

WALKER SPOKE AT MEETING OF SEBRING CLUB

Avon Park Citrus Man
Addresses Rotarians
At County Seat

Charles Walker, of Bartow and Avon Park, one of the largest individual growers and shippers of citrus fruit in the state and well known as a citrus expert through the citrus belt, delivered an address on "Marketing of Citrus" before the Sebring Rotary club Monday noon.

In the early days of the citrus industry in Florida Mr. Walker stated he once marketed Florida grapefruit at \$14 per box, but the rapid increase of acreage and production has brought the price down until there has been no profit in grapefruit since 1931.

Florida is producing at the present time more than enough grapefruit to supply the demand in this country and Canada and Texas has even more, Mr. Walker stated.

Canning of grapefruit will not solve the market problem, the speaker said, although it will help. The speaker displayed a small bottle of grapefruit jam made at home, and stated that the utilization of by-products help the grower to a small extent.

He stated that enough grapefruit grown in Highlands county alone supply the demand for grapefruit in Italy.

Marketing grapefruit in cans improperly controlled will seriously injure the market of fresh fruit, the speaker stated, but advanced the suggestion of a canning plant in Highlands county. However, he called attention to the fact that it would require approximately \$500,000 to make a success of the venture.

Mr. Walker praised the Florida Citrus Commission, saying it had helped the grower with the marketing problem to a considerable extent.

Col. F. N. K. Bailey was in charge of the program and introduced the speaker. The program opened with Mrs. Louise Campbell singing "Old Man River," with Miss Eva Butts at the piano.

Boy Scout Fund Has Slow Growth; More Money Needed

Only \$69.50 had been subscribed up to Thursday noon towards the Boy Scout fund, the Avon Park treasurer, A. McKee Ewell stated. A goal of \$300 has been set to carry on the work for the present year and everyone is asked to do their part to the extent of their ability. Contributions to date have mostly been for a dollar, although there have been a few of \$10 and \$5 and one of \$50.

Those donating so far are: Frank Costine, A. McKee Ewell, G. Kinsey, W. W. McFarland, Jr., G. S. McKnight, Dennis Mann, J. C. Ragsdale, E. G. Todd, G. Welch, O. C. Wilkes, Jack Heav, D. G. Perry, Dr. W. A. Davis, Ray Wells, A. V. Anderson, E. W. Walker, Mrs. Katherine Brice, F. S. Jordan, J. S. Francis, C. Davidson, J. D. Rauh, J. E. McManis, P. R. Smith, E. E. Mann, E. F. Spangenberg, J. E. Coen, S. C. Jordan, E. E. Borden, Miss Alice Davidson and W. C. Becken.

Don't delay, get your contribution into Mr. Ewell at once and let the good work go on.

Yvonne Corbett Died Wednesday

Little Yvonne Patricia Corbett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. U. Corbett, died early Wednesday morning after a long illness.

Her death was the cause of death of her mother, Mrs. Corbett, who was in the hospital at the time of her death.

Her father, Mr. Corbett, is a well-known business man in the community.

Active pallbearers were J. W. Kinsey, S. M. Woodard, F. W. Smith, E. D. Smith and Durwood Corbett. Funeral services were held at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning at the Methodist church. Burial was in the cemetery.

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Athletic Coach Bans Violent Harangues Between Halves

DeLand, Feb. 28.—The practice of stirring up football and cage teams with violent harangues between halves is losing ground among athletic coaches, according to Brady Cowell, Stetson University's director of athletics, who uses a different method.

"The players need to rest and relax between halves," said Cowell who has had unusual success in training Florida athletes for big-time sports. "If the coach yells at them or lectures them emotionally, calling on them to 'fight harder,' the boys can't get the rest they need."

"The coach ought to do his coaching during the week. It does no good to try to crank a team between halves."

At the rest periods in intercollegiate matches, Cowell encourages his players to relax. He talks quietly also to individual athletes with a view to correcting mistakes in play, but never shouts or brandishes his arms at them in the manner once popular with a certain type of mentor.

SAFETY HARBOR GETS BOND SETTLEMENT

Negotiate Big Reduction In
Both Interest and Principal
With Bondholders

Safety Harbor, Feb. 26.—(FNS)—The little city of Safety Harbor took the spotlight this week by cancelling its improvement bonds 100 percent and giving a discount of 95 percent on all delinquent taxes.

Endowed with a bonded indebtedness of \$1,100,000, a sum the city could never hope to pay, city officials under the leadership of Mayor L. H. Zinner set out to solve a problem that appeared well beyond hope.

For months every effort toward reaching an adjustment met with a wall, but the taxpayers to a man had gone on strike and finally after tireless work a plan was worked out by which the city could pay off its bonds at a considerable discount.

Under the new adjustment plan the city will issue \$341,500 worth of refunding bonds. These will run for a period of 40 years. The first 10 years these bonds will draw one percent interest, the next 10 years two percent interest, the third 10 years three percent interest and the fourth 10 years five percent interest. Beginning in the sixth year the city must levy a tax sufficient to raise \$6,000 for the payment of bonds. As soon as \$5,000 is raised the city must invest for and purchase as many of the bonds as the \$5,000 will deliver.

The city budget for 1935 amounted to \$2,000 with a millage of 11 mills. To meet the requirements under the new arrangements the city will be required to raise some \$6,000 per year for the first five years of the refunding agreement which will advance the millage to approximately 20 percent.

The city is preparing to go into Federal Court and once for all clean the slate. In order to do this under the Wilson act, the city must have in hand a total of \$500,000 of bonds, the holders of which are willing to accept refunding bonds in place of them, and officials report that they now have \$291,000, a little over the required amount.

With prospects of settling its bonded problem appearing favorable, the Safety Harbor Herald is expected to have much more interest on the part of investors and homebuyers and the general spirit of the citizens is being buoyed up to the future with confidence.

Many residents are planning improvements and every indication points to an improvement in the real estate market as a direct result of the bond settlement deal.

Candidate For Governor Here

Carl Maple, candidate for governor and who according to his own statement, died early Wednesday morning after a long illness.

His death was the cause of death of his mother, Mrs. Maple, who was in the hospital at the time of her death.

His father, Mr. Maple, is a well-known business man in the community.

FRED P. CONE WAS VISITOR MONDAY

Candidate For Governor Is
Making Personal
Campaign

Fred P. Cone, of Lake City, one of the leading candidates for governor, visited in Avon Park Monday evening.

He did not make a speech while here but in an interview stated, "I have no ambition to hold any office except that of governor and as a consequence will not use the office, if elected, to build up a political organization. I believe the state can be operated on much less than is being spent now and if elected I will attempt to prove it."

Mr. Cone, whose home is in Lake City, was born and reared in Columbia County, Florida, on a large plantation, which was donated to his father, Captain William H. Cone, for distinguished service rendered to the United States government in the Indian war. Mr. Cone was educated in the public schools of Columbia County, Florida. He also attended school at Jasper and White Springs, Florida. He was mayor of Lake City, three terms. Mr. Cone served eight years in the Florida State Senate, 1909, 1910, 1911, and 1912. He was a member of the sessions of the Florida Senate during the session of 1911. While in the senate he was an advocate of most progressive legislation.

He has been active in the Democratic party for over 40 years. He has continuously supported and worked for the Democratic nominees. He has taken an active part in all branches of the party since 1909. He has served on all county, state and congressional committees.

He was president of the pre-conventional Woodrow Wilson Club in Columbia county. He was alternate delegate to the Democratic convention at Baltimore in 1912. He worked for Woodrow Wilson on the floor of the convention. Mr. Cone was a delegate to the Democratic National Convention in 1924, 1928, and 1932. He was chairman of the Florida Democratic delegation in Chicago in 1932, and represented Florida Democracy on the floor of the convention. He was chairman of the finance committee of the Democratic party for Florida in 1932 and he collected the necessary funds to run the Democratic campaign. In addition, Mr. Cone made an active campaign for the Democratic ticket all over north and central Florida.

World Traveller At Congregational Church Next Friday

Dr. D. Brewer Eddy, a foremost authority on world conditions, will give an address on "Russia and the Orient," in the Congregational church, Friday, March 6, at 7:30 p. m. Dr. Eddy has just returned from a tour visit in China, Japan and Siberia and is spending a month in Florida, where he gave the outstanding address at the recent business conference at Babson Park, and has been heard in forum meetings in all the larger cities. Those who heard Dr. John R. Matt at the Harn Hall service last Sunday may anticipate from Dr. Eddy information of similar value and authority, covering the Russian space area where conditions are so threatening. Everyone invited. No admission charge. An offering for mission work will be received.

Rodney Durance Gets High Honors At Stetson University

(Special to the Times)
DeLand, Feb. 26.—Rodney Durance, of Avon Park, a sophomore student at Stetson University, has been placed on the first semester honor roll as result of the recent 100-hour examinations. Registrar Olga Gordon announced today.

Only 68 students out of the 811 enrolled received mention for first semester scholastic attainments.

Students who distinguished themselves by making the grade of "A" in all studies. The other 68 made only "A" and "B" grades.

Duranc resides at 127 West Minnesota.

Singing Convention Here

The Ridge Singing Convention will meet at the Methodist church here Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. The program will be a quartet and community singing and a very enjoyable time is predicted for those who attend.

Hammock Speaker

Harry McC. Lintz, of the Moody Bible Institute, is scheduled to deliver the main address at the Highlands Hammock Vesper Service next Sunday.

IVES ANNOUNCES FOR OFFICE COUNTY JUDGE

Popular Sebring Attorney Is
First To Announce For
Judicial Position

Selwyn Ives, prominent Sebring attorney and president of the Highlands Young Democratic Club, announced today that he will be a candidate for the office of County Judge in the coming June primary, to succeed Judge M. C. Whitehurst who will not seek reelection and which has frequently been designated as the "two-job" man.

The Journal further shows that a few members beside the "two-job" bloc spent long hours apparently in a futile effort to limit the cost of operation of the Legislature.

May we direct your attention to the fact that the Constitution of the State of Florida specifies that the Legislature shall be composed of a governor and each of the officers of the executive department. During the time that we might say, with the executive department throughout the session.

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Community Canning Meeting Is Called

A meeting to discuss a community canning project has been called for the high school auditorium for Tuesday afternoon, March 3 at four o'clock, according to Mrs. Frances McCann, county supervisor.

A canning center is being prepared on South Central avenue, between the Hammock Hotel and Hammock Park. It will be a place where surplus meats, fruits and vegetables can be canned and demonstrated.

There will be small fee for the use of the equipment and toll will be taken. Those using the center will be required to purchase their own cans. It is hoped that the project will be self-sustaining in the course of time.

Pilcher In Wreck

M. V. Pilcher was badly bruised and shaken up Saturday night when his car left the road on state road eight south of Pineland and turned over several times. Pilcher was returning from Sebring and was alone in the car. He was found by passing motorists, brought to Avon Park for medical attention and later taken to a Sebring hospital. The car was badly damaged.

Panhandle Day Successful

The panhandle day which the Episcopal Guild sponsored Wednesday at the Parish House was very successful affair. Pan cakes and sausage were enjoyed all day by a large crowd.

TAX LEAGUE PUTS GOVERNOR ON SPOT

Calls Attention to High Cost
of State Beverage
Department

The Florida Tax Revision League, Jacksonville, which started the fight on "two-job legislators," are apparently determined to call attention of the people as well as officials to any extravagance on the part of officials and their latest move is to put Governor Sholtz "on the spot." Last Monday they addressed an open letter to the Governor, which read as follows:

Hon. Dave Sholtz, Governor, State of Florida, Tallahassee, Florida.

As a Tax Payers organization, striving to bring about a reduction in governmental costs, and an equalization and revision of the tax structure of the State, our attention has been called to the payroll of the State Beverage Department amounting to \$7,126.26 for the month of January. It is our purpose and desire to answer our inquiry and report to our membership as quickly as possible. We have, therefore, made a careful check of the law creating the Beverage Department and the Journal of the 1935 Legislature, relative to its passage and we find two important facts.

First, that this Department is entirely under the control of the Governor; second, that the Act (the Journal's pages disclose this) was passed through the Legislature by that particular legislative bloc which the press of the State has referred to as being under executive control and which has frequently been designated as the "two-job" men.

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Old Comrade Visits Col. Head Monday

Capt. and Mrs. E. C. Everett of Sierra Madre, California, stopped off here Monday for a short visit. Capt. Everett is a member of the Spanish American War and the Philippine Revolution. He was in the first time these comrades have met since they were mustered out of the service.

Capt. and Mrs. Everett were very charming with this section of the state and plan to return later and make a more extended visit.

Benefit Picture For Crippled Children's Home At Theatre

"Page Miss Glory," one of the smartest comedies ever filmed, will be shown at the Park Theatre here on Friday, March 13, the proceeds going to aid the Crippled Children's Home at St. Petersburg, an American Legion enterprise.

The picture stars Marion Davies and features Dick Powell, Paty Kelly and other well known players of the silver screen.

The entire proceeds of the show, less the cost of the picture and other small incidentals will go toward a fund being raised to purchase the building used by the home. Tickets will be on sale in the near future and a large attendance is expected as excellent entertainment will be enjoyed and a very worth while cause assisted.

The Crippled Children's Home has been open for several years and has accomplished much good among the children of the state. Children from Avon Park and Highlands county have been admitted and treated at no cost to their families.

GRAY ISSUES RULES GOVERNING PRIMARY

Secretary of State Gives Rules
Governing Election
Candidates

R. A. Gray, secretary of state, issues the following information regarding primaries to be held June 1936, and laws governing same.

Polls open at 8 a. m.; close at sundown.

Date of first primary, first Tuesday after the first Monday in June, 1936, which date is June 2.

Date of second primary, fourth Tuesday after the first Monday in June, 1936, which date is June 23, 1936.

Registration books open the first Monday in March, which is March 2, in 1936. Closes midnight, April 6.

Hours these books are to be kept open are from 9 a. m. to 12 m. and from 12 m. to 5 p. m., each week day and one night each week until 5 p. m., at some convenient place in each election district.

General county registration books open "between the first Monday in April (April 6, 1936)" the books close on opening April 7, 1936, and including April 30, 1936, closing midnight, April 30, 1936.

Hours these books are to be kept open are from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and from 2 to 5 p. m., at the office of supervisor of registration (Sundays excepted).

Last date of payment of poll taxes in 1936 is May 16, (3rd Saturday preceding day of election).

Oath and filing fee of candidates for Justice of the Supreme Court (Justice of the Supreme Court excepted) must be filed not less than 30 clear days before the first primary.

Last date accepted in 1936, May 16.

Oath and filing fee of candidates for Justice of the Supreme Court must be filed not later than February first previous to first primary, and completed by the first primary, not later than March 31, following.

First itemized campaign expense statement for candidates for national or state offices must be filed with the secretary of state; and candidates for state senator, representative, or county clerk and other county offices must be filed with the clerk of the circuit court not more than 30 days and not less than 15 days prior to primary election. May 8, 1936, is the last date for filing this statement. May 8 is the earliest date statement may be filed.

Second Statement.

Second itemized campaign expense statement must not be filed prior to May 21, 1936, and not later than May 25, 1936.

Third Statement.

Third itemized campaign expense statement must be filed not earlier than June 24, 1936, and not later than July 1, 1936.

TAMPA JUDGE ROTARY DINNER SPEAKER HERE

Judge Petteway Attended
Birthdays Celebration
of Organization

Avon Park Rotarians and Rotary Annas celebrated the 31st birthday of Rotary International with a dinner at the Jacaranda Hotel Wednesday evening. Rotary was organized on March 1, 1905 and has had a phenomenal growth over the entire world.

The principal speaker and guest of honor was W. Raleigh Petteway judge of the criminal court at Tampa. He was accompanied by his wife, Mrs. W. Raleigh Petteway, who was master of ceremonies in the absence of President C. E. Lanier and J. Paul Garber had charge of the program. The dinner was very successful from every standpoint. A. McKee Ewell gave a short history of Rotary and of course interspersed his words with his well known witticisms, bringing hearty laughs.

A number of songs were sung and the Jacaranda orchestra played a number of songs during the dinner, including several request numbers. E. J. Todd attended the birthday cake, blew out the candles which adorned it, cut it and each one present received a piece.

Judge Petteway was introduced by Col. Edgar Walker who said the judge stands out among all people and has served the people of Tampa and Hillsborough county for many years. He has never been criticized and his influence should be felt all over the state.

Judge Petteway spoke on Rotary and its motto, "Service above self." He had not come, he said, to tell how to run the government, solve present day problems, bring back prosperity or what corner to reach around. He paid his respects to the ladies and then launched into his talk which was much appreciated.

The motto of Rotarship is realized in dealing with fellowmen, he said and the great truths and principles of life are service for the world, something and something. The Galilean startled all men with the principles which are magnified in Rotary and the man who understood something and something is one who ministers to others and works for the happiness of his fellowmen. Invest in the good of others, he urged.

He cited the good accomplished by the Tampa Rotary Club in sponsoring a boy's club in West Tampa. For that from that community now appear in children's report, he said. He also mentioned the value of contacts and fellowship made in service organizations.

Friendship is the highest degree of perfection known to society, the judge said and urged his hearers to make the community better by the home better, the world better by having lived and served.

He closed his talk with a poem by Edward Guest whom he said evidently knew the value of friendship.

Col. Head thanked Judge Petteway on behalf of the club and J. S. Francis also expressed appreciation of the judge and the program committee.

Sebring Townsden Club Endorses J. Hardin Peterson

The following communication has been received for publication and is self explanatory:

At the last regular meeting of the Sebring Townsden Club, the following resolution presented by Gerald H. Bee was unanimously adopted:

"WHEREAS, it has come to our attention that J. Hardin Peterson supported the Townsend Plan in the last session of Congress, and that the Sebring Townsden Club No. 1, composed of over 400 members, express its thanks and appreciation to the said J. Hardin Peterson for his commendable stand on this issue.

AND IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be sent to Mr. Peterson by the Secretary, a copy spread upon the minutes of the Club and a copy given to the press.

BRISBANE CURRENT EVENTS IN REVIEW

THIS WEEK

What a Troubled World!
What Will TWA Do?
Schwab Still Smiles
Steam Turbine Planes

Will this troubled world ever calm down, supply work to those willing to work and live happily, and enable superior ability to show what it can do?

Spain, waking from long lethargy, is swept by riots, jails stormed and set afire. Rioting in South America; will our friendly feeling count as at attempt striding out of the fog?

Nations fight, classes fight, labor unions fight, and even men of the same religion fight.

Washington wonders what TWA will do with the Supreme Court setting government over the bus line of producing aviation power.

Some suggest putting power on every farm, regardless of distance or cost, as rural mail delivery is put on every farm.

If every home is entitled to government mail delivery, every farm should be entitled to government power delivery on a similar basis.

That would mean business for copper companies, more running water in cow barns, more irrigated garden patches, more electric light after sundown in chicken coops.

Charles M. Schwab, seventy-four, still specializes in aviation, like the man who went to the race track, lost every cent, but escaped death in the railroad wreck. Mr. Schwab says labor conditions are the best in 50 years. He should know; he began as a laborer and did not get \$5, or \$5, or \$2 a day. Industry he calls a "three-legged stool." Capital, labor, management are the three legs.

Put Charles M. Schwab back where he was 50 years ago, the same as in time, in age and energy, and he would soon be at the head of a great industry. Who does not believe it does not know Schwab.

Russia, trying everything, experiments with a steam propelled turbine plane for strategic flights. At such heights water boils at half the temperature necessary at sea level. The exhaust steam after heating the plane could be recovered 90 per cent. Two years ago William and George Bessler, in Los Angeles, built and flew a plane with steam engine. They are still stuck to learn about flying.

Uncle Sam, convinced that he is his brother's keeper, after all, wants a peace agreement among all American republics.

Beautiful. But if any republic decides to fight, anyhow, it is to be hoped this country will not become an arbitrator.

"Judge not that ye be not judged," is sound advice.

We can no more decide the right and wrong of a row between Mussolini and England, or Chile and the Argentine, than we could between the two Kilkeny cats.

It is pleasing to learn from George Washington university of a new "refugee" preparation that makes possible childbirth "during sleep sound" without pain.

More and better children, bigger population is what the world needs with gradual elimination of the hopelessly inferior race by absorption, or voluntary extermination.

Foot Halle Selassie of Ethiopia, waiting for the rainy season to escape the Italian, says he found his army of 80,000 driven hither and thither, and two other armies, under two of his eldest "rulers," scattering into the jungle.

Seventy thousand Italian soldiers, a mountain fort that Ethiopia thought impregnable started the Mussolini kind of "rain" in above with bombs from the sky. This time Mussolini used his own white Italian soldiers, not his native troops from Eritrea.

Chancellor Hitler announces: "We have solved the problem of producing synthetic gasoline and rubber."

How good are the synthetic fuel and rubber; how cheap? These things will come, for science in the material world can do everything better than nature can do it.

Fuel will be created, and flying machines, too, as far above those produced as electric light is above whale oil, and the airplane above the car.

New Jersey high schools will give courses in "safe automobile driving," a good idea. All schools here should learn about automobiles and airplanes.

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By Edward W. Pickard

Townsend Plan Inquiry Attracts Attention

WHILE waiting for instructions as to what to do in the matter of taxation, the members of the house—and many others—directed their attention to the investigation of the activities of the Townsend pension plan promoters.

Speaker Byrns appointed on the probing committee of eight two members of the house—John H. Toan, Democrat, and Samuel L. Collins, Republican.

The chairman is J. Jasper Bell of Missouri, Democrat, author of the resolution for the investigation. It was understood that Mr. Bell had already gathered a mass of information to substantiate the charge that the Townsend plan has become a huge racket.

The leaders of both parties in congress have been getting rather nervous over the growth of the Townsend movement and are glad to see it attacked; but some impartial observers call attention to the fact that the way the investigation is being conducted smacks of unconstitutional abridgment of the right to petition.

It was expected that one of the first questions to be considered by the committee would be the salaries received by Dr. Francis R. Townsend, author of the scheme, and H. E. Clements, former California real estate operator, co-founder and general manager.

Clements has received a salary of \$100 a week from OARF, the old age revolving pension organization, and \$50 a week each from the Townsend national weekly, which claims a circulation of 250,000.

It has been charged on the floor of the house that this newspaper, privately owned by Townsend and Clements, has a reserve fund of at least \$200,000.

Congressman John Steven McGroarty, California's "poet laureate," says the Townsends will control the house of representatives at the next session, and adds: "They have built up the largest political organization in the history of America, with 10 million supporters."

If you include those who have signed petitions favoring the Townsend plan the number is increased to 20 million. By November it will be twice this large. This investigation will vastly strengthen the house of representatives, anybody that knows anything knows that.

The American people like fair play and they know that this investigation is just thirty-penny.

Gen. Hagood Punished for New Deal Criticism

MAJ. GEN. JOHNSON HAGOOD recently suggested to the house appropriations subcommittee that congress take advantage of what he termed "WPA waste money" and use it to improve housing at army posts. Within a few days the order signed by Gen. Malin Craig, chief of staff, by order of the secretary.

"By order of the President, Maj. Gen. Johnson Hagood, United States army, is relieved from assignment to the 10th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division, and further duty at Fort Sam Houston, Texas. Maj. Gen. Hagood will proceed to his home and await orders. The army will not be necessary in the military service."

Two Prominent Men Are 'Chimed by Death'

DEATH took from the scene two men prominent in national life—Albert Cabell Ritchie, governor of Maryland for four terms, and Henry Latrobe Boone.

Mr. Boone, a prominent member of the navy and distant cousin of the President, died at his home in Baltimore.

Mr. Ritchie was a leader among conservative Democrats, and was a candidate for the office of national prohibition, and in 1932 a candidate for the office of President.

Mr. Boone was a champion of state rights.

Henry L. Roosevelt was the fifth member of his family to serve as assistant secretary of the navy, and in recent months he had played an increasingly important part in the affairs of the department, acting as secretary during the illness of Secretary Swanson.

He was a student in the naval academy class of 1908, but left before graduation to become a second lieutenant in the marine corps, in which service he rose to the rank of colonel. It was buried in Arlington National cemetery with full military rites after funeral ceremonies that were attended by President Roosevelt and many other high officials.

Week-End Activities of President Roosevelt

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT had a busy weekend. First, he went to Philadelphia and received from Temple university the honorary degree of Juris Doctor.

He delivered an address in the course of which he said: "True education depends upon freedom in the pursuit of truth. No group and no government can prescribe precisely what should constitute the body of knowledge with which true education is concerned. The truth is found when men are free to pursue it."

"It is this belief in the freedom of the mind, written into the fundamental law and observed in our every day dealings with the problems of a nation, that distinguishes us as a nation."

Next the President hurried up to Cambridge, Mass., to see his son John initiated into the elite of the elite at the Harvard University. He then went to Hyde Park, N. Y., where he delivered a radio address marking the brotherhood day of the conference of Christians and Jews, in which he called on all believing Americans to unite against the wave of intolerance that challenges the world.

"This is no time," he said, "to make capital of religious disagreement. However honest it is, it is a waste of time to make capital out of religious misunderstanding. We who have faith cannot afford to fall out among ourselves. The very state of the world is a summons for us to stand together."

Ship Subsidy Measure Seems to Be Discarded

DEVELOPMENTS in Washington lead to the belief that the congressional ship subsidy bill has been abandoned. Word came from the White House that the President, although he initiated the principles of the measure, would not press for its passage; and Senator Royal S. Copeland, chairman of the commerce committee, approved the bill.

It was a part of the program, it was said, that the President had not intended that he may drop it. Senator Mitchell, however, has prepared a rival measure, now introduced, and Senator Black of Alabama is opposed to the Copeland bill.

Shipping interests have given foreign trade will continue to be paralyzed by uncertainty and lead to additional instances of the Navy department on the building of its own auxiliaries in partial compensation.

New Farm Relief Bill Sent to Conference

DIFFERENCES between the house and senate versions of the new farm relief measure were utterly irreconcilable. If you could take the work of the conferees of both bodies to whom the bill was sent. Nevertheless, it was expected the new bill would be passed within a few days and the measure sent to the White House.

Senator Smith, chairman of the senate agriculture committee, voiced indignation opposition to a house amendment providing that tenant farmers and sharecroppers shall be included in cash benefits paid landowners for conserving soil and thus controlling production.

Eden Warns That Another World War Impends

CHIEF. ANTHONY EDEN, British foreign minister, stood up in the house of commons and warned the world that recurrence of the world war was inevitable, and his opinion could not be averted except by a system of collective security embracing all nations in an authority which is unchallengeable and unchallengeable.

Eden impressed upon members of the parliament the difference between a policy of collective security and one of entrenchment, such as the "ring of steel" which Germany completed in the Rhineland and France.

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Floyd Gibbons

ADVENTURERS' CLUB

Hallo, Everybody!

"On Jacob's Ladder"

By FLOYD GIBBONS
Famous Headline Hunter.

WELL, sir, here's one of those automobile stories I've been looking for. By golly, I knew they were waiting for me. Why, doggone it, there must be a million good auto adventures in hiding. The field isn't even scratched yet.

Half our adventuring today is done in automobiles, and I'll bet most every one of you has a good gas-buggy yarn in mind that you just haven't gotten around to sending me yet. This automobile yarn is a hoot, too. It comes from George H. Smith, and the trouble George got into, well, goah hang it, it's almost enough to make a man sell his car and put the dough into life insurance.

Of course, George Smith isn't very well set that bus of his. In the first place he doesn't own it, and in the second he makes his living driving the doggone thing.

George has been a truck driver since 1921 and he must be a pretty good one, too, for he drove that old patrol wagon for 12 years without getting into any really serious trouble.

Here Begins the Story of George's Woes.

One day, back in 1933 though George did get into trouble. But I'm not the man to tell you about that. Let George do it!

"I was driving a big front van," says George, "from Boston to Albany. I was getting big fine until just before I got to Pittsfield. Then, coming down a steep hill called Jacob's Ladder, the car seemed to get away from me."

"I had to grab the hand brake to prevent a smash, and what racket that brake made. I got her to both of the hill all right, though, and there I found I'd broken the gas or shoe on the drive shaft."

"That left me nothing in the foot brake. Maybe I should have stopped right there and had it fixed. If I had any idea of what was going to happen, I darned sure could have. But lots of drivers go along with a hand brake so I stepped in the gas and took a chance."

Only One Morebig Hum to Get Over.

George rolled over through Pittsfield and took the steep grade down Lebanon mountain without any trouble. He had left all the steep spots in his route behind him as—well except one, and he was coming to that a small mountain that dips down into the town of Nassau, New York.

George rolled over atop of that mountain and had just started down the other side when suddenly his foot brake slipped and the van leaped forward.

George grabbed for the shifter—tried to throw her back into first. It was no use. He tried the brake again, but this time the foot brake



SMASH! The Side of the Van Hit a Tree.

didn't work at all. And all the time the truck was gathering speed as it raced down the steep incline toward the bottom.

It's Not the Hi—It's What's Below!

It was only four miles to the bottom of that hill, but, as George says, a lot can happen on a four-mile run, especially when there's a town at the bottom.

The truck, by this time, was going faster than any truck was ever built to go—away from side roads and all but leaping from the road. George made a right turn and negotiated a left—prayed that he wouldn't meet any traffic, the houses began to fly by, warning him that the town at the bottom of the hill was just away.

"All I had," says George, "was born and a prayer. I dropped down a grade steeper than the rest, and a sharp curve at the bottom. And at the speed I was making I knew I never make that turn."

Crash of Truck's Driver's Life.

Well, he didn't—exactly. The van hit the curve and started to dip. George clutched the wheel and his breath as both his left wheels raised off the ground. He himself fell for a fall and then—SMASH!—the side of the van hit a tree, tearing half the body from the wheels.

But that crash had saved George's life. The force of the impact knocked the big truck back on a four wheels again and it came out of the last steep grade towards town.

Ahead of him and half a mile behind him he roared through the village of Nassau, his horn screaming a frantic warning.

George steered the van to the side of the road—rubbed his tires against the curb in a vain effort to stop it. Then he hit a short up-grade and came to a stop, the outskirts of the village.

"My knees," George says, "were like rags and I had to sit down a while. I looked back down the street and there was freight scattered along the curbing as far as I could see. I looked under the truck and found that the pinion gear was gone out of the rear end."

"A town officer dropped and I was arrested. Reckless driving was the charge, but when the 'daffidigg' heard my story he let me off with a \$10 fine."

Michigan Jack Pine Is

Not Mature for 60 Years

Considerable has been said in the past regarding the longevity of the mature jack pine that is to be found on state-owned lands, particularly in state forests. Most of these reports emanate from the fact that the tree would like to see this state as a forest for commercial purposes, writes Albert Stoll, Jr., of the Detroit News.

A careful check of these findings would reveal that the tree is very little, if any, as called upon for its use in these holdings. What is undoubtedly the most important fact is that the tree is not a commercial tree. It is a tree of the past generation and its use is in the past. It is a tree of the past generation and its use is in the past. It is a tree of the past generation and its use is in the past.

Scenes and Persons in the Current News



1—Willard W. Beatty, former superintendent of Bronxville schools, appointed director of education for the office of Indian affairs. 2—Scene at the ski side at Garmisch-Parkettes, Germany, where the Olympic games were held. 3—George Bernard Shaw, British playwright, being welcomed to Miami, Fla., by Mayor A. D. Fossey and City Manager L. L. Lee. 4—Niagara Falls frozen practically solid during the sub-zero spell.

Alien Rescued by Men He Tried to Evade



This remarkable photograph shows the actual rescue of an alien who attempted to enter the United States over ice covered waters outside of Niagara Falls, during which he fell through the ice. In the photograph are Chief Inspector Glena Freese, Russell Walton, Fred Snyder and Paul Aschbach.

Widow of Huey P. Long Takes Place in Senate

Mrs. Huey P. Long, widow of the late United States Senator Long of Louisiana, who was appointed to fill



out the unexpired term of her husband, and has taken her seat in the senate.

Wild Ducks Find Haven in the Bronx, New York



Hundreds of wild black and mallard ducks find a welcome haven in the "sanctuary" of the zoological gardens in the Bronx, New York city. The water there is kept open for the convenience of these feathered visitors.

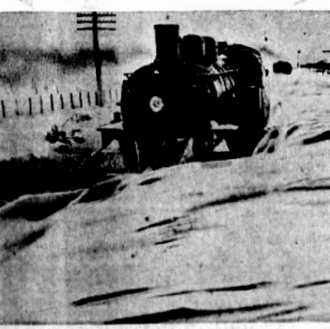
Pedley Replaces Hitchcock on American Polo Squad

Eric Pedley of California was invited by the selection committee to join the United States polo team



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Tall Tales

As Told to:

FRANK E. HAGAN and
ELMO SCOTT WATSON

Beating the Drouth

IT WAS the drouth year of 1934. Day after day the sun blazed down from a cloudless sky. Scorching winds blew across the western plains. Wells went dry and rivers became mere trickles.

One day a peddler stopped at the ranch house. "Better buy a pair of these green goggles to protect your eyes from the glare of the sun," he said. The ranchman took one look through them, then exclaimed, "How soon can you get me 438 more pairs?"

A week later the 438 pairs arrived. The ranchman fitted them on his eyes. They saved him from fields of rich, green grass and began to graze eagerly. But when it came time to drink from the river they refused. Animal instinct told them that green water is often poisonous. There was only one thing to do and the ranchman did it.

A fellow peddler brought 438 more pairs of goggles—only this time the lenses in them were blue. Of course, it was a lot of trouble to change the goggles—first green, then blue, then green, then blue, etc.—on 438 steers every day. But that fall the 2-3 steers topped the Kansas City market because they were in such prime condition.

Grand Fishin' in Grand Canyon

THROUGH the Grand Canyon in Arizona flows the Colorado river. Since "Colorado" is Spanish for "red" its water should be that color, but mostly it's a turbid, yellow stream. Ask Jim Hankins, ex-prospector, ex-cowboy and now a tourist guide, if there are any fish in the stream and he will say: "Sure, there's fish there, but I 'low I'm about the only man in Arizona who knows how to catch them fish. They're right peculiar, same as everything else down in this canyon. One funny thing about 'em is that they always swim backwards."

"Why? So's to keep the mud from gettin' in their eyes. Ah! It's just because of that fact that I kin catch 'em. Then fish is all plumb crazy over eatin' tobacco. So when I am to go fishin' I take me a club and a ten-cent plug o' eatin' tobacco."

"Then I go down to the bottom of the canyon and I pick out a nice shoal place where I can see the fish as they come swimmin' upstream, tail first. Then I take my pocket knife and I cut the plug up in little bits. I made out in the stream a little ways and spread the bait on the top of the water."

"Well, sir, then fish grab it and go down to the bottom and start chewin'. Pretty soon they get a hankerin' to spit. Not even a fish can spit under water, so when they come up to the top to spit I just hand off with my club and hit 'em over the head. And that's all there is to it."

How to Catch a Whiffenpoof

VISITORS to Florida are often told of the whiffenpoof which is found in nearly all the lakes in that state. They can recognize it easily because it looks like a gron-pus, only it has pink feathers. Not all of them know how to catch one but Jack Worthington of the Lake Wales Highlands says this is the proper way:

The whiffenpoof is very fond of peanuts, so to catch one it is necessary to provide yourself with a bag of peanuts first, then a piece of rope, a ball of mortar, a rowboat and a short piece of 2 by 4. Wait until a good windy day is blowing up the waves on the lake and then go out after the whiffenpoof.

Row out into the lake and wait until a big wave comes along. Lay so it with the piece of rope, pull it alongside and tie it firmly to the boat. Then grab the wave up with the 2 by 4 and tie the bag of peanuts to the 2 by 4. Place the ball of mortar on top of the wave and then sit down and wait patie-ty.

In a little while the whiffenpoof will smell the peanuts and will rush up for them. As he grabs the sack he will pull the 2 by 4 out from under the wave. The wave falls and spills the ball of mortar all over him. Then he dies of "mortar" poisoning and you have your whiffenpoof.

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Lost Books

The number of "biblical" writings that are lost must be very considerable, indeed. In the Bible itself there is mention of the lost "Book of the Wars of Jehovah," the "Book of the History of Solomon," histories by Samuel, Nathan the Prophet and Gad the Seer, annals of the Kings of Judah and Israel, and many other allusions to productions, great and small, of which there is no living trace now. There are, perhaps twice mentioned in the Bible, the so-called "Book of Jasher."

Fame Has No Necessary

Conjunction With Praise
Fame may exist without the breath of a word: It is a recognition of excellence which must be felt, but need not be spoken. Even the bravest must feel it—feel it, and hate in silence.—Washington Allston.

Week's Supply of Postum Free

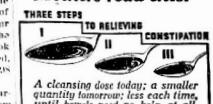
Recall the offer made by the Postum Company in another part of this paper. They will send a full week's supply of health giving Postum free to anyone who writes for it.—Adm.

It Is Understood

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Ask a doctor about this. Ask your druggist how very popular liquid laxatives have become. They give the right kind of help, and right amount of help. The liquid laxative generally used is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.

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CRUELTY TO ANIMALS

Last night, about 11 o'clock, Policemen Raymond Osteen and J. M. Cravey shot a dog at the corner of the Mall and North Butler avenue. They alleged the dog had been raiding garbage cans. One shot was fired and we do not know which man actually fired the shot.

This morning the dog was still alive and in the same place where shot. It had been shot in the eye and apparently in agony. Chief Still viewed the animal and left it lying there.

Other reports have been current of members of the police force shooting dogs, wounding them and they running away in agony, but this is the first case of which we have personal knowledge.

We protest this inhuman and unnecessary cruelty to dumb animals and call on Mayor M. E. Covington and the city council to see it is stopped immediately.

We wonder if Florida has a law against cruelty to animals. We will have to look it up.

OUR ANNIVERSARY

With this issue, The Avon Park Times starts its eighth year of publication. Although we have not been at the helm all the time, only for the last few years, we believe the Times has improved right along and done its part towards forwarding the growth of the city.

We endeavor to give our readers a newsy paper, with something to interest all. Maybe sometimes we miss something, but we know we use a lot of shoe leather and gas running down rumors and news stories. Sometimes the rumors have no foundation and the time is wasted.

Anyhow, we pledge ourselves to work for the betterment and progress of Avon Park. There is plenty to be done and we hope everyone will do their part to make Avon Park one of the leading cities in the Sunshine State.

State Press Comment

TYRANNY RUNNING TRUE TO FORM

For telling THE TRUTH to a Congressional committee, one of the Army's highest ranking officers, Major General Johnson Hagood, has been dismissed from his command of the Eighth Corps Area and the Third Field Army, and his distinguished military career terminated.

This is rough stuff indeed, and it has naturally called down upon the administration a veritable storm of censure and protest. That the President personally directed the humiliation of this distinguished officer, we do not doubt, as it would be unthinkable for a subordinate member of the administration to take such action WITHOUT THE APPROVAL OR DIRECTION OF THE PRESIDENT HIMSELF.

Now let us see just what this veteran soldier—who has served his country so well and so long, with such success and much honor—did or said to bring down upon himself the frothing rage of the New Dealers.

He was asked to appear before the subcommittee of the House appropriations committee to give its members information they sought on the War Department's supply bill.

A spokesman for the Army, invited to discuss its requirements with the appropriations committee of the House of Representatives, could not be expected to DENY those requirements or FALSIFY the Army's needs; and Major General Hagood WAS ASSURED BY THE CHIEF OF STAFF OF THE ARMY, according to statements made on the floor of the House, that his military DISREGARD OF TRADITIONAL GAG RULE which makes our military and naval officers deaf-mutes on departmental affairs.

He spoke of the "easy money of the WPA" which was floating around and suggested that some of it be put to USE ON PERMANENT ARMY HOUSES before the inevitable retrenchment set in and compelled economies to effect "past extravagance." PRETTY SOUND KENSE—THIS.

He spoke of the vast flow of money "spreading out all over the country like mud," and added what every reflecting American is thinking, that "it will soon dry up without anything permanent to show for it."

He presented to the committee the contrast between the difficulty that the legitimate organs of the government experience in obtaining necessary funds and the EASE WITH WHICH VAST AND UNCHECKED APPROPRIATIONS ARE OBTAINED FOR "TRIFLING" PROJECTS.

We are unable to discover anything he said that could be considered a reflection upon a superior officer or his commander-in-chief, in the sense in which military discipline enjoins upon a soldier the avoidance of such reflections.

All he said was what a faithful officer of his rank would feel it HIS DUTY TO SAY in protesting the legitimate interests of the people against discrimi-

nation in favor of vote angling expenditure, and wasteful projects of the most reprehensible type.

AND FOR THIS A GREAT SOLDIER AND DISTINGUISHED PUBLIC SERVANT IS HUMILIATED AND PUNISHED.

Of no interest, his record of efficient service in the Philippines on the staff of the late General Leonard Wood; his fine record in the World War, where he accompanied General Pershing and commanded the Seventh Regiment of the First Expeditionary Brigade, Coast Artillery Corps.

Of no interest to the yapping pack of New Dealers, his high dignities—his distinguished service record from Congress.

Of no interest, his record as head of the service of supply, handling millions of dollars worth of goods and munitions sent to France for the American Expeditionary Force and his conspicuous success in training the units of our Army, after their arrival in France.

Oh, no—of no interest at all. MAJOR GENERAL HAGOOD MERELY HAP-PENS TO BE A MAN, OF SOLID WORTH-BROAD ATTAINMENTS AND A RECORD OF ACHIEVEMENT, WHO DARED TO TELL THE TRUTH.

But these are the days, not of real men. It is the era—let us hope it proves brief—of jiffy statesmen, bureaucrats, noisy fakirs, with no need for knowledge or proved ability.

Why then—do they reason—honor capacity, when incapacity is so sure of promotions and so richly rewarded?

BUT, MR. PRESIDENT, THAT IS NOT THE WAY THE AMERICAN PEOPLE THINK.

They regard this incident as a petty, splenetic exhibition of weakness—unjust, of course—and without even a touch of plausibility. IT IS A WRONG—which can be righted and atoned for only by apology to General Hagood and the American people—Atlanta Georgian.

STREET SCENE

(Miami News)

A small knot of curious stood silently at the entrance to a Flagler street corner drink stand, watching a poorly dressed boy, about 16 years old, pumping nickels into a one-armed bandit. Starting with a dime or so, which he could have spent to better advantage for a new shirt, the boy kept playing for 20 minutes or more, losing eight or nine then winning three or four. When the nickels were exhausted, he shook his head, looked longingly at the entrance to a movie across the street and wandered away. The crowd stayed to watch a new investor.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

By RUSSELL KAY

And another thing that's hard to figure out is why we go on and get all steamed up and bothered over "Who's gonna be Governor" and pay almost no attention to the candidates who really do the whip crackin'.

Not that I don't consider the election of a Governor important, but because I contend that the election of an efficient legislature is more so.

So while you're havin' a lot of fun playin' "Governor, who's gonna be Governor?" you better take time out now and then to give a little serious thought to who you send to the Legislature, for in the end of the day it's the boys in the House and Senate that really control the old apple cart.

While Governors are probably necessary for signin' bills, pardonin' criminals, dedicatin' parks or openin' new highways, they're still got to take to task the Board of Directors, and when "Simon says thumbs up or thumbs down" even the Governor has to follow the leader or they can put him out of the game.

Of course a Governor will bob up now and then who can out-smart a legislature and walk away with 'em in his vest pocket, but that only occurs when you and me get careless and send him a "vest pocket" legislature to play with.

Right now most any guy you meet on the street can name a dozen or more ambitious birds who are runnin' for Governor, but ask 'em who is running for the legislature from their district and not one out of ten will have the slightest idea.

And yet our legislature as a group constitutes the all powerful branch of government. These are the boys who really have the say when it comes to raising or lowering your taxes; they control appropriations for all state departments; they have the power to levy taxes and create boards and commissions to levy still more; they can change or regularize your city or county government and make you like it. They can give you a helping hand or a kick in the well-known pants as they choose and if they happen to feel like it they can even go so far as to kick out the man you elect as Governor. So I'm tellin' you, they are the babies you better be thinkin' about.

A good Governor is powerless to render good government with a bad legislature but a bad Governor would be completely harmless with a good legislature, therefore the honesty, integrity and ability of our legislators is a matter of grave importance.

And it ought to be a lot simpler job for you to elect good legislators than to elect a good Governor. It is so easy to check on a candidate for Governor as it is a man from your own county whose record is known to you.

Now is the time to look over the local field and find out who is planning to represent you at Tallahassee. If you find that those who have announced or propose to announce are the "vest pocket" type, you better bet busy and sed to it that a "regular guy" gets in the race, for I'm tellin' you a few "wrong" guys up in Tallahassee can do more harm than a dozen Governors.

Durin' the next few months you're gonna hear a flock of gubernatorial candidates tell you what they'll do if you elect 'em. They'll promise to cut the cost of government, eliminate all boards and commissions, balance the budget, provide pensions and unless you are immune to high-pressure oratory and banana oil fever you'll probably fall for it. But the only chance in the world they might have to accomplish the things they promise rests with the boys you send to the legislature.

So if you're really concerned about better state government I'm tellin' you to quit kiddin' yourself about the importance of "who's gonna be Governor" and start right now pickin' the RIGHT man for the next Legislature, and don't pick too many lawyers. An experienced wood-chopper might prove more valuable right now.

THE AVON PARK TIMES

Glades County Man Is Out For Senator For This District

R. Roe, dairyman and truck farmer of Moore Haven, was an Avon Park visitor Tuesday and announced he is a candidate for state senator from the 27th district, which includes Highlands, Hardee, DeSoto and Glades counties. Mr. Roe is the first candidate ever to offer for the office from Glades County. His friends believe the office should be rotated and each of the other counties in the district has had a senator. Henry Murphy of Zolfo, alleged two-job man, is the present incumbent.

Mr. Roe is a native of Denmark, a naturalized citizen of the United States. He came to this country in 1921 and lived in Nebraska until 1925, when he moved to Tampa. In October, 1928 he located at Moore Haven where he has been engaged in dairying and truck farming.

In 1928 he was elected to the board of county commissioners for Glades county and in 1935 represented his county in the state legislature. He sponsored the Everglades fire control bill which applies to the Everglades drainage district and which embraces 11 counties including the southern portion of Highlands. The old fire control bill was killed in 1929 and the district was without the necessary protection until the bill introduced by Mr. Roe. This bill was enacted into law and carries a \$50,000 state wide appropriation and also allows the use of state prisoners at the prison farm at Ft. Glade for fire fighting.

Mr. Roe's formal announcement will be found elsewhere in this issue.

Reforestation Is Aided By Rains And C. C. Boys

The rainy weather and the help of the C. C. boys in their educational tree-planting program have combined to aid landowners in the largest tree-planting year Florida has had this far.

While citizens and winter visitors shivered and stayed indoors as much as possible, millions of one-year-old pine seedlings were being planted under unusually favorable conditions. Rains before, during, and after planting have given the slash and logland seedlings an ideal start. For four years previous to this season, the average rainfall was below normal and reforestation was hampered.

From ten C. C. camps in Florida, crews of enrollees assisted nearby landowners in planting their trees which were purchased at cost from the Florida Forest Service nursery near Orlutsee. These boys took an active and interested part in this phase of reforestation under the direction of the district foresters in the five Florida Forest Service districts.

Mr. C. H. Coulter, associate state forester, who directs this work, reports a shortage of pine at the nursery. Definite orders for 400,000 seedlings remain unfilled even though over 3,000,000 trees have already been shipped. Plans are now being made to have 4,000,000 seedlings ready for distribution next season.

P.T.A. Will Meet Thursday Afternoon

The P.T.A. will meet Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the high school auditorium. The subject for the meeting will be beautification of Home and School. Mrs. M. E. Covington is chairman in charge of the program. An interesting number will be nursery rhyme by pupils of Mr. and Mrs. England.

Overhead Pass At Lakemont Is Before Board

(Continued From Page One)

plans in the county can be equipped complete he said, but for the present he believed equipment could be moved from one plant to another as desired and this additional expense saved at this time.

S. P. Durance reported on Aruckle Creek on which the county has spent several thousands of dollars and which is now supposed to be taken care of by the War department. The creek is again choked with hyacinths and only one man is now engaged by the department and the work is too much for him to take care of. Mr. Durance said a resolution was passed directed to the War department and Congressman J. Hardin Peterson and Senator Park Trammel calling their attention to the matter and requesting it be taken care of.

A telephone line to the convict camp was also authorized.

Sunbeam Band To Meet

The Sunbeam Band of the First Baptist church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Week of prayer for Home Missions will be observed.

Back Chappell of Orlando visited his brother, W. R. Chappell, for several days this week at the Jacaranda Hotel.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE No. 720 Docket No. 1279

In re: Application of the INTER-COUNTY TELEPHONE COMPANY for authority to convert its present Magneto or Turn-the-Crank System into a Common Battery System at Avon Park, Fla., and to increase the rates for service upon completion of the conversion.

THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA

INTER-COUNTY TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY

ALL OTHER PARTIES INTERESTED.

The Inter County Telephone & Telegraph Company of Fort Myers, Florida, has filed its petition with this Commission for authority to convert the present Magneto System at Avon Park, Florida, into a Common Battery System, and to increase the rates for local telephone service at said exchange on and after the completion of said new system. It alleges in its petition that the conversion will entail a new investment of approximately \$10,000.00. It further alleges that a large majority of its subscribers have signed a petition approving this conversion, and have agreed to pay the proposed increased schedule of rates if and when the new service is installed.

Therefore, TAKE NOTICE that the Railroad Commission of the State of Florida will be in session in the CITY HALL at AVON PARK, Florida, on Saturday, the 7th day of March, 1936, at 10 o'clock A. M. to hear and consider the application of the said telephone company, and to hear and consider such other matters as may properly arise in connection therewith.

And at said time and place you, and all other parties interested, will have an opportunity to be fully heard.

WITNESSED THE HAND OF THE Chairman of said Railroad Commission, affixed in open session and by its order at Tallahassee, Florida, this 2nd day of March, 1936.

W. B. DOUGLAS, Chairman.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY: IN CHANCERY.

JOYCE OANA Plaintiff,

v. HENRY OANA Defendant.

TO THE DEFENDANT: HENRY OANA, Syracuse, New York, c/o Syracuse Baseball Club and Henry Oana, c/o Syracuse Baseball Club, Mineral Springs, Texas.

Whereas, it has been made to appear by sworn affidavits in the above entitled cause, that you are a joint resident of the State of Florida; that you are over the age of twenty-one years, and that there is no one within the State of Florida service of summons upon whom would bind you; and that your place of residence and/or address is Henry Oana, c/o Syracuse Baseball Club, Mineral Springs, Texas, this is therefore notified to you that there has been filed in the above styled court a bill of complaint by Joyce Oana, wherein and whereby she seeks a decree of divorce, and you are hereby notified to be and appear before this Court to answer the said bill of complaint on the 6th day of April, 1936, and in default thereof a decree will proceed ex parte to final decree. Herein fail not.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court this 28th day of February, 1936.

W. Z. CARSON, Clerk Circuit Court Highlands County, Florida.

By Leona A. Jordan, Deputy Clerk of said Court.

Feb. 28-March 6-13-20-27.

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Mingling Junction February 29, 1936

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SOCIAL and Personal News

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HELEN BECKETT
Society Editor

Mr. & Mrs. Crabtree Hosts at Dance.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crabtree entertained a few friends with a dance Friday evening of last week in the Palm room of the Jacaranda Hotel.

The room was very attractively decorated with palms, nasturtiums and hushania and the music was supplied by the Jacaranda Orchestra.

After dancing was enjoyed until a late hour the guests were served refreshments of sandwiches, punch and cookies which were served buffet style.

Enjoying this lovely affair were: Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Coates, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth, Mr. and Mrs. C. Parker Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Head, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Keller, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Reek, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Betts, Mr. and Mrs. H. Trent, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McNicholas, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Dorniney, Dr. and Mrs. A. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Garber, Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Bass, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, Mr. and Mrs. C. Wilkes, Mayor and Mrs. M. H. Covington, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Emery, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ideman, Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Hart, Mrs. Katharine Dickenson, Miss Fannie Hines, Miss Eleanor Bryant, Miss Millie Pearson, Edwin Walker, Mrs. Smallwood, Miss Martha Strahan, Mrs. Reck, Mrs. Clorhouse, Mrs. Thurston, Mrs. Stella Frye, Mrs. Helen Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crabtree.

Mr. & Mrs. Hart Hosts to Thursday Club.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hart entertained the members and friends of their Thursday evening bridge club last week in the lounge of the Jacaranda Hotel.

The room was very attractively decorated with hushania and nasturtiums. High score prize for the members was awarded to Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Todd, and second to Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McNicholas. High score for the guests went to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wright and second high to Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Coates.

Punch was served during the bridge games throughout the evening after which a delicious salad course was enjoyed by the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McNicholas, Mrs. W. D. Dorniney, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Trent, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth, Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry, Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Touchton, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Keller, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crabtree, Mr. and Mrs. C. Parker Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Garber, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Hart, Dr. and Mrs. A. Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. Hart.

Mrs. Vickery Hostess For Visitors.

Mrs. H. A. Vickery entertained Tuesday afternoon at her home at Highland Lakes in honor of her guests, Mrs. Charles Bethune and Mrs. Walter Mabie, of Lynn, Mass.

The house was very beautifully decorated with lupin, roses and other garden flowers.

Bridge was enjoyed during the afternoon which closed with Mrs. H. E. Keller holding high score and Mrs. S. Y. Hart low for the afternoon.

Delicious refreshments of strawberry tarts, cookies and tea were enjoyed by the following guests: Mrs. F. H. Shepherdson, Mrs. V. H. Hunning, Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. G. S. McKnight, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Georgia Voorhees, Mrs. Olive Anderson, Mrs. S. Y. Hart, and H. E. Keller and the honorees.

Picnic and Fish Fry at Dilley Home.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley on the Sebring road was the scene of a delightful family picnic and fish fry Monday evening, honoring the birthday anniversary of Mr. Harry Dilley.

After a very enjoyable supper, the remainder of the evening was spent in playing bridge and pinocle.

Those present at this happy affair were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. Rowe of Benton Harbor, Michigan, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hood and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Dilley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Brisco Willis, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bennett, Mrs. C. A. Clark Eddie Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley.

Mrs. McKnight Hostess to Guild.

Mrs. George Scott McKnight entertained the Episcopal Guild this week at her home on Wednesday afternoon, the meeting being the regular monthly social meeting of the Guild.

Mrs. Matt Pilcher gave a very interesting talk on the "Knowledge of God" and other interesting talks were given during the afternoon after which delicious refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee were enjoyed by the following members present: Mrs. M. E. Covington, Mrs. Kathleen Jones, Mrs. Georgia Voorhees, Mrs. Matt Pilcher, Mrs. H. A. Ottley, Mrs. R. E. Fairbanks, Mrs. Hunter, Fr. George Shilling and the hostess, Mrs. McKnight.

Bridge Tournament at Pine Crest Lakes.

There will be a duplicate tournament next Wednesday evening at Pine Crest Lakes Country Club. The event will start at eight o'clock and those wishing to participate are asked to call the club for reservations.

Misses Purdy and Mrs. Finen Hostesses

Misses Ann Purdy, Agnes Purdy and Mrs. N. C. Finen were joint hostesses Thursday evening of last week when they entertained a few friends.

Roses and other spring flowers decorated the rooms in which various indoor games were in play during the evening after which light refreshments were enjoyed by the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. T. Weisner, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Huebner, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Wester, Miss Helen Wester, Donald Wester, Mrs. F. H. Shepherdson, Mrs. M. and Mrs. Ray Wells and George Purdy.

Mrs. Jones Hostess to Tuesday Club.

Mrs. Paul Jones entertained the members and a few friends of the Tuesday afternoon bridge club this week at her home on the Sebring road.

The hostess used a color scheme of pink and blue which was carried out in the decorations and refreshments, the latter, a dainty salad course with saltines and coffee.

High prize for the guests went to Mrs. Raymond Dilley and for the club, to Mrs. Matt Pilcher.

Guests of the club were: Mrs. A. M. Morgan, Mrs. Fred Smith, Mrs. Jack Head and Mrs. Raymond Dilley. Club members were: Mrs. Matt Pilcher, Mrs. M. H. Able, Mrs. Paul Garber, Mrs. A. E. Covington, Mrs. W. D. Dorniney, Mrs. and Mrs. Stuart Thayer, and Mrs. Paul Jones.

Mrs. Vickery Honors Guests With Party.

Mrs. H. A. Vickery entertained a few neighboring friends Thursday afternoon of last week at her home at Highland Lakes in honor of Mrs. Charles Bethune, her sister.

Mrs. Charles Bethune, her sister, and Mrs. Walter Mabie, of Lynn, Mass., who arrived last week and will be her guests for a short time.

Dinner and bridge were enjoyed during the afternoon after which Mrs. Fannie Johnson was given a dainty gift from the hostess, the following day being her eighty-third birthday anniversary.

The hostess served sandwiches, cake, ice box cookies and tea to the following invited neighbors: Mrs. F. H. Shepherdson, Mrs. T. M. McDord, Mrs. David Overton, Mrs. W. A. Davidson, Mrs. Fannie Johnson and Mrs. C. P. Turner and the honorees.

Bridge Party at Pine Crest Lakes.

An enjoyable bridge party was held Wednesday evening at Pine Crest Lakes Country Club for the entertainment of the guests. The affair was conducted by Margaret Jennings, who holds a masters' degree from the Culbertson National School.

Prize winners for the evening were: Mrs. A. J. B. Rogers of Cedar Rapids, Ia., Mrs. J. K. Herbert of New Bedford, Mass., Mr. F. D. Morgan of Sioux City, Ia., and Mr. J. I. Shaffer of New Haven, Conn. Mrs. J. A. Bunnell was awarded the door prize for the evening.

Mrs. Huebner Tea Hostess Last Week.

Mrs. M. G. Huebner entertained a few friends Thursday of last week with an afternoon tea at her home on Lake Viola.

Croquet and other outdoor games were enjoyed during the afternoon after which refreshments of cake, cookies and tea were enjoyed by the following invited guests: Miss Ann Purdy, Miss Agnes Purdy, Mrs. T. Weisner, Miss Helen Wester, Mrs. A. G. Wester, Mrs. J. L. Wells, Mrs. Ray Wells and the hostess.

B. P. W. C. Met Tuesday Evening.

The regular business meeting of the B. P. W. C. was held Tuesday evening at the club house. The committee on the Valentine Card party reported the results of the party, which were very gratifying.

Mrs. L. E. Hagedorn presented the resolution from the club, which was accepted. Mrs. C. B. Ginn was appointed recording secretary.

The social meeting of the club will be held Tuesday evening, March 17th, at the home of Mrs. C. B. Ginn.

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Baptists Observe Week of Prayer.

Cooperating with all other Baptist churches, the First Baptist church of Avon Park is holding a week of prayer with the various church societies in charge of the program each day.

On Monday Missionary Circle One was in charge and presented the following program: Mrs. W. C. Touchton had charge of the devotional and the subject for the meeting was "Home Missions." It was learned that the Baptist churches have 137 missionaries in the home land and Cuba. Mrs. J. B. Coen, Jr., and Mrs. L. O. Frink gave very interesting sketches of the 65 missionaries in the churches have in Cuba. Mrs. S. J. Pendleton gave a message from the executive secretary of home missions, Dr. J. B. Lawrence. Mrs. J. B. Coen, Sr., gave a message from Dr. M. M. McCall on the mission work in Cuba.

Present for the afternoon were: Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mrs. L. O. Frink, Mrs. W. J. Bennett, Mrs. J. B. Coen, Jr., Mrs. J. B. Coen, Sr., Mrs. S. J. Pendleton, Mrs. J. L. Collins, Mrs. W. W. McFarland, Mrs. B. P. Martin, Mrs. Reninger, Mrs. Childers of Ft. Meade, Mrs. D. Sherman and Mrs. Love McGibbons.

Missionary Circle Number Two was in charge of the meeting which was held Tuesday afternoon at church. Mrs. B. E. Martin arranged the program and the subject for the afternoon was "Christ Lifted in Home Lands." Interesting sketches of missionary and field work of Home Mission board were given. Members on the program for the afternoon were: Mrs. B. P. Martin, Mrs. S. J. Pendleton, Mrs. W. J. Bennett, Mrs. Reninger and Mrs. J. L. Collins.

There was about fifteen members present. Thursday afternoon being the last day of prayer, Circle Number Three had charge of the program which was under the direction of Mrs. Charles Guerdit. Mrs. Guerdit gave the devotional and the subject for the afternoon was "Lift Up Your Hands and Send."

Others on the program were: Mrs. David Stuckey, Mrs. Jimmie Spencer, Mrs. L. O. Frink, Mrs. Ray Wells, Mrs. Frank Costine and Mrs. J. L. Collins. Members present were: Mrs. J. L. Wells, Mrs. Ray Wells, Mrs. Frank Costine, Mrs. S. J. Pendleton, Mrs. J. L. Collins, Mrs. David Stuckey, Mrs. Charles Sherman, Mrs. L. O. Frink, Mrs. Charles Guerdit and Mrs. Jimmie Spencer.

Mrs. Hart Hostess to Thursday Club.

Mrs. S. Y. Hart entertained the members and friends of the Thursday afternoon club at the Jacaranda Hotel this week.

Four tables were in play during the afternoon which ended with Mrs. Katharine Bristol holding high score for the club members and Mrs. V. Hunning's sister, of Pittsburgh, Pa. holding high for the guests.

Spring flowers were used in the decorating of the Palm room and the hostess served a delicious ice course and coffee to the following guests: Mrs. C. R. Head, Mrs. V. Hunning and sister of Pittsburgh, Pa., Mrs. W. Hauptmann, Mrs. J. B. Coen, Mrs. Katharine Bristol, Mrs. L. E. Bass, Mrs. N. T. Smith, Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. C. A. Clark, Mrs. H. A. Vickery, Mrs. G. S. McKnight, Mrs. Ernest Armstrong, Mrs. Rose of Benton Harbor, Mich., Mrs. Georgia Voorhees and Mrs. Harry Dray who was tea guest for the afternoon.

Milling-Lee Marriage Friday.

Miss Eunice Lee became the bride of Ernest Milling in a simple ceremony on Friday of last week. They are both residents of Avon Park and the wedding service was read by C. H. Shepherd, notary public.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams announce the birth of a son who arrived Monday morning at 4:30. He weighed seven pounds on arrival.

Cleo James of Pompano was a visitor here Wednesday. Carl Tripp of Ocala was a visitor here Wednesday. John Rust of Tampa was a visitor here Wednesday.

Mrs. W. C. Touchton was a visitor in Tampa Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Long of Frostproof were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Pendleton were visitors in Tampa Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Sprague of Gainesville was a business visitor here Monday.

Dick Pryor of New York is here on a business visit at Pine Crest Lakes.

Walter Smith of Winter Haven was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Von Stroheim



Eric Von Stroheim, "the man you love to hate," stars in the brilliant role of the vengeful surgeon in "The Crime of Dr. Crespi," latest screen shocker based on an Edgar Allan Poe story.

Showing at Park Theatre, Saturday, March 14th.

Mrs. Ed Gough and Mrs. Bob Adams were visitors in Wauchula Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth and daughter, Carmen, spent Sunday in Frostproof.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jenkins of Pittsburgh, Pa., were visitors here Thursday.

Mrs. Lois Park and Stanley Wyatt of Sebring were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth and daughter, Carmen, were visitors in Tampa Sunday.

Misses Rhonda Thomas and Eleanor Bryant were visitors in Tampa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryon Picton of Cleveland, Ohio, spent last week here at the Jacaranda Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Powell and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Black of Tampa were visitors here Sunday.

Mrs. J. Unclapher and three children of Pittsburgh, Pa., spent Thursday at the Jacaranda Hotel.

Thomas Cooper and Dick Neal of Kentucky spent last week here visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Bennett, Miss Martha Strahan, Mrs. Mel Bass and Mrs. C. E. Crabtree spent Monday in Tampa.

Mrs. B. F. Martin and son, C. B. and daughter, Evelyn, spent Friday and Saturday of last week in Tampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Abrams were visitors in Wauchula Sunday afternoon.

Morris McCord spent Saturday and Sunday of last week in Clearwater.

Mrs. L. H. Park returned Monday after a short visit in Bradenton with her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Nanny.

Mrs. J. L. Taylor and son Joe Soumet, and Mrs. Jack Walker of Buines City were visitors here Wednesday.

Mrs. Roland Drott and son, who has been visiting in Lake Placid for the past week returned to their home in Clearwater.

Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mrs. Herbert Reek, Mrs. H. E. Godwin and Mrs. E. W. Hart were visitors in Tampa Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lavell of Boston, Mass., arrived this week to spend several weeks here at the Jacaranda Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Underwood and friends enjoyed their Wednesday evening in Sebring at the Knollsboro Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Forney Johnson of Birmingham, Ala., arrived this week for a few weeks visit at their home on Lake Lotula.

Mrs. F. M. G. Daly, Mrs. J. F. Welch and Miss Elizabeth Ewing spent Thursday of last week in Sarasota.

Mrs. S. Y. Hart expects her daughter, Mrs. Fred Keene of Sarasota, to arrive this week for a week's visit with her.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McFarland and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Ginn were visitors in Wauchula and Zolfo Springs Sunday afternoon.

The friends of Ella Lynn will regret to learn that he is in a very critical condition in a hospital in Sebring with pneumonia.

Mrs. S. S. Sagues and daughter Johnnie and Misses Hilda and Hazel Reddick were business visitors in Lake Placid Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Underwood of Montclair, N. J. are spending the week here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Parker Anderson.

Rev. Paul Colley of McClelleny is spending this week here as the guest of Rev. Ray McCormick.

John McGarvey and Mr. and Mrs. William Lion left this week for a short visit in Clearwater.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Baker of Miami spent several days of this week here visiting with friends.

Mrs. and Mrs. E. F. Masters and daughter, Mrs. Bristol, of Oak Park, Ill., arrived this week for a short stay at the Jacaranda Hotel.

Mrs. A. O. Frink, Sr., mother of Rev. L. O. Frink, and Arlis Frink, of Ft. Pierce, were guests at the Frink home a few days of this week.

S. C. Pardee Jr., who is a student at Stetson University in DeLand, spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Pardee.

Miss Carmen Booth, who is a student at Stetson University in DeLand, spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth.

Miss Helen Wester, Donald Wester, Albert Wester and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wester spent the weekend touring the southern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Armstrong, Horace Basemore and A. B. Wells were visitors for a short visit in Miami before returning to her home in the north.

Miss Trudy Alexandria who has been visiting here for a short time left this week for a short visit in Miami before returning to her home in the north.

Miss Helen Wester and Donald Wester, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wester for the past week left Tuesday for their home in Utica, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Riley and family arrived this week from the north for a short visit at the Jacaranda Hotel as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Emery.

Mrs. Charles Bethune and Mrs. Walter Mabie of Lynn, Mass., arrived last week for a short visit here with Mrs. H. A. Vickery. Mrs. Bethune is Mrs. Vickery's sister.

Mrs. T. E. Ware and Mrs. A. M. Clorhouse were this week from the north and will spend several months here. They are registered at the Jacaranda Hotel while here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Franklin of Adairsville, Ga., and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Campbell of Spartan, Ga., left this week for their homes after spending the winter months here at the Penn Carol Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mercer and son, Sport, returned to their home here after a two weeks stay in Tampa, where Mr. Mercer underwent an operation. He is reported doing as nicely as can be expected.

Mrs. L. E. Hagedorn left Monday for Muncie, Ind., being called there on account of the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Martha Langdon who died Sunday at Tulsa, Oklahoma. Funeral services were held Thursday at Muncie.

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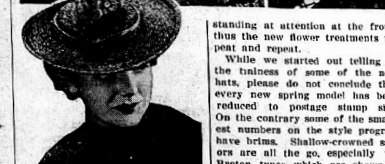
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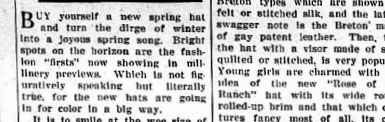
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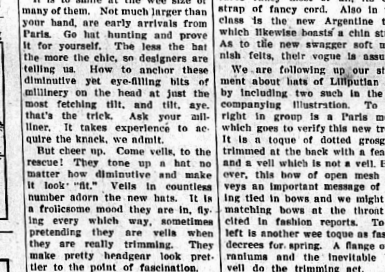
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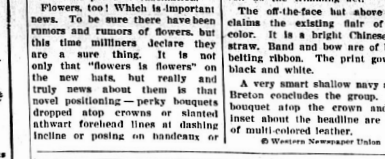
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Economics Dept. Welcomes Miss Florence Etheridge

The Home Economics Department gladly welcomes Miss Florence Etheridge of Vero Beach, formerly of Uniontown, Alabama, as instructor in the home nursing course sponsored by the American Red Cross. She comes as the Public Health Nurse of Highlands County.

Miss Etheridge is a graduate from the Piedmont Hospital School of Nursing in Atlanta, Georgia. For six months she worked as public health nurse in Indian Territory. Due to her likable personality and keen interest in others we feel sure she will make a success here and her work will be very worthwhile.

This course is proving a very valuable training for the girls and we feel fortunate in having this course while we are in school. Monday we will have a demonstration of giving a baby its bath and lessons in the care and feeding of the baby.

Junior Committee Selects Plays

The Committee, consisting of John Vilakits, John Salas, Lauretta Reed, J. L. Greene, Elizabeth Rawlings, Thelma Perry, Lloyd Gribble and Cecil Clements, chosen to select the Junior Class play, met at the home of Elizabeth Rawlings Thursday night to discuss and pick out an appropriate class play. "Father Goes Domestic," "Aunt Samantha Rules the Roost" and "Thirteenth Day" were the plays that met with the approval of the committee.

The secretary of the class sent to the Paine Publishing Company in Dayton, Ohio for copies of these three plays and from these selections the class play will be chosen.

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Red Devils Split Games with Brewster

The Avon Park boys' scored a another victory while the Avon Park girls received their fifth defeat of the season at Brewster, Friday night.

The Avon Park boys won the first half by a one point lead the score being 8-7.

In the second half the Red Devils broke loose and ran up a score of 17-9 against their opponents. The final score was 25-16, with Sherman high point man for Avon Park. The Avon Park girls lost by a score of 28-8 to the Brewster girls. The Avon girls defeated Brewster on a former occasion 13-11. The Brewster victory was due to the excellent passing and the work of the forwards.

The Avon Park players were: DeLaney 5, Houser 3, - forwards; Garrett, jumper; Holton, running center; Hart, Correll, guards.

Glee Club Will Sponsor Tag Day

The Glee Club of the Avon Park High School will sponsor a Tag Day Saturday, March 7.

With the money from this the Glee Club plans to buy music for the Music Festival in Tampa which is to be held on April 22.

Mr. E. L. Roberts, director, plans to buy "The Legend," by Tchakovsky.

Band Uniform Fund Increases

The uniform fund has increased considerably during the past week. Those boys who have paid the required amount for the trousers and sweaters are: Dorothy Weisheyer, George Elwell, Herbert Todd, Marjorie Foster, Henry Wild, Warren McFarland, Sybil Biggie, Leland Rock, Francis Skippers, Tommy Lou Greene, J. L. Green, Charles Shepherd, Harold McClelland, J. W. Tuten, Walter Mandis, Harry Elwell, Bill Englemann, L. C. Davis, Clyde Jarrett, Charles Sherman, Galle Con, Lloyd Gribble, and Herbert Reck.

Marine Corps Seeks Recruits

During March the U. S. Marine Corps Recruiting District Headquarters, Post Office Building, Savannah, Ga., will accept twenty-eight applicants of superior physical and educational qualifications, single between 18 and 25 years of age and not less than five feet and six inches in height. It was announced by Major Ralph E. Davis, the Officer in Charge.

There are also vacancies for musicians who are qualified to play either trumpet or drum. It was announced.

The Savannah office considers applicants from Virginia, the Carolinas, Southeast Georgia and Florida, and is the only office where applicants in these states are examined. Full information and application blanks will be furnished upon request to young men desiring service in the Marine Corps. Major Davis stated.

Highlands County Gets School Funds

Tallahassee, March 6.—Highlands county was given \$9,850.00 as its share of the \$71,455.00 ordered distributed to common schools as the state's contribution for the end of last month. State Treasurer W. V. Kneel announced. The contribution, ordered by Governor Shotts and Comptroller J. M. Lee, brought to \$4,614,111.38 the amount of the state's money sent to county school funds for the current year.

The allocation, Treasurer Kneel said, was made possible largely by a \$450,000 transfer from the general fund. The only of school license tags contributed \$499,197.66 and the one mill constitutional tax for schools \$19,808.74.

Noting agreement of counties was paid for by bondholders on a pre-arranged basis in accordance with the volume of the fruit handled.

PARK THEATRE PREVIEW

Wednesday and Thursday, "We're Only Human," is a gripping story of a man who thought he was courageous, but who learned that true courage is after suffering the burning torments of fear.

Frederic Foster plays the part of Detective Sargent Pete McCaffrey and turns in an excellent character interpretation of a big blustering police officer who goes through a series of harrowing ordeals.

His heart interest is a girl reporter, played by Jane Wyatt, a lively newcomer, whose performance heralds her as a certainty for stardom.

McCaffrey wades into gun battle with the American Legion and braggadocio is mistaken for bravery until he is snipped on the head by a bullet.

Sally who has located Berger after his escape from McCaffrey, comes to the detective with the information but finds that her erstwhile idol has lost his taste for a foray with gunmen.

McCaffrey's struggle with fear is a dramatic triumph. "James Flood does a splendid piece of directorial work with 'We're Only Human.'"

The performance is also scored by Arthur Hohl, John Arledge, Jane Darwell and Moroni Olsen.

Friday only, "Page Miss Glory." (Benefit American Legion.) Dick Powell and Marion Davies in "Page Miss Glory," will be offered Friday night for the special benefit of the American Legion Home for Crippled Children. The entire proceeds will be turned over to the Legion and all are urged to support this most worthy cause.

Early Approval of Citrus Marketing Agreement in Seen

Early action by Secretary of Agriculture Wallace in tentatively approving the proposed Florida citrus marketing agreement and order is indicated in an announcement made by the United States Department of Agriculture that plans are being made for a series of meetings throughout fruit sections to give growers an opportunity to vote on the program.

These grower meetings are expected to be scheduled and conducted by the University of Florida extension service. Wallace tentatively approves the agreement and provisions of the agreement will be explained to growers at these gatherings by county agents and Agricultural Adjustment Administration representatives.

From Washington it is reported that the agreement is being revised in accordance with suggestions made at the public hearing on it in Lakeland last week. As soon as these changes have been made and the agreement is tentatively approved by Secretary Wallace, copies will be distributed among Florida growers and shippers for their consideration.

John W. Tapp, director of the state's agricultural marketing program, emphasized that before the program can be put into operation it must have the approval of growers. The Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended last August, specifically provides that before an order can be issued to make the terms of an agreement effective on all Florida citrus shippers, the Secretary of Agriculture must find that issuance of the order is favored by two-thirds of the growers by number of volumes.

Mr. Tapp explained, "The agreement must be signed by at least 60 per cent of the shippers. "Since grower approval is necessary under the law, the responsibility for getting into effect an agreement program designed to adjust shipments to market requirements so that returns to producers may be improved, rests largely with the growers themselves."

Mr. Tapp pointed out that administration of the program would be in the hands of a Control Committee of eleven members. The agreement and order specify that the members of this Control Committee shall be the persons who comprise the Florida Citrus Commission.

Under the program, provision is made for the establishment of periodic regulation of shipments and the quantities of fruit shippable to be shipped each week during the peak of regulation.

Shippers would apply to the Control Committee for shipments to be used during the period of regulation of shipments. Provision is made for over shipments and under shipments by individual shippers.

The provision in the agreement and order would authorize the limitation of shipments of any size and of grades lower than U. S. No. 1 for Florida citrus. The plan is to limit the quantity of these grades and thereby lower the price level. The cost of operating the

Aliens Cannot Get Benefit of Homestead Exemption Laws

Tallahassee, March 6.—There is no way, under the present laws of Florida, for an alien to benefit from the homestead tax exemption laws, Attorney General Gary D. Landis has held.

Even though a person may be a native born citizen of the United States, he is not entitled to the tax exemption granted by the new constitutional amendment unless he is a citizen of Florida and resides in the state. The opinion was given in connection with application of a British subject for exemption.

The constitutional amendment defines a homestead and tells plainly who may and who may not benefit from its provisions, the attorney general wrote Lee.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"Man" is the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, March 8.

The Golden Text is from Psalms 119:65, 73, "Thou hast dealt with thy servant, O Lord, according unto thy word. Thy hands have made me and fashioned me."

The Avon Park church meets every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the Masonic Temple. Sunday school is held at 9:30 a. m. at the Masonic Temple also.

POLITICAL Announcements

For Sheriff

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Sheriff of Highlands county, subject to the Democratic primary on June 2, 1936. If elected I promise to conduct the office as economically as possible, consistent with good law enforcement. Your help and vote will be appreciated.

RAY J. RUTHERFORD.

For Tax Assessor

I wish to announce myself as a candidate for nomination to the office of TAX ASSESSOR of Highlands county, Florida, for a second term, subject to the Democratic Primary election, Tuesday, June 2, 1936. I solicit your support in my behalf.

DOYLE SCHUMACHER.

For County Judge

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Judge of the County Judge's Court of Highlands County, subject to the Democratic Primary, June, 1936. Your support will be appreciated.

SELWYN IVES

For Representative TO THE VOTERS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY:

I hereby announce myself a candidate for election to the office of Representative for Highlands County in the Legislature. If nominated and elected I shall serve the People of Highlands County and the State of Florida fairly and squarely according to the majority wishes and mandates of the people.

Dr. A. T. HIDE.

For State Senator TWENTY-SEVENTH DISTRICT

I wish to announce my candidacy for the office of State Senator from the 27th district, comprising Glades, Highlands, Hardee and DeSoto Counties, subject to the Democratic primary in June.

I believe that I am qualified to serve in this important office and if elected will work to the best interest of the entire district. Your vote and support will be appreciated.

R. BOE, Jr. Moore Haven.

Want Ads

FOR SALE, Small office or home, a/c, steel fishing rod, prime biooculars, dinner chimes, fine General electric phonograph, antique wall clock. 615 Main Street, Avon Park. Phone 1-1400.

SALESMAN WANTED. Established business for business. Good profits for business. Old established company. No experience necessary. Permanent, profitable, steady work. Write to: Rayleigh, Dept. PAC-4-F, Memphis, Tenn.

URGENT BUSINESS. Medical or dental practice with intensive non-technical training. In a new, modern building. Write to: Rayleigh, Dept. PAC-4-F, Memphis, Tenn.

Methodist Church Services

The Young People of the Methodist Church will have charge of the services Sunday evening at 7:30 at the church in the absence of Rev. J. B. Reid, who will leave Sunday afternoon to conduct a revival at the College Heights Methodist Church in Lakeland. Sunday morning, during the Sunday school hour there will be a special program in observance of the young people's day. The public is invited.

Mrs. J. B. Coen, Jr., spent Wednesday and Thursday in Tampa attending a series of lectures given by John M. Williams. Mrs. Coen uses the John M. Williams series books for piano instruction thru the first four books.

Mrs. and Mr. Rohr, Clyde Archambault and Johnny Rohr who have recently moved here from Indiana, were dinner guests recently of Mrs. Rose Recker and a family, who are spending three months in Avon Park.

Mrs. Georgia Young, Mrs. Sallie Williams, John Neely and Harry Warnell of Winter Haven enjoyed a picnic dinner this week at Donaldson park with Mrs. Rose Recker, Mrs. Belle Brooman, Quincy A. Hunt and William E. Berg.

Seaboard's New Freight Service Proves Popular

"Just what we wanted and a wonderful solution to the problem of getting small shipments to and from the freight station" means to be the opinion of all merchants, storekeepers and individuals who have tried Seaboard Air-Line Railway's pickup delivery service as innumerable shipments of all description are daily being transported between shippers' doors and the freight station in locally-owned, Seaboard-contracted trucks.

The new Seaboard plan has proven a boon to all shippers and receivers of less than carload freight who do not operate their own trucking equipment - bringing to them a dependable, door-to-door service at prevailing low freight rates, while to those who operate their own drayage equipment, an allowance of five cents per hundred pounds is granted for performing either the pick-up or delivery service themselves.

Happiness consists in being perfectly satisfied with what we have got and with what we haven't got. —Spurgeon.



WE'RE THINKING PLENTY ABOUT YOUR SAFETY WHEN WE SAY — RIDE ON SILVERTOWN TIRES

The new Goodrich Golden Ply Silvertown Tire is known as "The Safest Tire Money Can Buy." The Life-Saver Golden Ply, built into every Silvertown, gives you the protection you need from dangerous, high-speed blow-outs. The specially designed tread protects you from "tail-spin" skids.

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A TOUGHER TIRE —

The finest quality raw materials combined with special processes to toughen the rubber make Goodrich Golden Ply Silvertowns tough through and through — ready to stand up under any kind of service.

An Extra Mileage TIRE

Because Goodrich Safety Silvertowns have extra heavy shoulders — are stronger and more carefully built, they'll give you months of extra mileage.

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The amazing invention which checks the great common cause of high-speed blow-outs is an exclusive Goodrich feature. No other tire in the world has Golden Ply blow-out protection, yet you can get it on every new tire. See it at the tire store nearest you. It's the only tire that gives you Golden Ply blow-out protection.

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NEW TELEPHONE SYSTEM FOR AVON

Avon Park's new crank telephone exchange, the way can and number new, common will be in place and was the news to the morning following the petition presented to County Telephone Co.

The hearing will consider the petition any objections that would be made. There will be a dissenting voice granting of the petition slightly higher rate equipment is installing.

The state commission of W. B. Dor Eugene S. Mathew, J. B. Gilmore of the telephone company, petition which is being circulated here by Management. The commission has questions and answers, granted.

The new equipment and up to date in the mind the telephone rates asked would of the new equipment estimated at over \$14.00. The cost of the new equipment is estimated at over \$14.00.

Auxiliary Equipment. Labor in installing. Changing doors. A terrible vision.

Pardee Ave. For Co.

S. C. Pardee. Avon Park nine this week his in the judge, subject primary election came a record county in 1929. He graduated from the United States Military Academy at West Point, N. Y. He was a member of the United States Army. He was a member of the United States Army. He was a member of the United States Army.

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NEW TELEPHONE SYSTEM IS SURE FOR AVON PARK

Avon Park's ancient, turn the crank telephone equipment is on the way out, and by next September new, common battery phones will be in place and working. This is the news coming from the hearing by the state railroad commission at the city hall Saturday morning following the granting of the petition presented by the Inter County Telephone and Telegraph Co.

The hearing was called to consider the petition and also to hear any objections that might be presented. There was not a single dissenting voice although the granting of the petition will mean slightly higher rates after the new equipment is installed and working.

The state commission consists of W. B. Douglas, chairman, Eugene S. Mathew and Jerry Carter. J. S. Gillette, president of the telephone company, read the petition which included the petition circulated several months ago here by Manager John Deleag.

The commission asked a few questions and as no objections, granted the request.

The new equipment will be more modern and up to date and it is hoped there will be more subscribers after it is in use. Mr. Gillette said the telephone system had been operated at a loss in Avon Park since 1931 and the increased rates asked would cover the cost of the new equipment which he estimated at over \$10,000. He presented the following figures to show how the cost would be covered:

Switchboard	\$4,900.00
Auxiliary Equipment	600.00
Local-Installing	600.00
100 Desk sets at	\$14.80
70 Wall sets at	\$12.65
Labor in installing	750.00
Changing drops and	
terlor wiring	800.00
	\$10,450.00

Pardee Announces For County Judge

S. C. Pardee, city attorney for Avon Park since 1929, announced this week his intention to be a candidate for the office of county judge, subject to the Democratic primary election in June. He became a resident of Highlands county in 1926 having been transferred here since 1920 having acquired extensive property holdings at that time.

He graduated from Charlotte Hall Military Academy in 1903 and from the Baltimore Law School, now the University of Maryland Law Department, in 1910 in which year he was admitted to the Maryland bar. He was admitted to the bar in Florida in the year 1921. He also served a four year term in the United States Navy.

Mr. Pardee is married and has one son who will graduate this year from the law school of State University and will practice law in Highlands county. He is a member of several Masonic bodies, the Woodmen of the World and other fraternal organizations. He is a member of the Methodist church of Avon Park and is also director of the Avon Park Trussold Old Age Pension, the district committee of Highlands, Hardee and DeSoto counties.

Mr. Pardee is a property owner and taxpayer and resides on Larkin avenue in a home which he recently purchased.

Leaves For Graph School

Mr. John W. L. Lewis, who has been a member of the local Western Union telephone office for several years, has been transferred to New York City to attend the Western Union School of Telegraphy.

Mr. Lewis will be absent for several weeks and his duties will be assumed by Mr. J. W. L. Lewis, Jr.

Mr. Lewis is a property owner and taxpayer and resides on Larkin avenue in a home which he recently purchased.

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Thomas L. Giddens Died Here Monday; Burial On Wednesday

Thomas L. Giddens died unexpectedly Monday morning at his home north of town following a heart attack. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the First Baptist church with Rev. L. O. Rogers, A. O. Murphy, O. A. Woodard and Ed Barker of Sebring. The casket bearers were: Hayes Maxwell, H. K. Bane, M. L. Rogers, A. O. Murphy, O. A. Woodard and Ed Barker of Sebring.

Mr. Giddens came to Avon Park 12 years ago from Moultrie, Ga. He was born on April 4, 1871 and died Monday, March 9, at 11:30 a. m. He is survived by his wife, seven sons, John, Lawrence, Wilborn, Henry, Ellis, Raymond and Harvey and one daughter, Mrs. Mrs. Lucille Dowling.

H. A. Latham Enters Race For Assessor Highlands County

An Avon Park citizen in the provisions for H. A. Latham said this week he wants the office of Tax assessor of Highlands county, if he gets the approval of the voters at the Democratic primary in June. He believes himself qualified for the office, is not after it for the honor but just wants to make an honest living. If elected he says he will follow the law. He does not have the backing of any political faction, he says and is making the race on his own initiative.

If elected, he promises to run the office as efficiently as possible without showing any special favor to anyone and placing everyone on an equal footing. He has never held any public office, was a candidate once for mayor of Avon Park, being defeated by a small margin of votes.

Mr. Latham was born on a farm in Northern Alabama in 1883 and came to Florida in 1925. He was engaged in the real estate business in Kissimmee until 1927 when he moved to Avon Park and entered the mercantile business. He is married and has one son.

Post-Easter Revival Planned By Baptists

On April the 13th, which is Monday following Easter Sunday, the Avon Park Baptist church will begin evangelistic services. The services will continue 14 days.

Dr. George H. Crutcher, pastor of the Riverside Baptist Church of Tampa has been engaged as evangelist. He has had many years experience in evangelism, having been a member of the Southern Baptist Home Mission Board of Atlanta, mission secretary of the state of Mississippi, and professor of the department of Bible and missions in the Baptist Bible Institute of New Orleans.

Rev. L. O. Rogers, pastor of the Avon Park church, will lead the services for the revival. His sermon Sunday will be the first in a series of preparatory messages.

His seven o'clock service Sunday morning will have as a theme: "The Coming King." His service at 7:30 p. m. will have some more good orchestra music by the young people. The sermon subject in the evening will be, "The Meaning of Christ's Death."

A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Roosevelt Expected To Visit Orlando Saturday, March 14

Orlando, March 11.—(FNS)—Orlando is preparing to welcome President and Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt here this week with the approval of the chief executive scheduled for Saturday at Rollins College.

President and Mrs. Roosevelt have been invited here by Dr. Hamilton Holt, president of the college, and will be accompanied by the president's daughter, Anna Roosevelt, who is the daughter of Doctor of Literature. Ceremonies in connection with the President's appearance are planned in the college grounds.

Announced by his staff, President and Mrs. Roosevelt will depart from Washington on Saturday, March 14, and arrive here on Sunday, March 15, and remain here through Monday, March 16, and depart for Sebring on Tuesday, March 17.

Mr. Roosevelt is a property owner and taxpayer and resides on Larkin avenue in a home which he recently purchased.

NEW FARM PROGRAM FOR STATE UNDERWAY

Gainesville, March 11.—Plans for early inauguration of the new federal farm program in Florida are now being made by officials of the State Agricultural Extension Service, according to an announcement by A. P. Spencer, vice-director.

Details of the program, which will replace the AAA, were outlined to Florida Extension Service workers at a regional conference in Memphis, Tenn., last week. Attending the conference, which was called by the Secretary of Agriculture, were Mr. Spencer, Dr. C. V. Noble, agricultural economist and W. C. Clayton, chairman of the State Agricultural Board, all of the Extension Service.

Administration of the program in Florida will be in the hands of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration and county and community committees may be used in carrying out its provisions.

Included in the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act are provisions for re-establishment and improvement of soil, re-establishment and maintenance of farm buying power, adequate supplies of foods and fiber, and the control and protection of rivers and harbors against effects of soil erosion.

Temporary federal aid through direct payment to individual farmers to assist voluntary action by them to conserve soil is authorized until 1938, when grants will be made only to states upon approval of state programs by the Secretary of Agriculture. Grants may be made to states under plans approved before 1938. Re-establishment of farm buying power will be included in these plans. Production control may also be included. An annual appropriation of not more than \$500,000,000 is authorized.

The temporary aid plan authorizes the Secretary of Agriculture to make soil conservation payments to producers based on their treatment or use of land for soil restoration, conservation, or erosion prevention changes in land use, and the domestic allotment of one or more designated commodities. The plan also is to be taken into consideration in payments based on changes in land use or treatment for soil conservation.

The objective in re-establishing and maintaining farm income is the August 1909-July 1914 balance between agricultural and non-agricultural living standards, as shown by the relative buying power of the net income per capita on farms and in cities.

McDonald Out For County Attorney

M. R. McDonald of Sebring proposed county attorney, announced this week his intention to again seek the office. Heretofore the office has been appointive, the selection being in the hands of the county commission upon the legislature made the office elective leaving the choice in the hands of the voters.

Mr. McDonald was born in South Carolina and is 47 years of age. He graduated in 1910 from the University of South Carolina and in June of the same year began the practice of law in Walla Walla. He was twice elected to the House of Representatives in his home state.

In 1924 he moved to Sebring and in the next year was appointed states attorney for the 19th judicial circuit by Gov. John Martin and served in that office for four years. He was appointed county attorney by the board of county commissioners in January, 1928.

He is married and has five children.

Employers Move To See That Employees Pay Their Local Bills

A movement has been started in Avon Park whereby employers of labor are urged to see that their employees pay their local bills as promptly as possible. It has been pointed out that the delinquency of the employees who pay their bills as well as the employers.

It was pointed out by some companies stating they will refuse to employ any person who does not pay or make proper effort to pay their bills.

The Avon Park Chamber of Commerce is one of the largest employers of labor in the community and has been for several years past and have notified their employees of their action.

Gov. Sholtz To Speak At Vesper Services Highlands Hammock

Governor David Sholtz will be the principal speaker at the vesper services at Highlands Hammock next Sunday afternoon. A crowd larger than usual is expected to be present and an excellent program has been arranged for the occasion.

The Program:

1. Festival March, Olympian—Roth
2. Overture, Raymond—Roth
3. Hymn, "What a Thrill We Have in Jesus"—Rev. L. O. Rogers
4. Devotional—Rev. L. O. Rogers
5. Vocal Quartette—Members of Choir, Avon Park Methodist Church
6. Hymn, "I Need Thee Every Hour"—Ruth Davidson
7. Cornet Solo, "The Water Witch"—Smith
8. Hymn, "Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me"—(The Lost Continent)—Safraque
9. Announcement and Introduction of Speaker—Gov. Sholtz
10. Address—Gov. Sholtz
11. Benediction
12. Congregational singing under direction of E. L. Roberts, Music Director of Avon Park School.

Avon Park Merchant Injured In Accident Wednesday Evening

F. M. Wolf, well known Avon Park merchant, is in a Sebring hospital suffering with serious scalp wounds which he received Wednesday evening in a car wreck on state road eight miles north of Sebring. His nephew, Sidney Wolf of Washington, D. C. was also cut about the head. Mr. F. M. Wolf was bruised as was Miss Rose Abrams, all of whom were in the car.

A. Platter, Sebring grove owner and driver of the other car, spent Wednesday night in the county jail under charges of driving an automobile while under the influence of intoxicating liquor and also of assault and battery. He was released Thursday morning under a \$750 bond.

The Wolf family was driving to Sebring to see the show and Miss Abrams was driving. She says she saw the other car approaching and it was waving from the side of the road. She attempted to avoid it but Platter's car crashed into the side of her car which was severely damaged by the crash.

Mr. Wolf was riding in the rear seat and the impact threw him across the car and the wounds were inflicted by the door and window frames. About 40 witnesses were required to close the wound.

Citrus Commission After Part Federal Agricultural Fund

Lakeland, March 11.—(FNS)—Determined to secure a share of the federal funds provided under the amended agricultural adjustment act, which makes available \$90,000,000 for aiding the disposing of surplus crops, the Florida Citrus Commission agreed to ask the federal government for \$20,000,000 to assist the citrus growers of Florida in disposing of their surplus fruit.

Chairman Kirkland appointed A. S. Herliog, Jr., of Leesburg, chairman of a committee to present the proposed to officials in Washington. It will be accompanied by Secretary F. E. Brigham of the Commission and E. Glenn Grimes, commission attorney.

Approval was also given to a plan to use the state's citrus advertising tax partly for a campaign on canned fruit this summer, and it was agreed that for the rest of the season advertisements would stress the economy of purchasing large size oranges.

Registration Books In The Precincts

The county registration books have been opened in the various precincts in the county, according to the provisions of the new constitution. All who are not registered and intend to vote in the primary election in June are urged to register in the books.

The last minute. Books for precincts in Avon Park are at the office of Mr. Wolf at the Wells in the center of the town. Books for the office of W. C. Beckett at the Avon Park Hotel.

SHIPMENTS SLOWER —FRUIT PRICES DOWN

BY FLORIDA NEWS SERVICE.

The old adage that clothes make the man certainly proved out in the citrus market for the week ending March 7, when Florida grapefruit of the best eating quality in weeks years continued to sell at a big discount, according to the weekly summary issued by Lawrence Gentile, general manager of Tree-Gold Cooperative Growers.

"Florida is supplying the only grapefruit sold in the entire country," Mr. Gentile said. "Texas is practically without shipping and Florida shipments were light. Still the prices were off and the demand light. Of course, our supply is of ordinary to fair exterior appearance but the eating quality is superb. Looks made the difference."

"Apparently there is but one thing for us to do and that is to make the best of a bad situation. We shouldn't ship a box of grapefruit during that period, even though we have the orders."

It is believed a week's restricted supply would do the trick. We would let the trade realize that Florida means business. Our ordinary to fair exterior quality fruit would then look mighty good to the retailers. We would get just what we need."

Lighter shipments of oranges failed to help the auction price. The week saw 23 cars less going to market and the price was off six cents. Mr. Gentile said. He explained the drop when he told that markets were taking a heavy discount on large sized valencias. There was practically no f. o. b. demand.

"The situation is peculiar," he admitted. "Southern California valencias are running heavily to small sizes. The California large sizes, 80s, 90s and 120s are commanding a good premium. Florida valencias are running heavily to large sizes and are being heavily discounted. The natural turn of the market would favor Florida valencias. This payment of a premium for California large sizes and find them increasing their price for the better eating Florida cars."

The following summary compares average prices and number of cars shipped for the past two weeks:

For the week ending Feb. 29th, 621 cars of oranges sold at a general average of \$2.38 and 302 cars of grapefruit at \$2.30.

For the week ending March 7th, 583 cars of oranges sold at a general average of \$2.93 and 290 cars of grapefruit at \$2.33.

This comparison shows a loss of 56 per box on oranges for 38 cars and less than the previous week, and a gain of 36 per box on grapefruit for 12 cars.

Day-day auction returns on Florida fruit from Monday through Friday are:

Oranges: Monday, 206 cars, \$2.87 per box average; Tuesday, 77 cars, \$2.97; Wednesday, 131 cars, \$2.97; Thursday, 58 cars, \$2.96; Friday, 32 cars, \$2.93.

Sam Getzen Will Speak Here Monday

Samuel W. Getzen, candidate for State Treasurer, will speak here at 4:00 o'clock Monday afternoon, March 16th.

In announcing his speaking engagement here, Mr. Getzen said: "I invite the voters of Avon Park to attend so that I may show them how many vital ways the office of state treasurer affects their daily transactions, their holdings, and the education of their children."

He will conduct the office when elected," he added.

Mr. Getzen is a former Senator from Contra Costa County, California and now represents Sumner county in the State Legislature.

He is a forceful speaker and attracts large audiences.

Mrs. Ragsdale's Mother Died Here Monday Morning

Mrs. Mary E. Bradbury, mother of Mrs. J. C. Ragsdale, passed away Monday morning at the home of her daughter following a lingering illness. She was 81 years of age and came here eight weeks ago from Spokane, Wash. Burial will be at Idaho Falls, Idaho, a former home, next Sunday. The body, accompanied by Mrs. Ragsdale, was shipped west Tuesday noon.

Mrs. Bradbury was born in Nebraska and lived for a number of years in Idaho Falls. Besides the daughter here, she is survived by two sons, Paul of Spokane, Wash., and Don of Ventura, Calif. Her husband died some years ago and is also buried at Idaho Falls.

She was prominent in Eastern Star circles, was a past worthy matron and a member of the put matrons' club. She had a number of friends among the stars who sent her many flowers during her illness here.

Rudy Ashton's Hat In Political Ring, Is Out For Sheriff

Gerald Rudolph Ashton, Rudy to you, hurried his 10 galon hat into the political ring this week and announced he wants the office of sheriff of Highlands county, subject of course, to the Democratic primary in June. He is a cattleman, has been all his life, except when he worked for Uncle Sam, and is now in the employ of Lykes Brothers, as foreman, on the Horseshoe Ranch.

He was born in Oseola county near Klamath in 1893 and was in the army in the same county to live. He has three children. In the same year he was married, he moved to Highlands county and became a member of the Klamath Island Cattle Co. on Carter Creek. He was in the army from 1918 to 1919 and has been a taxpayer in the county since 1923.

He has had experience in law enforcement having served as chief of police in Avon Park for 12 months and in 1925 and 1926. He says he is not ashamed of the record he made. He is opposed to slot machines and if elected will see to it that they are taken out of the county.

He promises to treat his fellowmen, if elected, the same as he would like to be treated. He says he is seeking the office in order to give his citizens a better chance in life than he had. The only order or organization he belongs to is the American Legion.

Governor's Race Is Unknown Quantity Says Miami Writer

Miami, March 11.—(FNS)—While interest in the governor's race has lagged as far as the general public is concerned, activities of certain political groups are being watched in the minds of political prognosticators as to the standing of the several candidates at this time.

Kenneth Ballinger of the Miami Herald, a veteran political writer, is inclined to give the lead to Chappell and Patsy, both east coast candidates, while indications from the north and west Florida show Wm. C. Hodges leading and Jerry Carter steadily losing ground.

Cone, according to some, is making gains, but straw votes featured by several papers do not show him particularly strong.

The three high candidates at the moment seem to be Hodges, Patsy and Chappell, with a wide difference of opinion in each case from different sections of the state. Although there are many candidates, announced this week, the general consensus of opinion seems to be that some of them are strong enough to seriously affect the situation. Frank T. Tracey, who terms himself a political prognosticator and for several years has conducted a straw vote campaign, predicts that the race will be won by Wm. C. Hodges in the lead but it is much too early to form a definite opinion and many feel that the race will be won by the candidate in spite of the fact that 16 have already done so.

Guest Precher At Congregational

The guest precher next Sunday at the Congregational church will be Rev. O. T. Anderson of Ft. Myers, minister of the Edison Park church and pastor of Mrs. Thomas Edison, also former moderator of the state conference. His morning service will be at 10 o'clock and the evening service at 7:30 p. m. He will be cordially welcomed. Services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

COLUMBUS RED BIRDS ARRIVED ON WEDNESDAY

Avon Park Rotarians on their weekly luncheon last Wednesday noon, they did not curtail the eats, and adjourned to the Seaboard depot to meet and welcome the Columbus Red Birds. The members of the Rochester Red Wings who arrived with them. But the train was late, an unusual thing, and when it did arrive the Rotarians and other citizens were again on deck to extend the glad hand of welcome when the players piled into the brilliant smoking cars and trucks were ready to transport them and the baggage to the Jaccaranda Hotel, training headquarters and the visitors were soon settling down and getting ready for a strenuous training season.

Bob Hooey says, a well known sports editor of the Ohio State sports, has this to say:

The Red Bird baseball squad of Columbus, Ohio, members of the American Association are now in training at Head Field. Thursday the players along with many from the Rochester International League Club paced through their first practice efforts of the season.

The squad will work out twice a day until March 25, when a 16-game exhibition series starts with the Indianapolis American Association club at Waukegan. The opening game here will be staged the day following with the St. Louis Cardinals serving the opposition.

The following Columbus players are now quartered at the Jaccaranda Hotel: Patrick Crawford, Bob Klinger, Mayes Copeland, Allyn Stout, Cotton Eppan, Harry Anderson, Eddie Duker, Henry Cullop, Morton Cooper, Paul Chervinko, Gerald Sanders, Dean Guttridge, Jack Winsel, and Charles Pullis. Other Red Bird players are drilling at Bartow.

Highway Patrols Are Now On Duty

Tallahassee, March 12.—Instructed to guard the safety of all motorists in the state and to reduce the highway accident toll in Florida, the new state highway department's traffic inspectors' school were assigned last week to posts throughout the state.

The inspection force, sponsored and organized by Chairman C. B. Treadway of the state road department, is without four or five 1935 providing for the care and protection of state highways and for the protection of the traveling public.

Governor Sholtz, in addressing the 47 inspectors before they left here, cautioned them to enforce state laws without fear or favor and told them they were a non-political body.

Chairman Treadway urged them to enforce highway safety laws, to watchword, and to bend every effort to furthering the governor's campaign for safety and safe driving in Florida.

Pardee Prepares Petitions To Ban Slot Machines Here

S. C. Pardee, city attorney of Avon Park has started a movement to outlaw slot machines in Highlands county. He prepared a petition to be signed by 20 percent of the voters asking the County Commissioners to put the question of slot machines to the voters at the November election to determine whether or not Highlands County will have slot machines.

The city attorney says he is and has always been opposed to slot machines, but that due to the holding of the Supreme Court in 1935, he is now in a position to outlaw them. He is perfectly legitimate, and that cities must license slot machine operators and slot machines, the only remedy left open to the people is to outlaw these machines through the electorate. He has therefore prepared petitions to be circulated throughout the county, which petitions will be due season be submitted to the county commissioners and the county commissioners will then vote on the question. He is sure that the voters will vote in favor of the ban on slot machines.

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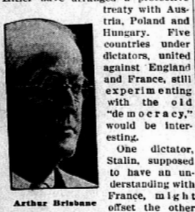
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THIS WEEK

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Wealth for a Good Girl
Gen. Mitchell Finds Rest



Arthur Brisbane

Rome hints that Mussolini and Hitler have arranged a protective treaty with Austria, Poland and Hungary. Five countries under dictators, united against England and France, still experiment with the old "democracy" would be interesting.

One dictator, Stalin, supposed to have an understanding with France, might offset the other.

Also, Hitler will remember that in 1914 Germany thought she had Italy in a "triple alliance"—Italy, Austria-Germany, but Italy did not stay. Had she stayed, the war might have ended otherwise. That increases Mussolini's bitterness, with England trying to cause Italy's defeat by barbarous Ethiopia.

Mr. Eden, young foreign secretary, tries England under conditions before 1914. England must turn herself to the east for final objective, "a world-wide system of collective security which embraces all nations in an authority, which is unchallenged and unchallengeable."

That might be done by two or three countries closely united, at least the attempt is being made. It might destroy a capital city and an alliance in one morning, as a pistol destroys the strongest man.

Countess Barbara Hutton Haug-lev-venton has a new baby boy weighing seven and one-half pounds, and twenty million dollars; that in gold at the present price would weigh more than thirty thousand pounds. Ask Barbara Hutton Haug-lev-venton, as she holds that small baby, its eyes not focused, one small hand holding her finger, whether she would rather have the baby or the \$20,000,000, and she will think your question silly. She would not take a million millions for the baby.

... This proves that any good young woman who marries a kind young man may be richer than any "five and ten" stores.

Gen. William E. Mitchell was buried in the family plot in Mill-waukee, near in Arlington cemetery. Having fought all his life against the enemies of his country and the stupidity of his superiors, he wanted peace at last.

He lies beside his father, a United States senator from Wisconsin. General Mitchell has gone wherever patriotic, brave men go; against that opposed him will not follow him there.

At Greenwood Lake, N. Y., a mail-carrying rocket went 2,000 feet from New York to New Jersey over Greenwood lake, while spectators smiled in derision.

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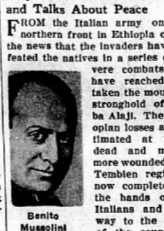
In Madison, Wis., dead masks of Indians, more than 3,000 years old, found in burial grounds, lead back to savages of the Eskimo type that hunted mammoths on the great frozen Wisconsin lakes 15,000 years ago. Those ancient savages, instead of burying the dead, cleaned the skeletons under the stars, and the skulls with lifelike masks of clay, kept their relatives with them for years.

The human race has done queer things always. Russia has Lenin, embalmed, exhibited in the great Red square of Moscow.

The world becomes gradually democratic. In King George's funeral procession everybody walked. At his father's funeral he walked all went on horseback. Including King George's cousin, the former king, on a prancing white horse. Now King Edward VIII, in simpler uniform, less fancy dress in Buckingham palace.

President Lewis, chief, head of the mine union, plenty of cash on hand, offers William Green, American Federation of Labor head, \$200,000 for a campaign to organize 500,000 men in the steel industry. Mr. Green, a long-time union man, has not accepted the offer. He says he has been in the steel industry for 25 years and he is not going to become a tail for the other man's bit.

Italy Wins Another Battle and Talks About Peace



Benito Mussolini

FROM the Italian army on the northern front in Ethiopia comes the news that the invaders have defeated the natives in a series of severe combats and have reached the mountain stronghold of Am-ohaj. The Ethiopians are estimated at 10,000 dead and many more wounded. The Tumbura region is now completely in the hands of the Italians and their way to the coast of the country is fairly clear.

Dispatches from Addis Ababa admit that the Italians also were advancing rapidly in the southern part of the country and said that the British army and large numbers of warriors from all over the south were gathering to try to stop them. Marshal Badoglio's troops in the north were besieging Addis Ababa, 25 miles west of Makale and the 5,000 Ethiopians there were said to be facing surrender or extermination.

With these successes on the military side, Mussolini was reported to be losing economically because of the increasing pressure of the various sanctions against Italy. Because of its weakened position at home, it was said in Geneva and Paris he probably would be disposed to negotiate peace if terms satisfactory enough to save his face are proposed.

The sanctions committee of the League of Nations unexpectedly decided that Mussolini should be asked once more whether he was ready to discuss peace; and it was understood that if he said no, the league would proceed to impose an embargo on oil.

Mussolini has repeatedly asserted, would mean war in Europe.

Emperor Haile Selassie, according to Geneva dispatches, is sending a message to Great Britain, offering to discuss peace on the basis of the status quo, letting Italy retain the territory she has occupied.

King Edward will act as intermediary.

Japan Military Revolt Ends in Failure

JAPAN was calmed down after the amazing revolt and attempted coup d'etat of a thousand soldiers led by a group of young "fascist" officers who thought the Osaka government was hampering the military progress of the nation.

So far as can be judged at this distance, the result of the revolt was: Admiral Viscount Makoto Saito, former premier and lord keeper of the privy seal; Korekida Takaichi, minister of education; Gen. Jotaro Watanabe, chief of military education, were assassinated by the rebels.

Premier Kato was reported dead, his brother-in-law being mistaken for him and slain. The mutineers, threatened by loyal troops and the fleet, obeyed an edict by Emperor Hirohito and surrendered.

Of their 23 leaders, two committed suicide and the rest were put in prison to await possible trial by court martial.

One other important result is likely to follow the uprising, and that is the formation of a new government more national in character and including some able military men. That is what the army wants, not caring especially who the premier, Osaka, after emerging from his place of hiding, offered his resignation, but the emperor commanded him to carry on for the present.

It may be Japan will really be a gainer for the revolt, but it suffered one great loss in the death of Takaichi, who was a Fascist genius.

Strike Stops the Owners Must Now Sign the Union Terms and That He Would Accept No Salary for Arbitration

Since the strike affected not only the union terms but also the owners must now sign the union terms and that he would accept no salary for arbitration.

Building officials but immovable apartment buildings also, the occupants of the latter were deprived of heat and telephone connections, and in many cases sick persons were marooned without food supplies.

This led Mayor La Guardia to call the city health officials into conference, and declare a civic emergency and order Health Commissioner Rice to see that fires were stoked and that trips necessary to health of the tenants and care of the sick were made in all residence buildings of more than six floors.

Union officials in Akron, Ohio, warned the law enforcement officials that there that a general strike would be called in that city if force were used to break the strike block.

Side by side with the Goodyear Tire and Rubber company plant, about 14,000 workers of Akron are on strike.

The strike was started in protest against layoffs which the company said were serious reductions in production.

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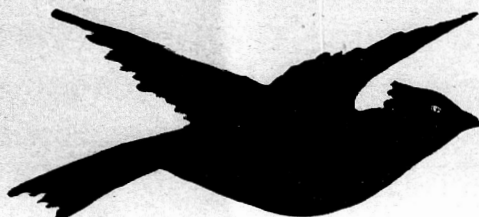
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Avon Park business firms and individuals take this opportunity of extending their welcome to the Columbus baseball club, returning home for its third spring training season.

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EDITORIAL

At one time or another, everyone has the desire to write. Sometimes it is fiction, sometimes poetry, but whichever it is, we should try it out, for who knows but what a second Shakespeare, Irving, or Emerson might make himself or herself known among us. So when you have literary aspirations share them with us. Let this paper be your paper, just as much as the staff's and don't be content to just read it, help make it. If you like to write, turn in your attempts or if you hear a good joke let us laugh too. Send it in. Many of you may not be satisfied with the paper now. If not, please let us know what can be done to better it. Let's make it a success.

Juniors and Seniors Study Troubles of The Japanese Gov.

This week the Junior and Senior history classes are studying the crisis in the Japanese government which has shaken Japan recently.

The trouble in Japan results mainly from a clash between the military and civilian members of the government. This clash came in the early morning of February 26, when groups of young enthusiasts from the army departed from different parts of Tokyo to carry out their plan of assassinating the high officials of the government. This uprising was a violent protest against the Japanese government. They claim that the Emperor is influenced and led astray by scheming politicians, and it was their purpose to wipe out these politicians so that the throne would not be surrounded by this evil element.

The Japanese workers and peasants receive very little wages, while their employers receive great profits. The workers have very poor living conditions and barely make enough to live on. Many of those who took part in the revolt were of this class. They blame the government and the politicians for their plight. They believe them to be puppets in the hands of the industrial and financial leaders.

It is thought likely that a strong cabinet will be formed, and that the wishes of the army will be recognized by the appointment of a premier acceptable to it. This is necessary in order to preserve the peace of Japan.

Morris McCord—"My stock is brains."
Mrs. Pedon—"You've got a funny looking sample case."

Junior Class Will Give Mystery Play "The Thirteenth Day"

After much thought and consideration the Junior class have selected "The Thirteenth Day" as their class play for 1936.

"The Thirteenth Day" is a mystery play in 3 acts, with one interior setting, 6 boys, 6 girls. A mysterious death; the eccentric will which is to be read on the thirteenth day of the thirteenth month following the burial and between the hours of eleven at night at a lonely house, the home of the deceased, in the mountains; the mysterious disappearance of the cars which bring the beneficiaries to the lonely spot; the failure of the lights and the return of the supposedly dead man combine to produce a real thriller. The play abounds in humorous and hair-raising episodes.

The comedy characters, the Irish housemaid, the maid and the colored chauffeur are guaranteed to keep the audience in a state of laughter when it is not in a state of terror. There is suspense, action, drama, and comedy rolled into this play which is an unusually good bet for any amateur group engaged to stage a play. It is extremely popular. The audience will have a memorable evening of big laughs and shivering thrills.

Boyd Jefferson, an unscrupulous lawyer; Mrs. Juliet Carleton, a society matron; Paula Carleton, her daughter; Creston Cook, engaged to Paula; Lizzie Benton, Mrs. Carleton's maid; Della Dunigan, ex-housekeeper at "Mountain View"; Samuel Smart, a stranger; Vera Smart, his sister; Ractus Moser Jasper Bullet, Samuel's chauffeur; Burton Cullen, the unexpected guest; Bobbie, children; Betty, Children.

Next week, the cast of the play will be announced.

Right now, many a stage-mad girl who is acting in a valuable sleep over this play. To console those who are still wondering if they will be selected as one of the characters in the play we've written a hula to help pass the sleepless nights.

Hush, little Junior girl,
Don't you cry
You'll play "Creston".
Or some other guy
But if by chance
You're not cast
Remember: He who casts best, casts last.

Not much consolation, but you cry less as much sleep as you like being consoled.

BAND NEWS
It will be necessary for the band to buy copies of "Mikado" arranged by Paul Yoder, which is to be the contest number at the musical festival in Tampa this spring.

The band uniform fund is progressing nicely. Most of the band members have paid the required amount and have been measured for their uniforms.

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"Careers Ahead" Is One of Best Books in School Library

"Careers Ahead" is the title of one of the most practical books in the High School Library. This book gives interesting and valuable information about various lines of work. It should be read by every student in High School, and especially by the Juniors and Seniors.

Below are brief statements about some of the vocations discussed in "Careers Ahead":
To the mechanical-minded, there is a wide field open inviting young men to learn the trade of building. If you like to make things, special cars in this field and become a highly skilled worker.

This is an age of steel. The fabric of our wealth is metallic. The boy, with deft hands and a strong body, who is looking forward to becoming a ready earner in a useful trade, can prepare himself in the Industrial Course at high school to deal with metals. Later as a tin-smith or an auto repair man he can gain the experience necessary to fit up his own shop. As to the trade to enter depends upon the choice of the boy. All of these trades in metal offer regular employment and a chance for advancement. The great triumph of this age is the machine. A call comes from everywhere for skilled machinists. The machine makes practically everything and the man who understands the machine is lucky. If he is a graduate of the Industrial Course in high school, before him lies a field as an engineer, an inspector and the machine designer. Each of these spells success.

The chemist has been rightfully termed a "wizard". He is a very hard worker but in the end he has accomplished something. The chemistry course is hard but a good chemist is wanted in every industry and all chemists into business.

One of the earliest endeavors of man was the art of healing. He was the guardian of health and the most responsible of life's occupations. Within his hands lies the fate of human flesh and blood of his race.

Side by side stands the doctor and nurse. The professional nurse is trained to use sympathy and desire to relieve suffering. This is a wonderful opportunity to girls just out of high school.

A logical profession for a girl, who looks forward to managing a home, is that of a dietitian. We eat to live, and it is very important that we choose foods wisely.

The true artist has a tact for arranging things in order, or in a way as to make them pleasing to the eye. This is a manual skill and a sense of beauty.

In the artistic field is the dressmaker and designer. This field requires the talent and training of an artist, but can be acquired by patience and effort.

There is a profession even in music. If you are a lover of music, then you need not worry about your future, for wealth can be acquired by musicians. It may seem a severe career at first but patience will bring success.

By means of knowledge gathered painfully fact by fact, acquired by him often against his will and by the sacrifice of a devoted few, man can now proudly name himself lord of the earth and air. Knowledge diffused is immortal. The subject, which the teacher knows so well, he just contrives to make interesting to others. His work is with youth, the most adventurous material in the world, the most hopeful, the most promising.

The boy or girl who wishes to get an advanced foothold in the business world can prepare for it in the school of commerce at a university. This is the most desirable education for people with this ambition. Even as graduates from the commercial courses in high school we can enter office work with the assurance of getting advancement later.

The story of work seems very interesting. Juniors and Seniors, have you decided what you can do for the future? You are boys and girls setting out on the great adventure of a day's work, and the decisive steps are in meeting the question: "For what kind of work am I best fitted? What are the various jobs in that work? Which shall be my job? How shall I fit myself for it?"

Miss Pearson—"Name a ten letter word for holdup."
Call Green—"I can't."
Edgar B.—(waving his hand wildly) is called upon.
Edgar—"Suspender."

Jane Hart—"What is meant when they say beauty weather?"
Early Lynn—"It means it's raining cats and dogs."

ROAD DEPARTMENT OPENS SAFETY DRIVE

Department's traffic inspectors in an increased drive for highway safety over Florida.

Forty-seven inspectors, members of the patrol which was organized and sponsored by Treadway to eliminate motoring hazards in Florida, were assigned to posts over the state this week after graduating from an intensive training school held at Ft. Meyer.

Governor Dave Sholtz and Chairman C. B. Treadway of the state road department inspect part of the new equipment to be used by the department's traffic inspectors in an increased drive for highway safety over Florida.

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Sophomores Study About National Archives Building

This week the sophomores are studying about the new \$12,000,000 Archives building which stands halfway between the Capitol and the White House in Washington and which will be formally dedicated sometime this spring.

This building is a fireproof and earthquake-proof structure in which Uncle Sam will keep all his important historical documents or archives. Dr. Robert D. Connor, who was appointed by President Roosevelt to be the country's first Archivist, has moved into the new building with his staff and is making plans to transfer precious state papers to their new home before long.

In the shrine room of this building Uncle Sam's two most important documents—the original Declaration of Independence and the Constitution will be displayed.

In the central control room, students who wish to look up important facts about American history will find a room full of books for their use. The documents which they want to study will be brought to them by an attendant.

One of the most interesting parts of this new building is the motion picture theatre where historical films will be shown.

If a would-be thief set his foot near the shrine door or near the cases in which other records are kept, he would start a shrieking siren which would bring the watchmen running.

Should one of the students in the central control room act in a suspicious manner, the librarian, who sits on a high stool in the middle of the room, would merely push a button which would lock every outside door in the building.

Glee Club Tag Day A Success

The tag day which was sponsored by the high school Glee Club on Saturday, March 7, was a splendid success. The total amount taken in was \$18.45.

Those who sold tags were: Barbara Betts, Charles Sherman, Jane Hart, Tommy Lou Green, Betty Sherman, Fay Gordon, Elizabeth Hetherington, Johnny Saggus, Dorothy Hughes, Mary Jane Sandstrom, Evelyn Martin and Frances Cloud. Barbara Betts and Charles Sherman were the winners of the prizes offered to the ones who turned in the most money. This money will be used to buy music in order that the Glee club may take part in the musical festival to be held in Tampa sometime in April. This music has already been ordered.

The Glee club wishes to thank Mr. W. M. Hetherington for the donation of tags and also to thank the public for their cooperation.

PAT'S MEAL IN MIKE'S CAFE

Pat went into Mike's cafe to eat one day. Pat ordered a meal and while he was eating he found a hair in his honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the second time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat started eating again to finish his meal. He was nearly through when he found a hair in his honey.

Mike was called the third time and was told of this. Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the third time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the fourth time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the fifth time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the sixth time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the seventh time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the eighth time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the ninth time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the tenth time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the eleventh time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the twelfth time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the thirteenth time, and I care it won't happen again."

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Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the eighteenth time, and I care it won't happen again."

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Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the nineteenth time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the twentieth time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the twenty-first time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the twenty-second time, and I care it won't happen again."

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Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the twenty-third time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the twenty-fourth time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the twenty-fifth time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the twenty-sixth time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the twenty-seventh time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the twenty-eighth time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the twenty-ninth time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the thirtieth time, and I care it won't happen again."

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Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the fiftieth time, and I care it won't happen again."

Pat went on eating his meal and in a short time found a hair in the honey. He called Mike and said, "I have found a hair in the honey."

Mike said, "I cannot see how it has happened the fifty-first time, and I care it won't happen again."

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Frank Gibbons ADVENTURERS' CLUB Hello, Everybody!

"Maniac's Trap"

By FLOYD GIBBONS
Famous Headline Hunter

HERE'S one from a fellow reporter—and by golly, after reading his yarn I am almost convinced that maybe there is a thrill or two in the newspaper business after all.

Charles K. Ulrich of Long Island City is the lad, and it happened on Sunday, January 2, 1935, while Charley was working as a reporter for the New York Herald. He was sent by his city editor to interview a man who had called up on the telephone and promised the paper the biggest "beat" since the Spanish-American war. Well, Charley doesn't know about this being the biggest beat, but it certainly landed him in the biggest mess of trouble since that war the fellow mentioned.

The address they had given Charley was in the sixth story of an apartment building in One Hundred and Twenty-second street. On the way up, he noticed that the negro elevator boy turned three shades whiter when he told him whom he had come to see. The boy said: "I hopes you has a good time with that bird." But Charley attached no particular significance to his cryptic remark.

As he approached the door, Charley heard angry shouts and oaths within, accompanied by the screeching of a parrot. During a full in the shouting he heard sounds such as a man might make by beating a bird-cage with an iron rod. The sounds mystified Charley, but they didn't alarm him. If they had, he might have saved himself a lot of trouble.

Reporter Invited to Enter Room.

Charley rang the bell. A tall, stout man opened it. He was in his shirt sleeves and on his left shoulder was perched a parrot. He had a



The Man Invited Charley to Enter.

heavy stick in his right hand. His face was swollen, and froth foamed his pale lips. Charley thought he was drunk, but he explained his errand. The man invited Charley to enter and, grasping his arm in a vice-like grip, pulled him into the hall. He thrust him into a small parlor, locked the door and put the key in his pocket. Then, for the first time, Charley began to be afraid. This man was a lunatic—a big, strong, abnormally lunatic, and except for a small pocket knife, Charley was unarmed.

The man thrust the parrot into its cage and fell to beating the cage with a stick. The parrot shrieked at each blow. "You'll force me to kill you yet, kums Goldman," the man shouted, and spat viciously at the bird. There was no doubt in Charley's mind now. The man was a raving lunatic. He got up to go, but the man turned on him snarling: "Sit down, d—n you. I'll attend to you as soon as I've finished with Emma Goldman." Then he fell to beating the parrot's cage again, and Charley sat down. He had just remembered that the key to the room was in the lunatic's pocket.

Maniac Threatens Him With Death.

When the man had finished beating the cage he turned again to Charley. "I'm an electrical expert," he said suddenly. "I'm going to charge you with electricity to the gills."

Charley looked around wildly for some means of escape. There was none. "And what if I refuse to be charged with electricity?" he asked. The big man smiled coldly. Facing him menacingly he whispered: "Refuse and you die. You have your choice. The operation may kill you, but surely you won't mind sacrificing your life for science, will you?" A queer story of De Maupassant's flashed into Charley's mind—the story of a man who outwitted a homicidal maniac by humoring him. No, he said, he'd be glad to sacrifice his life for science. And then he feigned sudden illness and leaned against a door. "I'm sick," he said. "You don't want a sick man for this operation, do you?"

"Certainly not," the man growled. "A perfectly sound man is needed."

"Then," said Charley, "I think I'd better take a walk around the block and get some air. I'll be back in a few minutes and we can go with the operation."

Wild Man Falls for Story.

"I think you're right," the man assented heartily. "But it's understood you must come back in five minutes. Do you agree?" Charley nodded. The big man unlocked the door and followed him through the hall. "Remember," he shouted as Charley passed out of the door, "you're to be back in five minutes." He slammed the door, and Charley went down the stairway, three steps at a time.

Outside, he found a policeman and told him his story. Six hasty cops were sent to the house with orders to arrest the madman. He fought them fiercely, for ten minutes before he was subdued and placed in an observation ward at Bellevue hospital.

"Later," says Charley, "they removed him to Mattewan Hospital for the Insane, at Beacon, N. Y., and placed him in a straitjacket. He died there some months afterward. In the room in which he proposed to conduct experiments on me they found a revolver and two large knives, sharp as razors. That he aimed to carve me into bits, once he had me under his control, was as certain as two and two make four. Thanks to De Maupassant's story, I escaped that fate."

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Soothing Pipe's History

Dates to Indian in 1836

It is often assumed that the pipe is made from the wood or root of the briar root. This is not so; they are made from the root of the Mediterranean bush bruyere, where St. Raphael is the center.

The word "briar" is really a corruption of "bruyere" according to a writer in London Times.

The pipe has a long history. The first mention of smoking pipes by the Indians was in 1836; the mention of a briar pipe, the double and being founded in the country while the other end was held over the burning bowl. From that time it has been the only pipe, and in the case used in modern times.

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Embark on Dangerous Adventure



G. O. P. KEYNOTER?



New photograph of John Bricker, attorney general of Ohio, who is among those considered to deliver the keynote address at the Republican national convention in June. Tentatively, it is planned to have the keynote sounded at night, that the greatest possible radio audience may listen to it.

Best Pointer at Westminster Show



Champion Black Pelt Imperator was declared the best pointer at the sixteenth annual exhibition of the Westminster Kennel club in New York. Owned by George D. Blair, he was shown by Mrs. Percy M. Hoopes of Westchester, Pa.

Yeomanettes File Applications for Bonus



It's not only the men veterans of the World war who are applying for the bonus, according to Marie Gore, commander of the all-female Yeomanette post No. 487, of the American Legion, in Los Angeles. She gathered the names of the members together and they prepared applications for their bonus payments. "The girls in our post, 34 of them, all served under the colors and did men's work during the war," Commander Gore said.

Adulterated Milk Dumped Into River



Dumping part of thousands of gallons of adulterated milk into the West river, after the city health department of New York reported that the milk contained at least 10 per cent water. The milk came from a Pennsylvania dairy.

Party Leaves for Mt. Everest Climbing Attempt

The advance guard of a new expedition (the fifth) to Mount Everest left London recently enroute to Tibet, to prepare for the conquest of the world's tallest mountain. Left to right are: Dr. and Mrs. Noel Humphreys, Hugh Rutledge, leader of the expedition, and J. M. D. Gavin of the Royal Engineers.

The conquest of Mount Everest has long been the ambition of mountain climbers, but thus far has resisted even the most elaborate efforts to scale its dangerous slopes. The intense cold and rarefied atmosphere encountered on the climb make it extremely hazardous, and the rugged contours add to the peril.

It has only been within a few years that the Tibetan monks have permitted anyone to attempt the feat. Fears that the gods would be angered by the intrusion of white men were the reasons given.

Tall Tales

As Told to:
FRANK E. HAGAN and
ELMO SCOTT WATSON

The Goat That Sang Tenor

WILHELM William McClellan, a newspaper correspondent of Port Deposit, Md., first heard about it, he didn't believe it. A farmer, so the neighborhood gossip said, had a goat that sang in a beautiful tenor voice. How did it happen?

Well, it seems that some member of the farmer's family had been careless and left a phonograph record of "Mother of Mine" by John McCormack out to the yard. At least, that's the way Mr. McClellan's story, which appeared in the Baltimore Sun, accounted for it.

The farmer and his singing goat became famous. People came to see it and paid for the privilege of hearing it sing. The goat had overtaken the farmer. The goat stopped singing as suddenly as it had begun. So the farmer bought an expensive record by a famous grand opera star—"O Sole Mio." It was—and that was fatal.

The result was fatal. The goat began to sing but suddenly dropped dead. An autopsy revealed the fact that its throat was clogged up with what the veterinarian called "some foreign substance." They were Italian words and phrases. The goat was 100 per cent American, so of course, he chose to die on "em."

"I let 'em by," he golly, when I went to pick up them two birds I found that I'd killed six more that was sitting on the other side of the bush. Just then I heard a big commotion out in a little lake nearby. There was a big black deer that had been hurt by my shot and had run out and got himself mired down. I run out to help him but before I could get to him he drowned. As I was carrying him to shore, I sank down in the mud and water up over the tops of my boots. So I took 'em off to pour out the water and I derred if there didn't flop out of 'em a dozen of the finest trout you ever did see.

"Well, stringing the quail on the deer and the trout on a pole so I could carry 'em easier. But my struggles to get the load up on my shoulders was just too much of a strain on my suspender buttons. Derred if one didn't fly off with each force that it killed a rabbit two yards away.

"When that happened, I just decided it wasn't no use to try to do any more hunting. Seemed like it was my unlucky day, it being Friday, the 13th."

"Man Overboard"

MEN who go down to the sea in ships frequently see or hear about some unusual occurrences. J. W. Putman of Anaheim, Calif., who once served in the United States navy, is no exception to that rule.

One hot, sticky day as the battleships and cruisers were steaming across the coast of China a typhoon suddenly swooped down upon them. Despite the howling wind and raking waves, the vessels managed to keep their alignment.

In the midst of the storm a lieutenant decided that he wanted a cup of coffee. So a mess boy started across the deck with a cup of coffee, a pitcher of cream and a bowl of sugar on a tray. Just as he was about to open the door to the officers' quarters, a 6-foot wave swept across the deck.

It picked up the mess boy, juggled him for a second on its crest, then carried him 300 yards astern and deposited him at the door of the officers' quarters of the next ship in line. Opening the door, he walked in and said, "Here is the coffee you ordered, lieutenant. One lump, or two, and shall I pour in the cream?"

It had all happened so quickly that the mess boy didn't realize he was on another ship until the officer roared out: "I'm a captain, not a lieutenant! I didn't order any coffee, and what are you doing here?"

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The Eyes of Fish

The eyes of fish are like our own in structure and vision, but with adaptive modifications. Eyeballs are absent, so that the eye remains always uncovered. The eyeball has little power of movement; the cornea is flatter and the lens more globular than in the eyes of mammals; and it appears that fish are comparatively near-sighted. While in most species the eyes are very large as compared with those of the higher animals, a few have small eyes, or none at all that are visible, and live in darkness as parasites, or in the abysses of the ocean.

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Propounds New Social Security Scheme for U. S.

Dr. Henry E. Jackson of New York, head of the Social Engineering Institute, is the author of the old-age pension and social security plan liked by Senator William E. Borah of Idaho. The plan provides not only for old-age pensions for

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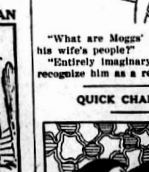
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QUICK CHANGING



TIME BY THE FORELOCK



Preparing Souffles Is Not as Difficult a Task as It Seems

Trick Is to Make a Base Like One Used for Cream-Puffs.

"Will you please at some convenient time, tell us would-be cooks something about souffles? Mine are either too dry or they fall." So writes a reader. Fortunately I can answer this question satisfactorily, says a well-known food expert.

Souffles used to puzzle me. I tried to duplicate that perfect souffle to be found in an old French hotel in lower New York. I was never able to get one crusty on the outside and soft in the center, until I asked the chef to make one for me. Now a souffle is no problem. It can be made even for the quick meal, because you may use a hot oven.

The trick is to make a base like the one that is used for cream-puffs. The base is the same for all with the exception that for cheese, meat or vegetable souffles you make it bland. The flour and water are cooked together until thick. Then the egg yolks are beaten in one by one; the cheese, the chocolate, the finely chopped vegetable or other flavoring are added. Last of all the beaten egg-whites are folded in.

When I make a sweet souffle, I fold half of the sugar into the egg-whites while the rest is stirred into the hot foundation. The baking dish, which may be of silver, oven-proof glass or pottery, should be greased with soft, not melted butter. For sweet souffles, this should be sprinkled liberally with granulated sugar, to make a "chemise" as the chef says. A 400-degree oven for twenty minutes is the proper temperature for a souffle.

Chocolate Souffle.
1 cup milk
1/2 cup flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup sugar
2 squares of chocolate

Mix flour and salt with one-half cup cold milk and stir this mixture into one-half cup hot milk. Add one-half of the sugar. Stir over the fire until mixture thickens and boils. Remove from fire, beat in egg yolks one at a time. Add remaining sugar and melted chocolate. Fold in beaten egg whites. Fill baking dish, greased with soft butter and sprinkled with sugar, three-quarters full, and bake twenty minutes in a hot oven (425 degrees Fahrenheit).
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All Around the House

Try rolling doughnuts after frying in cinnamon and sugar. You may like the flavor.

When the lining of your hat becomes soiled take it out, wash with soap and water and iron. Steam hat, if felt, to renew the color, and sew in new lining.

A very fine sandpaper rubbed over soapstone set tubs or sinks before applying luscious oil and turpentine will make tubs as smooth as when new.

The glass which covers the indicator on your gas oven may be cleaned by wetting a stiff brush with water, sprinkling liberally with a scouring powder and rubbing over glass.

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This story will interest many Men and Women

NOT long ago I was like some friends I have... low in spirits... I knew I had no serious organic trouble so I reasoned sensibly... as my experience has since proven... that work, worry, colds and whatnot had just worn me down.

The confidence mother has always had in S.S.S. Tonic... which is still her stand-by when she feels run-down... convinced me I ought to try the treatment... I started a course. The order began to look back to my skin... I felt better... I did not tie easily and soon I felt that those red-blood-cells were back to so-called fighting strength... it is great to feel strong again and like my old self.

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