

Round About Avon Park

by W. C. Beckett

Street Lights. Now that the bond refunding question is practically settled and out of the way, we see no reason why a comprehensive system of street lighting cannot be put into effect. This should be attended to at once and be in readiness for the winter visitors when they arrive. Avon Park cannot be called as the darkest town in Florida any longer.

The city has effected substantial savings through the new electric rates put into effect for the mail and the sewage disposal plant and also through the repairs made to the pumping equipment.

We are informed this lighting question will come up at the council meeting next Tuesday night and we hope the city will take a definite action and approve contracts for the street lights. They are badly needed and will help the town 100 percent. So, let there be light—60.

Advertising. The Florida Public Service Co. is to be commended for their progressiveness in promoting a reciprocal advertising plan between the New England communities. The idea has great merit and should be of great benefit to Florida and especially the counties of Volusia and Seminole, including Avon Park. Some may say they have a selfish idea in this. Maybe they have as they wish to sell as much "juice" as possible. But don't forget that what benefits them, also benefits the cities they serve. The more people they bring to Avon Park, the better it is for everyone living and making a living here.

And remember this, all they want the cities to do is to supply the literature for distribution in the north. We surely can do that.

The C. I. O. Strife and rioting with attendant bloodshed face Central Florida pledged to organize 65,000 workers of the citrus industry, says C. R. Jackson, outspoken O. R. C. Communist, in an interview in the Orlando "Morning Sentinel" on Wednesday. He predicted open warfare between the C. I. O. and a quickly mobilized vigilante force will develop immediately after the start of the organization campaign and he confirmed reports that 21 locations of the C. I. O. are scheduled to hold a meeting in Orlando on Labor Day.

In the interview Jackson admitted he represented Florida citrus workers at a Communist convention held at Denver and other Florida Communists represented other Florida agricultural labor. Four of the Florida delegates were white men and two were negroes. No distinction was made in race, color or creed.

Jackson is a manufacturer of fireworks and small bombs. Recently some bombs, said to have been made by Jackson, were discovered in a Winter Park and Pitt. The police were holding them for analysis when they mysteriously disappeared from their hiding place. About 200 of the bombs were found in the city.

We have condensed this from stories in the Orlando paper and do not know how serious the situation is. Jackson's statements may be the mouthings of an irresponsible radical or there may be much truth in them. We would hate to see strife and turmoil in the state and sincerely hope Avon Park workers will not be led astray by the preachings of radicals of Jackson's type.

It may be added that the American Legion Post of Orlando seems to take the matter seriously and at a special meeting offered their assistance to the sheriff's office and the police department.

Mrs. Mary Carlisle Died Here Monday; Buried In Lake City

Mrs. Mary Carlisle, 33, wife of Bascom Carlisle, died in a Sebring Hospital Monday evening after a 10 day illness with pneumonia. No services were held here and the remains were taken to Lake City for interment in the family lot on Wednesday.

Mrs. Carlisle was born in Georgia and is survived by the husband and two children, Mary and L. B. and her foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Barnett of Ocala.

Bible School Parade. Members of the Vacation Bible School being conducted at the Methodist Church staged a parade around Avon Park Monday morning. They were about 140 strong and 13 cars with horns blowing and banners waving were used to transport the children.

NEW SELECTEES SENT CCC CAMPS FROM FLORIDA

State Welfare Board Is Now Selecting Agency For Florida

Jacksonville, July 29.—The Florida CCC Precinct Party has just completed its work of enrolling 430 white and 83 colored selectees, filling the July replacement quota for the state. This enrollment was the first to be handled by the new State Welfare Board which, with its inception on July 1, was designated by the United States Department of Labor as CCC Selecting Agency for Florida.

In commenting on the enrollment just completed, C. C. Codrington, State Welfare Commissioner, said, "except for the fact that Florida's July quota was small, we are pleased with the first enrollment conducted under the jurisdiction of this agency. That a good job of selection was done by our workers is evidenced by the fact that in order to select 513 boys it was necessary to send forward but 516 eligible youths. This means that the army doctors who examined the selected selectees found only three as being physically unfit. That, we believe, is a record of which any state may well be proud."

Commissioner Codrington stated that the State Welfare Board still has available approximately 900 white and 600 colored youths who are eligible to enroll but could not be accepted in July, because of the low quota given the state.

"It is likely that these boys and many others can be enrolled during the next recruitment, which will occur in October," Mr. Codrington continued. "Under the act of congress designed the CCC for these youths, a certain line of service is placed in force and the maximum age limit for enlistment is reduced from 27 years to 23 years. These new regulations will, by October, force a considerable reduction in the personnel of the Corps and allow additional youths an opportunity to enroll. The national strength of the Corps is set by the law at 300,000 and Florida will be allowed to furnish her proportionate share of eligible youths."

The State Welfare Commissioner pointed out that the following other changes are effective under a new law:

Elimination provision that a selectee's family must be "on the relief rolls" before he can be eligible for the full year will amount to more than a quarter million dollars or 27.7%.

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"These figures impress us as absolute proof that the league program of reducing the cost of state and local government by 25% or \$25,000,000 per year is no idle dream. It is a reality, as proven by the operation of these three departments, if the proper economy and efficiency is applied. Government of Florida, as proven by a program of economy and efficiency, is in position to apply the remedy in all departments under its direct control, and to wield an influence that will force economy and efficiency in all departments of state and local government. It is the purpose of the Tax Revision Bill to assist him in every way possible, and he should have the active cooperation and assistance of every taxpayer in the State, to this end."

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Park Theatre Will Have New Program Schedule Next Week

Mrs. Virginia Wilkox, manager, announces a change in the program schedule at the Park Theatre starting Sunday whereby five changes of pictures will be made each week instead of four as heretofore. Cash night will be on Wednesday instead of Tuesday.

The picture on Sunday will be shown for one day only with a change on Monday and Tuesday. The Wednesday picture will be for one day with another change for Thursday and Friday and a new picture for Saturday only.

SEE ECONOMIES IN THREE STATE DEPARTMENTS

Collections Are Increased And Expenses Cut; Big Saving To State

Jacksonville, July 29.—(Special)—The combined operating expenses of three departments of the state government for the first six months of 1937 compared to the same period in 1936, according to a statement released here today by the Florida Tax Revision League. The revenue collections by these three departments for the same period increased 17.8%.

The figures below, compiled by the League, show a comparison of receipts and disbursements for these three departments:

Revenue Department: Revenue: 1937, \$1,523,382; 1936, \$1,262,787; increase of 21%. Expense: 1936, \$1,311,104; 1937, \$734,480; decrease of 44%.

Racing Commission: Revenue: 1937, \$1,823,719; 1936, \$1,436,957; increase of 28%. Expense: 1936, \$315,359; 1937, \$217,768; decrease of 31%.

Motor Vehicle Commission: Revenue: 1937, \$5,693,948; 1936, \$4,986,689; increase of 14%. Expense: 1936, \$1,87,867; 1937, \$1,664,938; decrease of 11%.

(1) Full year; (2) 15 months. Tax Revenue: 1937, \$9,056,053; 1936, \$7,686,433; increase: 1936, \$934,330; 1937, \$458,181.

Increase, \$1,369,620; decrease, \$176,149—27%.

"To Louisiana," "According to these figures the direct saving to the taxpayers, as result of more efficient operation of these departments, if continued and consolidated for the full year will amount to more than a quarter million dollars or 27.7%."

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MANY ENROLLED IN THE AVIATION GROUND SCHOOLS

Nineteen Florida Cities Participated In Aeronautics

Lake Placid, July 29.—(FNS)—Over 2,600 men and women have enrolled and attended the aviation ground schools conducted in 19 Florida cities during the past year and a half by the Division of Education, WPA, a report released by C. R. Coachman, supervisor of Aeronautical Education, revealed.

"It is hoped the students will learn to appreciate the many advantages offered by Aviation," said Mr. Coachman. "This may take the form of a student taking flying lessons for business or pleasure, or by using commercial airlines for transportation, or by using swift airmail and air-express. If the course accomplishes no more than giving the student a real insight into general aviation which will enable him to read and discuss intelligently its different phases, it has served a worthwhile purpose. From long experience the Army, Navy and large commercial flying schools realize that a man who becomes a flyer without ground training, but they have found that he will be a better flyer and a more responsible pilot if he is well versed in the fundamentals of ground school work, and that it is possible for him to work out many problems on the ground that will save him needless hours in the air. The average person rushes out to take flying lessons without realizing what it takes to obtain a pilot's license. Yet most desire some type of license after they have completed a certain number of hours in the air. In order to secure a pilot's license as issued by the Dept. of Commerce, it is necessary to pass both a flight and a written examination. Each counts fifty percent, and if the student fails either, he must pay hard cash for his flying lessons, while at the same time he believes himself capable of a pilot's license. The written examination tests his knowledge of the rules of flight, the use of the instruments, and the weather. The usual outcome is that he may pass the flight test and fail the written test, or vice versa. If he must wait 90 days before reappearing for another examination, and in order to keep his hand in, he must spend more money for flying lessons. If a student would work faithfully with the ground schools instructors who are conducting the WPA aviation schools before going up for an examination he would avoid useless expense and trouble."

A survey of the report shows the following cities as having had sections and the total enrollments: Jacksonville, 178; St. Petersburg, 455; Lakeland, 95; St. Petersburg, 351; Orlando, 121; Ft. Pierce, 72; West Palm Beach, 226; Ft. Lauderdale, 57; Winter Haven, 74; Daytona Beach, 81; Lake City, 98; Tallahassee, 51 and 128 at a special class for students at the Florida State College for Women, Panama City, 60; Pensacola, 189; Sarasota, 70; Gainesville, 169 including a special class for University students.

The students are 55 and 440. Of the total of 2610 enrolled, 483 were women. Statistics list the average age of the men students as 23.3 years and of the women 24.1 years, and list their occupations from school students to doctors, and literally including the butcher, the baker and the electrician.

Asked about future plans, Mr. Coachman said: "Three new schools are now being established in Tampa, Yulee and Panama City. To date all except three schools have been sponsored by Junior or Senior Chambers of Commerce. If such agencies are not available, the interest in their town warrants an Aviation Ground School for the benefit of their community, the Division of Education, WPA, will be glad to establish one."

Methodist Church School Picnic. The Methodist church Sunday school picnic for all the membership of the church and the Sunday school and their friends is being held this afternoon at the American Legion home on Lake Day. There will be swimming, contests and a basket dinner at 6 o'clock.

Cars will leave the church at 3 o'clock and an evergreen standing in the center of the lot will be asked to bring back. Parents of children from other churches are also invited to bring baskets and help to care for the boys and girls.

Chamber Commerce Elects Directors; Crabtree High Man

Others Nominated and on the Ballot were: Frank Costine, Earl W. Hart, F. S. Jordan, W. M. McFarland, J. M. McCord, S. C. Pardee, Jr., M. V. Fletcher, W. M. Reek, R. F. Sappington and S. S. Thayer.

C. E. Crabtree led the ticket for the election of directors of the chamber of commerce held Thursday. He polled 23 votes. Next came R. B. Brown with 21 votes. The other five elected were: C. E. Lanier, 18 votes; John H. Hood, 16; I. H. Ford, 15; J. L. Wells, 13, and A. C. Wester, 11.

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One of the most important changes is that the waiting period between the date of injury and compensation time has been decreased from fourteen days to four days, Mr. Heaton stated.

He added that employers must also note that the minimum compensation has been raised from four to six dollars a week.

In the case of an injury to a minor who is working in violation of the child labor laws of Florida, the compensation or benefits will be double the amount that would otherwise be payable. In such case, the employer is liable for the increased amount, Mr. Heaton warned.

According to the amendments, every employer is to furnish law devices and equipment and shall use methods and processes reasonably adequate to render such employees the place of employment and place of employment safe for the employees working in such places.

Mr. Heaton added, the industrial commission maintains a safety department to aid and advise employers in installing safety measures and programs. This department is under the direction of R. E. Brown who has had years of experience in safety programs. Programs developed by this department have been tried in effect by many companies and by the entire laundry industry of the State.

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Extensive alterations and improvements are being made in a new store which will be devoted to men's wear exclusively and the other to women's wear and piece goods. New lines will be added and Mr. Wolf promises one of the best stores in this section.

Mrs. Vickery To Travel. Mrs. H. A. Vickery has sold her home, "The Mistletree," at Highland Lakes to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reddick, formerly of Winter Garden. Mrs. Vickery is staying at the Thory house until August 16, when she expects to drive north with Miss Helen Kroll. Miss Kroll will visit in Schenectady, N. Y. and Mrs. Vickery will tour the New England states. Mrs. Vickery will make her home with her son this winter.

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Army Aviator Likes Avon Park Airport

Radio Mechanic First Class, R. F. Felkner of the Third Wing Hqs., Squadron at Barksdale Field, La., dropped down out of the skies Friday for a brief visit with his brother, Ray Felkner. The army plane in which he was riding landed at the airport, left him here and then went on to Punta Gorda.

Felkner complimented Avon Park on the airport and also on the town itself. He said the airport is very good and as for the city, he said he did not blame his brother for settling here and making it his home. He promised to return later for a more extended visit. He left Sunday, picking up his plane on the Gulf Coast.

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C. OF C. DRIVE FOR CLUB HOUSE FUNDS SUCCESS

Winter Guest's Club House Will Be Completed In Near Future

With \$317.00 pledged out of this \$450.00 needed, completion of the Winter Guest's Club House seemed assured this week when the chamber of commerce drive for the necessary funds went over in a big way. The committee, consisting of C. E. Lanier, A. C. Wester and Mayor M. E. Covington got busy Monday and went over the list. Although the amount pledged to date is not all that is necessary for the work, other sources are expected to be available and anyone who was not contacted or overlooked during the drive and wishes to do their part is asked to get in touch with any member of the committee at once.

The drive is possible in 60 days when it is hoped that business conditions in Avon Park will have taken a definite turn.

Those who have promised to contribute to the work include: Florida Public Service Co., C. E. Lanier, A. C. Wester, Smith Hardware Co., St. Stanley Reeves, McFerrin & Smith, J. L. Wells, E. H. Ware, W. E. Crabtree, J. S. Francis, Cash, O. R. P., Mandis Dairy, W. S. Betts, E. G. Todd, R. F. Sappington, E. W. Hart, W. E. Fairbank, Stebbins & Carter, Barnett National Bank, B. & B. Cash Grocery, Dr. W. C. Touchton, Dr. Stanley Reeves, Dr. I. W. Chandler, Alex Cafe, Avon Park Hotel, W. E. Fairbank, W. M. Reek, Dr. G. S. McKnight, D. G. Perry, F. H. Jordan, Dr. A. M. Morgan, H. J. Mummau, G. D. Godwin, W. E. Fairbank, F. W. Shockey, J. R. Teague, J. C. Deshong, T. H. Jordan, J. S. Jordan, J. H. Hood, R. C. Jarrett, F. H. Jordan, David Stacey, C. J. Rapdale, Frank Wolf, L. D. Roberts, W. E. Fairbank, A. O. Kinsey, L. W. Conwell, Ridge Fuel Co., W. E. Fairbank, P. L. Gordon.

Work on completing the building is expected to start in the near future and it will be finished by the time the early visitors arrive. Although called for in the original plans no provision will be made for a trailer camp headquarters as this was petitioned against by two of the women's organizations in the city, they objecting to a trailer camp in Donaldson Park.

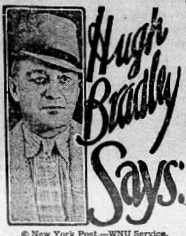
Instructions For Old Pension Applicants

Jacksonville, July 29.—(FNS)—Applicants for old age assistance will greatly facilitate the handling of their applications by furnishing the following information: Welfare cards if they will secure proof of age and residence and present this at the time they apply. It was declared today by C. C. Codrington, state welfare commissioner.

Applicants must present evidence documentary or otherwise that they are sixty-five years of age or over and that they have lived in Florida five years out of the last nine and one year immediately preceding application.

Statements of resources, including income, cash, insurance policies, etc. also should be presented at the time of making application.

"The Social Security Board requires that all these matters be verified by persons who are granted old age assistance and cooperation on the part of applicants in collecting data applying to this work," Mr. Codrington added.



Why Not Give Fans in Smaller Cities Dream Game Break?

The upshot of a lot of listening and noting I did at the recent All-Star game in Washington is that I have an idea. Aside from proving that if a reporter has strong legs and an ear trumpet he can always get places done for the papers this idea is that far better use could be made of baseball's dream game.

Last year Boston, usually a good sports town, failed to sell out for the contest. This year, in Washington, a smaller city not given to making millionaires out of sports promoters, was demanding twice as many tickets as were available. Why? The reason seems to me to be that Washington is a town represented in only one league while Boston can gander at both organizations. Therefore Washington is eager to peer at the Dixie Deans, Hubbells, Mungos, and equally celebrated colleagues who perform their chores in the other circuit.

Similarly, Cincinnati is most interested in getting the game next year when it is the National League's turn to entertain. Then the good burghers will have a chance to peer at Gehrigs, Foxes, Rolfes and other baseball eminences who never previously have stepped down Vine street.

Do you get the idea? Let us get on with the improvement on it. Greater New York, possessed of three big-time teams, can be well pleased with the news that Lou Gehrig's home run and double accounted for four runs and thus beat the National league total single-handed.

There also was a pleasure in the news that Red Rolfe and Bill Dickey were performing as if they were World Series checks were down. That Lefty Gomez did the most accomplished pitching of the afternoon and that ven the longest married folks must now forget Joe Di Maggio's disaster twelve months ago.

Greater New York did not devote too much time to worrying because Carl Hubbell looked like a batting practice pitcher. Neither was there too much repining because Mel Harder ran his total of scoreless pitching innings up to 13 for four All-Star games.

That, to a town with three teams, is as much applause as the additional news that Dixie Dean was pitching like the real Dixie until he ran into Gehrig's homer. Maybe it means the Cards, paced by Joe Medwick, who obtained a cool four hits in five trips to the plate, will more than vex our ambitious Giants later. But, as has been suggested, why should New York worry? New York has three teams and almost every day it can see the nation's best performers.

Therefore New York is used to such things and can take them in a calm, turn-of-the-page stride. But what about the Buffaloes, the Kansas Citys, the Milwaukee, the Baltimore, and other metropolises somewhat off the big-time baseball track?

Most of them are fair-sized cities where baseball occupies a major portion of the two or three pages each paper devotes to sports. When a reporter or player visits one of these towns to give a baseball talk he is almost mobbed by people wanting to talk about the national game.

Yet—in spite of his evidence and in spite of the less well-substantiated reports of recent date concerning increased attendance, baseball is in a bad way in most of these towns. Largely it is in a bad way because the big-league club owners have seldom paid proper attention to these sources of customer and player supply. Of course many of them are represented by farm teams and each year the big-league goes send business representatives to swoop it up for the box office.

But—well, what I was getting at, is why not give these smaller towns a break. Hubbell, Gehrig, Di Maggio, Gehrigs—the list is too long to call the roll but it was a swell show and Washington liked it. What is good enough for Washington should be more of the same for St. Paul, say.

So—big-time gentlemen to whom this piece is mainly dedicated—quit squawking about where you are going to hold your new show. Call what trouble it is. Try it out on the no-called sticks come time.

NOT IN THE BOX SCORE:

THE Dodgers would gladly pay \$100,000 for Joe Medwick if they had the money. Yet, six years ago they could have had the greatest right hand hitter since Rogers Hornsby even if they didn't have the money. That was when he worked out each morning at Ebbets field hoping somebody would give a husky high school kid a chance. Similarly, the Giants blew a swell opportunity to obtain Chicago's Bill Jurgis for nothing. That was when he was clerking for a Williamsburg bank and devoted two weeks of one summer vacation working out at the Polo grounds. . . . A recent racing survey reveals that the more people there are at a track the less money is bet or spent by the average visitor. The reason probably is that the crowding makes it more difficult for visitors to bet or spend.

Spike Webb, former Olympic boxing coach whose navy teams have won so many intercollegiate ring titles, writes from Europe that "This is my seventeenth trip over here and each time I noticed a big improvement in the athletes." . . . Schmeling says he can take Louis in five rounds. . . . A friend reports that Wayne Sabin, Davis Cup team alternate, cleared \$1,000 in expenses last winter. If true, that indicates considerable upturn in the amateur tennis business. Not too long ago it took Berkeley Bell, one of the better financiers in his sponser days, a whole season to achieve a similar profit. . . . Ford Frick, president of the National league, is a diligent stamp collector. . . . Police at Cuban ball parks carry words . . . In Mexico umpires wear ads on their chest protectors and smoke big black cigars during the games.

Sugar Cain of the White Sox and Wes Ferrell of the Senators are rated the best checker players in baseball. . . . It costs London Flight Promoter Critchley \$200 a week to keep Max Baer's public supplied with photographs of the great "He-I" man. Or at least that's what Critchley confides. . . . Managers of losing ball clubs use three times as many pitchers when performing in the home park as they do on the road. They insist the fans squawk so much when a faltering hurler is not removed that this is the only way to convince the customers every effort is being made to win. They also add that such tactics use up pitchers who need rest and so weaken the team's chances. . . . Big Heart, once the favorite pony of Prince Serge Midval, now is the favorite mount in the polo string of Major E. Nichols, first division leader at Fort Hamilton. . . . The Frank (pole writing) Whiles expects a visit from Mr. Stern shortly after which he will get back from the Army-Navy football game.

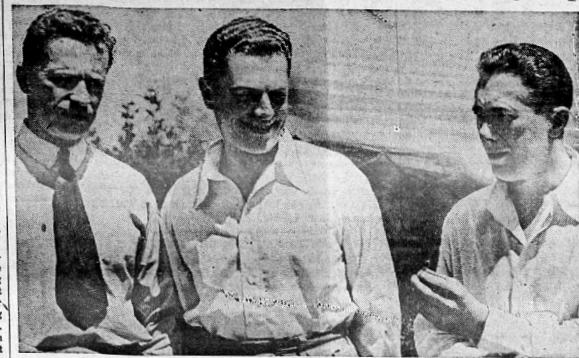
Coaches Fritz Cralier and Johnny Raper are having a merry argument at Princeton. Cralier says the freshmen he coached last fall will provide the greatest sophomore line in Tiger football history. Cralier keeps saying "No." . . . Lloyd Illinois, Hershey amateur hockey player, is to marry Lois Hanlin, daughter of the Wisconsin State Senator. The lady is a Carnegie Tech grad and now medical technologist at Ohio Valley hospital.

Frank Greenberg bet a Boston fan who delights in picking on the Marylander that Jimmy Fox would hit over 20 this year. Then gave the rival first sacker one of his pet bats with which to hit. . . . The recently closed August race meeting showed an increase of 10,000 in attendance over 1936, which is not exactly peanuts at \$2.50 a ticket. . . . Jimmy Fox, John Stretch, Polaro, who used to train Vince Dundee, has just completed ten happy years as secretary to Fight Manager Max Wasmann. . . . Fred adds on these heavyweight championship fights now mentioned in the charitable press—John Foster-Joe Louis, 6 to 5 and take your pick; John Henry-Louis-Joe Louis; Max Schmeling-Joe Louis, Schmeling, 3 to 1; Tommy Farr-Joe Louis, Louis, 6 to 1.

Joe Medwick keeps all the balls he hits into the St. Louis stands now. The assistant bat boy hustles into the bleachers with a new ball to exchange for the original every time he slips one out there. . . . Pro Gaffer Jimmy Hines and the Missus won many a cup for Charleston dancing contests when the step was in style ten years or so ago. . . . Motorcycle racers earn \$15,000 to \$20,000 a year. Have to spend about \$3,000 of this for equipment, since the one cylinder machines cost \$600 and have to be rebuilt after every race. . . . Mickey Haslin will jump out of a Pullman window if you spring an insect or a snake on him all of a sudden.

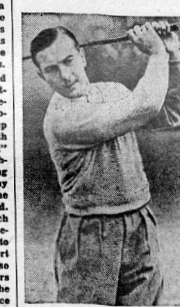
John Drake, Purdue's star half back, is summing in California. . . . The 1937 All-Star baseball game will be played at Yankee stadium as a feature of the world fair. . . . Arky Vaughan, Pirate slugger, originally was a right handed hitter. . . . Wild Bill Cummings, auto's race driver, favors baseball and golf as conditioners for those long grinds. . . . Aubrey Devine, Iowa's former All-American quarterback, has an 11 year old son who is shooting golf consistently in the low 80s. . . . Devine, who assists Howard Johnson in coaching the Southern California football squad, practices low in Los Angeles.

Russian Flyers Feted After Record Breaking Hop



Jubilant after their record-breaking non-stop flight of 6,262 miles from Moscow to a cow pasture near San Jacinto, Calif., three Soviet flyers were feted and congratulated on their remarkable feat. Photograph shows, left to right, Pilot Michael Gromov, Co-Pilot Andrei Yumchev and Navigator Sergei Lantin. The flyers, who were in the air 62 hours and 17 minutes, exceeded the record of the Soviet trans-polar expedition of three weeks previous by nearly 1,000 miles.

BRITISH GOLF ACE



Henry Cotton, who was acclaimed as the new British Open champion at Carnoustie, Scotland, recently, after defeating leading amateur and professionals from all parts of the world.

Swedish Prince and Commoner Bride



Prince Charles, nephew of King Gustaf of Sweden, with his bride, the former Countess Elin von Rosen, pictured soon after their recent wedding in Stockholm. By marrying a commoner, Prince Charles lost his title and prerogatives as a member of the royal family.

Families Pick New Homes as Town Starts Moving



Mayor Fred Howell of Shawneetown, Ill., right, helps Clifford Durham and his family select their new home on the model of the new town. Fourteen hundred citizens are going to move to a new site three miles to the west and 400 feet above sea level. The re-location project, expected to take two years, was undertaken as a result of last winter's floods that completely inundated the community.

Air, Not Water, Is His Province



He looks like a deep-sea diver about to go down, but instead, he's an aviator about to go up. This is Flight Lieut. M. J. Adam of the British royal flying corps, being fitted with a special high altitude pressure suit before his recent attempt at a high altitude record. Lieut. Adam reached a height of 53,977 feet, setting a new high altitude record.

AIRPLANE BICYCLE



The addition of a propeller which controls the speed of his streamlined "aerocycle" makes it possible for Dominick Dwyne of Chicago to drive his bicycle at the rate of 65 miles per hour.

Sheer Wools in Summer Wardrobe

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



Fancy shadow weaves, fascinating bright prints and embroidery motifs are cleverly emphasized by simple styling. Sheer monotoons and self-finished weaves vie with hard-twisted worsteds for first place in the tailored scene.

The adaptability of sheer wool knits is well illustrated in the slim short-sleeved frock shown to the left in the picture. The material for this dress is a featherweight angora knit in pearl gray with distinctive two-toned bands in brown and maize inserted in bolero effect in the blouse and edging the sleeves and skirt hem. The smart shirt-waist closing below a rounded collar neck is finished with a row of composition buttons in maize. A deep inverted pleat in the skirt front gives plenty of action freedom.

As pictured to the right, close knit wool jersey in chic navy blue makes a stunning and versatile frock for sports or spectator wear. Cut on flattering princess lines with a full-length front buttoned closing, it is cool and practical. Sleeves are full and short and neckline is high. Men's tie silk in red, navy and white tri-color patterning is interesting trimming. Note how attractively it is employed to outline two large, angular pockets and the round yoke treatment below a trim tailored neck.

A stunning color combination distinguishes the luxuriously tailored dress and redingote ensemble of sheer wool centered in the group. Tucked treatment in hold chevron patterning accents the high-throated neckline. The dusty rose dress is topped by a full length redingote in a light olive green. Double flap hip pockets and scissor-sharp lapels are nice details.

Wool knits, light as a feather and luxuriously soft to the touch, make charming and supremely correct sports frocks. Whether you are an agile golfer or simply a deck lounge your wool knit costume will give you a joyful feeling of freedom to take your fun as you find it. Both pastel and darker shades are too smart for sports and clever designs vary from one-piece classic styles to two-piece and jacket costumes that may be ensembled with a variety of blouses and accessories. Zephyr knits, soft wool jerseys and fine featherweight angoras are cool and comfortable, and lacy weaves in lightweight wool are unusually interesting.

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SHIRTMAKER FROCKS IN COTTON, LINENS

Summertime means shirtmaker frocks, and this year's crop of shirtmakers is smarter and more distinguished than ever.

Cotton, linen and silk are used to fashion under frocks that are good for most occasions in the summer scene, especially out-of-town. New and diversified necklines bring novelty to some of the models.

Smart is a shirtmaker frock with a collarless neckline marked by tucking. The tucks continue all the way down the button-up-the-front closing.

The classic frock in striped silk is always good, as is the model in pure silk that tucks beautifully. A grand model is in dotted silk and has a frayed front with enclosed zipper.

Decorative Zippers Now Used in Variety of Ways

New jeweled zippers are now being shown in use on women's wear, for fastening sweaters, bathing suits, gloves, hand bags and many other purposes. The new zippers are bound on colored tape and spaced at frequent intervals with various colored catkin ornaments resembling novelty buttons. When the zipper is closed the catkin ornaments take the place of buttons. When opened the ornaments assemble at the base of the zipper with the effect of being in a continuous piece.

Multi-Colored Accent

While shantung makes a summer costume with a front yoke of multicolored striped application. The same bright stripes—reds, used on the pockets of the short white shantung jacket.

Chinle for Evening

Quilted chinle is used for summer evening gowns.

IT'S HAND KNIT

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



Just imagine the joy, not to forget the comfort in wearing, any little girl will find in owning such a cute peasant hand knit dress as this. When all other frocks in little miss's wardrobe fail, better look to this or that for a practical day, there just isn't anything to equal a dress knit of knicker-chen, as is the model pictured. Looks not too dressy but is dressy enough, washes perfectly and is pretty in dark colors or in the charming pastels as you may choose. Doesn't take long at all to knit the cunning model pictured and the yarn costs very little. Note that it has no belt, the dress falling in a graceful princess line from the shoulders, which makes it very stylish.

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State Press Comment

WHAT DOES ONE WANT CITRUS COMMISSION TO DO?

If Governor Cone had set out deliberately to keep the members on tenter hooks and generally obfuscate the situation for the whole industry, he could hardly have succeeded better than he has by his ambiguous course to date.

By first demanding that the members of the Commission make no commitments of any sort for the coming year until he had an opportunity to confer with them in person at Lakeland two weeks ago last Monday; then assuming a testy and suspicious attitude in their presence and requesting a full report on their plans and purposes, which, when received, he complained he had not time to read and digest; next, writing a letter that was so vague and indefinite that it was interpreted by the commissioners, perhaps through wishful thinking, as a general order to go ahead, only to be brought up short with an executive telegram saying his words had been misunderstood and he was not satisfied and still wanted no commitments made—by such backing and filling Governor Cone has made it impossible for the Commission to proceed with the work of organizing for the orderly handling of the now ripening citrus crop.

For the sake of this most important industry in Florida and the welfare of the State generally, it is time that Governor Cone should make himself clear and do it immediately. He is doing immense injury to the citrus industry and every day's delay increases that damage.

On the day of the Lakeland meeting with the Governor the six members whose terms expire in September were advised that the only way to get a showdown was to offer their resignations to the Governor at once and thus force the issue. But instead they decided to temporize in the hope that Mr. Cone would see the wisdom of keeping hands off an organization which had made such a conspicuously successful record in bringing order out of the chaos existing before it began to function.

Governor Cone in his latest telegram of yesterday now says that he regards himself as responsible for the success of the commission and "its importance to the citrus industry of Florida makes it imperative for me to ask you not to make any future commitments or decide on any policies that will extend past September 10," which is the date when the six commissioners go out of office.

Naturally enough, the commissioners have had to throw up their hands and call for a showdown. If nothing is done between now and September 10, the delay will unquestionably hurt, and hurt a lot. Mr. Cone's obvious unfamiliarity with the details involved in setting up a great advertising program and a marketing plan that will operate throughout the season probably leave him unaware of the need for clarity in making up his mind what he wishes the commission to do. If he wants the six members to get out so that he can appoint their successors now and take control, he ought to come straight out and say so. Then he would have directly assumed the responsibility he evidently seeks, regardless of the ill effects his interference is causing. If he is not so minded, he should make that plain.

The whole attitude of the Governor smells too much of politics in a situation where politics is distinctly out of order.—Tampa Times.

"CLOSED SHOP" UNLAWFUL.

"According to a decision just handed down by Vice-Chancellor Berry in the Chancery Court in New Jersey the closed shop is unlawful, as is a contract that provides for it, and picketing to accomplish that purpose," says the Hartford Courant. "The decision followed a hearing on temporary injunction granted to restrain picketing at a plant in Newark where 150 members of the American Federation of Labor have been on strike for the last three weeks to force a closed shop." The Courant goes on to discuss the court action and what led up to it, in part, as follows:

The court attributed the tactics pursued by the strikers to the "so-called liberalism of some of our courts in labor disputes, a policy that will eventually bring its own retribution—the inevitable consequence of intimidation, violence and the general disregard of the rights of others incident to mob rule." The Vice-Chancellor saw liberty judicially lost by "unwarranted decisions." Within the last five years, he said, "more constitutional rights have been sacrificed by supine, tolerant and vacillating authority than can be regained by a century of reaction."

He perhaps had in mind the sit-down strikes, notably in Michigan, where property was unlawfully seized, court orders against the trespassers defied and the forces of law and order flouted. He perhaps had in mind the spectacle of the Governor of Pennsylvania using armed troops of the State to prevent men from exercising their right to work. He perhaps had in mind the mischief-making statement of the Secretary of Labor that the quality of the sit-down strike had yet to be determined. He perhaps had in mind the apologetic attitude of the Postoffice Department toward interference by strikers with the mails. He perhaps also had in mind the complete indifference of the whole Washington administration toward acts of violence that obstructed the free movement of interstate commerce.

It is further remarked, however, that Vice-Chancellor Berry expressed his own opinion in the circumstances and added to other findings a citation from the United States Supreme Court, in a decision handed down in 1932, as follows: "Whatever strikers may hope for in this country every owner of property may work it as he will, by whom he

pleases at such wages and upon such terms as he can make; and every laborer may work for whom he pleases; and neither can dictate to the other how he shall use his own, whether property, time or skill."

This must be admitted by all fair-minded, intelligent people, as sound doctrine, in 1892 and in 1937. No matter in what walk the laborer: whether wearing overalls at his work, or white collar and tie, he is surely "worthy of his hire," and is entitled, under the Constitution of the United States to work where he wills, when and how. He has a right to labor and earn his bread, and to sell his handiwork or his brainwork on terms satisfactory to himself—he is promised in this country the freedom to follow his inclination and is not required to join any organization at all, in order to be protected in his activities so long as they are not violative of any law.

The American citizen has a right to expect protection from interference wherever he may be pursuing an honest, lawful course, and when this is denied him there is reason for indignation and protest. The people of the United States expect the Government to stand between the citizen and any force undertaking by threats, interference, intimidation, or coercion, to force the affiliation with any organization of any kind.

Any attempt made by any group or organization, to force men to come to "join" with it for any purpose whatever, is wrong. The American citizen is a free man or woman, and the hand raised against one of these by organizations or members of organizations, seeking to drive them into or away from anywhere that they have a right to go is wrong. This "closed shop" is illegal. There is no doubt about it.—Jacksonville Times-Union.

ON GUARD, FLORIDA!

Because the Lewis Committee for Industrial Organization is slacking its hold on Northern industry in the face of an aroused public opposition, Florida cannot take it for granted this state will escape the rebel labor leader's influence.

Already, we are told, the CIO has made plans for organizing the workers who attend Florida's great citrus crop. Once in control, the Lewis faction might be able at a moment's notice to shut off shipping of this perishable crop just when growers could not afford to risk a finish fight.

At Charles Francis Coo, the noted author, told Orlando Junior Chamber of Commerce members the other day:

"We have been forewarned. Now is the time to act. I plead with you men to serve your country in this critical time. I want my country back again. You want it back. Thugs and racketeers are rapidly taking possession. It is time to act."

Anyone who has watched the great golden crop of citrus moving to market in the winter and spring will know what a sit-down strike in the groves and packing houses would do. It would make the devastation of the eradicator of the mythical Mediterranean fruit fly look like a gentle zephyr stirring the leaves, by comparison. No single thing could strike the financial nerves of this state such a paralyzing blow as Lewis tactics employed to bend the citrus industry to his will.

Following that would be the organizing and shutting out of hotel and resort services, waiters, bagmen, maids and servants. A preliminary assault upon Florida already has flared up in West Palm Beach with the unionization of common laborers. What happened there can happen elsewhere.

Now is the time to take care that the Lewis poison does not kill the spirit of enterprise in Florida, as have watched it do in the industrial centers of the North. Unless the citizens of Florida make this labor unrest the object of their unwavering watch, Florida is likely to wake up some morning to find the Memorial day massacre being re-enacted in the sun-splashed streets of her fairest cities.—Miami Herald.

"ENEMY."

The Tampa Tribune recently carried a picture of a young man proudly displaying a 10-foot dead alligator that he had shot. The hunter promised to return and get a larger 'gator that he had also seen when he made his first kill.

This is the type of thoughtless destruction responsible for the depletion of game fish in Florida. The alligator is the best conservation agent this state can have. But so long as irresponsible hunters can kill them on sight, Florida will not be able to maintain a normal game fish supply.

The alligator is protected in a few counties. A bill to make that protection state-wide was lost in the last legislative session because dealers in reptiles and in live 'gators feared to lose their profits.

The state might well license reputable displays of these creatures, and permit a normal traffic in hides. But it must soon clamp down on the indiscriminate killing of 'gators just for the "fun" of killing some wild creature.

The young Tampan who so proudly displays his kill is a much greater enemy to conservation than is the victim of his aim.—Miami Herald.

UGHT TO BE DEFEATED.

Etternal vigilance, it is said, is the price of liberty. Etternal and careful vigilance is necessary, now, to protect the American people from their congress, which is bent on creating more and more bureaus with which to interfere in the private business affairs of the people.

There is a bill now before congress that should be shelved carefully and if it full attention be paid to the readings of the bill, the country should voice vigorous opposition to its passage.

The proposed law, first of all, creates a new bureau to add to the hundreds that have been added on the country and which hamper the progress and the prosperity of the people.

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This proposed legislation, sponsored and urged by

Senator Rusk and Congressman Connerly, will affect every establishment throughout the country which employs men and women abroad in any capacity.

Florida is interested in this bill because it would affect canning plants, fruit-packing plants, vegetable packers, small manufacturers, merchants and an business men who employ labor, all of whom would be regulated by the proposed federal board.

The adoption of the law will, inevitably, increase the cost of production in every field and will crowd out from many industries the small manufacturer who cannot meet competition if his costs are materially increased.

The bill ought to be defeated because it increases the power of the federal bureaus, works an injury to thousands of businessmen and is another milestone on the way of complete assumption of control of the people by the central government at Washington.—Miami Herald.

TAX SYSTEM REVISION.

In the last legislature there was a majority in favor of submitting a proposal to the people that would have brought about revision of Florida's ad valorem tax system. Recently Carl P. Weidling, of a majority to get the proposal on the ballot, as it requires a two-thirds vote of both houses to submit a constitutional amendment.

Now, with the session of the legislature past history and its actions very much the subject of current comment, the imperfections in the ad valorem tax system have been brought into sharp relief by the controversy raging over the tax redemption law.

It is being pointed out, and with considerable evidence to support the contention, that the new law, which permits the wiping out of past due taxes for a fraction of the amount levied against delinquent properties, that the prompt payer is being discriminated against when these compromise adjustments are permitted. But there has been little attention given to the evils of the system which has brought about the condition responsible for the Murphy bill and other legislation of like character, all designed to bring back to a revenue paying basis the 17-million odd acres of land which has gone back to the state for non-payment.

The proposal to do away with the ad valorem method of taxation was sponsored in Tallahassee this spring by the Florida Tax Revision League, which was charged with trying to exempt real property from all taxation. Recently Carl P. Weidling, of Fort Lauderdale, newly-elected president of the league, has issued a statement in answering critics of the league, in which he says:

"The facts are the league desires only that ad valorem methods of taxing property be abolished and that our entire tax system be revised to require property owners and all other citizens of the state to pay their equitable share of the cost of state and local government. This would result in a drastic reduction in governmental cost."

The league's contention is that the ad valorem system places a disproportionate burden on the rich, in that the latest type home, sharp, hard and noisy, is taxed the same as the old-fashioned, slow and regular are penalized. The cause back of enactment of the Murphy bill and its effect in operation shows to what extent the ad valorem system has broken down and the penalizing effect of that breakdown on the real estate owner who keeps his taxes paid.

Foreshadowing another legislative session the league will succeed in getting across its theory that abolition of the ad valorem levy doesn't mean that real estate will cease to pay taxes, but that under some satisfactory substitute it can be made to pay on a more equitable basis.—Ocala Star.

A TAX ON THRIFT

After all the property owner is the most defenseless person in this country. Each year regardless of whether he derives any income from his property he must pay a stipulated amount of taxes. Those who own no property on which to pay taxes may as often as they choose, vote additional taxes against his property. If he paints or improves and adds to the appearance of the town his taxes are correspondingly raised.

When we place so great a tax on property we are placing the heavier burden on thrift. A sales tax, one that would do away with all nuisance taxes and partially relieve real estate, would place the greater burden on the spendthrift.—Eustis Lake Region.

From a recent address to doctors by Dr. Richard Cabot, renowned Boston physician: "THE BODY HAS A SUPERIOR WISDOM AND FORCE WHICH ARE BIASSED IN FAVOR OF LIFE RATHER THAN DEATH. WHAT IS THIS FORCE? IT IS GOD, THE HEALING POWER WHICH SUPPLIES 90 PERCENT OF RECOVERY." All honor to a great physician-scientist who can look beyond Science to "THOU, FROM WHOM ALL SCIENCE FLOWS," and is not too proud or egotistical to acknowledge Him.—Winter Haven Chief.

THE PUBLIC FORUM

THIS BOY PROBLEM.

My boy seems to be more interested in handies and gangster than he is in more important things. I imagine this is also true as to the majority of modern boys. These days, boys between the ages of eight and twelve seem to know more about the life of such characters as John Dillinger, Pretty Boy Floyd and Baby Face Nelson, than they know or care about Lincoln, Washington, Lee and many other of our noble men. Now just why is that? Every mother and father knows this is a bad condition. What can they do about it?

Of course, I know that back in 1900 the boys would sneak out back of the wood-shed and read the adventures of Nick Carter. But these days, so forth and would be liable to punishment of some kind if caught by their parents. However, these magazines were entirely different and did not cause the unfavorable reaction that I think is caused by the gangster type books that can now be purchased at just about any news stand.

Just the other day three boys in our neighborhood were having a heated argument and ran to me for a decision. The argument was as to how many men Dillinger had killed. Apparently they give more thoughts to Dillinger than to a good character such as Tarzan because Dillinger actually lived while Tarzan merely lives in the imagination.

I believe that this condition is increased by the gangster pictures that are occasionally shown in the

movies. And in connection I recently read that England and several other European countries had banned gangster pictures because of the bad effect they might have on the younger generation. I contend that England made a wise ruling.

Statistics prove that fifty percent of our crimes are committed by boys between the ages of fifteen and twenty-one. Now don't let us have the mistaken impression that all these youthful criminals are developed because of bad home conditions or poverty. To the contrary, many of them come from modest and well-to-do families where surroundings and living conditions have been normal and healthy.

It is my humble opinion that all we parents are permitting our boys to over-do this business of toy pistols. I confess that my boy must have had a dozen or more cap pistols since he was five years old. And, this has been more or less true to his playmates. As a usual thing when three or four boys are playing for the first few weeks after Christmas it will be noted that each will have a cap pistol of some kind hanging on his hip. And, oh what a time they have holding up banks and shooting gangsters. It's all wrong. Why, at Christmas time you can go in most any big store and find three or four different types of tin MACHINE GUNS that shoot sparks and make quite a rattle.

Of course, with the right kind of association and training the boys soon out-grow the thoughts of bad habits I am referring to, but it is apparent from police records that all of them do not.

I feel that something should be done to correct these conditions.

A FATHER.

AUTOMOBILE HORN.

Dear Mr. Editor:

Since you seem to have an open Forum, I respectfully submit this thought. To begin with please let it be understood that I have reference to no one in particular. Furthermore, the condition I refer to has not and does not worry me. I am writing this note because I believe it is a good point in which many will agree who live in the cities.

I refer to the thoughtless habit that some of us have of blowing our auto horn in order to call some friend out of their house. I admit that this is a natural habit and perhaps a time-saver. However, I am afraid that we don't always stop to consider that it is often times inconvenient and irritating to our neighbors. Just try it sometime—select a street that is well built up with residences and most any time of day drive up and give your horn a good healthy "toot." Then watch and see how many people in the different houses jump up and peek out of the windows or front doors to see if the call is for them.

Also, there may be cases where there is a sick person in the neighborhood. If this sick person is sick and perhaps nervous and irritable, it doesn't help them any to suddenly hear the blast from some of these new-fangled auto horns. And, incidentally, even the latest type horns sharp, hard and noisy, in that they are so loud and so abrupt and so regular are penalized. The cause back of enactment of the Murphy bill and its effect in operation shows to what extent the ad valorem system has broken down and the penalizing effect of that breakdown on the real estate owner who keeps his taxes paid.

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A CITIZEN.

THESE MODERN DANCES.

Dance customs have certainly changed during the past twenty-five years. Back in 1912 all dances were program affairs. It was the unwritten law, or custom that the escort must see to it that his lady must never "sit-out" a dance. If other words he should see to it that he would look for her every dance. Upon arrival at the dance he would be given a program with spaces for about twenty-five dances. He would immediately book himself for the first and last dances and three or four inter-mediate dances. Then he would look up other escorts and "trade" dances with them, being always careful to select the best and most attractive dancers for himself and also good dancers for his partner. The lady had very little to say about it because in those days the ladies didn't have the vote and men were men. As a rule the dances would commence at around eight thirty and end at midnight. The last dance piece would be "Home Sweet Home" and the man who failed to have this one with his partner was liable to lose his best girl and was sure to get a balling out from his wife.

Things have changed. Now a dance is a happy go lucky and hit and miss proposition. There are no programs and even though most dances are scheduled for nine p. m. the majority of the crowd shows up well after ten and leave around two a. m. The male escorts usually have the first dance with their partners and after that see them at intervals. The ladies have given up being "terribly embarrassed" when they miss a dance partner and even the poor husbands have a good time until they get back home when the wives invariably give them a stiff lecture about the way they acted. Every husband has to go through this. They are also accustomed to receiving a lecture, and making a lotta promises, just before they leave for the dance. It is unwritten law that they forget the lecture and their promises immediately after having the first dance with their wives.

There is another peculiar thing about these modern husbands-viz, they seem to spend so little time on the dance floor and so much time out on the lawn or sitting in their cars talking with other men. It is my opinion that they are making business contacts and doing some of the most important of the crowd show up well after ten and leave around two a. m. The male escorts usually have the first dance with their partners and after that see them at intervals. The ladies have given up being "terribly embarrassed" when they miss a dance partner and even the poor husbands have a good time until they get back home when the wives invariably give them a stiff lecture about the way they acted. Every husband has to go through this. They are also accustomed to receiving a lecture, and making a lotta promises, just before they leave for the dance. It is unwritten law that they forget the lecture and their promises immediately after having the first dance with their wives.

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Very few husbands are present to dance "Home Sweet Home" with their wives. There are two reasons for this. First, most of them don't know "Home Sweet Home" from "The Star Spangled Banner" and second, the majority of them are usually "out on the lawn" when the piece is played.

It is quite noticeable that husbands, especially those over forty years of age, are usually full of pep and anxious to dance with everyone as soon as they are permitted, but towards the last half of the dance most of them seem to be on a flat tire and to have very little desire to dance.

AN OBSERVER.

Growers Form Organization

Earl Hartt One of Committee Of 11 Named To Handle Citrus Problems

Winter Haven, July 29, (FNS)—Florida citrus growers asserted themselves this week and gave independent voice to their desires with regard to a new marketing agreement by becoming the central committee for the citrus industry and the proposal carried with it a recommendation that a majority of growers be appointed to the control committee. The committee of 11 would appoint grower members and shippers would name their representatives.

The committee decided to hold regular monthly meetings rotating them among cities in their citrus districts, as follows: Lakeland, August; Tampa, September; Leesburg, October; Ft. Pierce, November; Ft. Myers, December; Winter Haven, January; Deland, February; and Orlando, March. The schedule to be reported after completion.

In perfecting its organization, the committee selected F. T. Laird, Lakeland, chairman; E. B. Porter, Winter Haven and J. A. Scarlett, Deland, vice chairmen; A. F. Pickard, Lakeland, Sec.-Treas. After the meeting Laird of the Florida Horticultural Society, which sponsored the meeting, said: "The committee is well fortified with men of experience. Mr. Young was a member of the first two control committees, while Mr. Hartt is at present a member of the Florida Citrus Commission and also was a member of the last control committee."

The eleven men serving on the committee are as follows: W. E. Cooney, Tampa; F. T. Laird, Lakeland; J. A. Scarlett, Deland; T. C. Hawthorn, Ocoee; A. W. Young, Fort Belcher; Earl W. Hartt, Avon Park; P. R. Porter, Winter Haven; A. F. Pickard, Lakeland; John F. Kerr, White City, with two additional yet to be selected.

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Lovely Dance at Lake Byrd Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Betts, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Garber, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hartt and Dr. and Mrs. Stanley N. Reeves entertained Friday evening at Lake Byrd Lodge with a barn dance honoring Miss Anna Foster and E. L. Roberts, whose wedding will be a social event of August 1st.

The lodge was artistically decorated with moss and bamboo, providing a rustic setting for the occasion.

"Encores and the Rascals" furnished music for dancing. A set of Florida glassware was presented to the honor guests in a very unique manner by their friends attending the dance.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Dalton and little son, and their guest, Herchel Dalton, of Memphis, Tenn., motored to Lake Wales Monday afternoon.

Complete Plans for Foster-Roberts Wedding August 5 Are Announced

Arrangements for the wedding of Miss Anna Foster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Foster and Everett Lee Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Everett Roberts of Kissimmee, were announced Wednesday.

The wedding will take place Thursday evening, August 5, at 8:30 o'clock at the First Baptist Church. The Rev. Jack P. Dalton, pastor, will officiate.

The bride will be attended by her cousin, Miss Eleanor Lawhon of Union, S. C. as maid of honor, Miss Lila Martin Hetherington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hetherington, will be flower girl and David Foster, brother of the bride, will be ring bearer.

Mr. Roberts will be attended by William Prather of Kissimmee, as best man. Groomsman will be Raleigh and Marion Foster, brothers of the bride.

A program of nuptial music will be given, preceding the ceremony, by Miss Virginia Baldwin, pianist; Mrs. Curtis Lawhon, aunt of the bride, violinist; soloist, John Crosby of Kissimmee; Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Garber, duet.

The ceremony will be held at the home of the bride, corner Verona Circle and Verona Avenue immediately after the ceremony for relatives and close friends of the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crabtree the weekend-end at Daytona Beach.

Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Morgan and daughter, Nancy, will spend the weekend-end in Tampa.

L. D. Lockett of Cocoa, had his tonnage removed Saturday at Dr. Touchton's hospital.

Woodson Sadler returned Saturday after a visit with friends and relatives in Birmingham, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Coleman of Riverside, Cal. spent several days this week at the Jacaranda Hotel.

A. B. Wells returned Wednesday after a visit to Cleveland, Ohio, Toronto, Ontario and other northern cities.

Mrs. Harriet Smith left this morning for Alean, Mich., being called there on account of a death in the family.

D. H. Bowman and daughter Lucille, Mary Louise Stewart and Mrs. Jessie Baggan and son, Pete, spent Monday in Tampa.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Daly are expected home this week-end after a visit through the mountains of North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McCord, Mrs. H. A. Vickery and Blanche and Mrs. Martha McCord were in Orlando Monday for the day.

Mrs. N. S. Brown and a grand daughter, Miss Nancy Stone of Chattanooga, Tenn. are spending a week at the Jacaranda Hotel.

Dr. and Mrs. I. W. Chandler and daughter, Elizabeth and Virginia left Friday morning for Jacksonville for a visit of several days.

Ed. Wilder and A. V. Anderson left Tampa Thursday afternoon by boat for New Orleans where they will spend a two weeks vacation.

Mrs. Charles Myers returned Saturday from Gainesville where he had been attending summer school at the University of Florida.

Hershel Dalton has returned to his home in Memphis, Tenn. after a visit of a week here with his brother, Rev. J. P. Dalton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Garber, Gloria and John Garber, Miss Carol Clayton and Harold Clayton spent Thursday in Clearwater.

Mrs. P. L. Rumsa, Miss Helen Kroll, Mrs. George Shultz, Mrs. E. P. Loomis and Mrs. Mary Loomis spent Monday very pleasantly in Tampa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Allison left Thursday for Tennessee and Kentucky and plan to be gone for about a month, combining business with pleasure.

Mrs. Milton Dilley and children have returned home after a week's visit in Cocoa. Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Lockett and daughter, Dorothy, accompanied them.

Miss Helen Lawhon and Miss Eleanor Lawhon of Union, S. C. are visiting their aunt, Mrs. M. M. Foster and their grandmother, Mrs. Anna Lawhon.

Misses Peggy and Carol Clayton of Dayton, Ohio, spent several days this week in Avon Park, the guests of their aunt, Mrs. Paul Garber and Mr. Garber.

Mrs. Clyde Shahan of Rome, Ga. and Miss Mary Bradshaw of Carrollville, Ga. have returned to their homes after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Maxwell.

Mrs. Reece Bass returned to her home Wednesday after a visit of several days in Okeechobee, her nephews, Raule and Al Raulerson, returned with her for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Lockett and daughter, Dorothy, returned to their home in Cocoa Wednesday afternoon after several days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Milford Dilley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hood and children, Winifred, Bill and Harry, Mrs. Harry Dilley and Mrs. Pearl Spink left Thursday for Fort Myers Beach for a ten day vacation.

Mrs. Roland Drott and little son, Roland, Raleigh Childress and Mrs. T. W. V. Lofton of Lake Placid left Sunday for Outhbert, Ga. for a visit of several weeks with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Ford have had their guests, Mr. Ford's uncle, Floyd Ford and Otha Ford, and Mr. and Mrs. T. Stovall of Greenville, Ky. They plan to be here for a week.

Harold Clayton of Dayton, Ohio arrived Wednesday to join his daughters, who have been the guests of their aunt, Mrs. Paul Garber. They expect to return to their home today.

Mrs. Charles Clements and children, Evelyn, Cecil, Jane, Mary and John, returned home last Thursday, after a visit of several weeks with relatives in Louisiana and Alabama.

Judge and Mrs. D. V. Rouse and son, Bobby, of Orlando, spent the weekend-end in Avon Park. Miss Alva Rouse, who has been the guest of Miss Nancy Morgan for the past several weeks, accompanied them home.

Miss Ruth Edwards, H. L. Bishop, Bud Clark and Miss Edelle Douglas of Bradenton Beach, Miss Douglas accompanied them home and will be the guest of Miss Edwards for two weeks.

Harmon Jones of Winter Haven, who has been attending the Lions convention in Chicago, was an overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gregory Wednesday. Mrs. Jones who has been the guest of Mrs. Gregory for the past ten days, accompanied him to their home in Winter Haven Thursday.

BY AND FOR THE S-C-O-U-T-S

THE SCOUT MASTER SAYS: That just as he gets his Troop in tip-top shape, along comes Mom and Pop and takes Sonny to another city or town. First there was the famous Hook Brothers, who the committee had such a hard time getting their names straight, as they seemed to be before the Scout of honor at each session.

Bill goes up, so Randolph goes too, to keep up with him. Then there was R. H. Tull, who was almost as short as he couldn't read the sign.

Bad Patterson too, who was mad at the city for building the side walk so close to him. Then there was Card Cogdill, who never has much to say, and last, but not least, comes Sonny Skipper, who was always in a hurry for meeting to end, the mystery was great until it was discovered that one of Uncle Walter's beautiful daughters was getting his attention.

So you see folks, we almost had a half troop left, and it starts all over again. We sure hope that everybody has moved that is going to move.

Mrs. J. C. Balkom and children, Jessie Mildred and Ralph Balkom, Miss Ethel Bethea of Blakey, Ga. and Mrs. C. P. Roberts of Georgia, are spending several days in Avon Park the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Pendleton and family. Miss Tommie Lee Jones who has been their guest for the past two months, accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Novell Barwick and young son of Miami, former Avon Park residents, arrived Friday last week for a visit of several days with relatives and a week at the Jacaranda Hotel.

J. W. Dawson, Jr. and Miss Lillian Bost who have been visiting in Miami, Mr. Barwick is connected with the radio broadcasting station at Miami in an engineering capacity.

Four Fast Steppers In Musical Picture

Nimble feet seem to be one of the surest methods of climbing the ladder of success.

No less than four of the principals in "Ready, Willing and Able," Warner Bros. comedy with music at the Park Theatre to be on next Monday and Tuesday, owe their picture careers to their ability to shake their heels.

Ruby Keeler, co-star of the film with Lee Dixon heads the list of those who have danced their way to fame. Ruby, stamping out modestly in a pair of borrowed dancing shoes in a chorus, has tapped her way into the millionaire class.

Carol Hughes, sprightly young ingenue who is fast making a name for herself before the cameras, began dancing professionally in Chicago at the age of fourteen, and after a career in vaudeville gravitated to Hollywood.

There she was seen dancing in a musical comedy, and received a screen test at Warners. Since then she's been in eight pictures, and is going strong. She does her first screen dance number in "Ready, Willing and Able."

Lee Dixon, whose rapid-fire tapping almost set the stage on fire when he made it screen debut in "The Gold Diggers of 1937," has only been dancing a few years, but he is almost at the top in his line already.

Allen Jenkins, the frozen-faced comedian who usually plays gangster roles but in "Ready, Willing and Able," is seen as a chiseling theatrical agent, made his theatrical debut as one of the "gen teelers of the ensemble."

With the phenomenal success of Fred Astaire, Eleanor Powell, Ginger Rogers, Bill Robinson and others, due to their nimble footwork, and four members of the cast of "Ready, Willing and Able" owing their careers to dancing, it seems to be one of the surest methods of building a career in pictures these days.

Deposits In State Banks Increasing

Tallahassee, July 28.—(FNS)—Comptroller J. M. Lee announced a 15 percent increase in state bank deposits over the corresponding period a year ago. The semi-annual statement of 199 banks and trust companies showed total assets of \$50,502,545, up 16.66 percent over June 30, 1936. Individual deposits totaled \$48,806,382, savings deposits \$19,278,500. Their aggregate was 15.25 percent higher than on June 30, 1936.

College President Coming.

Prof. A. B. Mackay, president of Trevecca Nazarene College, Nashville, Tenn., will speak at the Nazarene church here Tuesday evening, August 3, at 7:45. He will be accompanied by a male quartette who will render a number of selections. The public is cordially invited to attend.

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Communion Service. League, 7 p. m. Preaching, 8 p. m. Subject: "The Tonic of Joy."

At 9 p. m., "Vacation Bible School Exhibit."

Thursday, 7:45, Prayer meeting. Thursday, 7:30 p. m., Choir rehearsal.

Join our choir. W. C. Fountain, Pastor.

Episcopal Church

Services at the Episcopal church of the Redeemer on Sunday morning will be as follows: Low mass at 7:30, Holy Baptism at 10:30, mass and sermon at 11:30.

Everyone is welcome to attend these services, all of which will be conducted by the Rev. Richard I. Brown.

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Dr. and Mrs. A. R. Clark and family returned this week from a two weeks vacation spent at Asheville and Waynesville, N. C. visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Edwards and Paul Rimes left Monday for Detroit, on a business trip for the Wells Motor Co.

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CIRCLE THEATRE

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MONDAY AND TUESDAY, AUGUST 2 and 3 PAT O'BRIEN SYBIL JASON

"The Great O'Malley"

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 4th. GEORGE BANCROFT HELEN BURGESS

"A Doctor's Diary"

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY AUGUST 5 and 6 WARREN WILLIAM MARY CORRELL

"Midnight Madonna"

SATURDAY, AUGUST 7 "Secret Valley" Also Chapter 3 of "PAINTED STALLION"

COMING: "THIS IS MY AFFAIR" "I MET HIM IN PARIS" "WEE WILLIE WINKLE"

Mrs. Gilmour Hostess to Bridge Club.

Mrs. Alexander Gilmour entertained the members of her bridge club and several guests Tuesday afternoon at her lovely new home, east of town.

Summer flowers were used in decorating the room.

Mrs. W. H. Kempton held high score for club members and Mrs. H. E. Godwin, high for guests.

Those present were: W. H. Yates, Mrs. Olive Anderson, Mrs. Lula Bass, Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. J. B. Hart, Mrs. S. Y. Hart, Mrs. M. E. Covington, Mrs. Georgia Voorhees, Mrs. H. E. Godwin, Mrs. G. S. McKnight, Mrs. P. Thayer and Mrs. C. H. Pardee.

Refreshments of pineapple sherbet in pineapple shells, cake and candies were served.

Mrs. Vickery Hostess to Bridge Club.

Mrs. H. A. Vickery most delightfully entertained members of her bridge club at Touchton's Drug store Thursday afternoon. Vases of roses were used in decorating.

High score prizes were presented to Mrs. C. A. Clark and Mrs. Georgia Voorhees.

A tempting dessert course was served at the conclusion of the card game.

Present were: Mrs. Ola Head, Mrs. Katherine Bristol, Mrs. C. A. Clark, Mrs. J. B. Rogers, Mrs. S. McKnight, Mrs. Y. Hart, Mrs. Lula Bass, Mrs. Georgia Voorhees, Mrs. Norton Smith, Mrs. J. B. Hart and Mrs. Olive Anderson.

Mrs. Adams Hostess to Circle Two.

Circle Two of the Missionary society of the Baptist church met Monday at the home of Mrs. R. L. Adams.

Mrs. J. D. Sherman was in charge of the business session and Mrs. David Stuckey taught the lesson for the day.

Delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following members present: Mrs. D. H. Bowman, Mrs. Otto Foster, Mrs. David Stuckey, Mrs. J. D. Sherman and Mrs. F. M. Martin.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Earnest Spencer.

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Ohio Visitors Party Honorees.

A most enjoyable affair of Wednesday evening was the picnic given by Mrs. Paul Garber in honor of her niece, Peggy and Carol Clayton and their father, Hershel Dalton of Dayton, Ohio, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Parke Anderson.

Supper was cooked over an open fire, on the lake shore.

Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Betts, Mr. and Mrs. Parke Anderson and daughter, Arden, Misses Peggy and Carol Clayton, Harold Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Garber and children, Gloria and John.

Mr. - Mrs. McFarland Entertain Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McFarland were hosts Friday evening at a swimming party at Lake Byrd Lodge honoring their house guests, Miss Hassie Laughlin and Miss Virginia Bruce of Anderson, S. C.

Swimming was enjoyed, after which a picnic supper was served.

Guests were: Hassie Laughlin, Virginia Bruce, Lila Martin, Dorothy Weisbeyer, Walton Touchton, William Bennett and Otto Foster.

Miss Trent Touring The Carolinas.

The many friends of Miss Sarah Lucy Trent will be interested to know that she is making a tour of girls' camps in North Carolina and Tennessee in the interest of camp Takoda, which is connected with Brenau College at Gainesville, Ga.

Miss Trent expects to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Trent in Avon Park the latter part of August before resuming her studies at Brenau.

Happy Party at Maxwell Home.

Mrs. Hayes Maxwell entertained Saturday at a spend-the-day party, honoring her little niece, Mary Bradshaw, who has been visiting here.

The girls made doll clothes during the morning and enjoyed a swim in the lake late in the afternoon.

Guests were: Charlotte Orr, Ruth Pendleton, Winifred Hood and Nita Bryant.

Circle One Met With Mrs. Collins.

Circle One of the Missionary society of the Baptist church met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. L. Collins.

Mrs. Collins presided over a short business meeting. Mrs. W. C. Touchton led the devotional. Excerpts from "Royal Service" and "Baptist Witness" were read.

Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the program.

Young Couple Dance Honorees.

Miss Lila Martin, Miss Hazen Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Booth Kirkwood and Mr. and Mrs. Harry McFerrin will entertain this evening at Lake Byrd Lodge at a "Kid Party" honoring Miss Anna Foster and E. L. Roberts.

Mrs. H. E. Galvin and Miss Ruth Clowe spent Monday in Tampa.

Little Miss Ludean Gregory is visiting Shirley Jones in Winter Haven.

Miss Hassie Laughlin and Miss Virginia Bruce returned to their home in Anderson, S. C. after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Paul McFarland.

BEAUGER

By Kathleen Norris



CHAPTER X—Continued

"I had to come up and say 'Merry Christmas,'" Serena said. She was roused from a cold walk, belted into a long towel with ruffles loose about her shoulders and a brimmed wet hat drawn down over her sea-blue eyes. Gita was with me, but she went up to the children. You're not sick?"

"Lazy," Vicky said. "I've been doing everything at once today, and about an hour ago I simply gave out."

"I can imagine," said Serena. "With so many stockings to fill. Gita was quite envious about it, but I don't think it would be much fun for one child to hang a stocking. I never did it."

CHAPTER XI

But it was not a dream to hear the front door bang, and Quentin's step on the stairs, and his voice at the door.

"Hello, Vicky! Having tea? Hello, Magda—Oh," said Quentin, his voice dropping. "Serena? I didn't see you."

They shifted about a little, to make room for him; Anna brought fresh toast and more tea. Vicky put her hand to her forehead; Serena sat, a picture of radiant beauty, in her loosened furs and brimmed hat, with the freckled and lamplight glowing in her eyes.

"Quentin, I'm disgraced!" his wife said. "I've been on the go all day. Her voice trembled, her hand trembled, but she noticed it unless Magda did, and she gave no sign."

"I'll bet you have. You got the wreaths up? Did the Emporium stuff come?"

"Everything's come, I think. The spare room looks like a toy shop." Vicky had gotten to her feet, poured his tea; she stood now, looking down at him. And as he glanced up, handsome, tired, relaxed after the hard day, she wished in her heart that he and she were dead and lying in the warm kind earth somewhere together.

"I only came in to say 'Merry Christmas,'" Serena repeated once more.

"Nice that you did! Well, it's certainly going to be a cold one," Quentin said.

"Are you going out tonight, Quentin?" They telephoned from the San Mateo hospital about an hour ago.

"I stopped there on the way down. No, I didn't. I was tired, maybe earlier—like that too late for dinner? And then aren't we finishing off the treat?"

"There isn't very much to do. It was cruel, this semblance to the old happy holidays, this reminder of the wonderful hours when he and she, together in their own house in the depth of the winter's night, had finished off all the surprises for the children, had stilled the dangle little stockings on so many Christmas eves!

And yet instinct taught her, and native courage helped her, to chat along idly with Serena, and presently to excuse herself and go off to the nursery. She left her shoes with Quentin and Serena.

After a wild half-hour with the children, when she was going to her room for a bath and a sleep, she met Magda going upstairs to her own apartments.

"Are you going to give him any hint, Vicky?" Magda asked.

"Of what? Vicky said, heavily, with avverted eyes.

"That you're not going to stand for it?"

"No," Vicky said, smiling. "Perhaps," she added, screwing a little, still looking away—"perhaps I am."

"I think you were smart to let her come up," Magda commented. "I mean, if you're going to make a break, make a break. And you're not, play the game right up to the hilt."

"I don't think anything I can do is smart," Vicky said.

"I wish to goodness there was something I could do to help you, Vicky."

"You do help me, Mother. You did," Vicky said, going on her way. But she did not say how, she did not say that the last night of her mother's, muttered just as Anna

had come in to the room to announce Serena, had somehow reached her heart—reached her soul; had changed blank despair to despairing resolution.

"I've always thought," that of all the girls I ever knew, Magda had said, "you were the one to try the long way—I mean stick to your guns, and not let what anyone does make you anything but what you are."

The only talk they were to have on the subject for almost a long year came about ten days later, when the Christmas tree had been sawed into short lengths that were still draped here and there with odd scraps of cotton and tinsel, and when Vicky and Quentin had the sitting-room fire to themselves, after Magda had gone to bed.

"I was wondering," Quentin began, and stopped abruptly. "Wasn't it you'd like to get away?"

"Get away?" She was honestly by surprise.

"Yep. Take Owen and Susan, or Kenty, if you liked, and go on a trip somewhere?"

"Serena sat down again, looking at him. Her heart had turned to ice.

"How could I possibly get away, Quentin? What of the twins, and Magda?"

"Well, I think it's too much for you," Quentin persisted gruffly and stupidly. He sat with his big hands locked and hanging between his knees; his eyes were on the fire, and his brow was slightly knitted.

"I see," Vicky presently said slowly. "But how," she asked, after a pause—"how could we afford that?"

"To this, Quentin made no answer. After a time he said, irrelevantly: "You see, I may have to be in town a good deal this winter."

"I see," Vicky said again, pondering. He sat with his big hands locked and hanging between his knees; his eyes were on the fire, and his brow was slightly knitted.

"Well, no. Swanson has taken a little place on Pine street, and he'd like me to go into it with him."

"But I thought Dr. Swanson was going to Los Angeles?"

"He'll be back and forth, he says."

"I see," Vicky said again, pondering. He sat with his big hands locked and hanging between his knees; his eyes were on the fire, and his brow was slightly knitted.

"Quentin glanced quickly across at her, looked back at the fire. His eyes narrowed, and she saw his jaw tighten.

"Uh-huh," he said simply, with a little philosophic shrug.

"You like her terribly, don't you?" Vicky pursued, turning the knife in her hand.

"Oh, it isn't that," Quentin said. "It was just my liking her it wouldn't matter! Everyone likes her. I don't suppose she's met a man in ten years who hasn't fallen for her. A man—her mother's doctor—she tells me he's one of the big men at Roosevelt hospital in New York now—asked her to marry him when she was only fourteen."

"Really?" Vicky said. And the word—if he had been in any mood to hear it, was like a sword blade naked in the air.

"No, it isn't that I feel for her," Quentin, hearing nothing, went after a moment. "It's that—I can't see any sense in hurting her."

"What about Spencer?" Vicky asked simply after a silence. "She has him."

"What did you say?"

"Didn't she love Spencer?"

"No, that was a funny thing, too. She tells me . . ."

Quentin told the whole story eagerly, believably. It was the story that Magda had told her daughter years before; the story of the beautiful woman wheeled into marriage on the promise of love sure to follow. Spencer, and her men to whom, and all the other men who were to prove false, had promised to "love enough for two."

"She's as sorry as I am," Quentin presently finished.

"Victoria was silent for a while, looking steadily into the fire. Then she said temperately:

"You feel that something must be done?"

"Quentin sent her a startled glance. "Well, Lord, Vicky, she can't go on this way. You know she's over there in simply hell, that's what it is. Morrison never has appreciated her, he's completely wrapped up in his own troubles, and what has she to live for?"

"What do you want to do, Quentin?" Vicky asked at last, in a very moderate, expressive voice. "You're his now, you've had all you're going to have from him—the rest is all mine! I'm the wife, and my separate, expressive voice, and I can wait. I'll know it all, and I'll

keep still—I'll be pitted, and women will hint things to me, and I'll keep still!"

"You take your day, Serena—go ahead! Take a year, take two years. 'Faster than a train,' and then, for lunch, and take his presents, and hate me. Hate me because I won't give you your way. But in the end I'll win!"

Victoria and Violet Keats sat on the Hardisty lawn on a hot spring afternoon and discussed, with limitations, their husbands and children, their homes, servants, and friends, their lives generally. The long Saturday had been spent by Violet and her own quartet, of youngsters with the Hardisty troop; now it was late afternoon, and the problem of getting Kate, Duna, Bunt, and Babs Keats amicably separated from Owen, Kenty, Sue, Dicky, Bobs, and Madeleine Hardisty was like an uneasy undercurrent to the women's talk.

"I suppose you couldn't leave them all with us, V?"

"What, all four of them?" Violet ejaculated. "I couldn't be an one. Mother's birthday tomorrow."

"I'd forgotten that—although I sent her flowers."

"Did you really think to send her flowers, V?"

"I did, and a book."

"You're charming, and she really loves you, and always has," Violet, touched into a rare display of feeling. "I don't know why you worry so about this thing. She's added, going back to earlier talk. 'He may be just slow. Duna was terribly slow; he didn't walk until he was sixteen months old.'"

Violet looked down at the yearling baby in her lap.

"Marty's not slow," she said gently. "It's more than that, V. My own boy."

The last was murmured to the child, who looked up at her with smiling blue eyes. Small and round and secure, he lay in her arms. He never fretted, he did not seem sick, but the blindest of the Hardistys had only been named for her a while, and his mother knew it.

"Quentin thinks so?" Mrs. Keats asked abruptly. "You've had another opinion?"

"Knows so," Victoria spoke mildly, but her whole body was torn with a sigh.

Violet was silent.

"Isn't it strange?—this little fellow means more to Quentin than all of the others did. He's always loved them as soon as they got interesting, but only this one from the very start!"

"All men are like that," Violet put into the pause.

"Marty he adores. It's strange," Vicky mused. "He'll come home night after night and sit holding him. He used to say Marty understood him; he doesn't say that now, he doesn't say anything."

"I feel so badly for Quentin," Vicky presently continued.

"For Quentin?" Mrs. Keats' tone was sharp and quick. She apparently reconsidered what she said might have added, and when she spoke again her tone was milder.

"I feel sorry for you, my dear," she said. "I think you're a remarkable woman, Victoria. 'Oh, thank you!' Vicky answered gratefully, with a little flush.

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'Way Back When

By JEANNE

WALT DISNEY WAS A MAIL CARRIER

WHAT are the secret ambitions of those who serve us, particularly those whose occupations are mechanical or lowly enough to allow their minds to drift often into the realms of fantasy?

Walt Disney is an example. Born in Chicago in 1901, his first job was as a mail carrier there, at the age of sixteen. As a little boy he liked to draw, and he liked to draw animals; but the famous creator of Mickey Mouse had to make a living delivering mail. He had no chance to express his creative genius until after the World war, when he obtained a job as a commercial artist in Kansas City. In his garage, he experimented with animated newsreels called "Local Happen-



ings," which he sold to Kansas City moving picture theaters. He followed these with a series of fairy tales for local clubs and church societies.

This modest success prompted him to try Hollywood, where he started in an unpretentious little building far from the big studios.

There he created "Oswald, the Rabbit," but after making 26 subjects, he and his backer separated.

"Oswald, the Rabbit," which is still being shown in the theaters, and Disney's story of a mouse named Mickey Mouse, was born "Mickey Mouse" and the "Silly Symphonies."

Today, Walt Disney employs a staff of artists to draw his characters, but he is, himself, the voice of Mickey Mouse.

PICTURE MAGAZINE WAS A PEDDLER

IT'S fun for the young man who was born to be president of his rich father's company; a month in the shop, a month clerking, and then general manager. But consider the discouragement and heartache of the boy too poor for adequate education, too poor for nourishing food or decent clothing, too poor to meet people with education. That such boys, possessing only courage, ambition and brains, can still rise in America is this country's strongest defense against fascism and communism.

William Fox was born in Teuleva, Hungary, son of a poor shoemaker who extracted teeth as a sideline. The family moved to New York when William was six.

"We both do," she repeated, trying to open a door.

"Quentin's a genius," Vicky said simply, closing it once and for all. "How'd he like to be like you?" she asked, looking at the other woman asked, abandoning her other lead.

"He had a remarkable experience. He stayed with me when I was a man and almost worked himself to death. But he said it was a wonderful experience last week, you said!"

"Last Saturday. He looks thin, older, somehow," Victoria said. "Ah, here they all come!"

Panting, breathless, exhausted, the children now emerged from cover and flung themselves about on the lawn. They ranged from Kate Keats and Owen, sixteen years old, to Madeleine Hardisty, who was four. Brown, too, handled some children in white shirts and tan shorts, they gleamed, sparkled, shone with the beauty of bright eyes and clear skin. Bunting tooth and tumbled masses of rich soft hair, arm young legs and arms. That was the beauty of them today; had had two swims of indeterminate length. Now Susan's brilliant thought was that the Keatses should stay to supper, and that they should make it a picnic. Victoria considered this temperately.

But Aunt Vi said that tomorrow's their Gran's birthday."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Wearing Hats in Congress

In the early days of the federal government it was customary for representatives to wear their hats during the sessions of the house.

When speaking the representative held his hat in his hand, placed it on a bench or let another member hold it. The custom of wearing hats in the house was borrowed from the British house of commons, and it was not until after the close of President Jackson's administration in 1837 that the practice was discontinued. Senators have supplied the custom.

Who knows for what high position that peddler who calls at your house may be preparing great things? William Fox rose from the same start.

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Sew-Your-Own Style News



HERE is something practical, something sweet, and something ornamental for your midsummer wardrobe.

Simple As Toast and Coffee. At breakfast time you need the crisp shipshape style of the little model at the left. He'll prefer the crisp style of your midsummer wardrobe.

Lines That Live. For luncheon in town, for cutting up touches on the Club veranda you can't find a more fetching frock than the one in the center. It combines sweet swing with nonchalance. Never has a designer given more flattering shoulder and waist lines than these.

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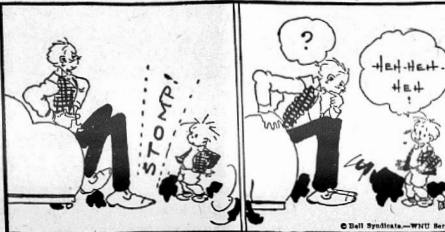


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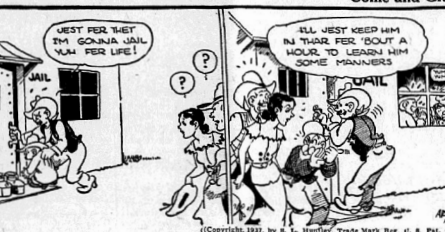
S'MATTER POP—Didja Ever Have a Smile Bumped Loose?

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FINNEY OF THE FORCE

By Ted O'Laughlin

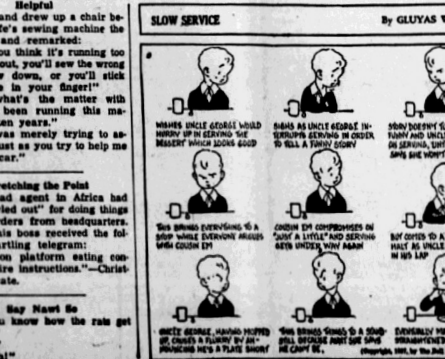


BRONC PEELER—Stick 'em Up

By FRED HARMAN



The Curse of Progress



Improved Uniform SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By REV. HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, Dean of the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago, © Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for August 1

LESSON TEXT—Exodus 13:17-22; 14:10-15.

GOLDEN TEXT—And the Lord shall guide thee continually.—Isaiah 58:11. PRIMARY TOPIC—A Shining Cloud. JUNIOR TOPIC—Forward March. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—New God Leads Today. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—A Nation Following God's Leadership.

The destinies of the nations are in the hands of God. Mighty are the warriors, learned are the advisors, clever are the diplomats, and when they have exercised all their human ingenuity and have only brought themselves and their nations to "Wits' End Corner," God must lay hold and bring order out of chaos. Happy is that people where rulers recognize God and seek his guidance.

Israel through the human instrumentality of Moses was ruled by God. He had prepared for them a leader and had prepared the people to follow that leader. Now he brings them forth out of their bondage.

I. "God Led Them" (Exod. 13:17-22).

It is significant that he did not lead them by the easy way to Canaan, by the short route through Philistia but rather led them south into the wilderness.

How often it seems to us that we could improve on God's ways. Suffering, sorrow, affliction, we would shun and would go the quick easy road, where all is bright and happy. But God's way is the best way, even though it leads through the wilderness.

His purpose for Israel was that they might not be defeated by the warlike Philistines (v. 17). Thus it was really his loving-kindness that sent them the long way. See Prov. 14:12 and Prov. 10:25.

Another and equally important purpose of God was that the undisciplined multitude might in the trials and responsibilities of their journey through the wilderness be prepared to enter the promised land.

"It was a short and royal road to character. It is the fruit of discipline" (Hugh Black).

The miraculous pillar of cloud and fire was God's constant assurance of his presence with them. His people may always know his definite guidance and be assured of his presence with them, walking moment by moment in the center of his blessed will. It is a delightful life!

II. "Pharaoh Drew Nigh" (Exod. 14:10-12).

Hardly had Israel withdrawn, and the wall over the death of the first-born in Egypt ceased when Pharaoh regretted that he had permitted his slaves to escape, and set out in pursuit. He represents the world, the flesh, and the devil in their relentless efforts to hold back those who would follow the Lord. Making a show of force, and experiencing his redemptive power does not mean that the enemy has given up. Temptations, doubts, trials, will come. When you come up out of Egypt do not be surprised if Pharaoh pursues you.

The situation could not have been more difficult. Hemmed in by the dower of Egypt's army, with the Red sea before them—a group of men not trained in warfare—with women and children to care for, and God forgotten in their disbelief and discouragement.

Moses who was their great leader in the hour of triumph tastes the bitterness of their hatred and unbelief in the hour of trial. A leader of men for God must know that God has called him and have faith in his almighty power, for in the time of crises he will find those whom he has led ready to condemn him.

What is the solution? III. "Stand Still" (v. 13, 14). Sublime in his confidence in God, Moses bids the people to cease their petty complaining, to abandon their plans for saving themselves. "Stand still, and see the salvation of the Lord" (v. 13).

Perhaps these lines will be read by some Christian who is fretting and fuming, bearing all the burdens of the universe on his shoulders. He still, my friend, God is able to care for you, and for all the burdens which you are needlessly trying to bear. Trusting God will result in real spiritual progress.

IV. "Go Forward" (v. 15). Humanity it was impossible, but "With God all things are possible" (Mark 10:27). When every circumstance says "Stop," when the counsel of men is against attempting anything, when human leadership seems to be lacking—just at that your God may say, "Go forward."

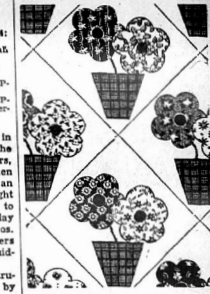
If every true Christian who reads these words will respond to the Lord's command, "Go forward," hundreds of locked church doors will be opened, new Sunday schools will gather children to hear God's Word, men and women will be won to Christ. Let us "go forward."

The God who brought Israel dry-d through the Red sea is just the same today!

Work and Wait. Haste is not always speed. We must learn to work and wait. This is like God, who perfects his works through beautiful gradations.

Prize Applique Quilt With Much Variety

Here's simplicity in needlework in this gay applique quilt. Grandmother's Prize—they're such easy patches to apply! If it's variety you're looking for, make this your choice. There's the fun of using so many different materials—the pleasure of owning so colorful a



quilt that fits into any bedroom. And if it's just a pillow you want, the 8 inch block makes an effective one. Pattern 1458 contains complete, simple instructions for cutting, sewing and finishing, together with yardage chart, diagram of quilt to help arrange the blocks for single and double bed size, and a diagram of block which serves as a guide for placing the patches and suggests contrasting materials.

Send 15 cents in stamps or coins (coins preferred) for this pattern to The Sewing Circle Needlecraft Dept., 62 Eighth Ave., New York, N. Y.

Please write your name, address, and pattern number plainly.

Household Helps

Do you know the proper thing to say when you sit on a bed of chewing gum?

If your suit is washable, here is the correct command—if you want to get rid of the chewing gum and not your garment:

"Bring me an egg white, some soap and some lukewarm water. Then stand back and watch me soften the gum with the egg white—so! And finally wash it completely away with the soapy water."

If your suit isn't washable, the fabric-saving element is carbon tetrachloride, which will remove all traces of gum.

The authority for these points of chewing gum etiquette is a new booklet called "Handy Helps for Homemakers," which has been prepared by a group of home economics authorities. This booklet is a convenient, compact handbook of practical remedies for the most common household problems. It is divided into four sections:

1. Laundering, which includes not only stain-removal formulas, but also detailed advice on the proper way to wash various fabrics; home lighting, heating, and cooking.

The writers of the "Handy Helps for Homemakers" booklet have confined the chapter on "Cooking" to an informative discussion of meat-selection rules, suggestions for improving actual cooking technique and a summary of the merits and problems of home canning.

A copy of the "Handy Helps for Homemakers" book can be secured by sending 5 cents to cover postage and handling to Miss Boyd, 210 S. Desplaines St., Chicago, Ill.—Adv.

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LEGAL NOTICES

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Notice is hereby given that under and in pursuance of a final decree rendered out of the Circuit Court of the Tenth Judicial Circuit of Florida, in and for Highlands County, Florida, in Chancery, on the 16 day of July, A. D. 1937, in that certain cause between the City of Avon Park, a Municipal Corporation, complainant, and E. P. Loomis and Rosa Loomis, 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 M. and two o'clock P. M. on the 2 day of August, A. D. 1937, the same being the first Monday in said month, and a legal sales day, the following described property, to-wit:

Lots 8 and 17, Block A, Crescent View, Section 23, Township 33 South, Range 28 East, Highlands County, Florida, said sale being made to satisfy the said decree and costs.

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

Annie B. Deis, joined by her husband, Andrew Deis, and Andrew Deis, Plaintiffs,

vs.
M. T. Johnson, and Rose A. Johnson, his wife, et al., Defendants.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a final decree made and entered in the aforesaid cause by Hon. W. J. Barker, Judge of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida, on the 22nd day of July, 1937, I will sell before the Courthouse door in the City of Sebring, Florida, between the legal hours of sale on the 2nd day of August, 1937, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot Six (6) and Seven (7) of Van Laven's Subdivision of the South Half of Section 24, Township 33 South, Range 28 East, Highlands County, Florida, said sale being made to satisfy the said decree.

This July 3, 1937.

J. Edwin Walker,
Special Master.

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

A. H. Able and Lula H. Able, his wife, Complainants,

vs.
Amanda Landis and Mary E. Moore and David P. Moore, her husband, et al., Defendants.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.
The State of Florida To: Amanda Landis, if alive and if dead, to all persons claiming any interest under her in the hereafter described property, or otherwise; to Mary E. Moore and David P. Moore, her husband; and to all persons having or claiming any interest in the following described property, to-wit:

Lot 2, Block 7, Section 14, Township 33 South, Range 28 East, Highlands County, Florida, together with all singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances, thereunto belonging or in any way appertaining.

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that a suit has been brought against you in the Circuit Court for Highlands County, Florida, in Chancery, by A. H. Able and Lula H. Able, his wife, for the purpose of having this title and the above described tract or parcel of land owned by them, decreed to be a good and sufficient fee simple title, absolute, and forever cleared, quieted and confirmed as against the adverse rights, claims and demands which you, or any of you, have or claim in and to said land, and removing from said land all clouds, doubts and suspicions, pursuant to the provisions of Sections 5019 to 5023, inclusive, of the Code of the Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, and said suit is now pending in said Court, and you, and each of all of you, and

HIGH PRICE EXPECTED FOR NEW CITRUS CROPS

Shipper Predicts Good Opening Prices If Shipments Are Regulated

By FLORIDA NEWS SERVICE.
California will undoubtedly leave the market for fruit at the highest level known in years by the time Florida is ready to start shipping early citrus, Lawrence Gentile, general manager of Tree-Gold Co-operative Growers, said in his weekly report to growers.

"Usually we have to work to bring prices up," Mr. Gentile said. "Now we will have a high average through a system of common sense control of shipments."

"What if we do have only half or two thirds of our early varieties moved by December when we begin to worry about cold weather? If we can maintain the high prices California will leave, we will get more money for that half or two thirds of our crop than we would for the entire crop if we glut the market."

He further stated that the accepted conception of control was to bring prices up by Mr. Gentile said. "Now we will have a high average through a system of common sense control of shipments."

It appears from a sworn Bill of Complaint filed in the above entitled cause that you, W. S. Martin, Administrator of the Estate of J. P. Grubbs, deceased, et al., Defendants.

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THE LOW DOWN

from HICKORY GROVE

Mamas, and sometimes papas, who think it is correct and hot stuff, to let their 4 year old offspring do just as they please, they pop into his head, you know right away that they

been reading a book by Maxine some bachelor, on how to raise children.

And when you see this kind of youngster when he or she is 16, and who was allowed to grow up

without a halter, they are mostly makin' trouble for their ma and pa, but then it is too late. And when they were around 4 and maybe 10 in the clock, and they were lookin' cute to mamas, they are now talkin' back at 16 and tellin' her what is what—and it is not so cute.

And down there in Wash, D. C., they been lettin' the young huns have full rein, and they are takin' the clock apart and puttin' the wheels in new places. And when we wake up, we will find that things they been doin' are not so cute, and also won't work, and we should have put our foot down sooner, for out there on the front porch, the tax collector will be huntin' down our door.

Yours with the low down,
JO SERRA.

PEPPER FRIEND TO DEBT RIDDEN CITIES

Young Florida Senator Working Hard For Municipal Bankruptcy Act

Washington, D. C., July 26.—Senator Pepper today made a personal appeal to Senator Alan Barkley, Democratic Leader of the Senate, and to President Roosevelt that the Municipal Bankruptcy Bill be passed by the House of Representatives in a revised form, after having been previously declared invalid by the United States Supreme Court, be included in the legislation to be considered by the Congress before its adjournment.

Senator Pepper said "I emphasized to Senator Barkley and to the President as strongly as I possibly could that this matter was of the most vital concern to Florida, because there were a number of municipalities and special districts of one kind or another trying their best to arrive at some adjustment of their Boom Time debts."

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ELECTRIC SHOCK IS FATAL TO LINEMAN

Lake Wales Man Killed While Working At Sub-Station In Sebring

Malcolm Baggett, 23, lineman employed by the Florida Public Service company, was killed Wednesday morning at 10:50 when 4600 volts of electricity passed through his body at the company's sub-station within the city limits of Sebring, near the Seaboard Station.

Young Baggett, who made his home in Lake Wales with his widowed mother, was engaged in applying a wood preservative to one of the poles at the sub-station and it is thought he allowed the bucket which he was holding to come in contact with one of the live wires while standing on a cross arm with his foot touching a bolt which held the cross arm to the pole, thus making a complete circuit.

J. I. Brown and W. F. Carter, who were working near him at the time did not see the accident but heard the hiss of electricity and immediately cut off the power from the station and summoned aid.

The Sebring fire department responded and, with the aid of the in-haler kept at the fire station, attempted to revive the unfortunate lineman. Dr. L. W. Martin reached the scene soon after the accident and administered hypodermic stimulants to revive the patient. He pronounced the man dead, but for nearly five hours the first aid crew of the company and members of the fire department worked with the in-haler and artificial respiration giving up only when rigor mortis set in.

The body was removed to the Stephenson and Blythe mortuary and later in the evening was taken to Lake Wales.

Mr. Baggett is survived by his mother and four sisters.

Rotarians Hear of Fla. Public Service Advertising Plan

J. B. Rickman, public relations representative of the Florida Public Service Co., with headquarters in Orlando, told the Rotary Club Wednesday of the new reciprocal advertising plan his company is working with similar companies in the New England states. He illustrated his talks with charts showing the population of the various towns in which Florida will be advertised.

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