party at Pine Creek Lakes. They had as their guests on this occasion Mr. and Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, Mrs. Olive Anderson and Mrs. Behrhorst.

Mrs. N. H. Trent spent Monday afternoon in Union Park Haven and was accompanied home by her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. Conner of Knoxville, Tenn., who will visit here for a few days.

Woman's Club to Meet at Jacaranda

The Avon Park Woman's club will meet at the Jacaranda hotel in the palm room Friday afternoon, April 6th, at 2:30. All members and visitors are invited. Tea will be served at the social hour.

Meeting Of Travel Club

The regular meeting of the Travel club was held Sunday afternoon at the Congregational church.

Miss Marjorie McKnight had charge of a most interesting program, those present traveling on the Magic Carpet to Persia.

The meeting was well attended.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hanson announce the birth of a seven pound girl Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Fortner are rejoicing over the birth of a nine pound boy, born Thursday morning.

Mrs. D. V. Rouse of Orlando was in Avon Park Thursday.

J. L. Wells made a business trip to Tampa Tuesday.

Miss Carlotta Patterson is spending the week in Winter Haven in the guest of her grandparents.

Mrs. I. W. Chandler and Mrs. Lewis were visitors in Tampa last Tuesday.

Mrs. Edith Brown and grandson, George Brown, who have been wintering here left Monday for their home in Manchester, New Hampshire.

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J. C. Gould, Bradenton; Don Wilson, Rochester, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Whichee, Amherst, Mass.; Mrs. Herman Kelley, Salt Lake City; Mrs. B. P. Watson, Detroit, Mich.; Miss Florence Smith, Colquhar, Conn.; Dr. and Mrs. E. Chamberlain, Grand Rapids, Mich.; George Garrett, Plant City; Clarence Anderson, Birmingham, Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. Phil T. Wiley, Miami; J. T. Smith, Atlanta, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Denniston, Ridge Wood, N. J.; Miss C. Hoyt, New York City; Mr. and Mrs. E. Chamberlain, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hall of Meriden, Conn.; and H. L. Thomas, Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. J. B. Moore was a visitor in Tampa Wednesday.

Mrs. Roland Drott and Mrs. O. C. Wilkes spent Wednesday in Tampa.

Mrs. W. E. Dawson and Mrs. Roland Drott motored to Arcadia Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hart and Mrs. Olive Anderson spent Saturday in Tampa.

Mrs. T. A. McNicholas, Mrs. W. D. Dorminey and Mrs. G. Perry spent Tuesday in Tampa.

Mrs. Edith Brown and grandson, George Brown, who have been wintering here left Monday for their home in Manchester, New Hampshire.

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NRA RULES



"Do you think of me all day long, Tom?"
"I do, during the noon hour, dear. Throughout the office hours the boss insists on our keeping our minds on our work."

LIVE WIRE



Dolly—And don't you go in for sport of any kind?
Jimmy—Oh, yass, don't you know I'm—haw—passionately fond of dominoes.

ADVANCE NOTICE



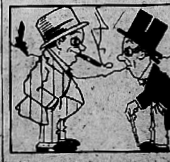
"I know I'm going to have trouble with my new neighbor."
"What makes you think so?"
"He's already begun advertising himself as a lover of peace."

THE BULL'S EYE



Angry Employer—Do you mean to contradict me? You haven't as much sense as a donkey.
Foreman—No, sir, I don't pretend to set my opinion up against yours.

FASHION NOTE



"I'm a self-made man."
"You're lucky. I'm the reformed work of a wife and three daughters."

SLOW BOY



Jack—When you proposed to me, I suppose she said, "This is no sudden."
Bob—No, she was honest and sensible. "This proposal has been variable."

Just a Little Smile



IN MUSIC, TOO

A pianist of exceptional ability was visiting an Indiana city and was asked to play for the pupils of a junior high school.
The children were thoroughly appreciative and spent some time after the concert in discussing the art and the selections that had been played.
"Miss S. — puts so much expression in her music," said one.
"Yes, she certainly puts the right expression in," said another. "But the thing that interested me most was her wonderful technocracy," — Indianapolis News.

Here's a Laugh

The pretty girl sat in the corner of the compartment next to her young man, her elbow on her knee. The train dashed into a tunnel, and suddenly the other passengers heard the little girl exclaim: "Kiss me, too, Auntie Violet!"
"Mavis," said Aunt Violet, quickly, "you should say 'Kiss me twice.' Kiss me twice is not good grammar."

Diagnosis Now Simplified

"Why is Meyer, the doctor, so popular?"
"In his waiting room he has three notices—one for North sea, one for Switzerland and the other for the Riviera. Just take the seat they prefer and he does not have to bother with symptoms." — Vienna Muskeke.

POSSIBILITY, ANYWAY



"Tom, I wish you'd come to see me occasionally."
"Why, Bess, I thought you were engaged to Jimmy Smith."
"No; but I think I could be if I could get up a little brisk competition."
"I know I'm going to have trouble with my new neighbor."
"What makes you think so?"
"He's already begun advertising himself as a lover of peace."

Remarkable!

Teacher—If Shakespear were alive today, wouldn't he be looked upon as a remarkable man?
Student—I'll say so. He would be three hundred years old.—Exchange.

Interrupted

Prisoner—Judge, I don't know what to do.
Judge—Why, how's that?
Prisoner—I swore to tell the truth, but every time I try, some lawyer objects.—Labor.

Safe

First Snake (at the zoo)—Here comes a woman.
Second Snake—I'm glad I'm not in her shoes!

The New Bathing Suit

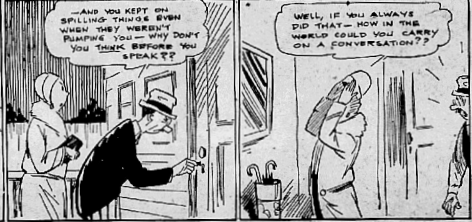
Prim Old Lady (viewing the bathing suit)—I think they might just as well go around naked as have nothing on.—Boston Transcript.

THE FLAVOR L-A-S-T-S



THE FEATHERHEADS

By Odessa



Fanny Scores One

FINNEY OF THE FORCE

By Ted O'Loughlin



The Age of Innocence

BOBBY THATCHER—A Reasonable Offer

By GEORGE STORM



S'MATTER POP—A Tip For The Clothing Merchants

By C. M. PAYNE



"KEEPING UP WITH THE JONESES"

The Simple Things Of Life



EGGS and CHICKENS



Modern Poultry Farm in America.

Prepared by National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.—W. W. Smith.

Poultry experts of the Department of Agriculture after careful experiments and studies have concluded that there is no truth in the old contention that the breeding of poultry strains for high egg production is impairing the quality of eggs.

For untold centuries the hen has been a companion of man in the home and on the farm.

In America, where poultry husbandry has attained its greatest development, the hen has become one of our leading national assets, growing in the past fifty years from a neglected side line on the average farm to a position where she is considered by the farmer as a very efficient contributor to his yearly income.

The hen might be termed a universal favorite, in that a greater number of persons are interested and actually concerned with poultry than with any other form of livestock. Last year there were more than 400,000,000 chickens in the United States.

The yearly value of the products of the American hen has at times passed the billion-dollar mark.

The great bulk of poultry products produced in the United States comes from the Corn Belt states of the upper Mississippi valley.

In fact, nearly one-half of our poultry population, or approximately 200,000,000 chickens, is found in what are known as the North Central states.

No Longer a Hobby. For many years a considerable proportion of our poultry population was kept in back lots of city and suburban communities by persons primarily engaged in some remunerative occupation.

Poultry was raised largely for pleasure and as a hobby, and incidentally to insure a ready supply of fresh eggs and meat for the family table.

Surveys made a few years ago in eastern urban and suburban areas showed an average of one bird to every two people. Such flocks, averaging from 10 to 25 fowls, were usually well cared for and consisted of birds of high quality.

The postwar period has witnessed the gradual disappearance of many of these backlot poultrymen.

This change in habits among a great mass of our population has fortunately been accompanied by the development of large commercial poultry farms and specialized hatcheries, which have found popular favor not only on the North American continent, but in many of the world's countries.

Commercial poultry farms are especially successful near large centers of population, where the demand is for a strictly fresh, new-laid egg and fresh killed poultry.

Hundreds of such enterprises are being successfully operated in the Atlantic and Pacific coast states.

The eastern sections produce especially for the New York trade, and the Pacific coast sections, after meeting the demands of the larger Pacific coast cities, ship their eggs to the Atlantic seaboard, where they find a ready market at attractive prices.

Industry is Systematized. Revolutionary changes have been going on in the poultry industry for ten years. Less and less attention is being given to the purely "fancy" and to the breeding of exhibition fowls, and more and more stress is being laid on their economic value in the production of human food.

The farm poultrymen are beginning to apply sound principles to the management of their flocks and are organizing co-operatively to serve their graded eggs quickly to the large consuming centers.

The little White Leghorn hens of the Piedmont district in central California, have become world famous because of the intensive conditions under which they are kept, hundreds of thousands being mated in one small valley; the entire community depends upon commercial egg farming for a livelihood.

It was not so many years ago that the American hen ruled supreme in the capacity of incubator and brooder, faithfully sitting out the 21 frisky days on the nest, eventually leading her tender brood of fifty youngsters through the early stages of their development.

The hen is too valuable today as an egg machine to allow her to waste weeks and months in hatch-house care or in the hands of a

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LAST SILK DRESS OF CONFEDERACY MADE WAR PRIZE

A recent acquisition of the Army Aeronautical museum at Wright field is a small portion of the gas bag of a balloon used by the Confederates for observation purposes. This is a portion of a larger piece presented to the National museum in Washington by the son of Prof. Thaddeus S. C. Lowe, the latter having figured very prominently in the aerial activities of the Union army.

This piece of cloth is valuable not only as a reminder of the use of aircraft in the Civil war, but of the ingenuity displayed by a poverty-stricken army in providing equipment for its operations.

General Beauregard, in "War March Against Pompey" relates an interesting bit of history in this connection as experienced by the opposing forces.

"It may be of interest," he wrote, "to relate an incident which illustrates the plighted condition of the Confederacy, even as early as 1862. The Federals had been using balloons to examine our positions, and we watched with anxious eyes their beautiful observations as they floated high in the air well out of the range of our guns. While we were looking for the balloons our poverty denied us, a genius suggested that we gather together all the silk dresses in the Confederacy and make a balloon. It was done, and soon we had a grotesquely patterned ship of many and varied hues which was ready for use in the seven days' campaign. We had no gas except at Richmond, and it was the custom to inflate the balloon there, due to its security to an engine and run it down the York River railroad to any point at which we desired to set it up."

"One day it was on a steamer

Formerly, hatching eggs. The method whereby one poultryman purchased stock from another, but some 25 years ago, from the little village of Stockton, N. J., in the Delaware river valley, the first baby chicks were shipped.

For a number of years one poultryman had been supplying chicks in small quantities to his neighbors. The success which they had with this method of acquiring poultry stock soon spread, and little by little orders came for chicks from more distant points, until finally it became impossible to make deliveries in person over the increasing distances from which they were demanded. So it came about that this demand was met by putting the chicks into cotton-lined wooden boxes with holes in the top for ventilation. Twenty-five chicks were placed in a box and shipped by express to their destination. The experiment proved to be a success.

From this small beginning the industry gradually grew, until today there is in the United States several thousand hatcheries, equipped in modern style with the latest machinery, and having a capacity of approximately 200,000,000 eggs at one sitting.

Calling the Non-producers. The poultry departments of our many state agricultural colleges have been responsible during the past century for a century for the development of many scientific facts and practices, the practical application of which have made commercial poultry keeping.

The ability which the poultryman now possesses to cull his birds on a basis of external character, to eliminate the non-producers from time to time as they appear in the flock, is an outstanding example.

Weekly culling during the summer and fall brings about a reduction of the feed costs without any decrease in egg production. This is done by observing the condition of certain secondary sex characters and body factors. The laying hen has a bright-red, full comb, when not laying, the comb becomes much smaller, appears shriveled and dry. The heavy-laying hen has a loose, pliable, soft abdomen. In the non-laying hen the abdomen becomes small, shriveled, and hard.

The hen which is laying and has been laying heavily for some time shows absence of yellow pigment in the shank, ear, toe, and skin. The hen which is laying and has been laying heavily for some time shows absence of yellow pigment in the shank, ear, toe, and skin. The hen which is laying and has been laying heavily for some time shows absence of yellow pigment in the shank, ear, toe, and skin.

It is by observing certain of these body characters that the poultryman can tell whether his flock is simply strutting around the pen looking handsome or is hard at work producing eggs.



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down the James river when the tide went out and left the vessel and balloon high and dry on a bar. The Federals gathered it in and with it the last silk dress in the Confederacy. This capture was the meanest trick of the war and one which I have never forgiven."

Patriotism, sacrifice, ardor and romance, quite aside from its aerial activities, hang about that vanished and faded silk—Washington Post.

It Depends "Does your wife make a fuss over dinner being late?" "That all depends on whether it is due to my meeting a friend or her being out for the afternoon."

Overheard "Does your wife drive?" "Oh, no. That midnight was missing when I bought the car."

"I keep it" "...In these days of recovery...if I don't, someone else will have my job! Well, I learned years ago that work is a good thing, and I keep it. I am not a man who can be without my work."

"I feel weak...lack a keen appetite...or if your skin is pale...try S.S. Unless your case is exceptional, you should soon notice a pick up in your appetite...your color and skin should improve with increased strength and energy."

S.S. is not just a so-called tonic but a tonic specially designed to stimulate gastric secretions, and also having the mineral elements so very necessary in rebuilding the oxygen-carrying hemoglobin of the blood to enable you to "carry on" without exhaustion say so should naturally. At all drug stores.

Fine "We girls have formed a secret society." "What is the object?" "To share all secrets."

Hint "Is your watch going?" said she, stifling a yawn. "Yes," he replied. "How soon?"

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SMALL HOME NOW ADVOCATED TO END DEPRESSION

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The very best thing to complete the rout of the depression would be a nationwide building program, adding 50,000,000 to 75,000,000 rooms to American homes by use of private capital. So said President Henry I. Harriman of the United States Chamber of Commerce at Buffalo a few days ago. Such a program, he insisted, would do for business what the automobile did a few years ago. And this would be no sudden spurt, for, in Mr. Harriman's opinion, it would take ten years to build merely the houses necessary for a minimum standard of decency and comfort. He estimates the total cost of construction alone at close to \$40,000,000,000. And to that may be added more billions for furnishings.

A survey conducted by the National Association of Real Estate Boards in 273 cities reveals a shortage of single family houses in 27 per cent of the cities, and a shortage of apartment space in the smaller cities. The home shortage is more pronounced in the smaller cities and is especially noticeable in New England, the Pacific coast, and the West South Central section.

What this country needs, declared the Southern Lumberman, is not model apartments but small individual homes. And by small homes he does not mean houses costing around \$8,000—for which there is, indeed, a market—but houses costing in the neighborhood of \$3,000 or \$4,000. For these there is a much greater demand, and "the architects and builders and promoters seem to have forgotten that there ever was that kind of a house."

The Southern Lumberman thinks that it means could be found to finance such building it would open a very large untapped field of activity.—Literary Digest.

Your local dealer carries Ferry's Pure Breed Vegetable Seeds. Now only 5 cents a package. Adv.

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There are happy, healthy boys and girls who have never known the bitter taste and violent action of cadaver oil—or similar cathartics. The only "medicine" they ever get—or ever need—is plain California Syrup of Figs. The sense in this fruit syrup has the natural laxative action that assists Nature as it should. Next day, the child feeds and acts himself, and has a normal appetite. But use the real California Syrup of Figs, with the word "California" on the label and on the bottle.

If a Child Won't Play with Others?

Parents who understand children know where to place the blame when a youngster moops, keeps to himself, or is "ugly" toward others. Sluggishness runs any disposition, and that's what is usually wrong. But it's just as wrong to dose that child with sickening cathartics. Little 15—older—a child's bowels need but little aid—a very mild form of help. Stronger things often upset the stomach or weaken the bowels muscles. For the happy solution of this problem see what to do, in the next column:

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NEW MATERIAL ROUNDING OUT RED BIRD TEAM

Club Is Showing Early Season Strength With Addition of Four Card Players; Nine Releases This Week.

An early season strength that is almost certain to put the Columbus Red Birds on top from the start of the season—and keep them there—was another point for George Trueman & Co., the prediction of baseball experts who have been watching the team shape up in the past two weeks of spring training here.

This desirable state of affairs has come about because of a ruling passed by the American Association last year, prohibiting any team from securing players from any affiliated organization after May 15th. The rule was aimed directly at Columbus, to curb the transfer of players from the extensive Cardinal farm system to strengthen the team as needed during the year. Prohibition of a handicap as intended, the ruling has helped the club. For the Cardinal organization has shifted its attention on Columbus, which is being supplied at the start of the season with the best talent available. All indications are that such early season strength will put the Red Birds on top in a big way, and they will not likely be headed on the pennant stretch.

After a two-week steady grind, the team is showing noticeable improvement. A siting-out process has been going steadily forward, and nine players were released this week to other clubs of the Cardinal system. Meanwhile, the team was strengthened by acquisition of four new players from the Cardinals.

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Shortstop Billie Wilson, who was with Elmira, N. Y., last year. Pitcher Ed Greer, who, with Houston in the Texas league last year won 22 and lost 10 and the year before won 24 and lost 10.

Pitcher Bill Beckman, who with Houston last year with a record of 14 wins and 11 losses. While Beckman's record was not so impressive as his team-mate, he allowed only 2.3 earned runs per nine-inning game for the best record in the Texas league.

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Free Tickets for Fashions of 1934

Two adult tickets to see Warner Brothers' smashing musical hit, "Fashions of 1934," will be given each of the first hundred persons paying a two-dollar subscription to the Avon Park Times before six p. m., Saturday, April 7. This splendid production comes to the Avon Theatre on Sunday and Monday, April 8 and 9 and this is the chance for readers of the Times to see it absolutely free of all cost.

There are no strings to this offer and it is good for either new or renewal subscriptions. Joining or send two dollars to the Times office, your subscription will be credited for one year and you will get two tickets to see "Fashions of 1934" free.

Flower Show. The Progressive Garden club will hold its fourth annual flower show in the auditorium of the city hall Friday, April 6, afternoon from 2 to 5 p. m. There will be no admission charge and the public is cordially invited to attend. It is the last of the series of events planned for the season, as the garden club will be disbanded at the end of the year.

Tax Collector Will Close Office Doors During Month April

Tax Collector Ruth Bass Hyton has been authorized by State Comptroller J. M. Lee to close the doors of her office in the court house during the month of April in order to prepare the delinquent tax list for publication next May. It will be impossible to collect taxes and prepare the list at the same time but Mrs. Hyton says she will stay open until April 7 in order to accommodate those who have promised to pay by that date.

Citrus Control Allotments

Make Public Names of Alleged Violators of Marketing Agreement

Orlando, March 28.—Members of the Florida Citrus Committee established private allotments for 15 leading auction markets for the week of March 29 to April 4, inclusive, at their session here Monday afternoon. The committee declared that in its opinion the total amount of oranges which these markets will receive will be the same as last week, but grapefruit allotments were increased somewhat so that a total of 19 additional cars were authorized for the week. All indications are that such early season strength will put the Red Birds on top in a big way, and they will not likely be headed on the pennant stretch.

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Big Easter Hunt at Avon Theatre for Mickey Mousers

H. M. Johnson announced that there would be a big Easter egg hunt Saturday morning for the members of the Mickey Mouse club. All members are requested to bring 6c Saturday morning as entrance fee in the hunt. Each child bringing the nickel will be given a card entitling him or her to enter the hunt which will be staged immediately after the show. There will be no admission to the show as usual but 15c charge to defray the cost of the eggs, and prizes will be made for those entering the contest. No one not having a card will be allowed to hunt eggs. First, second and third prizes will be awarded.

Earman to Aid in Tax Collections

Tax Collector Hyton has been advised by the state comptroller that Joe S. Earman has been placed in the field to aid in the collection of personal and intangible taxes. Mr. Earman is expected to be in Highlands county in the near future.

Costs to Hold Materials. W. H. Watson will hold Avon Park Rotarians for the year beginning July 1. He was elected to the presidency at the meeting last Wednesday night at the J. J. arena hotel. An impromptu program completed the luncheon.

NEW STATE ROAD THROUGH RIDGE TO BE SURVEYED

Delegation Attending Road Department Meeting In Ocala Monday Brings Back Good News.

Aerial survey will be started within two weeks on the Federal Highway that is to be constructed from Leesburg to Miami through the ridge section along the route of State Road 8, C. B. Treadway, chairman of the State Road Department, informed a committee of citizens from the ridge section, who attended the department hearing on the budget of the department, held in Ocala Monday.

Mr. Treadway stated that the location of the right-of-way for the road is very important and as soon as the survey is completed work should be started in each community to obtain the necessary land. The right-of-way should be 300 feet wide and the police Mr. Treadway stated, but where the road passes through towns, a narrower right-of-way will be acceptable to the department and to the Federal government.

Although there are no state funds available for the road, the road it is understood that the department will endeavor to get Federal funds to apply on the construction and with the help of the estimated 8,000 relief workers that will be available along the ridge as soon as the fruit season is over, the road can be built.

Mr. Treadway and his staff showed the delegation from the ridge every courtesy and it is believed by those attending the meeting that everything possible will be done by the department to get the road built and work started at the earliest possible date.

Mr. Treadway stated that while the route selected would necessarily be according to the possession of the Federal government, the route will follow as nearly as possible the route of the present road eight and nine miles from Leesburg to the exact route the better the chances of getting the work started at an early date.

L. H. Kramer of Lake Wales, as president of the "Sonic Highlanders," was the chief spokesman for the delegation for the ridge section and presented the plea for the construction of the road.

Senator H. G. Murphy of Polk, was present and made a short talk in which he stated that the delegation was absolutely unselfish in their desire to have the road built as it would benefit the entire state by shortening the distance between Tampa and the East Coast as well as the ridge section. He also mentioned the work of the State Road Department and the work of the State Road Department and the work of the State Road Department.

Representative J. E. Sims and E. J. Etheredge of DeSoto City, both made short talks in which they pledged to do all in their power to repair the Artur Creek bridge on State Road 59 and while the department did not commit themselves it is believed that it is in any way possible to do so the bridge will be repaired at state expense.

Mr. Etheredge extended an invitation to the Road Board to hold their next meeting at Sebring and Mr. Treadway assured him and the delegation that the meeting in May will be held here.

Those attending the meeting from Highlands county were: L. L. Henderson and J. E. Sims, of Lake Wales; Major E. E. Barton, C. A. Wells, of the city and R. J. Etheredge, of DeSoto City; Geo. E. Sebring, E. W. Eltinge, A. L. Eltinge, P. L. Vinson and N. A. Broking, of Sebring.

Negro Arrested On Old Murder Charge

Friday last week the Highlands county sheriff's office arrested a negro on the charge of a two-year search when they brought back Will Franklin, colored, from Ocala where he was picked up by officers on the way from Deputy Sheriff Broward Coker.

Franklin was indicted by the grand jury in 1932 for the alleged murder of another colored man, John Armstrong, at Ocala. He is charged with having fired a "bullet" into the back of Armstrong. The defendant is being held in the county jail and will probably be tried at the next term of circuit court here.

Special Services For Easter at the Congregational

Choral music will have the principal place in both the morning and evening services on Easter day at the Congregational church and the entire program and sermon themes will be arranged in harmony with the spirit and hope of the most sacred festival of the Christian faith.

A sacred concert will be given in the evening at 7:30 by the Avon Park Ladies Glee Club directed by Mr. W. H. Yates, with brief address by the minister on "The First Easter Evening."

At 9:45 in the morning the Sunday school will have its Easter program on which all the classes are represented, to which visitors and parents are especially invited. A women's chorus will lead in the singing of the great Easter hymns at the morning service, 11 o'clock, and will present special choruses.

An Easter egg hunt for the younger classes of the Sunday school will be held on the church and manse grounds Saturday at 2:30.

Lawler Wells A Candidate

Announces for Commissioner; Few Aspirants in County to Date

With one official announcement in this district to date, that of J. L. Wells who is a candidate for the office of county commissioner, the political campaign has gotten under way. Rumor has it that other candidates in the district are being sought for this office but nothing definite is known except that John H. Fisher, present commissioner, and chairman of the county board has stated he will not be a candidate.

In District 2, Sebring, there has been one official announcement for the office of commissioner, that of A. B. Allen although A. F. Spooner, the incumbent, has said he would be up for re-election.

In the DeSoto City district, district three, J. H. Twitty who has the office at present, will be up for re-election and J. C. Pearce, former commissioner is also running for the office again.

At Lake Placid no opposition has been heard to L. Henderson, and in district five, Hialeah and Venus, there has been no announcement of a candidate to oppose Ben C. Hoy.

In the race for representative there has been nothing official but it is understood that J. E. Sims, Lake Placid, and J. C. Pearce, Hialeah, are the leading candidates and will be opposed by Dr. A. T. Elide, also of Lake Placid, and Ford Heacock and Paul Vinson, both of Sebring.

Easter Program Church of Redeemer

The first of the Easter services will be held at the Church of the Redeemer on Holy Saturday night, Easter Eve, at eight o'clock with the blessing of the New Fire and the Paschal candle followed by the first Vespers of Easter.

The kindling of the new fire is symbolic of the new life of the risen Lord and the participation of the faithful in that life; the Paschal candle burns for forty days after Easter in commemoration of the forty days spent on earth after the Resurrection by the Redeemer.

The program for Easter Day begins with a celebration of the Holy Eucharist at 7:30 a. m. At 11 a. m., there will be a Choral Easter service and sermon at central altar worship for Easter. An augmented choir will render a beautiful program of appropriate music and all the accustomed hymns and dignity of the Episcopal ritual will be used.

Kirkland Freed In Krause Killing

On trial yesterday at Wauchula on a charge of first degree murder, M. M. Kirkland was found "not guilty" of the killing of Charles Krause, Jr., of this city. There were no witnesses to the shooting and the jury returned its verdict in seven minutes.

The charge grew out of the killing by Kirkland at the latter's fishing station at the Wauchula road in Hazlet county on March 4th.

SHRINE SUNRISE EASTER SERVICE TAMPA SUNDAY

Musical Pageant and Tableau of Resurrection To Be Feature of Annual Affair That Attracts Thousands.

The Shrine of Egypt Temple, Tampa, will present their 12th Annual Sunrise Service at the Plant Park Bandshell at 6 o'clock Easter Sunday morning, April 8th. This inspiring, non-sectarian worship of the Savior has become a fixed institution of south Florida and a Mecca for thousands, there having been more than 20,000 people of every denomination and creed at some of these annual services. The Shrine is preparing for a record breaking attendance this year, and expect to surpass all previous years in stage sets, decorations and program. More seats will be provided than ever before. No offering will be taken.

This year a tableau of the scene at the Resurrection will be presented in the form of a musical pageant and the tableaux will be carried by the many who carry in their hearts for the rest of their lives. As in former years, the Shrine Chanters will sing inspiring anthems, including Handel's "Hallelujah Chorus" from the Messiah. Ex-Governor Donnie E. Smith will read appropriate texts from Scripture. Egypt Temple Band, under the direction of Murlin L. Price, will play the instrumental selections, and the other uniformed bodies of the Temple will act as escorts and ushers.

John Philip Shaddick, selected by Egypt Temple as Easter Soloist, will sing "The First Easter Morn," a soloist with the M. M. Temple Band, which will be the Pittsburg Symphony Orchestra under Victor Herbert, and also appeared as a soloist with the Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra and the New York Symphony under Gustav Mahler.

Other soloists will be singing with Evan Williams, the soprano, with Madam Schumann-Heink, and with other eminent artists. He has an outstanding record and is favorably known throughout South Florida where the Egypt Temple Shrine Chanters, under the direction of J. C. Pearce, many sacred concerts during recent years to large and enthusiastic audiences.

Mrs. Annie Laurie Stanley, who will sing "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth" from the Messiah, and in case of force majeure, Mr. Shaddick's former pupil, who has achieved recognition. She also studied under Lily Clarke of Boston, and James T. Price, of New York. She has had solo appearances with several celebrated orchestras, including George Scott-Hunter. She was chosen as soloist at a concert in honor of President Taft, and was selected soloist at the Easter service of the West Coast to sing the soprano solo part in Handel's "Messiah" at Daytona Beach last Christmas.

"Hosanna," by Granier, will be sung as a duet by Mr. William H. Dyer, of Dr. J. C. Hutton, Mr. Dyer's inspiring voice has thrilled so many South Florida audiences that it is unnecessary to attempt a description of the musical treat promised by his participation in this duet. Dr. Jack Halton some years ago organized and directed the original Boston City Quartette who were leading entertainers in New York City for a number of seasons. At that time he became a widely famous and popular singer under the stage name of "Harry St. Clair, the Silver Voiced English Baritone." Dr. Halton has served as soloist in the largest churches of New York City, Cleveland and Cincinnati. Florida audiences are in need of fortunate in having an opportunity to hear the magic voice that has won him his well deserved distinction.

Familiar hymns will be played on the chimes of the First Baptist Church by Oliver A. Beaver for 15 minutes, followed by a trumpet call to worship which will open the stage program at 6 o'clock.

Citrus Workers Called to Strike Monday Morning

According to a statement issued by J. T. Hardee, of Avon Park, president of the United Citrus Workers, general strike of citrus workers in the state, except grove workers, has been called for Monday, April 2nd. Recognition of the union is sought, according to the statement, hours and wages not being an issue.

Man Charged with Impersonating a Deputy Sheriff

Will Drawly is at liberty under a \$500 bond on the charge of impersonating an officer. Drawly is said to have represented himself to be a deputy sheriff. The warrant was sworn out by R. Pike, who for conviction the last session of county court on the possession of liquor. The case is returnable before Justice of the Peace Henry Holiday who may transfer it to the circuit court.

Fees Set For Candidates

County Democratic Committee Met Wednesday for Primary Plans

The Highlands County Democratic Executive committee held their regular pre-election meeting at the court house Wednesday afternoon for the purpose of setting the filing fees of the candidates who wish to run in the Democratic primary which will be held June 6th.

Chairman E. J. Etheredge conducted the meeting which was attended by the committee members from each precinct in the county.

The first action of the committee was to adopt a resolution which was adopted by the State Democratic Executive committee last month setting the date for the primary and designated the following offices for which candidates will be nominated:

One candidate of the Democratic party for the United States Senate and representatives in congress from the first, second, third and fourth congressional districts and one representative in congress from the state at large; two candidates for justices of the supreme court of the State of Florida; one member of the state railroad commission; members of the house of representatives, and all elective or appointive county officers in which vacancies may exist, which in this county consists of county commissioners, members of board of education and justices of the peace, besides one member of the State Democratic Executive committee and one member of the county committee to be selected from each precinct in the county. The resolution also sets the date for the second primary for June 26.

The county committee placed the assessments for each candidate at two percent of the first year's salary, and in case of fee officers, to be two percent of the receipts of the office for the past year with a minimum of \$2.00.

After some discussion it was decided that the committee would not stand the expense of any barbecues or picnics for the candidates, but as a certificate of meeting in each precinct in the county if the candidates requested them to do so.

The committee voted to endorse the policy of President Roosevelt and instructed their secretary to draw a resolution to that effect and forward it to the President.

The committee will hold another meeting sometime in the near future to take care of other matters regarding the primary election.

Mrs. Susan Fairfax Died Here Monday; Burial at Crewsville

Mrs. Susan Patima Fairfax, a resident of Avon Park for the past seven years, was buried in the new cemetery Tuesday afternoon, with services at the Crewsville Baptist church at three o'clock. Mrs. Fairfax passed away Monday afternoon, after a lingering illness at the home of her daughter, Mrs. N. G. Langford. The services were in charge of Rev. W. K. McClure, pastor of the Avon Park Baptist church and pallbearers were Francis and Lester Stokes, Aubrey Roberts, Tom Collier, Ed Collier and Frank Crews.

Mrs. Fairfax was born in Plant City on December 16, 1862, the daughter of John and Elizabeth Collier. The survivors are, three daughters, Mrs. W. A. Roberts and Mrs. N. G. Langford of this city, Mrs. L. L. Blackburn of Bowling Green, a son, Judson F. Collier of Lake City and a brother, Sam Collier of Crewsville.

Singing Convention to Meet. The Ridge Singing Convention will meet Sunday at the Lake Wales First Baptist church at two o'clock. All singers and music lovers are invited to attend.

MAKE CHANGE IN PERSONNEL OF COUNTY FERA

Change of Policy Regarding Relief Work Announced at Regional Conference Held in Sarasota.

A wholesale shakeup in the county administrators of the eighth region of the FERA was made this week, with Thomas F. Donham, Jr., of Jacksonville being transferred to Collier county and Walter Irving of Sebring being selected to head the governmental unit in Highlands county. Although the appointments were made last Sunday, it was stated, no announcement was given until the press until a Regional Conference was held at Sarasota all day Tuesday, at which time the county heads were given instructions for carrying on the new program in their respective units.

Chas. K. Dodd, Regional Administrator, stated the appointment of Irving was made by the local administrator holding over when pending the selection of someone to permanently head the county organization. Following that selection, Irving will be moved to Area-4, where he will be placed in charge of DeSoto county.

Expressing deep regret at leaving Sebring and Highlands county, work done on projects which he where he has resided since his appointment as Director of Operations of the FERA last summer, Mr. Donham asked the local newspapers to convey his deep gratitude to the citizens for their splendid co-operation during his tenure in office.

A complete change not alone in the program but in the personnel was made by the Regional Administrator, the new Administrator stated today. The new program is not a construction program as was the GWA, it was stated, but one in which Public Health, Recreation facilities and education take a major part. There will be little if any work done on projects which require a great deal of materials, it was said, the projects being selected by the administrators for their value to the county.

Projects covering the salary payments of 87 teachers in Highlands county were approved by the Assistant Administrator this week and forwarded to Jacksonville for O. K., which was a relief. The projects will place each one of the teachers in Highlands county on a governmental pay basis from March 12th to June 30th, in case of force majeure, instances the schools close June 30th, in others, June 29th is the closing date.

Approval of the Avon Park airport project was virtually in the hands of the local administration, but as a certificate of meeting in each precinct in the county if the candidates requested them to do so. The committee voted to endorse the policy of President Roosevelt and instructed their secretary to draw a resolution to that effect and forward it to the President.

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