

Highlands County Has Reduced Its Budget For Year Over \$50,000

Tentative Budget As Adopted By County Board Calls For Some Increases But the Taxpayers Get Break.

The board of county commissioners met Tuesday and Wednesday of this week to approve the tax books as prepared by the county assessor and to adopt the tentative budget for the coming year.

The fine and forfeiture fund as set up in the new budget calls for an increase of \$1,053.91 over last year, however, the total budget for county expenses including bond debt, interest and operations, exclusive of schools, calls for \$50,767.53 less than the tentative budget for last year.

The budget as prepared calls for \$1,807.08 more for the general fund than last year, the chief change being in the salary of the county attorney and the supervisor of registration. The budget last year set in the budget at \$2,400 and the supervisor of registration during the coming year will receive \$600 in excess of \$400, according to the budget.

It was stated at the meeting Wednesday that the amounts as set in the tentative budget may be lowered but that it cannot be increased according to law.

The board will meet August 4, at which time the final budget will be adopted.

The tentative budget for the operation of the schools of the county as prepared by the school board and presented to the county commissioners for their approval, calls for an increase of \$14,500 over last year for operating expense. This increase is all in salaries of principals and teachers. In fact the other operating expenses of the school will be reduced while the salaries as set up in the tentative budget call for an increase of \$14,500. This does not necessarily mean that the teachers will receive more pay, but it may mean that there will be more teachers.

A representative of the State Welfare Board appeared before the commissioners requesting that a provision be put in the budget for old age pensions, calling for an expenditure of \$608 per month by the county which sum would be matched by the federal government.

All the Commissioners were favorable to the idea, but under the plan the county must put up one-fourth of this amount in cash the first of October, at which time the county treasury is always short of funds than at any other time during the year.

It was stated that the state is expected to take over this responsibility after the next session of the legislature but the state constitution must be amended before this can be done.

It was also pointed out that unless every county in the state comes in under the plan it cannot be put into effect until this change is made in the constitution.

The county board adopted a resolution to come in under the plan and if all the counties in the state do likewise and manage to raise the money, all of the citizens of the state who are over 70 years old and who are in need will receive a small monthly pension.

Doubt was expressed by citizens present as to the ability of some of the smaller counties to raise their share of the money even though it is put in the budget.

Revival Services at Nazarene Church

Revival services at the Church of the Nazarene will begin Monday night July 20th at 7:45 o'clock. Rev. Harmon Calver of Ohio is the evangelist. Rev. Calver is an outstanding young evangelist and musician. An accomplished pianist on piano, accordion and his other special instruments, numbers will be well worth watching, as well as hearing. As a soloist he is unique and well qualified. Special instrumental and solo numbers each night.

The services begin at 7:45. The public is cordially invited.

Turner Buys House
T. P. Turner purchased the B. M. Davis home on North Lake avenue Wednesday. Mr. Turner has improved the property before moving in.

Right thoughts and deeds are for all's good.—Mary Baker Eddy.

EXPERIMENT STATION WARNS GROVE OWNERS

Gives Instruction For Spraying To Control Scale and Rust

Lake Alfred, July 15.—Citrus growers who used either copper or zinc sprays on their groves during the spring are warned by W. L. Thompson, assistant entomologist of the Citrus Experiment Station here, not to overlook the importance of scale control at this time of the year.

In many groves the scale, both purple and Florida red, have increased to the danger point, says Mr. Thompson, who urges growers to make a careful check of their trees and to apply an oil spray if numerous scale are found.

"A large proportion of the purple scale are now on the stage when they can be easily killed with oil sprays, and spraying should be done in the very near future if an oil spray is advised," says Mr. Thompson. "A little later the oil will be less efficient and it may possibly interfere with the coloring of fruit in the fall."

"Oil sprays should not be used too soon after the application of sulphur, as severe burning may result. A sulphur spray likewise should not be applied too soon after an oil application. The exact period that will have to elapse can be determined by the amount of sulphur on the trees, and this in turn is determined largely by the amount of rainfall. Be sure to play safe in this regard," Mr. Thompson said.

"Oil sprays cannot be depended upon for rust mite control, and sulphur must be used for this purpose. An examination of a large number of groves shows that mites are present in many of them in numbers sufficient to cause rusting of fruit. If an oil spray is not necessary for scale control, a mixture of groves, lime-sulphur, 14 to 100, plus 5 pounds of wettable sulphur, should be used at once," concludes Mr. Thompson.

Dollar Per Acre Paid To Growers For Cover Crops

Growers who have a cover-crop of natural grass, crab grass, or other annual grasses, or a mixture of these grasses with legumes, as are approved by the State Agricultural Conservation Committee, will receive \$1.00 per acre for the National Soil Conservation Program, if these are planted or plowed under before October 31st. This order was issued by Secretary of Agriculture, Wallace, and just officially received by County Agent Alameyer.

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In discussing the situation the county agent stated that with the local date for acceptance of Work Sheets set for next Monday, July 20th, he was very anxious that all who desired should qualify as soon as possible. Growers who do not fill out a Work Sheet, which is really a listing on their property and acreage of crops grown, cannot receive any of the grant or payments. He further stated that it was impossible for a grower to call at his office for this that the grower could fill out the Work Sheet would be mailed out and mailed back to him for the proper signature.

Wells Gets Airplane Pilot's License

J. L. Wells was granted a private airplane pilot's license Saturday at Orlando where he took the necessary examination. This was the second of two written questions and practical flying and Mr. Wells graded well above the passing mark. He used a Taylor Cub plane in making the flights for the test.

Blown By Monsoon
Henry Davis was bitten on the foot early Tuesday morning by a mosquito while working on Arbutus Creek. He was treated by Dr. C. C. Teasdale, who is being hospitalized for further observation.

U. S. W. V. State Commander Dead

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COL. CHARLES R. HEAD

Col. Head Had Life Of Service

Was Devoted To Service For Nation, State and Community

Col. Charles R. Head, son of Col. W. T. and Mildred J. Head, was born June 23, 1892, in Keyser, West Virginia, where his early life was spent and he received his education. In May, 1908, soon after the declaration of war with Spain, he enlisted as a private in the 13th regiment, Minnesota Volunteer Infantry. In that regiment he was made first sergeant of his company and his regiment was sent to the Philippine Islands where he participated in the capture and occupation of Manila. Upon the expiration of his enlistment he joined the 36th U. S. Infantry, a unit of the regular army, and was soon promoted to the rank of captain, then major and later lieutenant colonel which rank he held on retirement to private life.

At the close of his military career he accepted the position of general manager of stores with the F. W. Walworth Co., of West Virginia and North Carolina. In the fall of 1922 he moved with his family to Florida and made his home in Avon Park in 1923 and resided there since that time until his death.

Since coming to Avon Park he made hundreds of friends throughout the county and was recognized throughout this section for his unselfish devotion to the improvement of the community and unselfish efforts to promote every enterprise that was for the public good.

His service to the community embraced two terms on the city council and an active participation in all progressive movements. He was a popular sportsman and active in fraternal circles, being especially active in Masonry and the Shrine, and was secretary of the United Spanish War Veterans.

He served as commander of the Holyrood Commandery, Knights Templar, was a member of the High Priest of Highlands Chapter, Royal Arch Mason, past patron of Lehigh Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, and at the time of his death was secretary of the Royal Arch Chapter and a member of the Egyptian Shrine Temple in Tampa.

As an Elk he was a faithful member and devoted to the activities of that organization. He was a charter member of the Avon Park Rotary club, serving his community in that organization for 10 years and had a record of perfect attendance and was a past president of the club.

Col. Head was a loyal member of the United Spanish War Veterans, imbued with a spirit of service to his country and to his organization. He exemplified the spirit of comradeship and patriotism as laid down by this organization. He was prominent in all the activities of the organization serving in the important offices of the Richard F. Hobson Camp of Highlands county, and in the state organization, being elected to the position of commander of Florida at the time of his death, being elected to this, the highest office in the state, without opposition at the state convention held in Ocala last month.

Col. Head was also greatly interested in the field of sports, especially basketball. During his term as councilman he was instrumental in purchasing the St. Louis Cardinals, then the world's champions, to select Avon Park for their training field for three years. He then inaugurated a movement that directed the Columbus Red Birds of the American Association to make their southern headquarters here, which they have done for the past

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ROTARIANS PAY LAST RESPECTS TO COL. HEAD

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The Avon Park Rotary Club dispensed with their regular program at the weekly luncheon at the Jacksonville Hotel Wednesday and devoted the time to an impressive memorial service to the late Col. Charles R. Head. Col. Head was one of the charter members of the Avon Park club and held a perfect attendance record for 10 years and for which he had been presented with a special pin by the club. Col. Head was one of the most valued members of the club whose members will miss him greatly. The Sebring club passed a resolution of sympathy which was transmitted to the Avon Park club and read.

President A. McKee Elwell had charge of the memorial service Wednesday and in his speech, said:

Fellow Rotarians: All of our hearts have been saddened by the passing of Charles R. Head on Sunday, July 12th, 1936. He was an untimely event that took "the Colonel" from the walks of men at a time in his life when he was getting into the full stride of his career, accomplishment of his career. It is not for us to question the dispensations of Providence, but we are forced to wonder why some things have to be. The only answer is that the All Mighty's ways are beyond our understanding.

The duty which this hour imposes upon us as President is a labor of love and I am glad of the opportunity to pay tribute to the noble attributes of Colonel Head, a tribute which might have remained unspoken had he lived, for too often we wait until too late to speak the words which our hearts would have uttered.

I shall always be grateful that it was my privilege to know and to have had the loyal and faithful friendship of this departed Rotarian. It is a noble tribute to a man when it can be said that his life was marked by uniform kindness, and the more you knew of him the more you grew to like him. This can be said of Charlie Head, whose memory we cherish and whose life of service and brotherly kindness we admire.

No death in Avon Park in recent years has caused such profound grief and sorrow. He left us when he had reached the peak of his ambition, and the zenith of his glory.

His comrades in Florida of the United Spanish American Veterans had just paid him the highest honor that they could bestow. He had won this honor because of his fine character and the arduous labor he put into his work. Yet the joy of the race ended with his death.

When Rotary was disclosed to him in 1925, its message of service went straight to his heart. He was prompted and guided by the ideal of Rotary. In all his days and in all his ways he put service above self. We, who are the brothers in Rotary to Colonel Head think of him as a man who was gone as much as one who remains with us through that example which he gave to us. His life was full of useful deeds and the tribute we pay him today bears witness to the truth of our motto that in serving best he profited the most, for all that he has taken with him is what he has given to us in unselfish service.

Charlie Head was my friend as he was yours and he is a (Continued on Page Eight)

Cavalcade of Beauty Feature For Daytona

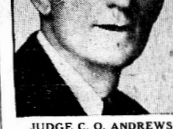
(Special to The Times)
Daytona Beach, July 16.—Daytona Beach city's summer season entertainment program, what is to be known as the Florida Cavalcade of Beauty will be presented in all its glory at the Boardwalk Sunday and Monday, Sept. 6 and 7, as the outstanding feature of the Labor Day period.

With Miss Mary Louise Dornier, Miss Daytona Beach, and Miss Louise Johnson of Sanford, as "Miss Florida," acting as hostesses with fifty more girls, cavalcades of beauty are expected from 100 cities of Florida. As each entrant is to be accompanied by one or more male of honor, the array, from puerilities and specious beauty standards, gives promise of being the most impressive yet presented in a Southern State.

Candidate For U. S. Senate

Judge C. O. Andrews

Orlando Man Out For Senate



JUDGE C. O. ANDREWS

Judge Andrews Seeks Place Held By the Late Senator Trammell

Orlando, July 15.—(Special)—Judge C. O. Andrews opened his active campaign for nomination to the United States Senate in an address delivered before the Orlando Junior Chamber of Commerce Monday. His intensive campaign will carry him to every county and section of the State in the next three weeks.

Judge Andrews briefly reviewed his record of experience and service in all three departments of government, and in offering for the United States Senate he expressed a desire to convert the years of his experience into active concrete service for his native State. He outlined his program and the needs of Florida and what he, from his connection and intimate knowledge of these needs, would hope to attain upon being elected to the United States Senate.

"Full and complete restitution for the Florida grower for losses sustained in the Mediterranean Fruit Fly campaign" was promised by Judge Andrews, who further stated, "It was actively a part of the Mediterranean Fruit Fly campaign and know from actual contacts the exact questions presented and why the claims which the growers hold against the government for destruction of property are valid. I personally took an active part in the hearings on the losses and briefed the law on the facts, and the use of the late Senator Trammell in his efforts to secure reimbursement."

Adequate old age pensions without the abominable pauper outfit requirement shall receive my full and earnest efforts," Judge Andrews further stated. "My record in the legislature of 1919 the present economic stress has brought about a public realization of the wisdom of such legislation out with my ideas of alleviating the poverty of the aged in the twilight of life."

Man Mountain" Stebbins, heavy weight giant from Avon Park, whom Judge Andrews will carry back to New York with him, was awarded a technical knockout over Cowboy Jones of Lake Wales, in the second round of their main preliminary bout last night before a crowd of 5500 at Benjamin Field arena on the fight card headed by the Chinese Alvarez-Roger Bernard fight with Dempsey as referee.

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Camp Perry Closes Friday Evening At Lake Byrd Lodge

Camp Perry which has been held at Lake Byrd Lodge closes tonight with a banquet at the lodge. The guest of honor will be the Rt. Rev. John D. Wing, D.D., of Orlando, Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese.

Camp Perry is the last of a series of camps held at Lake Byrd Lodge annually by the Diocese of South Florida. The camps are: Camp St. Mary for the younger girls, Camp Wingham for the older boys and girls and Camp Perry for the younger boys.

The members of the staff give of their time gratis and all the camps are always well attended. It is expected the camps will be held again next year, the same as this and previous years.

Attended Directors' Meeting.
D. M. Barnett of Jacksonville, president of the Barnett National Camp of Avon Park, attended the regular monthly directors' meeting here Thursday. It is understood that only routine business was under discussion.

Highlands County and Avon Park Paid Last Respects To Col. Head

FARMS AND GROVES SAVED FOR OWNERS

Farm Debt Adjustment Program Has Saved Farmers and Growers \$663,174

Tallahassee, July 15.—Under Florida's farm debt program, the threatened foreclosure of 1479 farms and groves, embracing 108,803 acres of land in 60 of the state's 67 counties, was averted through the adjustment of \$3,442,269 of mortgage indebtedness during the 18 months ending June 30.

These figures appear in a report issued here today by S. Lehr Miller, executive secretary to the Florida Farm Debt Adjustment Commission and state farm debt adjustment supervisor for the U. S. Re-settlement Administration.

Of those cases in which adjustment involved refinancing of debts, 350 settlements included the payment of \$1,019,577 in current and delinquent taxes.

In 708 of the cases, \$2,293,700 of principal indebtedness was refinanced for \$1,639,526, or a scale-down in excessive debts of \$654,174, Miller's report shows. The remaining 771 cases, with original indebtedness of \$1,445,568, were adjusted by various methods, including extension of time or reduction of interest rates by original creditors to provide terms of repayment consistent with the present means of farmers and growers.

Of 872 adjustments involving refinancing, 742 loans totaling \$1,487,441 came from federal land banks, while 130 loans for \$287,456 were made by banks, local individuals, and others.

The adjustments, Miller stated, affected principally by the state commission's voluntary committees serving in every county of the state, with the assistance of District Farm Debt Adjustment Supervisors J. H. Campbell of Madison and Gardner of Orlando, and with the cooperation of the Re-settlement Administration's farm supervisors, Federal Land Bank representatives, county agents, and other individuals concerned with agricultural problems.

The committees are now engaged in the settlement of 246 pending cases totaling \$1,121,018, Miller's report shows.

Stebbins Scored Another Win At Tampa Tuesday

Junior Stebbins, Avon Park's own "Man Mountain" scored another victory Tuesday night when he met Cowboy Jones of Lake Wales at Benjamin Field. Jack Dempsey was in Stebbins' corner and following the fight expressed himself as well pleased with the showing Stebbins made. Dempsey has taken Stebbins under his wing and will train him in New York City in the season. In it's issue of Wednesday morning the Tampa "Tribune" had this to say about the encounter:

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Hundreds From All Sections of Florida Attend Last Rites in Charge of United Spanish War Veterans.

Avon Park and Highlands county paid their last respects Wednesday afternoon to Col. Charles R. Head who passed away at his home Sunday afternoon at four o'clock following a heart attack. The Colonel had been in failing health for some time but his passing was unexpected and came as a great shock to the entire county. His condition had been aggravated by his trip to Ocala in June to attend the state encampment of the United Spanish War Veterans and at which time he was honored by unanimous election as state commander. He had been under the doctor's care since his return but seemed considerably improved Saturday morning. He suffered a heart attack Sunday from which he failed to recover.

The funeral was one of the largest ever held in this section of the state. The military rites were conducted by the United Spanish War Veterans and Holyrood Commandery, Knights Templar, had charge of the short committal service at Bougainville Cemetery. The services at the Congregational church were conducted by Rev. Thomas Derrick of Ocala, national chaplain-in-chief, assisted by Rev. M. M. Reynolds, department chaplain and Dr. A. P. Vaughn, pastor of the church. Highlands Post, American Legion, supplied the military escort and firing squad and the U. S. W. V., the color bearers and casket bearers.

The funeral cortege moved from the funeral home to the Congregational church in military formation. The church was filled with many friends of the deceased who had come from far and near, practically every U. S. W. V. camp in the state being represented. Flowers everywhere attested to the esteem in which Col. Head was held.

As the body was borne into the church an organ prelude was played by Miss Martha Marsh. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Garber sang "Sometime You'll Understand," and then Dr. A. P. Vaughn read the 23rd Psalm and offered prayer. Rev. M. M. Reynolds read a brief account of the life of the Colonel and Mrs. A. P. Vaughn sang "Crossing The Bar." Rev. Derrick spoke of loss sustained to everyone through Col. Head's death, how he had been loved and esteemed by everyone who knew him. He mentioned his activities on behalf of the veterans of the World War, the Mexican War and also his interest in community affairs.

Rev. Derrick also conducted the brief service in the grave which was in charge of Holyrood Commandery, K. T. The firing squad conducted the military honors and the casket was borne to the altar. As the casket was lowered the flag was removed and W. T. Hanks, senior vice commander, and Harry Johnson, senior vice commander, were present. Mr. Hanks, a widow, Mrs. Oia Head, as a token from the U. S. Government for the services rendered by her husband.

Harmony poll bearers were past department commanders of the U. S. W. V. and a delegation from the Sebring Lodge B. P. O. E., of which Col. Head was a member. The past commanders included: William Adair of Jacksonville, Frank Burch of DeSoto City, E. I. Wall of Tampa, J. W. Gooding of West Palm Beach, W. B. Ballard of Altamont Springs, C. E. Coward of Tampa and Charles Becker of Jacksonville. Other honorary pallbearers were: Henry Myers, A. V. Anderson, Mayor M. E. Covington, (Continued on page eight)

County Prisoner Escapes; Leaves In Hurry For Georgia

Kibbie Cowart, who was in the county jail on a charge of taking some clothing which did not belong to him, took advantage of opportunity to escape and left for the north. Z. T. Turner, also a Georgia boy, is in jail charged with aiding him in his escape.

Garner is said to have taken Constable Zephyr and was picked up there by Deputy Sheriff Long who was in pursuit of the fugitives.

Constable Zephyr made his escape when the door to the cells was left unlocked after being opened to allow the delivery of some new mattresses to the jail. He is said to have tried to get other prisoners in the jail to leave with him but they refused.

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IN MEMORIAM

Across the bar, far out at sea,
Sailing in the sunset—
To that haven of mystery,
A friend—with compass set
Rides on alone
And we, afar, see the star,
That guides him on,
To the port across the bar,
To Home, To Home,
To rest and eternal peace,
Where soldiers tents are spread
Sleep Soldier, Sleep—
Amid the resurrected dead—
Sail on, and on brave soul,
Thy medals will still be won—
Thy faith hath made the whole,
Thou art of God, a noble son.
—T. A. M.

COL. CHARLES R. HEAD.

In the passing of Col. Charles R. Head, Avon Park and Highlands County have suffered a loss which can hardly be expressed in words. The United Spanish War Veterans have also lost a prominent member, both in the local camp and in the state department. Masonry and the Rotary Club have also suffered by his passing. The place he occupied in the business, civil, social and fraternal life cannot be filled. There was no one just like the Colonel or Charlie as we so affectionately called him by his many friends and acquaintances.

Everyone will miss his cheery greeting, his advice and counsel, his untiring efforts to promote the welfare of the community in every way, whether it be sports, civic activities and improvements and in other ways he found to extend a helping hand.

The Colonel's heart was wrapped up in veteran activities and the value of his work was evidenced in his unanimous election to the office of department commander of the U. S. W. V. at Ocala last month, the highest honor which the department of Florida could bestow. He had filled many offices in the local camp, the West Coast Council and in the state department, all with honor and distinction. The Colonel's passing means more to them than anyone else. To Mrs. Head and to Jack and Dick, we can only say that your loss is our loss and you have our heartfelt sympathy.

Col. Head, we salute you. You were a soldier and a man.

State Press Comment

WHY NOT ORGANIZE SCIENCE TO RESCUE THE FARMER?

"Having tried nearly everything else in frantic attempts to improve agriculture's prosperity," a nationally known scientist suggests to the nation that a rescue party be organized composed of all the hundreds of agricultural colleges, the network of agricultural experiment stations, farm and home agents, university laboratories and engineering schools, all 152 national scientific societies and more than 200 industrial research laboratories.

Thus Dr. Karl T. Compton, president of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, outlines a definite program for applying the much-discussed "scientific approach" to farm problems. In a magazine article he invites farmers to "Let's Go Partners" with scientists and he urges the mobilization of all research efforts on the job of finding new uses for products, by-products and wastes of agriculture. "When will our intelligent citizens forcibly demand that this be done? Why wait still longer?" Why—Tampa Times.

GETTING IN GOOD LICKS FOR FLORIDA PUBLICITY.

Governor Sholtz continues as Florida's Ambassador of Advertising and Plenipotentiary of Publicity No. 1. His election as grand marshal of the Elks went through as scheduled at the Los Angeles convention and his acknowledgement of the office as an honor to the State was a gracious gesture.

With equal grace and good humor he parried newspapermen's questions about the relative resort attractions of Florida and California, tapping off his latest publicity coup with the statement that there is no competition between the States. Meanwhile, Secretary of State Gray in New York was getting in some impressive comparisons of temperatures in the East and in Florida where the mercury has been at comfortable normals.

The good work which Florida officials and citizens who visit other states can do in this respect—spreading information about Florida as a vacation land in Winter and Summer—is of incalculable value to the State. Also valuable was the West Palm Beach Elks' ritual team winning national first place and Miami's invitation for next year's convention, although it was awarded to Denver—Tampa Times.

WISCONSIN CLEANS WAY FOR PLEASANT TOURING.

Any motorist who ever has plodded along in second gear waiting for some lumbering truck to get out of the way and let him go places—and what motor-

ist hasn't had that experience?—is apt to feel like taking up a subscription for a monument to members of the state public service commission of Wisconsin.

For this commission has made a surprising discovery, to-wit: that the ordinary citizen is the man who really pays for the country's roads and that he therefore is entitled to enjoy them when he goes on a holiday trip.

In line with this discovery, the commission has issued an order barring all heavy trucks from 21 main Wisconsin highways on week-ends and holidays, from Memorial day to the end of September.

If it were not for the fact that the ordinary American is a game guy when it comes to putting up with nuisances, the force of public opinion would long since have caused similar rules to be put through in every State in the Union.

Set out on any kind of motor trip these days and you will learn all about the truck situation before you are 24 hours older.

You come to pleasant, rolling country, and you start to drive up one of those long, gently winding hills. The wind is in your face and the green is on the cornfield, and you are happy and at peace with the world—and then you find yourself behind a laboring truck.

The truck is going up the slope at the breath-taking rate of nine miles an hour. Since it is as long as from here to Christmas, you cannot pass it; you can only hang behind, take its fumes and noise and dust, creep along at a horse-and-buggy pace, and meditate on the beauties of the old-fashioned freight train.

You finally get out from behind the thing and proceed, within five minutes you are behind another, and the game is repeated. You finish the next chapter, at last, and a swaying monster coming the other way hogs the road and nearly puts you in the ditch.

It is useless to blame the driver; as like as not he has been in the cab for 12 hours straight, and is almost asleep from sheer weariness.

As evening draws near, you stop for the night in a charming roadside inn or tourist's home; and all night long your sleep is ruined by the heaven-splitting roar and rattle of trucks passing and repassing under your window.

Reflect on this sort of thing long enough and you are apt to conclude that these Wisconsin commissioners have hit on an idea which is worth copying—and enlarging.—Elgin (Ill.) Courier-News.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

BY RUSSELL KAY

The drive from Atlanta to Asheville is a delightful one, and we chose this route on our way north. There has been much improvement in Georgia and Carolina highways since I was last over this route. And while the road is through the mountains and winding most of the time, it has no terrors for the careful motorist.

Preparing for a big tourist season, the resort cities of Hendersonville and Asheville were alive with activity. Hotels are filling up and at filling stations along the way I learned that motor traffic through the section is steadily increasing, indicating an exceptionally good tourist season. I noted many Florida license plates on cars parked on the streets in Asheville, and there were many Florida cars on the road. It may be that Florida is in mid-winter to see so many foreign license plates.

Journeying north we chose a route through Virginia and West Virginia, mountainous most of the way, but if one is not in too great a hurry one does not mind the grades or constantly winding road. It was my first trip into West Virginia, the only state east of the Mississippi that I had never visited. It is a beautiful scenic country, and I was particularly interested in the coal mining area. We stopped for the night at Bluefield, a bustling, bustling city. It was Saturday night, and it seemed that everyone was in town. Merchants were doing a land office business, hotels were filled, and conditions generally looked very good.

The weather was delightful most of the trip, warm but not uncomfortable. We ran in and out of showers, which helped to keep us cool. I didn't care much for the wet highways through the mountains—but you can't have everything, so we took our time and got through without mishap.

Crossing the Ohio at Marietta we found a delightful rolling country with excellent roads, all well marked. The towns are so close together it is hard to distinguish one from another; you pass through several neat clean looking little towns to enter a sizeable city with traffic lights and lively business. We arrived in Cleveland about 10 P. M. on Sunday evening. I was a bit worried, expecting to encounter heavy traffic on the way in, but the main highway into the city was so well marked and traffic moved along so smoothly that my worries were groundless. We were right down in the heart of the city before we knew it, and as I hadn't selected a hotel and wanted to locate near the Exposition grounds, I hailed a motor car and asked if he could direct me to one. The officer must have received his training at Daytona Beach, for he not only told me where the hotel was, but wheeled about and said "Follow me, and I'll show you I felt as important as a gubernatorial candidate or something."

I got maddened up making a left turn like I did in Haines City a year or so ago. The sign says "Left on Green" but instead of making the complete turn as we do at home, you make a wide turn to the corner of the street and then wait until the light changes again to complete it. The traffic cop stopped me when I started to go through and when he found I was from Florida, he smiled and said "That's all right" then explained their system.

The visitor or stranger in the city is shown every courtesy and the folks here just naturally make themselves at home. They are proud of their city and certainly have every reason to be, for it is a great town.

Another thing I admire in Cleveland is that no attempt is being made to group the visitor. In spite of the Great Lakes Exposition attracting thousands and the many conventions being held, hotels, restaurants and shops have not advanced their prices. In consequence Cleveland is making friends and the kindly treatment received by visitors makes them want to stay longer and come again.

Let the Modern Phaethons Beware

Down thru the ages with the SPEED DEMON



The speed demon has always existed in one form or another. Greek mythology in the story of how Phaethon drove his father's chariot off course perhaps the earliest example of what can happen when people drive a vehicle so fast that it gets beyond their ability to control it. It will be remembered that Phaethon wished to prove that Apollo, the God of the Sun, was his father, and for his proof, sought to persuade his father to let him drive the chariot. Apollo, finally convinced with reluctance, and after many warnings and instructions, the boy set out. Then Phaethon lost control of the fiery horses and set the world on fire. Jupiter had to toss a thunderbolt at Phaethon to stop him.

This myth is strangely modern. People are warned today about the dangers of speed. But many drivers try to set the world on fire by their speed, just as Phaethon did.

When the horse and buggy cluttered up the streets, the speed demon was in evidence. Usually the horse made way for any deficiency in the judgment of the driver. Then, when the bicycle came along at its height, there were many who gave a good imitation of how a human being tried to overcome the force of wind resistance. In the early days of the automobile, loud complaints were made about the dangers of a speed of five or ten miles an hour.

The public today may be inclined to poke fun at the earlier examples of the speed demon, but perhaps the present age will be laughed at in some distant day because of the way many rush about in cars.

Last year the rate of death per accident which involved exceeding the speed limit was 35 per cent worse than the average death rate for all accidents due to improper driving practices. A word to the wise is sufficient. It has been said that if everybody would drive about 20 per cent slower a lot of the national oversupply of automobile accidents would be reduced.

Wills Baby Arrives

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Willis are the parents of a baby daughter who arrived Tuesday. The little miss weighed nine pounds at birth and both she and her mother are reported to be progressing very well. Miss Willis has not been formally named at present.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MASTER'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that under the order of the final decree rendered out of the Circuit Court of the Tenth Judicial Circuit of Florida, in and for Highlands County, Florida, in Chancery, in that certain cause therein pending wherein City of Avon Park, a Municipal Corporation, is complainant, and Paul L. Rumpke, as known as P. L. Rumpke, and Anna Rumpke, his wife, are defendants, I shall offer for sale to the highest and best bidder for cash, at the front door of the Court House at Sebring, Florida, between the hours of eleven o'clock A. M. and two o'clock P. M. on the 3rd day of August, A. D. 1936, the same being the first Monday in said month and a legal sales day, the following described property, to-wit:

The SW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 34, Township 33 South, Range 20 East, Highlands County, Florida; said sale being made to satisfy the said decree and costs.

Dated this 17th day of July, A. D. 1936.

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SOCIAL and Personal News

HELEN BECKETT
Society Editor

Birthday Surprise For Aged Resident.

Mrs. A. J. Lewiston was very pleasantly surprised Thursday afternoon with a birthday party honoring her on her 86th anniversary. The happy event was held at her home on Summit avenue and had been arranged by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Charles Lewiston. A very pleasant afternoon was spent during which refreshments of cake and punch were served to the guests.

Those helping Mrs. Lewiston celebrate the occasion were: Mrs. C. W. Carter, Mrs. William Smith, Miss J. C. Coe, Mrs. May Walden, Mrs. Woodruff, Mrs. Grady Porter, Mrs. Reniger, Mrs. Kingsley, Mrs. A. H. Brooks and Mrs. Charles Lewiston.

Mrs. Lewiston is one of the older residents of Avon Park, having lived here for the past 21 years. Her son, Charles Lewiston, and his wife came to Avon Park in August, 1935, and having been living with her since that time.

Mr. and Mrs. Coates Bridge Club Hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Coates entertained the members of the Tuesday evening bridge club on Monday evening this week at their home on the Sebring road.

The hostesses used roses and zinnias in decorating the party rooms and at the close of the bridge game served a delicious dessert course to the guests.

High score for the ladies was won by Mrs. A. M. Morgan and high for the men by Dr. A. M. Morgan, for which they both received lovely gifts.

Enjoying the evening were: Mr. and Mrs. Dick Keller, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry, Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McNicholas, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dorniney, W. S. Betts, C. E. Crabtree and Mr. and Mrs. Coates.

Senior League Met At The Hut.

The Senior League of the Methodist Church enjoyed a party Thursday evening of last week at the Hut.

Games were played during the evening after which the guests were served ice cream and cake.

Enjoying the evening were: Misses Marie Graham, Marie Payne, Martha Mae Harris, Gertrude Harris, Lauretta Reed, Dorothy Skipper, Gay Gordon, Mary Lydia Stebbins, Jane Hart, Ruth Fields, Grace Elder, Nell Rutledge, Mabel Reid, and Virgil Still, Eugene Martin, Roy Cole, Howard Johnson, James Turner and Melvin Rogers.

Buffet Supper At Garber Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Garber entertained Thursday evening of last week with a buffet supper at their home on Lake Byrd.

Swimming was enjoyed after which indoor games were played during the evening by the following: Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bissett, Mr. and Mrs. Booth Kirkwood, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McFerrin, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Wray and Mr. and Mrs. Garber.

Fr. Shilling Host To Camp Staff.

Fr. George Shilling was the gracious dinner host Monday evening at the Jacaranda Hotel, honoring members of the staff of Camp Perry of the Diocese of South Florida of the Episcopal church which closes this week at Lake Byrd Lodge. An excellent meal was served in the Palm Room of the hotel and the evening concluded with the singing of old time songs.

Those enjoying the evening were: Camp Director Morton O. Nace, Camp Chaplain Rev. William L. Hargrave, Rev. Harold Bach and Messrs. C. E. Phillips, George E. Holt who was recently elected state representative from Dade county, Arthur S. Gibbons, Edward Tarver, life saving instructor, Warren Alberty, Stockton Smith and the host.

Mrs. Pardee Hostess To Bridge Club.

Mrs. S. C. Pardee entertained the members of her Tuesday afternoon bridge club this week at her home.

Garden flowers were used in the decorations and at the close of the games the hostess served refreshments of pie, tea and mince.

Mrs. A. Gilmore held high score for the club for which she was presented with a lemon dish and fork and Miss Kate Tompkins won the guest prize for which she received a set of powder puffs.

Members present were: Mrs. A. Gilmore, Mrs. George Scott McKnight, Mrs. Olive E. Anderson, Mrs. L. E. Bass, Mrs. S. Y. Hart, Mrs. H. A. Vickery, Mrs. M. E. Covington and Miss Kate Tompkins.

Mrs. Clark Hostess To Bridge Club.

Mrs. C. A. Clark entertained the members of the Thursday afternoon auction bridge club last week at her home on the Sebring road.

Two tables were in play during the afternoon after which the guests enjoyed refreshments consisting of a delicious salad course.

The hostess used garden flowers in decorating the party rooms.

Mrs. H. A. Vickery held high score for the afternoon and she was presented with a lovely gift.

Enjoying the afternoon were: Mrs. C. R. Head, Mrs. S. Y. Hart, Mrs. H. A. Vickery, Mrs. N. T. Smith, Mrs. L. E. Bass, Mrs. George Scott McKnight, Mrs. Floyd Johnson and Mrs. Clark.

Medical Society Meeting Tuesday.

The Tri-County Medical Association, comprised of physicians in Highlands, Hardee and DeSoto counties, met Tuesday evening in Wausala for the regular monthly dinner and medical discussion.

Dr. Joseph Horton of Sarasota was a guest of the association and read an interesting paper on "X Ray Therapy."

Others present included: Dr. S. J. Simmons and Dr. Henry P. Bevis of Arcadia, Dr. L. W. Martin and Dr. Borom of Sebring, Dr. B. D. Spears, Dr. M. C. Kayton and Dr. A. A. Poucher of Wausala, Dr. W. S. Pyatt of Bowling Green and Dr. George Scott McKnight of Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Hart Bridge Club Hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hart entertained the members of the Thursday evening bridge club last week at their home on Verona avenue.

Two tables of bridge were in play during the evening and the hostess served a dessert course to her guests. She used zinnias in the decorations for the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Parke Anderson held high score for the evening and Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Trent second high.

Punch was served during the evening to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dorniney, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McNicholas, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Trent, Mr. and Mrs. P. Anderson.

Lillian Bennett Birthday Party.

Lillian Bennett celebrated her thirtieth birthday Friday afternoon at the home of her father, J. R. Bennett.

A color scheme of blue and green was used in the decorations as well as the refreshments of cake and ice cream.

Out door games were in play during the afternoon by the young people after which Lillian received many lovely and useful gifts.

Enjoying the afternoon were: Misses Dorothy Weisberger, Frances Cason, Ruth Wild, Albert Garrett, Nellene Cannon, Winifred Hood, Gwendolyn Parker and Mrs. W. H. Prescott.

Baptist S. S. Picnic Thursday.

The Sunday school of the Baptist church held their regular annual picnic Thursday afternoon at the picnic grounds on Lake Anoka.

Each person brought what they wanted to eat and which was divided and served to about 100 persons present.

After the picnic the church furnished the dessert consisting of ice cream and cake.

Those on the arrangement committee were: Ray Wells, Rev. Loy Frink, B. F. Martin and W. W. McFarland.

D. J. Parker Honored With Birthday Party.

A picnic was given Thursday evening honoring D. J. Parker on his birthday anniversary.

The affair was held on Lake Jackson in Sebring.

Swimming was enjoyed after which a delicious picnic supper was spread and served and was followed by cutting a beautiful large lighted birthday cake which was presented to the honoree.

Enjoying this affair were: Mr. and Mrs. Francis Shockley, Miss Lois Williams and Jim Beagle of Sebring, Mrs. Edgar Koch and D. J. Parker.

Girls Auxiliary Met Tuesday.

The Girls' Auxiliary of the Baptist church met Tuesday evening at the home of Marian Weber.

The lesson was taken from the study course book and was taught by Odessa Bishop.

After a very interesting meeting the hostess served delicious punch and cake.

Members present were: Misses Bill Saggus, Odessa and Lucille Bishop, Ruby Bennett, Grace McConnell, LaVerne Fortner, Mrs. Ray Wells, Mrs. E. C. Weaver and Marian Weber.

Mrs. Cyril Baldwin and daughter, Virginia, and Mrs. Mary Lee, are spending two weeks at Ft. Myers Beach. They will be joined during this week-end by Mr. Baldwin, Paul Baldwin and Mr. Lee, who will return with them the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Hosts To Club.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Spencer entertained the members of the Thursday evening bridge club this week at their home.

The house was decorated with summer flowers and the hostess served a delicious salad course to the guests at the close of the evening.

High score for the ladies was won by Mrs. Briscoe Willis and high for men by John Hood and Mrs. C. R. Ginn was presented with a lovely guest prize.

Enjoying the evening were: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peden, Mrs. Briscoe Willis, Mrs. C. A. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ginn, John Hood, C. L. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Spencer.

Sunbeams Held Meeting Tuesday.

The Sunbeam Band met Tuesday afternoon in the basement of the Baptist church with Mrs. J. E. Spencer in charge of the meeting.

Mrs. Spencer also taught the subject for the afternoon which was "Our Flag."

Those present for the occasion were: Virginia Martin, Sonny Martin, Virginia Spencer, Clyde Sadler, Fred Sadler, Betty Lynn Helms, Frank Camp, Greta Simmons, Lena Mae Perry and Louise Bishop.

Attend Methodist League Union Meet.

Those attending the Methodist League Union conference held Thursday evening at Lake Placid were: Rev. J. B. Reid, Tom Graham, C. W. Merriweather, Ralph and Melvin Rogers, Virgil Still, Roy Cole, Alton Cole, C. C. Harris, Junior Turner, Eugene Martin, Mabel Reid, Sibyl Bigbee, Helen Cannon, Dorothy Skipper, Lauretta Reed, Elizabeth Retherington, Fay Gordon, Mary Lydia Stebbins, Minnie Lee Lewis, Howard Johnson, Merle Graham, Merle Payne and Gertrude Harris.

Young Peoples' Social Club Dance.

The Young Peoples Social Club of Avon Park enjoyed a dance Friday evening of last week at the Legion Home on Lake Lotella.

Dancing was enjoyed until a late hour and the chaperones for the evening were, Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McFerrin and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Garber.

Punch was served during the evening to around 40 attending.

J. L. Wells was a business visitor in Orlando Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wells attended the air meet Friday in Orlando.

Mrs. Charles Ott and Mrs. J. M. Kelsey were visitors in Winter Haven Sunday.

Miss L. G. Pennington of Tampa spent the Fourth with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Throop.

Mrs. D. G. Perry and Mrs. S. E. Booth spent Monday in Lakeland visiting with friends.

Mrs. Robert Stewart returned this week after a three weeks vacation at points in Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamont Wolf of Sebring attended the funeral of Col. C. R. Head Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Able left last week for several weeks' vacation in Hendersonville, N. C.

Mrs. Bennett Carroll of Dublin, Ga., and Mrs. Eula Stafford spent Thursday in Lake Wales.

Dr. and Mrs. Guy O. Brewster left Monday for a tour of the United States and Canada.

W. B. Gillipie of West Palm Beach was visiting his sister, Mrs. H. A. Throop, here last week.

J. D. Raab left Sunday on a business trip to Jacksonville, and expects to be gone all this week.

Mrs. W. T. Coates and daughter returned last week after a several weeks' vacation in Boston, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth attended the funeral services of Arthur King of Frostproof Tuesday.

Mrs. Edgar Koch and Miss Hazel Cameron spent the week-end in Orlando visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier and sons, David and Vernon, expect to leave this Saturday for a trip through Tennessee and North and South Carolina.

At the Park Theatre Sunday and Monday



Myrna Loy, Clark Gable and John Harlow playing in "Wife vs. Secretary."

Mrs. Lays Frink and two children, Charlotte and Yvonne, spent several days this week visiting with relatives in Ft. Pierce.

Virginia and Gloria Cochrane are spending several weeks in Moore Haven visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Anthony Assimopoulos and two daughters Marian and Viola are spending this week at Daytona Beach.

Miss Ethelle Windham returned this week after several days vacation in Winter Haven and Winter Garden.

Mrs. W. M. Sewell and daughter Dorothy were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier and family last week.

Mr. J. H. Cochrane left Monday for a short visit in Detroit, Mich., her daughter, Miss Thelma Cochrane.

Mrs. Bennett Carroll of Dublin, Ga., arrived this week for a short visit here with her sister, Mrs. Eula Stafford.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Revell and daughter spent the past weekend with Mrs. Revell's sister, Mrs. H. A. Throop.

Mrs. W. Hauptmann left Jacksonville Friday by boat for New York where she will spend several weeks visiting.

Mr. John Hood and children and Milford Dilley are spending this week in Miami visiting with Mrs. Milford Dilley.

Donald M. Barnett of Jacksonville is spending several days of this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Coates.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Coen, Sr., and Mary Coen and her cousin of Pittsburgh, Pa., are spending this week at Ft. Myers Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ford, Mrs. J. B. Coen, Jr., Miss Lucille Langford and Miss Mary Coen were visiting in Arcadia Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Donaldson and son, John Charles, of Washington, D. C., arrived this week for several weeks visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fairbanks and son, Thomas, Jr., returned this week after spending two weeks in Winter Park visiting with friends.

Johnnie Koppers, for the past two years with McClure's Drug Store at Vero Beach, is now employed at the Jacaranda Grill and Soda Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Todd returned Monday after a visit in Baltimore, Md. Their son, Richard, remained there to visit with his grandparents for a while.

Robert Beck, Jr. left Monday for Walloon Lake, Mich., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Thomas, Mr. Thomas formerly was manager of the Jacaranda Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sachsenmaier and little son, returned Thursday from Philadelphia, Pa., where Mrs. Sachsenmaier and baby have been for the past few months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wells and daughter, Betty Joe, were in Orlando Sunday where they visited with friends and relatives. They made the trip by airplane.

Mrs. E. P. Loomis and daughters, Patsy and Marguerite, Mrs. O. C. Wilkes and son, John Edwin, and Miss Jeanette Lavery of Valdosta, Ga., returned Monday after a week's visit at Clearwater Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. James Davis and small daughter formerly of here and Lake Placid have moved to Sebring where they will make their future home. Mr. Davis will be principal of the DeSoto City school this year.

Miss Opal Cochrane of Clowiston and Mrs. Joe McNeille and daughters, Martha and Margaret, of Moore Haven, spent several days of last week here visiting with their mother, Mrs. J. H. Cochrane.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Turner and daughter Mary, Mrs. Jack Tyre of Sebring and Miss Carolyn Hall were visiting in La Bole Thursday of last week. Miss Hall returned after a several days visit here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Turner.

Miss Jeanette Lavery who has been the guest of Miss Patsy Loomis for the past several weeks left Tuesday for her home in Valdosta, Ga. She was accompanied home by Miss Patsy Loomis. They will visit in Valdosta several days and then will go on to Asheville, N. C. where they will stay for a month.

Among those attending the fights Tuesday evening in Tampa, were: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Garber, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Abrams, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McFerrin, Mr. and Mrs. C. Ragsdale, Mr. and Mrs. Will Bennett, Ferd de Anguanti, N. H. Trent, Walter S. Betts, H. Carter, Miss Emma Mackey, Holland Stebbins and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Stebbins and family.

Northern Papers Give Publicity To Florida Exhibit

Cleveland, Ohio, July 15.—The newspapers of Cleveland, and for that matter, of the entire middle west are proving very friendly to the Florida State exhibit at the Great Lakes Exposition, as evidenced by the generous space given to stories of what may be seen in Florida Manor and on the surrounding beautifully landscaped grounds.

The Cleveland Plain Dealer, in a recent Sunday edition, gave Florida and its exhibit the entire first page of its magazine section, in colors with a generous carry over to the second page. The Plain Dealer, as well as its afternoon contemporaries, the Press and the News, make almost daily mention of features of the Florida show.

Newspapers throughout Ohio and in Eastern Indiana, Southern Michigan and Western New York and Pennsylvania, have been publishing descriptions of the Florida show, all of which has been conducive to bringing large crowds to visit the exhibit.

They are never alone who are accompanied by noble thoughts—Sir P. Sidney.

Col. Head Had Life of Service

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three years. For his efforts along this line the city council, a few years ago, honored him by naming the municipal baseball park "The Col. Charles R. Head Athletic Field."

Soon after coming to Avon Park, Col. Head organized the Avon Insurance company of which he was the active head until his death. He was also interested in the First Mortgage and Guarantee company and many other business enterprises in Avon Park and was an extensive citrus grower and an officer in the Avon Park Citrus Growers Association.

Early in life he affiliated himself with the Presbyterian Church, being an active worker in that church until moving to Avon Park when he became a member of the Congregational church of which he was a faithful member until his death.

He was united in marriage to Miss Ola L. Rhodes on December 28, 1897. To this union were born two sons, William L., now residing in Avon Park, and Richard S., of Brooklyn, N. Y. Besides the widow and two sons, he is survived by three grandchildren, William J. Butler of Cumberland, Md., and Mrs. Jessie Wolf and Mrs. Maggie Virtz, both of Keyser, W. Va., besides a host of relatives and friends.

All grand thoughts come from the heart—Vauvenargues.

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All Around the House

Cut out old canes in raspberry bushes when they are through bearing fruit. These canes will never bear fruit again.

Cloths saturated with polishing liquids if stored away in a closet often cause spontaneous combustion. Keep these cloths in a covered tin container.

Use the purest of cider vinegar for pickles and pickled preserves. Do not mix two different kinds of vinegar.

Oil of oily substances should never be used on waxed floors. They soften the wax, sink into wood and eventually darken it.

When making pastry use only enough water to hold ingredients together. Mix quickly, roll and handle as little as possible if you wish pastry to be flaky.

The fat side of beef should be placed nearest the flame when roasting. The melting fat will flavor and baste the meat during the cooking.

A cup of peanut butter mixed with half a cup of mayonnaise and one finely chopped raw onion makes a good sandwich spread.

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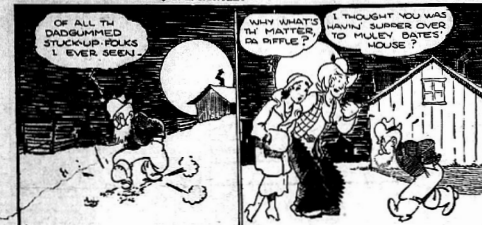
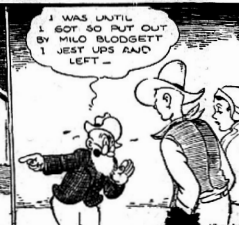
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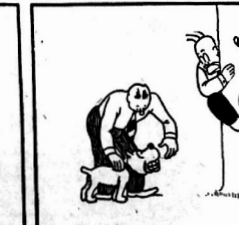
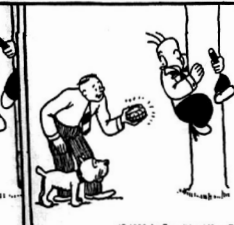


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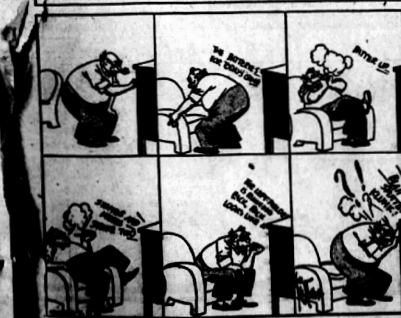
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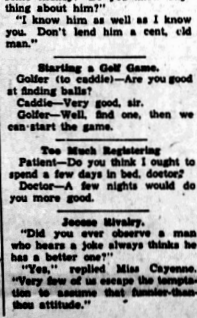


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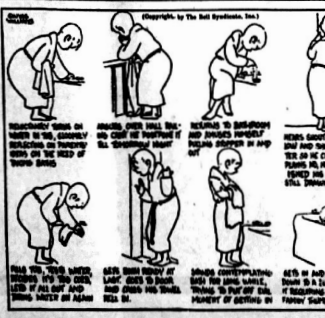


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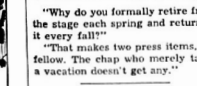


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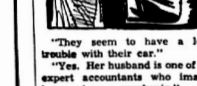
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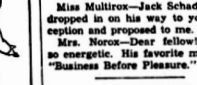
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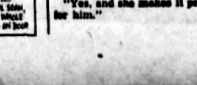
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Rotary Pays Last Respects To Col. Head

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real loss to the Rotary Club of Avon Park. He was a useful citizen to this community through his participation in the fraternal, social and civic activities of the town. To his family we can only give sympathy and condolence. The bitter anguish of those who loved the dead cannot be assuaged by another's pity. Yet if their burden of sorrow can be lightened even in a small degree by the knowledge that others too are grieving, it is my sincere hope that these words may be a help.

The soft words of peace now hover round him. But the thing that is divine in us is not conformed by our death. Whenever there has been glowing generosity, radiant sympathy, a giving of self through work in our little Rotary Club and in our community, those qualities

shine on and on when we are one as the stars continue to shine in the Florida night.

D. G. Perry offered the following prayer:
Eternal God, we bow before thee with reverent hearts and in sublime faith, knowing that thou dost lead us on in death as thou dost in life. Thou hast ordered a comrade to that realm in the west, beyond the twilight and the evening star, where beauty and valor and goodness dwell forever with the unnumbered multitude. Mindful of service nobly done, thou hast called him to everlasting rest.

Hear now the sorrows of those who mourn. Touch their tired hearts with healing. Join us with the departed in communion with the goodly fellowship of those whose daily lives were an offering to duty and their fellow man. Inspire us by his example so to live that we may follow in his footsteps, that we may take up the unfinished task. For thine own name's sake, we pray. Amen.

Congregational Services

Morning services next Sunday at the Congregational church 11 a. m. Sermon text, "The Foundation Laid by God Endures." Bible school 9:45.

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Highlands County, Avon Park Paid Last Respects to Col. Head

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Howard Maddox, Worshipful Master, Poinciana Lodge F. & A. M. and Dorland Cook, Exalted Ruler, B. P. O. E., Sebring.

The active pallbearers were: A. McKee Elwell, C. E. Crabtree, J. C. Ragdale, E. G. Todd, W. T. Coates and W. M. Hetherington. The military escort and firing squad consisted of: Demos Mandia, commanding; Bill Bennett, H. C. Maddox, W. C. Beckett, Frank Armstrong, Ed. Welch, Dr. A. M. Morgan, Harry Price and Marion Strickland.

Buglers were: Boy Scout William Martin, E. L. Roberts and Herman Muckelburg of Largo, chief musician.

Among the many attending the last rites were state officers of the Department of Florida, U. S. W. V., They included: J. S. Chenoweth, St. Petersburg, department adjutant and quartermaster; Sterling Phillips, Tampa, department chief of staff; John Peterson, Eustis, department marshal; Norton T. Smith, Avon Park, assistant department adjutant; Cyrus E. Bartholomew, Miami, department patriotic instructor; J. R. Lyles, Sanford, department legislative chairman; Herman Muckelburg, Largo, chief musician; W. E. Mason, St. Petersburg and A. T. Richter, Tampa, color sergeant; A. W. Tyler, camp commander, St. Petersburg; W. T. Hankins, Kissimmee, senior vice commander, department of Florida; and Harry Landsman, St. Petersburg, past commander department of Missouri.

Practically all county officials were present. They included Clerk of Court, W. Z. Carson, Sheriff Doyle Schumacher, County Judge M. C. Whitehurst, Tax Assessor Cyril Baldwin, and Tax Collector Ruth Bass Hyllon.

The majority of members of the Sebring Rotary Club attended as did the Sebring Lodge B. P. O. E., as well as many private citizens from throughout the entire county.

Enjoy Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Coates, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier and D. M. Barnett of Jacksonville enjoyed a dinner party Thursday evening at the Chalet Suzanne near Lake Wales.

The greatest events of an age are its best thoughts. Thought finds its way into action.—Boileau.

CITRUS INDUSTRY OF STATE IN HARMONY

Growers, Shippers and Packers Have Profitable Meeting in Lakeland

Lakeland, July 14.—The Florida citrus industry joined today in the most comprehensive program yet attempted to co-ordinate and promote the marketing of its grapefruit, orange and tangerine crops.

Several hundred growers and shippers representing all sections, meeting here at the call of the Florida Citrus Commission, enthusiastically approved its plans to advertise and merchandise Florida crops, enlarge the area of their distribution, and meet competitive conditions.

The need for co-operation of shippers in such a program was explained by L. P. Kirkland, commission chairman. Under state laws the commission can advertise fruit and standardize its grade and pack, and as a federal control committee it can promote shipments, but these things alone are not enough, he said.

"If we are to get a profitable price for our fruit next season we must meet the competition of California, Texas and other citrus producing areas," Mr. Kirkland declared. "We must see to it that only fruit of good quality leaves Florida, and we must work together to hold the markets we have and to develop new ones."

The power of promoting shipments will be exercised only in an emergency, Chairman Kirkland said, explaining that it would be the policy of the control committee to permit the marketing of all crops in some way. He said of plans to dispose of any surplus crops through federal relief agencies, or by subsidizing their export, in co-operation with federal agricultural authorities.

Details of the program proposed by the Commission for next season were outlined by John D. Clark, Waverly member, who is in charge of the advertising, standardization and promotion activities now permitted under state and federal laws, it included the following four major points:

1. A definite schedule for shipments throughout the season, based upon accurate crop and market surveys, which shippers will be asked to maintain.

2. Development of new markets, with shippers pledging to support the advertising and merchandising activities in such territories.

3. Co-operation of shippers in voluntarily regulating the quantity of fruit offered at auction markets, through the organization of terminal produce committees.

4. An agreement between fresh fruit and canning interests on the total quantity of grapefruit to be canned next season, and the establishment of a minimum price which will permit the marketing of the greatest volume for the most profit to the grower in this way.

C. E. Stewart, Deland commission member, brought the discussions to a climax when he asked, "Will the industry subscribe to a marketing program like the one we have discussed today, based on the best information which we can get?" He was answered by a "thundering chorus of approval."

"That is what we wanted to know," added Chairman Kirkland. "Now we are ready to go ahead."

In discussions of the opening of new markets for Florida fruit, A. S. Herling, sr., Leesburg commission member, told of the work which has been done by the Commission and the Growers and Shippers League, in co-operation with Governor Sholtz, to reduce freight rates to western states. He said that railroads have promised a reduction of 18 cents per box on next season's shipments to that territory.

Representative shippers pledged their co-operation in sending fruit to markets where none has been sold in recent years, in which the Commission proposes to advertise

next season. C. H. Walker, Avon Park, Florida Citrus Exchange director, said he would support this work, "win or lose." Similar expressions were made by Barney Kilgore, Clearwater; W. H. Mouser, Orlando; Harry G. Cristina, Davenport; John A. Snively, Winter Haven; L. A. Hakes, Clearwater, and a score of others.

Two regulations were adopted by the Commission at a meeting this morning. One requires shippers to obtain a license and furnish a bond as citrus fruit dealers before they can register their packing houses and get inspection service next season. The other will require inspectors to show the percentage of overgrade on inspection certificates, when it exceeds 15 percent, unless the shipper requests in writing that this information be omitted. Both regulations were submitted to the industry and approved by shippers, Secretary F. E. Brigham reported.

Road Foreman Charged With Embezzlement

L. B. Walker, county road foreman for district one, is in the county jail on a charge of embezzlement. It is alleged that Walker

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