



FROM CONGRESSMAN
J. HARDIN PETERSON

FEDERAL LAND BANK BOND
ISSUES TO BE RETIRED—Federal
Land Bank of Florida issued
November First amounting to
\$71,911,540, will be called and re-
tired. No offer of refunding bonds
will be made. Bonds will be retired
from cash on hand and joint ten-
ants. Governor Myers of the Farm
Credit Administration stated that
farmers had made substantial prin-
cipal payments during the last
year; that the payments in 1937
exceeded the same period in 1936.

MEMORIAL TO CREW OF U. S. S. TAMPA—The Federal Art
Project advises that they are pro-
ceeding with memorial window to
be erected in the American Legion
building at Tampa as a memorial
to the crew of the U. S. S. Tampa.

SPECIAL SESSION—We re-
ceived the official call for the
special session to be held Novem-
ber 15, 1937. A letter from the
Chairman of the Rules Committee,
Rep. John O'Connor of New York,
states that he is hopeful that the
next Spring Session will be over
by April 30. The special session
will run practically until the
regular Session.

BUSY WEEK—I have had a
rather busy week. I have had
to do with the engagements and have
moved up a number of appoint-
ments made November 15. I have
averaged two talks a day. I have
met with various Farm Groups,
Citizens' Association, City and
County Officials, Civic and Patri-
otic Groups during the week. The
special Session, of course, has
necessitated changing our plans
and we will have to leave for
Washington in the near future.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF IN-
VESTIGATION—Honorable J.
Edgar Hoover, Chief of the Bureau
of Investigation, advised that he
will have a representative of his
Department to accept the invita-
tion of the Florida League of Muni-
cipalities to address the League at
its annual meeting in December at
St. Petersburg.

PWA COUNTY SUIT—The first
suit brought by the PWA against
a municipality to collect bond pay-
ments, which the Government be-
lieves are being unnecessarily de-
faulted, has been filed by Sec-
retary Lacey against the City of
Point Pleasant, Va. This was
a community which had borrowed
from the PWA and then proce-
ded to ignore its obligation. Many
other communities which have bor-
rowed will be watching this suit
with close interest.

INCOME TAX REVISION—If
the Treasury Department recom-
mends income tax revision at the
next Session, it is not intended to
make it retroactively applicable to
1937 income. This is important,
because of the probability of a
revision of Congress. Treasury of-
ficials, however, are drawing plans
for adoption during the 1938 regu-
lar session with a view to a fea-
ture. Revision of surtax to lift the
burden placed on small debt-
ridden corporations is one of the out-
standing tax problems being stud-
ied.

RED CROSS SAFETY DRIVE INAUGURATED

Local Chapter Would Make
Homes a Safe Place
To Live

Seeking to reduce the accident
hazards in homes and farms
throughout the county, M. F. Per-
guson, chairman of the Red Cross
County Chapter of the Red Cross,
urged the cooperation of the resi-
dents of the community.
The Junior Red Cross is distrib-
uting inspection forms to check the
various hazards found in the in-
dividual homes, and it is hoped that
those not reached will take this way
ask the local chapter for inspec-
tion forms to fill out.
During the past year, household
accidents claimed more deaths than
highway accidents, and more per-
manent disabilities, falls and burns
being the most common of all.

Farm accident prevention, with
machinery and animals as the most
hazardous of all forms of injury,
is also being included in this safety
drive.
Chairman Ferguson urged a com-
bined and sustained effort in the
drive to reduce home and farm ac-
cidents, and asked that every
householder obtain a home check
form.

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COUNTY BOARD APPROVES ROLL FOR 1937

Clerk H. E. Keller Prepares
Statement On County's
Bond Condition

County Tax Assessor P. G. Gar-
ing, turned the 1937 tax book over
to the county commissioners at their
regular meeting Tuesday and
the book was accepted by them.
Taxes will be due and payable No-
vember 1.
Mr. Gearing reported the total
taxes levied for 1937 at \$107,305.82
on a total valuation of \$2,615,000.
He also stated that the delin-
quent property taxes certificated
amount to \$889,250 this year while
last year this item was \$1,052,400.
The total assessment as divided
among the various types of taxable
property was \$1,532,640 on real es-
tate, \$284,630 on homesteads, \$344,770 on personal property and
\$453,041 on railways, telephone and
telegraph.

The report shows that the tax-
able property in the county is more
than last year due to thousands of
acres and many homesteads being
redeemed. The assessed valuation
of the county last year was \$2,470,710 while this year the valuation
is \$2,615,000. This does not
mean an increase in the assess-
ment on individual homes. Mr.
Gearing stated, but it means that
more homes are back on the tax
books.

Clerk of the board, H. E. Keller,
submitted a report of the financial
condition of the county as regards
to the bond debt which shows that
the county is in default on the
either interest or principal except
special road and bridge district
bonds of districts one, four, five and
six which are part of the old De-
Soto county issues which were as-
sumed in part by this county when
the county was formed. Highlands
county has so far redeemed more
than its pro rata share of these
issues.

The report shows that there are
outstanding \$882,000 of court house
bonds and the bond trustees have
\$7,268.84 on hand in the interest
and sinking fund for these bonds.
The trustees also have \$1,052,400
left after retiring the 1929 and
1936 refunding issues. There is
still outstanding \$10,000 of the
1927 refunding bonds, and \$6,
653.40 on hand with the trustees
for their retirement and to meet
interest payments. The bond trust-
ees also are holding \$47,000 of De-
Soto county house bonds which they
have acquired by purchase but
have not retired.

According to the report the coun-
ty has on deposit with the State
Board of Administration for retire-
ment of county road bonds, \$20,
727.10.

Chairman N. B. Jackson, com-
menting on the report, stated that
if the county refunding plan goes
through, a much lower millage will
be possible for next year.
Chairman of the board of county
commissioners of Hardee county
appeared before the board request-
ing their co-operation in the fair-
ing the construction of the road
from Highlands Hammock state
park to connect with the Hardee
county road known as the Steve
Roberts special. He stated Hardee
county expects to get help from
the PWA to construct their share
of the road and requested that
Highlands county follow the same
plan. No definite action was taken.

New Vegetable Market To Open Here Next Week

A new vegetable and produce
market will be opened on the Mall,
just east of the post office, next
week. The building, erected last
week, the building is distributing
inspection forms to check the
various hazards found in the in-
dividual homes, and it is hoped that
those not reached will take this way
ask the local chapter for inspec-
tion forms to fill out.
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accidents claimed more deaths than
highway accidents, and more per-
manent disabilities, falls and burns
being the most common of all.

SCOUT NEWS

The hike planned for last Sat-
urday by the Boy Scout troop was
postponed on account of the rain
and will be held this Saturday in-
stead.
The Court of Honor will meet on
Monday at 7:30 p. m. at the Scout
Hall with the court chairman, E. G.
Todd, in charge. All parents of the
scouts are invited and will be
welcomed to attend this court
each court of honor.

191 Applicants For Old Age Assistance Reported In County

Jacksonville, Fla., Oct. 21—
(Special)—During the week end-
ing October 9, 3 persons applied
for old age assistance in Highlands
County, according to figures made
public here from the office of
Clayton C. Codrington, Commis-
sioner for the State Welfare Board.
The calculations were made by F. J.
Episinos, statistician for the
Board.

This brought the number of ap-
plications in process or awaiting in-
vestigation for the county to 191.
Of these 3 were ready for district
board action. The number already
received old age assistance from
the county at the end of September
was given as 43.
Total applications pending from
the state-at-large was announced
as 26,054 for the week ending
October 9. The number of applica-
tions received for district board
action, 2,785 were ready for district
board action. The pending applica-
tions, added to the 14,857 received
old age assistance at the end of Sep-
tember brought the potential cas-
eload for the commonwealth to 40,411.
A survey made by the former
State Welfare Board, in coopera-
tion with the WPA had estimated the
number of aged in Florida eligible
for assistance as 27,304.

The Art Club Held Election

National Art Week Held
Week in November

Avon Art Club met Thursday
evening, October 14 at the Wo-
man's club room.
At the business session the fol-
lowing officers were elected for the
ensuing year.
President, Mrs. E. Fred Stevens.
First Vice President, Ivor Farnell.
Second Vice President, Mrs. L. H.
Parks.
Recording Secretary, Mrs. L. H.
Parks.
Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. E. Fred Stevens.
Treasurer, Mrs. S. Y. Hart.
Directors, L. H. Parks, E. N. Griffith, Mrs. Blanche Williams.
This being the first meeting of
the year, the following chairmen
of the committees were appointed.
Program, Executive Board chair-
man; the club president.
Exhibition, L. H. Parks.
Music, Mrs. G. S. McKnight.
Drama, Mrs. W. Hauptmann.
Refreshments, Mrs. E. H. Hollingsworth.

Year Book, Mrs. G. P. Thayer.
Membership, Mrs. Ivor Farnell.
School Representatives—Mrs. Virginia Broad, Mrs. Chas. Sherman.
This committee will secure and
place with the exhibition committee
any art product from the public
club.
A division of drama has been
added this year.

Avon Park ranks first with Tal-
lahassee in Art progress for 1936-
37 and the coming year is fair
to place our little city with its
splendid cultural talent at the top.
The work which will be placed on
exhibition during the week of
November 1 thru November 7—
National Art Week, and open to
the public will be presented by the
Art club, with no little pride in the
local artists.
During one day of the week, Mrs.
Myrtle Taylor Bradford, chair-
man of division of Art in the
department F. W. C. will pre-
sent paintings from out standing
Florida artists.
Mrs. Fred Stevens, has been ap-
pointed assistant art chairman by
the state president of Federated
Art clubs.
The following program was pre-
sented:
Roll call—various notes.
Covers provided for the public.
Solo—Miss Claire Vandervend.
The address of the evening was
given by Mrs. W. Hauptmann, who
presented the summer in dress, give
special note of the art galleries.
A discussion followed by L. H.
Parks and Mrs. A. C. Elliott.
Members solicited, due 50 cents.
Visitors welcome.—(contributed)

Y. P. S. L. ELECTS

The Y. P. S. L. of the Episcopal
church elected officers at their
meeting held Sunday evening. The
officers are: Barbara Betts, pres-
ident; Herbert Todd, vice pres-
ident; Bud Trent, secretary and
treasurer.

ROTARIANS HEAR TALK ON STATUS CITY FINANCES

City Clerk Shockley Principal
Speaker Wednesday; New
Hotel Man Heard

City Clerk Francis Shockley was
the principal speaker before the
Rotary Club at the regular weekly
luncheon Wednesday at the Jaca-
randa Hotel. He discussed city
government and tax and bond
debt situation in Avon Park. Col.
George W. Hulvey, the new man-
ager for Highlands Lakes Hotel, told
briefly of his plans for the hotel.
He hopes to bring new people to
Avon Park, he said and promised
cooperation with the community.
He has been interested in Rotary
since 1926 and congratulated
the Avon Park club on the
singing talents of the members. He
was introduced by S. C. Pardee, Jr.

President Paul Garber announced
an attendance count and named
Dr. A. C. Elliott as chairman of a
committee to formulate plan, and
report at the next meeting. He also
said he had been approached by
several of the ladies in regard to
a clean-up campaign and he referred
this question to the community
service committee. Francis Shock-
ley said the city is at present en-
gaged in cleaning up lots along the
Mall and is waiting until the rains
are over to start a more extended
operation.
The birthdays of E. G. Todd
and S. C. Pardee, Jr. were noted
in the usual way, although Todd
was absent and Rotary Ann veiled
the club pianist, got his rose.

Besides Col. Hulvey, the visitors
were: V. G. Waters and Louis Al-
myer of Sebring and H. Stevens
of Orlando.
Shockley says:
When Brown called me up a few
days ago and asked me to talk
to you today on the subject of
"City Finances and the Refund-
ing Program," I found myself quite
willing to try to explain to you
some of the principal facts that
might be of interest to members
of Rotary—particularly since once
a year I call on you to contribute
your share of the expenses of
operating and maintaining the
city's government and property, as
well as the bond and interest ob-
ligations that are always with
us.

Since we often take things a-
round us for granted, without
stopping to consider their meaning
to us individuals, perhaps it will
be well to begin this talk by asking
just what is the reason for our
government, and just how does it
affect us in our daily lives. Upon
such analysis, we find that the
government is the reason for our
relationship that is in society,
state or federal government, and
that it affects every one of us
daily in our lives. To begin
with, city or town officials are all
citizens of the community, neigh-
bors; business men are citizens;
and the fact that they are citi-
zens is the foundation of the fair-
ness of the city's finances and govern-
ment in exactly the same way that
other business men are expected to
conform to the laws of the com-
munity. "Bill," "Harry"
and "Tom," and our personal con-
tacts with them are on the basis
of neighbors and friends, not on
the basis of their governmental cap-
acity.

City Government is organized to
provide protection for our homes,
our children and loved ones, as
well as our business establishments
and the properties where they are
located. It is the function of the
city government to provide for the
sanitation and health of the com-
munity through requiring pure
drinking water, sanitary disposal of
garbage and refuse collection, quaran-
tine of communicable diseases, abate-
ment of nuisances, and in many other
ways. It is the duty of the city
government to provide for the health
and safety of the community. To
this end a fire department is main-
tained with its personnel, equip-
ment and expense of the highest
rental, which alone saves thousands
upon thousands of dollars that
would otherwise be paid out in fire
losses and expense of the highest
rates. A police department is main-
tained so that the business estab-
lishments and homes of the com-
munity may be safe from burglary
and theft during all hours of the
twenty four. Here Street lighting
plays its part in keeping down
crime, for it is a well known fact
that a criminal does not care to
operate in a well lighted thorough-
fare.

The provision of well kept park
and playgrounds, for old and young
(Continued to page four)

Registration Books For City Election Dec. 7 Now Open

City Clerk Francis Shockley an-
nounced this week the city election
will be held on the first Tuesday
in December and that the registra-
tion books are now open at the city
hall. They are open for new regis-
trations from 9 a. m. to 12 noon
and from 1:30 to 5 p. m. daily. The
books will be closed on November
25 and the names of those who
have moved or died since the last
election will be purged by the city
clerk.

Local Stars Honor Motron

Official Visit Made To
Leigh Chapter On
Tuesday Night

Leigh Chapter, 85, O. E. S. en-
tertained worthy Grand Matron,
Charlotte B. Perry of Jacksonville,
on Tuesday night at the Masonic
Temple, the occasion being her of-
ficial visit to the chapter.
The Temple was beautifully de-
corated with flowers, carrying out
the color scheme of blue and
yellow, all making an effective
background for the assembly of
prominent Eastern Stars, gathered
from all sections of South Florida
to honor their worthy grand ma-
tron.

A very effective concert exten-
ded to Mrs. Perry at this time
was the presentation of flowers and
a gift from the chapter, planned by
Mrs. Mamie Anderson, Right Worthy
Grand Associate Conductress.
Those taking part were: Mrs. Ann
Johnson, Grand Instructor for this
district and Mrs. C. D. Duncan.
The "Harperettes," a musical
organization of Eastern Stars, un-
der the direction of Mrs. Pat Har-
rington, sang several songs, and
vocal selections and also furnished
the music for the initiatory work
for O. W. Louis who was taken in
to the order at this time.
The address of the evening was
given by the Worthy Grand Matron
Mrs. Perry. Her subject was "Let
Us Use Time Wisely."

Refreshments of cake with whip-
ped cream and coffee were served
in the dining room to over 100
guests who enjoyed a very deli-
cious evening.
Besides the Worthy Grand Ma-
tron, the distinguished guests in-
cluded: Mrs. M. M. Mumford, Grand
Winter Park, Right Worthy Grand
Associate Conductress, Mrs. Beat-
rice Brandon of Bowling Green,
Womans' Club, Right Worthy Grand
Matron, Mrs. Lora T. Oglesby of Bar-
town, Past Grand Matron.

Townsend Clubs To Meet With Peterson At Lakeland

A county-wide meeting of the
Townsend Clubs has been arranged
at the request of Congressman, J.
Hardin Peterson, to enable him to
speak to all the clubs in Polk
county at one time rather than to
them separately.

The meeting will be held at
2 p. m. October 24th in the Lakeland
auditorium where Mr. Peterson
will explain what has been
done in congress and what are the
several bills pending before the Gen-
eral Welfare Act now pending, which
has received more signatures of
members to bring it out of the
committee and take part in congress.
The clubs have given Mr. Peterson
by far the largest audiences he
has addressed in his district.
At this meeting every club in the
county will be well represented
and we can assure our Congrega-
tionalists that "every seat is taken."
Remember the day, the time,
and the place.
ERWIN M. DOWELL, Presi-
dent of the Polk County Townsend
Club Organization.—Contributed

MISSIONARY SOCIETY MET

The Baptist Missionary Society
met Monday afternoon at the
church for their regular monthly
program meeting. The topic for the
month was "China."
Circle one had charge of the
program with Mrs. J. L. Collins.
The ladies taking part in the
program were, Mrs. H. E. Godwin
and Mrs. J. P. Dalton.

Highland Lakes Hotel Will Open Here This Season

Announcement was made this
week that the Highland Lakes
Hotel will be open this season as a
resort and residential hotel. Ac-
commodations will also be available
for the travelling and commercial
public.

The management will be in
charge of Col. George W. Hulvey,
who is acting in the interests of
Edgar H. Bristol of Foxboro, Mass.
The dining room will be opened
and there will be shuffleboard,
tennis and other sport facilities. It
is also understood the golf course
will be put in playing condition
and ready by the first of the year.
Col. Hulvey comes to Avon Park
from Green Cove Springs where he
had charge of the Qui-Si-Sana
Hotel. He is a former superinten-
dent of the Florida Military Insti-
tute and has also been connected
with other institutions of a simi-
lar nature in official capacities
and was also deputy City Commis-
sioner under J. B. Sullivan during
the Sholtz administration.

It is Col. Hulvey's plans to bring
new people to Avon Park, people
who have never been here before
and he is expecting to do extensive
advertising to this purpose. It is
the not his intention to compete
with the present hotel facilities in
any way.

GAME LAW VIOLATORS DRAW HEAVY FINES

Sebring Merchant Charged
With Illegal Possession of
Game Forfeits Bond

State Game Warden, S. P. Cooper
is doing well to be out and dis-
cussing game laws with the Sebring
game hogs from killing of the
game before the opening of the
season, making three arrests and
getting three convictions or the
equivalent in the past few days.
Monday he arrested O. Taylor,
Sebring merchant, on a charge of
possession of game birds. With the
assistance of a search warrant issued
by Deputy Sheriff E. G. Long, he
found the birds cooked and ready
to serve in Taylor's home and took
both Taylor and the birds before
County Judge S. C. Ives, who set
the appearance bond at \$500.
The bond was extracted Wednesday.
Taylor failing to appear.
Bill Raulerson of Bassenger
paid a \$50 fine for game law viola-
tion three days ago as did a man
by the name of Adams of Avon
Park.

"Any game law violator will pay
a fine," said Cooper, "and if he
is found guilty of a conviction
in my court, and the fine is not all,
as any person convicted of viola-
tion of game laws cannot secure
a license to hunt legally on the
season opens."
All county judges will be fur-
nished with all convicted game
law violators and will not issue
them licenses when the season
opens November 20.
Local sportsmen who observe the
game laws are indignant because
the scarcity of game after the sea-
son opens when it is well known
that a meeting of the west coast
game law violators suggested tax on
dogs. Both these suggestions
got nowhere at this time but may
come up in later budgets. Pending
the passage of the pending Pen-
dleton bill, which would increase
it too high, but signed the ordi-
nance after passage.
Council approved the sale of the
old Pine Ranch Provision building
to D. F. Canfield for \$200. What
Mr. Canfield's plans are for the
building was not disclosed.

ATTEND U. S. W. V. MEETING

Mrs. Ola Head, Mrs. Lily Lang-
ford, Miss Lucille Langford and
Mrs. Lulu Dottery of Sebring at-
tended a meeting of the west coast
council of the U. S. W. V. in Lakeland
Sunday. Returning Miss Langford
stopped in Ft. Meade for a visit of
several days. The meeting was
addressed by the General C. A. Rief, Mrs. Head and Mrs. Dottery
also attended the reception
given for the worthy grand matron
of the O. E. S., Mrs. Charles
Perry, in Wauchula Sunday after-
noon.

HERE FOR 6 MONTHS

Mr. and Mrs. L. Rodman Nich-
ols of Wickford, Ill. are regis-
tered at the Sebring Hotel. They
plan to stay in Avon Park for six
months. Mr. Nichols is president of
the Wickford chamber of com-
merce and formerly they spent the
winter months at the Highland
Lakes Hotel.

ATTENDED GAME

Going to Tampa last Friday,
for the football game were Miss
Marjorie Loomis, Miss Dorothy
McNicholas, Mary Mc-
Carthy, Elizabeth Hetherington,
Blanche McCord and Page
Gordon. The ladies part of the
game were, Mrs. H. E. Godwin,
Mrs. J. P. Dalton and John Edwin Wilkes.

BUDGET O. K.'D AND MILLAGE SET BY CITY COUNCIL

Operating Millage Is 25 and
Bonds 20; City Sells
Some Property

Ordinances adopting the budget
and setting the millage for both
operating expenses and bonds ser-
vice for the fiscal year beginning
October 1, were read and passed
for the necessary three times by
the city council at their meeting
Tuesday night. The operating bud-
get was the same as discussed and
approved at previous meetings and
set at \$340,000 and for a millage
of 25. City Clerk Francis Shockley
said he had been making
investigation in official capacities
and cities and their budget and Avon
Park has the lowest operating ex-
pense for any town of the same
size.

For debt service under the new
refunding agreement there will be
a millage of 13 for the entire city,
and investigation in official capacities
included in the 1925 and 1927 charters
but excluded by the acts of 1933. This
original town as described in the
acts of 1933 and 1937, had an additional
bond levy of eight mills, making a
total of 20 mills for this territory.
For the purpose of clarification
of the several territories they are
now known as "A," "B" and "C"
and according to the ordinance are
described as follows:
"That for the purpose of taxa-
tion the territorial limits of the
City of Avon Park, as defined un-
der the several acts of the legisla-
ture of the State of Florida,
1913, shall be known as territory
"A," being the original Town of
the said city as defined by chapter
16316, acts of the legislature of
the State of Florida, 1933, exclu-
sive of territory "B"; and that
the territory of said city as defined
by chapter 10320, acts of 1925 and
chapter 12514, acts of 1927,
exclusive of territories "A" and
"B," shall be known as territory
"B"; and that territory "C" be-
ing the limits of the City of Avon
Park as defined by said chapter
16316 of the 1933 acts of legisla-
ture, within the area defined
under chapter 10320, acts of 1925
and chapter 12514, acts of 1927,
legislature of the State of Florida,
shall be known as territory "C."
This means that territory "A"
will bear a total millage of 45, terri-
tory "B" a millage of 37, and
territory "C" a millage of 13. Of
course property coming under the
"Homestead Exemption Amend-
ment" will not have to pay the 25
mills operating levy.

Extension Classes Are Organized Here

University of Florida extension
classes were organized here last
Saturday at the high school. The
classes are in sociology and will
deal with the problems of child wel-
fare. The course is expected to be
of value to teachers, parents, social
workers, religious leaders, and
members of organizations interest-
ed in child problems.
Those interested are asked to
communicate at once with Miss
Anna Harrell at the Jacaranda
Hotel. Enrollments will close to-
morrow at 5 p. m. The fee is \$5
for credit and \$10.00 for non-
credit.

TEACHERS MEETING TODAY

Pupils of the Avon Park schools
are enjoying a holiday today as the
teachers are attending a meeting
at Arcadia. Studies will be resu-
med as usual on Monday.

NEW HOTEL CLERK

Herman Leffers of Fort Myers
has accepted a position as clerk
at the Sebring Hotel. He was for-
merly connected with the Glenwood
Club at Hartford, Conn.

Floya Gibbons' ADVENTURERS' CLUB

HEADLINES FROM THE LIVES OF PEOPLE LIKE YOURSELF

"Through a Tropic Holocaust"

By FLOYA GIBBONS
Famous Headline Hunter

HELLO EVERYBODY.

Well, sir, fellow adventurers, people have all kinds of troubles in this bothersome old world of ours. You have your troubles and I have mine. Maybe the old spinning ball would be just TOO nice a place to live in if we didn't have our share of adversity to make the sweet seem sweeter and the bright seem brighter still. Anyhow, I have a letter here from Alberta L. Hitchins of New York City, who has had her troubles—plenty of 'em—but who doesn't let them bother her very much. No, sir. Because every time she begins to think her troubles are too much for her, she looks back on that horrible day in Kingston, Jamaica, in January, 1907, and realizes that what looks like troubles to her now don't really deserve the name of trouble at all.

On that fateful day Mrs. Hitchins was sitting in the office of J. Eustace Burke & Brothers, the firm for which she worked. She wasn't Mrs. Hitchins then—just Alberta, the assistant cashier. With her in the office was her boss, but sister—one of two other women who worked there. Outside, it was a clear, tropical, sunny day. From overhead came the rumble of machinery in a bottling plant on the floor above.

When the Earthquake Struck.

At 12:30 in the afternoon, a distant, rumbling sound startled all Kingston. In the office where Alberta worked, however, nobody paid any attention to these sounds. The bottling plant on the floor above was always noisy. Bumblyings were nothing new to the employees of Burke & Brothers. The first intimation that Alberta had that anything was wrong was when she happened to look up from her work and saw that the wall in front of her desk SEEMED TO BE BENDING OVER.

At the same time, she felt herself suddenly—inevitably—slipping from her chair. She jumped to her feet. From overhead a shower of plaster fell, hitting her desk. All at once, things seemed to be flying in all directions. Then, in a moment, all was quiet again.

In the office, there was a moment of tense silence. Then Alberta heard the voice of her boss saying: "My God! An earthquake! San Francisco all over again!" Alberta took a quick look around the of-



A Tottering Wall Fell With a Crash.

See. There were five people in it. Miraculously, not one of them was injured. Alberta heaved a sigh of relief—too soon. At that moment the trembling started all over again.

From outside came the sound of a piercing shriek. A woman in the next building! Alberta started toward the door—felt someone grab her by the arm. It was her sister. "Don't go out there," her sister cried. A tottering wall fell with a crash. The woman's voice was still in the air.

Terrible Scenes in the Streets.

The boss started to gather up the company's books and put them in the safe. The girls turned to and helped. When that was finished, Alberta and her sister made their way out to the street and started to head for home, down by the waterfront.

The town was a shambles. Buildings were down everywhere. Walls were down—streets a mass of wreckage—debris strewn everywhere. Men, women, children—even animals—were stretched out on the pavement, dead or frightfully injured. Everywhere, cries for help. People pinned under falling buildings—half buried in the wreckage—shouted pathetic appeals for aid that almost drove Alberta and her sister mad with pity.

And to add to the horror, fire broke out—everywhere—and many who could otherwise have been saved had to be abandoned by the rescuers to a living death in the flames.

It was the most harrowing sight two girls had ever seen. They struggled home to find their mother and younger sister alive, but frightfully injured. They had just been dug out from under the wreckage of what had been their home.

Earthquake shocks were still coming at intervals. Alberta and her sister cast about for medical aid for their mother and the little girl. The hospital was miles away—and in ruins. The city safe place left was the sea. They took them aboard a vessel anchored in the harbor and put them in care of the ship's doctor.

There were hundreds of other people on that boat—hundreds of refugees from the stricken city. All afternoon they struggled aboard. Doctors—volunteer nurses came from the town. They turned that boat into a hospital ship for the care of the injured.

Tragedies in a Night of Horrors.

Night came—a night that transformed the city into a red inferno rimmed by the cosmic blackness. Fire flamed up anew in a hundred different quarters. Buildings tottered. Walls crumbled. The shrieks of the victims continued all through the night. Dogs howled in the streets. Fanatics sang wildly. People went insane for no other reason than that which they had seen—and heard.

Terrible scenes were enacted in these grim hours. A father and son were trapped between two walls of a fallen building. Rescuers were striving to get to them. They were almost free, when flames shot through the building, driving the rescuers back. The trapped man's business partner had just time to pass his hand through a hole in the wall—give his friend a last handshake before the flames were upon him and he had to dash back, the cries of his associate and the boy still ringing in his ears.

In the heartrending scenes that went on through that terrible night, Alberta almost lost her mind. Long before it was over, she was a woman moving in a daze. Somehow she lived through it—somehow kept her sanity. And now—

Now Alberta is married. As the mother of three children she has responsibilities—sometimes troubles. But when she has troubles, she looks back at that awful January day in Kingston and wonders what the people who died and died in that holocaust would think of her feeble little voice.

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Pepper Once Covered by Kings

Pepper once was coveted by kings and explorers laid down their lives to get the precious seasoning. When the Eastern Roman Empire fell, Alaric the Goth exacted 3,000 pounds of pepper as part of the tribute. The Peppers' guild of London, organized in 1180, was for many centuries the most powerful of the trade guilds. Portuguese sailor Vasco da Gama to find a water route to India, so that the trade of pepper might be more abundant. A pound of the seasoning once paid for a year's rent of land or a house in England.

Canton Island

Canton Island is the chief spot of land among the tiny dots which make up the Phoenix group, 3,700 miles north of New Zealand. The importance of this archipelago, which lies just south of the equator, is readily seen on any map of the South Pacific. The Phoenix group lies almost on a line between New Zealand and Honolulu, practically half way between the two. Canton Elizabeth, Westminster Abbey showed the results of some renovating and restoration work. For the first time in centuries, parts of the abbey were cleaned and portions of it restored. View shows the choir and the crossing. Many of the stained glass windows have been freed of the heavy coating of dust which had obscured them for generations.

Water Shortage Hits Noncombatants



Carrying buckets, pithers and jugs, crowds of Chinese refugees line up at a water tap in Shanghai and wait their turn for the precious fluid. This is one of the few sources of meager water supply in beleaguered Shanghai.

GOLF MEDALIST



Mrs. Estelle Lawson Page of Greensboro, N. C., who recently established a modern record in women's golf when she won the qualifying medal in the national championship at Memphis, Tenn., for the second year in succession. Mrs. Page played the course in 79 strokes.

Auto Loses Race With Trolley



Max E. Sparberg of Los Angeles is lucky to be alive. Above is shown the demolished remains of Sparberg's car after he dropped a decision to a trolley car. Sparberg escaped with a number of abrasions.

Wrestlers Try a "Mud Match"



In the first "mud match" in history, Sander Stabo, Hungarian, defeated the Hindu, Prince Bhin Plinder, in 12 minutes at San Francisco. In the picture, in case you don't recognize him, the prince is on top. The combatants were covered from head to foot with the good wet earth when it was all over.

Col. Wm. J. Donovan Defends Oil Men

Col. William J. Donovan, Republican candidate for governor of New York in 1932, who is directing the



battery of 46 defense lawyers for the oil companies, newspapers and trade papers on trial in the federal court at Madison, Wis.

Westminster Abbey Returns to Normal



Responding to the public recently, for the first time since the coronation of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth, Westminster Abbey showed the results of some renovating and restoration work. For the first time in centuries, parts of the abbey were cleaned and portions of it restored. View shows the choir and the crossing. Many of the stained glass windows have been freed of the heavy coating of dust which had obscured them for generations.

Approved Uniform International LESSON

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Lesson for October 24

CHRISTIAN RENEWAL

LESSON TEXT—Titus 3:1-11.

GOLDEN TEXT—For the grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared to all men—Titus 2:11.

PRIMARY TOPIC—The Good Shepherd.

JUNIOR TOPIC—In His Likeness.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—A New Life in Christ.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Renewed Life Through Christ.

The pastoral epistles, of which Titus is one, were written by Paul to his young brethren in the faith who had been called to the ministry of the gospel to instruct them concerning three important matters—(1) Church order and organization, (2) sound doctrine and (3) holy living.

The third chapter of Titus, our lesson for today, deals with the life of believers in Christ in their relation to unbelievers. The great underlying reason why Christians should conduct themselves in meekness and humility toward others is that except for God's grace we who bear the name of Christ would be, and indeed were before our regeneration, just like the unbeliever.

We shall best study our lesson, therefore, by considering first of all that which indicates the lost condition of man by nature, then following him through the miracle of redeeming grace, vv. 4 to 7, and finally see in a man's testimony in vv. 1-3 and 8 to 11.

1. Lost—by Nature (v. 3).

It is not a pleasant picture that is painted in the graphic words of this verse, but, remember, it is God's picture of the unbeliever. He is said to be "foolish"—that is, irrational and senseless in his course of living. He is "disobedient" to the law of God. He is "deceived," literally "out of the way," misled by Satan. He thinks his pleasures and lusts are serving him, but alas, he is only a slave in bondage to and serving them. Such a life can only result in a man's becoming hateful to his fellowmen. They in turn are hateful to him, and so he hates them.

Thus the whole world becomes a hateful place where men are "living in malice and envy."

2. Saved—by Grace (vv. 4-7).

How saved are these three words in the sinner's ear! Saved by grace, not works, and made heirs of eternal life.

1. "Not by works" (v. 5). Someone has said that man is determined by one moment or another to claim salvation by his good works. To do so may flatter the flesh, but it surely finds no support whatever in Scripture. We are to work for Christ because we are saved, and after we are saved, but no man can be saved by works.

2. "By his grace" (v. 7). God shows his unspeakable kindness and love toward man—saving him by grace, through Jesus Christ. Grace has been defined as "unmerited favor." We deserve but the just condemnation of our sin, and God in his mercy saves us, through faith in his Son.

3. "Made heirs" (v. 7). Saved now? Yes, thank God! Satisfied? Yes, praise his name! But there is more yet to come. We who have served only God's judgment are now made heirs of an eternal hope. 'Tis indeed no small thing to be a child of God.

Now—we are ready to approach the last and the admonition to live out our salvation as a daily testimony to others.

4. Testimony, by Holy Living (vv. 1, 8, 11).

The young preacher Titus is told to "put them in mind" to be "subject to rulers" (v. 1). True patriotism (and we did not spell it "patriotism") stands very close to godly living. National leaders would do well to recognize that the decay of our national life will follow the decadence of spiritual life. A man who is right with God will be right with his fellowmen, and a noble and useful citizen.

Meekness is not weakness. Gentleness is the attribute of strong men and women. The brawler, the loud talker is a weakling. Truly great men are always simple in their wants, kind in their spirit, gentle toward others.

3. Maintaining good, avoiding evil (vv. 8-11). It is the tendency of man to divorce morals from religion, to profess a faith which does not touch his daily life. Let us affirm "constantly" and "continently" (as the R. V. has it) that those who believe in God should be "careful to maintain good works"—yes, and at the same time to "avoid" that which is "foolish," contentious, "unprofitable and vain."

OF INTEREST TO THE HOUSEWIFE

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B. P. W. C. Met At The Ginn Home

Mrs. C. R. Ginn and Miss Errol Arrant were hostesses Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Ginn, to the members of the B. P. W. C. The rooms where bridge was played were decorated with vases of sinias.

In the bridge games, Miss Kate Tompkins held high score and received the prize, a box of note paper.

Delicious refreshments of date pudding and coffee were served.

Present were Mrs. Olive Anderson, Miss Mattie Tompkins, Miss Kate Tompkins, Miss Millie Pearson, Miss Hettie Handman, Miss Margaretta Vogt, Mrs. Pearl Spink, Mrs. Sue Saylor and Mrs. Ruth Clowe.

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Bill Beckett, Jr. Birthday Party

Little Bill Beckett celebrated his sixth birthday anniversary Thursday afternoon at a party given by his mother, Mrs. W. C. Beckett.

Guests arrived at 2:30 o'clock. Juvenile games were played on the lawn.

In the living room where the children opened and admired the gifts a hallo-e'en motif was carried out in the decorations. Jack o' lanterns covered the chandeliers.

The dining room was lighted with candlelight. The refreshment table was centered with a two tiered birthday cake iced in white and topped with six glowing candles. The chandeliers were covered with black crepe paper streamers. The table was set with white paper cups, plates and napkins. The hostess, Mrs. W. C. Beckett, presided.

Cunning wands made from apples and candy wrapped in cellophane were given as favors.

Mrs. Mary Myers and Miss Helen Beckett, assisted in entertaining the little folks.

Present were, Dolores Costello, Arlen Anderson, Ann Faher, Alice Marie Siebert, Marjorie Hetherington, Charles and John Deibel, Mary Lou and Arlene Hansen, Elizabeth and Bobby Hall, Manson Carter, Gloria Garber and Yvonne Head.

Star Official Feted at Dinner

Leigh Chapter, O. E. S. entertained Tuesday night in honor of the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Charlotte B. Perry of Jacksonville. Mrs. Perry was the guest of honor at a dinner at the Jacaranda hotel. The tables were decorated with wild blue breath and blue plumage and blue paper banners in crystal holders.

Out of town guests were Mrs. Charlotte B. Perry, Worthy Grand Matron of Jacksonville, Mrs. Beatrice Brandon, associate grand matron of Bowling Green, Mrs. Marion Neesh of Miami, Mrs. Woodard of Orlando, sister of Mrs. Brandon, Mrs. Annette Louis of Orlando, Mrs. Yvonne Baillard of Wauchula and Mrs. Josephine Parker of Miami. Members of the local chapter present were, Mrs. Ann Johnson, Mrs. Lucia Stuckey, Mrs. Margaret Mandis, Mrs. Ola Head, Mrs. Estelle Louis, Mrs. Thelma Williams, Mrs. Blanche Williams, Miss Purlo Anderson, Mrs. Agnes Cox, Mrs. H. W. Reddick, Mrs. Hazel Luthy and Mrs. Anna Wolfe.

Mrs. Elliott Hostess To Covenant Circle

Mrs. A. C. Elliott was a charming hostess on Wednesday when she entertained the members of the Covenant circle of the Congregational church at her home.

Beautiful yellow gladiolus were used at vantage points about the rooms.

In the dining room where guests were seated for luncheon, the tables were prettily laid.

Mrs. C. S. Donaldson, president of the circle was in charge of the program. Mrs. Max Wolfe led the devotional. Current events were given by members present. Mrs. Donaldson read a chapter from the book which the circle is studying.

Members enjoying this interesting and instructive meeting were, Mrs. C. S. Donaldson, Mrs. Harry Dilley, Miss Alice Davidson, Mrs. Max Wild, Mrs. Olive Armstrong, Mrs. L. H. Parks, Mrs. E. L. Thompson, Mrs. Irving Smith, Mrs. W. H. Yates, Mrs. D. B. Farnell, Mrs. A. E. Hollingsworth, Mrs. J. R. Bennett and Mrs. Elliott.

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Parker-McPherson Nuptials Saturday

Miss Lois McPherson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McPherson of Frostproof and D. J. Parker of Benson Springs were married on Saturday, October 16th at the Baptist parsonage, Rev. J. P. Dalton officiating.

The bride wore a navy blue dress with touches of white and navy blue accessories and a shower of corsage of white chrysanthemum and lilies of the valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker left for a wedding trip to Ft. Myers and Miami immediately after the ceremony. On their return they will live in Orange City.

Mrs. Parker is a sister of Mrs. Vera Parker, sister of the groom and has been operator of the Bon Ton Beauty Shop for the past year.

Mr. Parker was born and raised in Lakeland and has been connected with the Florida Public Service for the past twelve years.

Those attending the wedding were, Mrs. Glen Owensby and Miss Vera Parker, sister of the groom and Mr. Owensby of Lakeland, Mr. and Mrs. Booth Kirkwood, Mrs. Arlen Willis, Mrs. Frank Camp and Mrs. Roy Marr.

Methodist Circles Met Tuesday

Circle one of the Methodist Ministry society met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. H. Pardee.

Officers elected for the ensuing year are Mrs. C. H. Pardee, circle leader, Mrs. Harry Jackson, secretary and treasurer, Mrs. C. H. Harris, Bible study leader.

Present were, Mrs. McKee Elwell, Mrs. C. H. Harris, Mrs. J. D. Raab, Mrs. W. C. Fountain and Mrs. R. A. Gurnard.

Circle two met at the home of Mrs. A. C. Wester. Officers elected were, Circle leader, Mrs. L. L. Hall, Mrs. W. W. Reddick, secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Hayes Maxwell, Bible study leader.

Refreshments of fruit salad, saltines and iced tea were served. Present were, Mrs. H. W. Reddick, Mrs. Hayes Maxwell, Mrs. L. L. Hall, Mrs. C. H. Gerrard and Mrs. Bigbee.

Mrs. Garber Hostess To Bridge Club

Mrs. Paul Garber has hosted to the members of her bridge club, Tuesday evening at her home on Lake Byrd.

Each member brought a covered dish, and a buffet supper was served in the dining room. The table was centered with a bowl of verbenas.

Lovely garden flowers were used throughout the home with a very decorative effect.

Dr. A. M. Morgan, received the prize for gentlemen high score in the bridge games, a cigarette holder, and Mrs. Walter Betts, received the prize for ladies, a relias dish.

Guests included Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Reeves, Dr. and Mrs. M. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Parker, Mrs. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Betts and Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry.

Armstrong Hosts To Bridge Club

Members of the Thursday evening bridge club, enjoyed a most pleasant evening on Thursday when they were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Armstrong.

Hallowe'en decorations featured the holiday spirit, yellow marigolds and cornucopias were used in decorating the party rooms.

High score prize, a relias dish, was won by Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley won second high a deck of cards.

Refreshments of pumpkin pie with whipped cream and coffee were served later in the evening.

Guests enjoying the affair were, Mr. and Mrs. John Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Dilley and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clow.

Ladies Aid Met With Mrs. Yates

The sewing committee of the Ladies Aid of the Congregational church, held an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. W. H. Yates, Tuesday. A covered dish luncheon was enjoyed at the noon hour.

Members present were, Mrs. Harry Dilley, Mrs. Lala Bass, Mrs. D. B. Farnell, chairman of the committee, Mrs. Parker Anderson, Mrs. Thelma Williams, Mrs. A. C. Elliott, Mrs. Ray Rutherford, Mrs. Nancy Beroff, Miss Alice Davidson, Mrs. Irving Smith, and Mrs. Agnes Cox.

Bridge Club Met At Bass Home

Mrs. Lala Bass entertained the members of her bridge club Thursday afternoon at her home on Lake Lotela.

Garden flowers in varied shades were used about the party room.

Mrs. G. B. McKnight, held high score for members and Mrs. A. E. Hollingsworth held high score for guests. Each was given a basket of avocados gathered from the hostess's trees.

A delicious dessert course with tea was served after the bridge games.

Present were Mrs. Ola L. Head, Mrs. H. A. Vickery, Mrs. S. V. Hunning, Mrs. Milton Smith, Mrs. J. E. Rogers, Mrs. W. Hauptmann, Mrs. S. Y. Hart, Mrs. G. S. McKnight, Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. E. E. Hollingsworth and Mrs. D. B. Farnell.

Mrs. S. S. Thayer Club Hostess

Mrs. S. S. Thayer, entertained the members of her bridge club and other guests Tuesday afternoon at her home.

The bridge tables were placed on the screened porch.

Mrs. M. E. Covington received the prize for high score for members and Mrs. Harry McGovern received the prize for guest high.

The hostess served frozen pineapple juice during the bridge games and a delicious lunch with cream and coffee afterwards.

Those present were, Mrs. M. E. Covington, Mrs. A. H. Able, Mrs. C. H. Harris, Mrs. Mel Bass, Mrs. Stanley Reeves, Mrs. Arthur Gregory, Mrs. Jack Head, Mrs. J. W. Allen, Mrs. Earl Wade, Mrs. Harry McGovern, and Mrs. R. E. Brown.

St. Margaret's Guild Meeting Wednesday

A meeting of St. Margaret's guild was held Wednesday at the parish house.

Members served during the morning and a delicious luncheon was enjoyed at the noon hour.

Those present were Mrs. A. M. Morgan, Mrs. Arthur Able, Mrs. J. E. Rogers, Mrs. M. E. Covington, Mrs. R. E. Brown, Mrs. R. E. Fairbanks, Mrs. Edith Hunter, Mrs. Gus Carter, Mrs. Georgia Voorhees, Mrs. G. S. McKnight, Miss Olive Knight, Mrs. E. G. Todd, Mrs. S. S. Thayer, Mrs. Otley and Mrs. Neal Trent.

O. E. S. School of Instruction Held

Worthy Grand Matron Charlotte B. Perry, held a school of instruction at Frostproof on Saturday, October 16. Despite the inclement weather a large crowd was in attendance.

Representatives were present from twelve visiting chapters, total of 74, not including the hostess chapter.

Grand Instruction of District 15, Mrs. Ann Johnson acted as Worthy Matron.

Mrs. Paul Garber has hosted to the members of her bridge club, Tuesday evening at her home on Lake Byrd.

Mrs. Mandis Hostess For Star Official

Mrs. Demos Mandis was a gracious hostess on Wednesday when she entertained at luncheon, honoring her guest, Mrs. Charles B. Perry of Jacksonville, worthy grand matron of O. E. S. of Florida at her home.

The dining table was centered with a bowl of zinnias and covers were laid for Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Ola Head, Mrs. Ann Johnson, Mrs. Lucia Stuckey and Mrs. Mandis.

Cothran-Pinion Wedding Monday

C. E. Cothran of Avon Park and Miss Ruth Pinion of Lakeland and Independence, Va. were quietly married here Monday evening. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Newell of the Assembly of God at his home. The young couple plan to make their home in Avon Park.

Irvin Ford made a business trip to Jacksonville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hauptmann spent Tuesday in Tampa.

Mrs. H. H. Shepherd spent Saturday in Winter Garden.

Mrs. L. B. Coffee of Ft. Myers is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ella Hargraves.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Smith of Orlando were visiting in Avon Park Thursday.

T. C. Hobbs of Tampa was a business visitor in Avon Park Wednesday.

Mrs. Stuart Thayer, and little son Friday, were visiting in Lakeland and Thayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Crosby of Bar Harbor, Maine are visiting Mrs. Crosby's mother, Mrs. Ella Hargraves. They are enroute to Palm Beach where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. Arthur Wagner and Mrs. E. L. Roberts were visiting in Sebring Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Hall were business visitors in Pinellas county on Wednesday.

Miss Vivian Pinkston of Lake Wales was the guest of Miss Ethel Wincham Friday.

Pat Pallock was a business visitor in Bradenton, Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mrs. Josephine Parker of Miami is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Sherer.

M. A. Smith of Orlando was a guest at the Jacaranda hotel Friday night and Saturday.

H. W. Reddick was a business visitor in Haines City and Kissimmee Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Earl Hart, Miss Jane Hart and Miss Margaret Loomis were visiting in Lakeland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McCord and daughter, Blanche and Martha spent the week end in Tampa.

Prof. R. T. Fairley, of Latta, S. C. was visiting friends in Avon Park Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Parks Anderson, Mrs. Raso Bass and Mrs. Arthur Gregory were visitors in Lakeland Friday.

C. E. Lanier was a business visitor in Jacksonville Thursday, attending a Lincoln Zephyr meeting.

Mrs. B. T. Lockett, Miss Arthur Lockett and Mrs. Milford Dilley will spend Saturday in Lakeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Morgan of Ft. Meade will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wells Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Nickols of Wickford, R. I. have arrived to spend the winter at the Jacaranda hotel.

Mrs. Jack Head, Yvonne and Jack Jr. and Jeanie and Arthur Crews visited in Ft. Meade Friday afternoon.

Mrs. J. E. Brick and Mrs. Marjorie Church have returned after spending the summer at their home in Williamette, Conn.

Miss Frances Lee and Miss Elizabeth Green attended the Stetson and University of Tampa football game in Tampa Friday.

Mrs. Mamie Lander, right wing grand associate conductor, O. E. S. of Winter Park, was a visitor in Avon Park Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McFerrin and little daughter Nancy Lynn, moved the first of the week to the Holt house at Highland Lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Jordan, and Mrs. F. S. Jordan and James Jordan visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jordan in Pahokee Sunday.

Friends of Mrs. Mary Steele were glad to see her out again after being confined to her bed with a severe case of influenza.

Mrs. W. F. Fox, sister of Mrs. Bygate, Mrs. W. O. Wetherald and Mrs. Rhinehart Duncanson of Zanesville, Ohio who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. Bygate at returned home Friday. While here, they made a tour of the east and west coasts of Florida accompanied by Mrs. Bygate.

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Be Chic This Fall in Fine Lace

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



LACE, lace lace! Write it down on your shopping memoranda as many times as you wish and then add a postscript in favor of lace, for lace reaches a new high this season in the way of daring and ingenious handling leaves nothing to the imagination. For instance, there are the stunning lace trimmed black wool dresses that bear the Paris stamp and carry that "something different" look which we all covet. Perhaps it is the sleeves banded with edging (black or white) that beckon a new lace story, or it may be that befringed edging or Val edging (black or white) impart a charming and youthful air to a simple black wool frock for practical daytime wear. The way Val lace is used for neckline finishings and for outlining decorative little pockets, likewise for trimming the new blouses is most enchanting.

Another adaptation of lace is in insets and appliques of individual motifs. These are positioned in the dress much after the manner that gay print motifs were used on monochrome fabric during the past summer. While these insets which are apt to be bow-tied or bouquet cutouts, adorn evening gowns for the most part yet some designers work them discreetly and most attractively into daytime frocks and other fabrics. This future over lace has also resulted in the revival of the dress with a deep lace yoke and sleeves. Leading couturiers are showing some lovely models of this type.

The biggest thrill, however, comes in the acceptance of lace used in a fabric way. The idea of lace is not new for its practicality has been demonstrated without question during the last several seasons. Nor has the advent of fall and prospect of winter retarded the movement to use lace as one would any material.

Indeed, he's write an order to recall Capes! He'd write an order that would bring Capes back to the store without even stops for food and rest! On his honor, that order would be something to read; he'd write an order to post his name, but he could not send it. There was no chance . . . no chance whatever. But . . . any company or individual come to him again and try to wheedle him into pulling chestnuts from the fire and see what he happens. He shows them alive, he would . . . But this time nothing could be done. Nothing whatever . . .

And lo! the eastern stars faded, Annette went slowly down the hill, cheeks as wet with tears as the grass was with dew, the black feather light in a hand which clenched desperately.

Nightfall, and a canoe making its weary way toward Rickman's establishment, started in at the gathering dusk by men at the stockade gate.

"The fort!" came a voice from the canoe, as paddles ceased dipping. "Is this the Astor establishment?"

"Yes! Who asks?"

"Ah, Capes! Capes, at last! Land here, Capes! Here, you men, help them! See. Quickly, but easy . . . Ah, Capes!"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Faltbooting, New Sport in America, Is Old in Many European Countries

An outdoor sport, new to America but practiced for years in many European countries, made its debut in New York recently when a special train was chartered to take over 200 persons interested in faltbooting to the Connecticut river to enjoy the introduced sport.

The faltboot originated in Germany, observes Albert Stoll, Jr., in the Detroit News. It is a folding boat which, when assembled, combines many of the features of an Eskimo kayak with those of our Indian canoe. It is made of rubberized sail cloth, waterproof canvas and sticks, and can be folded into a couple of bundles about as large as a suitcase. The "boat" can be assembled in a few minutes and holds water-tight compartment fore and aft. A cockpit in the center will hold one or two persons. It has a low center of gravity and will not tip easily and can be braced, small falls and white waters found in swift-flowing streams. It has no rudder and is guided solely by double-bladed paddles. For shooting, the boat is equipped with a spray cover forward which can be fastened around the waists of the occupants. An inflated cushion and back pads absorb the shock of landing bounding waves or shooting rapids.

The advocates of this sport say that in Europe the sport has advanced to such a stage that many rivers have been completely chartered and special guide books issued for falt-boaters. As a sport it is exciting and healthful and spills are frequent, but the boats help keep the over-tired occupants afloat until they reach shore or water river bottom.

Water enthusiasts should take kindly to this sport, for there are many fine, swift-flowing streams where faltbooting would be found of its best.

Black Feather

By Harold Titus

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CHAPTER VI—Continued

He ended with the question directed at Standing Cloud and the old chief rose quickly to his feet, amidst a growing tumult of voices. Black Beaver was up, as well, and crying to be heard, but with a majestic, silencing gesture, Standing Cloud stayed him and checked the confusion of voices.

"The little trader has spoken!" he cried. "The little trader has said he will do things which we can see with our own eyes. If the little trader's medicine is greater than Black Beaver's will we not be pleased to see it, my children?" They would be pleased to see it, indeed! Cries of approval resounded. Short baraganes followed. Rodney declared that he would start at dawn, so all might see, and turned to watch Rickman speak slowly and energetically with Black Beaver, urging the magicians to some further strategy.

CHAPTER VII

Night again, and Rodney Shaw had his simple camp beside the headwaters of the Laughing Musquash.

Camp, for him, meant a fire and a cleared place in which to lay his blanket. Not to lay his body, but the blanket. A blanket spread half upon the ground and mounded up with branches to the right of his man's body and the balance spread across this hummock which would appear to ventiliate eyes in the faint glow from embers as the figure of a man asleep . . .

While he smoked in triumph with the old men last night, he had watched Burke Rickman's face. He had seen the man stalk, finally, to his canoe with defeat gnawing at his pride. And he knew what to expect.

Fine opportunity, this, for a trader outcounseled as Rodney was, to be a chance for the attainment of a triple objective with a single blow. With Shaw gone, vengeance would be his, trade would be secure for the company beyond any possible challenge, and with Shaw unreturned from this errand into Windigo country, the influence of Black Beaver, already bought and paid for by Burke Rickman, would never again in that generation be questioned.

Just before sundown Rodney came to the deposit of white clay. He filled the square of sheeting he had brought with him, bound it to a package with thought, and, in the last of daylight, made his camp which was to be no camp.

At some little distance, back against the bole of a tree, he sat across his knees, he sat down to await what he told himself might be the most momentous interval of his life.

Rodney, even with the conviction that his life would be sought before dawn, dozed, awakened with a start, and dozed again with a start.

No sound, and yet an awareness of near danger spread through him like fire. He felt the skin of his back creeping and softly, slowly, making not the slightest noise, he rose to his feet, rifle at ready.

His camp fire still glowed. He could see, from where he stood, the blanket folded over its pile of boughs. But not a sound . . .

And then suddenly a man stood before him, an outline of darkness against darkness. Vague, indistinct, unreal.

But the click of a hammer was not unreal! It was like a shot itself in contrast to the silence of the night and Rodney could discern then a kneeling figure strained forward and the faint gleam of light from the embers was caught on the barrel of a rifle as it swung into position.

He went blind with rage for an instant and heard himself cry out as the other rifle cracked and he fired blindly, wildly and knew he had missed when a gun clattered to rock and the vague figure swayed and lunged toward him.

He threw himself forward, grappling for the man's throat. A flat bashed into his mouth, throwing him to one side. He foundered to his knees and grappled again. His hand clutched Rickman's powder horn and jerked it loose and dropped it as he swung for better hold.

Rickman hurled himself on Rodney, bearing him down and rolled on the ledge. Fingers had Shaw's throat, now, holding him briefly while the other hand rummaged for a knife. But Rodney shook off the grip and prised the fumbling hand; rolled over; was free. Shaw worked. But Rodney, Rickman's, a hip against his hip. One hand over a shoulder and on the throat, the other encircling the man's waist, he heaved with all his strength and slowly his enemy yielded, fighting the leverage, making regard against the hold, could not stand against it. He did not from Shaw's grip as he fell.

though, and went sideways and down, over the rim of the ledge, disappearing from sight as Shaw poised to spring.

With a cry Rickman struck the water and Rodney, teetering on the edge, strained his eyes to mark the place where he would emerge. He heard, but could not see. The man gasped hoarsely as he came up but he began to swim at once.

Seconds passed for Shaw, dragging out painfully as the fear that the man would escape him became manifest. "You wolverine!" he cried. "You dog, Rickman! . . . While a man sleeps, you'd . . . He stilled his own breathing for an instant and heard Rickman crashing through the forest, making downward, for enough away to make pursuit futile.

And now Shaw returned to his establishment with half a hundredweight of white, smooth clay in a package, with hunters trooping through his gate to start at this

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For days this procedure was routine. For hours at a time Rodney sat on the floor of his trading room, bargaining and arguing.

"Net thread, my brother?" he might say. "Four plus of net thread. That is all. The ball of thread is the skin. Skin for skin. Or."

"No, Zing-wauk. No spirits. No more than the ball when we trade our trading. At the grand medicine I will give my brothers plenty. Not before."

After the fifth day following Basile's arrival, few hunters remained near the establishment and Rodney's men were busied with preparing the place for the rigorous seasons to follow. But some Indians remained nearby and among them was the Weasel, once ejected from the post but, in this period of Shaw's good will toward the band as a whole, tolerated within the stockade.

He was given no attention, shouldered out of the way, while Shaw dealt with more dependable individuals.

Then the Weasel would seat himself at a distance and scratch his back with a stick and lament.

Each day he performed so, but each night he paddled from his lodge across the lake to the company fort and met Burke Rickman and whispered what he had heard.

And so Rickman paced his enclosure and drank and fumed and counted the time, reckoned the miles his letter to Maciver would be borne that day, estimated the weeks it would be before the opposition fort would find itself without a leader.

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Favorite Recipe of the Week

FRESH fruit pies are always good, but fresh grape pies are worthy of superlatives in description. The thickening may be cornstarch, eggs, flour or tapioca, depending upon preference. Tapioca is suggested in this recipe.

Grape Pie.
3½ cups prepared grapes
1½ tablespoons quick-cooking tapioca
1½ teaspoons salt
1½ cups sugar

Wash and stem the grapes. Press the pulp from the seeds into the figs. Simmer until slowly until soft, then press through sieve to remove seeds. Cook blue 3½ cups of pulp and skins together with salt, sugar and tapioca. Simmer for 15 minutes. Place pulp in pie pan. Fill pan with grape mixture. Moisten edge of pastry and fold in ward, even with the edge of the pan. Moisten edge again and place top pastry on pie. Press edges together with a fork. Trim off surplus crust. Bake in hot oven (325 degrees) for fifteen minutes. Decrease heat to 300 degrees, moderate heat, and bake about twenty-five minutes longer.

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You'll love a dress like the one shown to the right in the illustration to wear this fall and winter under your furred coat or all fur coat. Just try out the idea and see how practically and logically this theory of lace for the daytime frock works out. This tailored frock of black lace over a black slip fits ideally into the mood for simple elegance that dominates the new fashions. It is an almost classic style accenting the slenderizing lines that are a fashion "must" this season. The zipper fastening from neckline to hemline is the piece de resistance, giving the gold touch that glorifies black this season throughout the mode. Speaking of this fastening, most everything, dress, coat, blouse, bag and skirt, is decoratively at the same time practically and conveniently zippered this season.

If in doubt as to the new blouse to wear with your autumn suit, let lace, either handsome wool lace or the new-sensational macramé or burr lace, add a touch of variety to your problem. In a noted Paris collection showing new clothes for fall, Marjot et Armand presented the black crepe suit with silver tone which we are showing to the left in the picture. The most outstanding feature of the ensemble is the combination of lace with crepe. Lace is also being combined with many other fabrics in the fall showings of noted French designers. In this case the blouse is of chin-chin lace with interesting neck treatment. A black belt accents the color contrast.

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People generally despise where they flatter and cringe to those whom they desire to supersede.—Marcus Aurelius.

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Fun for the Whole Family

THE FEATHERHEADS

By Osborne
Water, Wines, & Dishes



S'MATTER POP— There They Are, William, Kick Them

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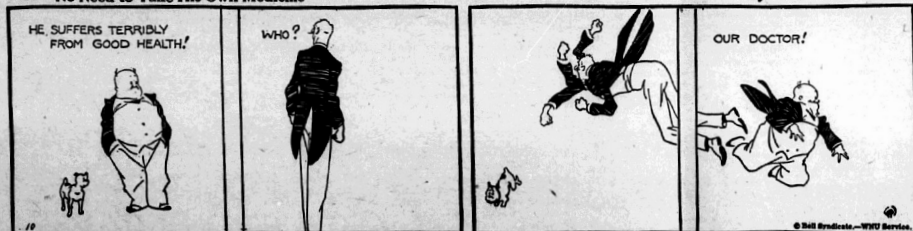
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By Ted O'Loughlin



POP—No Need to Take His Own Medicine

By J. MILLAR WATT



The Curse of Progress



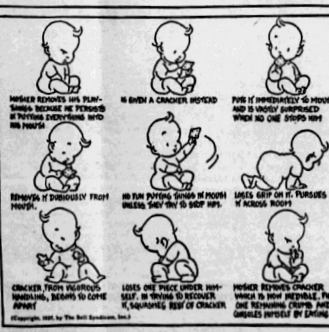
Generous
The judge regarded the prisoner sternly. "I intend to sentence you to ten years' imprisonment, but before I pass sentence, perhaps you might like to say something on your own behalf?"
"Well," said the prisoner, "I don't know as I have anything particular to say for myself, but I don't mind tellin' you that you people around this court are pretty liberal with other people's time." — *Ti-Bits Magazine*.

Caught in the Act
The city dweller was reading a newspaper when he exclaimed, "Even the cows are doing it now!"
"Doing what?" inquired his wife.
"Hoarding," he replied. "It says here, 'Light native cow hides seven cents.'"

Right in His Eye
First Sallor—How did you get that black eye?
Second Sallor—I went ashore last night looking for trouble and that's the eye that found it.—U. S. S. Reina Mercedes Gallean.

THE CRACKER

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



Wool Is Going Places



LADY, lady, lady have you anything in wool? Smart women everywhere are clamoring for it. They're wearing it to work in, to play in, to date in, to go to church in. Yes, wool is going places! Sew-Your-Own is here today (and will be here tomorrow) with three ultra-smooth new models for you. Choose from a pattern to make sure you won't be a poor little lady without "something in wool" for Fall.

• Needs Slim Lines.
That "something in wool" might well and easily be the handsome model at the left above. Especially does a weightier fabric need slim lines and here you have them pared down to hairline precision. The zipper from throat to hemline gives this frock additional chic, and the far-reaching collar takes care of that all-important need for contrast. French wine, black, duck green, and gendarme blue are the popular colors.

• Compliment to Youth.

Youth and the blouse 'n' skirt have always gone sporting together. That's a compliment to youth and real flattery for the twopicer above, center. This engaging combination has a waist-length top and a simply cut, flaring skirt. A singular asset is its size range: 14 to 42. And because it is figure flattering every size is benefited. Acetate crepe is lovely for the blouse; velvet or thin wool is smart for the skirt.

For a Busy Body. If you're a busy body or a lady of legion labors, you'll thank Sew-Your-Own for the charming necker at the right. Now is the time to cut two versions: one in gingham for housework, another in wool for your "something in wool" in the long sleeve style for all occasions. Remember then, double your chances for day-in, day-out charm with this one becoming model and save one-third on time and one-half on the price of your new Fall wardrobe assets.

Pattern 1375 is designed for sizes 12 to 20 (30 to 40 bust). Size 14 requires 2½ yards of 54-inch material. With short sleeves, 3½ yards of 39-inch material. Collar and cuffs in contrast take five-eighths of a yard.

Pattern 1302 is designed for sizes 14 to 20 (32 to 42 bust). Size 16 requires 4½ yards of 39-inch material.

Pattern 1382 is designed for sizes 34 to 48. Size 36 requires 2½ yards of 54-inch material with long sleeves; 3¾ yards of 39-inch material with short sleeves.

Send your order to The Sewing

Radio Waves

The longest time that has ever elapsed between the sending and receiving of a radio signal is four minutes and twenty seconds. If, as it is said, radio waves have a velocity of 186,000 miles a second, this particular signal may have traveled 48,360,000 miles, or a distance equivalent to almost 2,000 trips around the earth.—Collier's Weekly.

CHEW LONG BILL NAVY TOBACCO

ADVERTISED BARGAINS

OUR readers should always remember that our community merchants cannot afford to advertise a bargain unless it is a real bargain. They do advertise bargains and such advertising means money saving to the people of the community.

Portable HEAT
RADIANT
WITH A Coleman
RADIANT HEATER



Fruit of Suffering
Out of suffering comes the serious mind; out of the salvation the grateful heart; out of the deliverance, the faith.—Ruskin.

CONSTIPATED?

To keep food waste soft and moving, many doctors recommend Nujol—because of its gentle, lubricating action.



INSIST ON GENUINE NUJOL

Common Sense Bows
Common sense bows to the inevitable and makes use of it.
Wendell Phillips.

for Watery **HEAD**

NAVY TOBACCO 5¢
FLUKE

Did You Enjoy
Seeing
Johnnie Puppet?

"TIMELY NEWS"

The Red and White

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EDITORIAL

GET TOGETHER, STUDENTS

Avon Park has a fine cheering
squad, but this remark concerning
it was overheard on the other day:
"It appears to me as if the cheer-
ing squad could get together a lit-
tle more on its cheering."

We think that this is a somewhat
discouraging statement, but it is
unfortunately true to some degree.
During the excitement of a game
it is the natural tendency of the
students to leave their seats and
dash up and down the bleachers.

Everyone knows that more noise
and louder cheering can be made
if the cheerers are scattered all
over the field. It is not possible to have
even fair cheering.

Although we know that it is dif-
ficult for you to remain in one
place while a good game is going
on, if you try to remember that
you are doing your part in mak-
ing the boys on to victory it will be
easier for you.

FAST DRIVING MUST STOP!

A group of people in Tampa
have been sending in complaints to
authorities there about the reck-
less driving which persons attend-
ing football games have been do-
ing.

Most of the reckless drivers
are students, they have observed.
Also, they remarked that the great-
est fault which they find with
their driving was the terrific speed
with which they drove.

Time is not so precious that a
little saving of it might be the di-
rect cause of the death of some-
one. It is not worth it!

Fortunately we have had no re-
ports here in Avon Park of in-
stances in which students have par-
ticipated in reckless driving.

We have six games left in our
football schedule and four of them
are in other towns. This means that
we have ample opportunity yet
for someone to get killed or seriously
injured in traveling to or from a
football game.

The problem of reckless driving
furthermore will not end with the
football season. It will crop up a-
gain when everybody starts play-
ing baseball and basketball games
later on in the season.

The companion which often ac-
companies Reckless Driving on its
trip to death and injury is the old
fellow Intoxication. He is as old as
the hills themselves, but age has
not dulled his ability to get people
in trouble.

Students have been driving care-
fully and it is our desire as well
as everyone else's that they con-
tinue to do so!

CARDS TO APPEAR
WEDNESDAY

Report cards will make their ap-
pearance next Wednesday in the
school here.

Some of us will look forward to
receiving our report cards, while
others will not enjoy receiving
their's so much.

We may "put up a good front"
in our studies and expect to make
a good grade, but when we receive
our report cards we find that it
gives the grade as it is; no more
and no less.

Would-be acrobats who teeter
on the planks by the southwest
door are only endangering them-
selves. They are in a good position
to receive a broken arm or other
serious injury.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

"Kirdy, the road out of the
World" is a romance adventure
of Kirdy, a young Russian Cossack
and Nada, the daughter of a re-
tired Cossack, on the frozen Rus-
sian steppes.

Kirdy sets out alone to avenge
the betrayal of a troop of Cossacks
by a false czar. Far out across the
month's glacial Kirdy meets Otrepiy
the false czar; there in a dead Kirdy
saves Otrepiy and proves Nada's
loyalty.

This book should fascinate any
person, because of the curious
Russian folklore and the rush of
words in which it is told, coupled
with the fine style of which the
old heroic tales are made.

The book is decorated by Boris
Artyushoff.

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Heath Bureau Presents Play Friday, Oct. 15

Show Demonstration Rules For Care Of Teeth

Representatives of the State
Bureau of Health presented a tooth
puppet show Friday at 11 o'clock
in the high school auditorium. The
show dealt with the importance of
taking care of the teeth in a pro-
per manner.

Four big rules were set forth
in the play and each grammar
school student was asked to memo-
rize them.

The first scene was in Jack's
home. Jack was sitting around
mourning over a toothache when
his sister came in and reproached
him for not taking care of his
teeth. Jack was sorry he had not
taken care of his teeth because the
toothache he had was keeping him
from going to the zoo, aside from
the fact that it was hurting him.

The next scene was laid in Dr.
Carson's, the dentist's, office. There
Jack was filled and then he
learned the four big rules for
healthy teeth:

1. Drink milk and eat fruits and
vegetables; 2. exercise the teeth;
3. brush teeth twice a day and
sleep ten hours every night; 4. see
your dentist three times a year.

The third scene was in Dr. Car-
son's educational studio where
Jack and his mother learned what
happens if baby teeth do not get
proper care.

Following this the fourth and
last scene takes place in front of
Jack's home where Jack's mother
is shown buying fruits and vege-
tables from Tony, the fruit man.

The fruit man leaves and Ben-
ji, the son of Tony, comes up with
his organ and monkey; the scene
ends with Jack and his sister Joan
dancing and playing with the mon-
key.

This show is going to every
school in the state to teach the
grammar school students the im-
portance of proper care of the
baby teeth.

The puppets are made of wood,
they have human arms and legs
and are dressed in clever costumes.
They are operated from below the
stage by the fingers of the man-
agers of the show.

Sixteen Junior Social Club mem-
bers are learning to play contract
bridge under the instruction of
Mrs. A. M. Morgan.

They meet at the parish house
every Thursday at four o'clock.
They have had three lessons al-
ready.

Those that are being taught in-
clude: Jane Hartt, Elizabeth Het-
therton, Jan Clements, Dorothy
McNicholas, Dorothy Hughes, Bar-
bara Cloud, Nancy Betts, Frances
Betts, Mary Jane Sundstrom, Mary
Lydia Stebbins, Blanche McCord,
Mary McCarthy, James Bailey,
Charles Sherman, Marion Foster,
and Donald Todd.

Results of cooler weather—Pep
and Sniffles.

WPA Players Will Present Drama In The High School

Local high school English teach-
ers have received from the Works
Progress Administration's Florida
Federal Theatre Project in Jack-
sonville an outline for a play to
be used with the History of the
Drama series in advance of the
six great dramas which are to be
presented in the high school audi-
torium under the sponsorship of
the Music Organization, starting
with the old Roman comedy Mite-
rius, November 4 at 8 o'clock.

According to Dr. Stanley N.
Reeves, principal, the entire series
is to be acted by well known pro-
fessional Florida actors and ac-
tresses, with faithfully reproduced
costuming and stage settings, but
all done in the most modern stage
technique. It is pointed out that
Mrs. Hallie Flanagan, National
Director of the Federal Theatre
Project, John McGee, National
Program Director for the Project,
and Mrs. Dorothy Thomas Lynch,
State Director, have not only had
practical theatre training but
have all been the heads of success-
ful college or university drama-
tic departments and the present
series represents the results of
nearly two years of planning to
produce a series which combines
the height of modern theatre en-
tertainment value for adults as
well as children, with the partic-
ular great plays of importance
theatre-history epochs which will
themselves constitute a vital living
knowledge of the world's progress
in the making of plays.

"Great plays should not be
taught as mere stuffy literature,"
says Mrs. Lynch. "But teachers are
at a great disadvantage unless the
students can be made to visualize
the famous theatre classics as be-
ing as gripping and as funny as
contemporary original audience con-
sidered them. Few young—or even older—
people can project their imagina-
tions far enough into the bound
volume of a play to make the pos-
sible and," she adds, "unless school
children and adults can see a few
typically good plays, well acted by
competent original actors and ac-
tresses under refreshing direc-
tion, no standard of comparison is
possible for them."

Class Officers Are Known By Nicknames; Bailey New One

By J. W. TUTEN

James "Red", the Yankee, along
with his pals, gets kicked out of
Glee Club.

They go to study hall.
They congregate around a table.
They all hum at once.

Teacher catches Bailey.
Fol tells teacher he's nutty, and
now he is known as "Bailey the
Boob."

Jim Bailey is by no means the
only class officer who has a nick-
name.

Since once upon a time when a
soda boy slipped up on her name,
Faye Gordon has been called
"Fay."

Earlie Lynn also a prominent
student in the senior class, has been
dubbed "Wildcat" by the football
team because he runs like a wild-
cat.

Jane Hartt, who has had a nick-
name all her life, is known as
"Jane."

The last officer in the senior
class is Mr. Baldwin. In 1930, he
was on a hunting expedition when
a coyote of quail flew up. Cyril shot
six times and not a feather was
touched, so Cyril cried all the way
home. Now he is known as "Cry-al"
Baldwin.

"Way Back" Foster is president
of the junior class and plays on the
football team. When the Red Devils
are defending their game, he plays
way back out of the play.

Nellene Cannon and Betty Sher-
man, who never had nicknames, are
now threatened with some. Nellene
is going to be known as "Neller"
and Betty as "Bitts", a short name
for Betty.

In the sophomore class we find
the president a red headed "B"
team end, whose name is L. C.
Davis, better known to friends as
"Red."

Our friend Jimmy Heim, who is
guard for "The Devils", received
a nickname which is difficult to
explain. He is called "Heimy" be-
cause he was bitten by a mad dog
which had hydrophobia when he
was small. After this, everyone
called him "Heimy-fobia" but soon
the last part was left off, and now
his name is "Heimy".

The last sophomore class officer
is Calvin Bryant known as "Kiki"
Bryant. He joined the Boy Scouts
at an early age and was the first
one in the new troop to receive his
uniform which was made of khaki.

In the freshman class is found
the president called "Herbie" Todd
which is short for Herbert. His
cousin gave this name to him when
he was a very small child and he
has stuck to it.

At last a nicknameless class officer
has been found! As yet Ine-
tine Hawkins has escaped being tagged
"Iny" or "Netty" by her
schoolmates. Turning proper we
predict—it won't be long now!

During home room period Mon-
day Mrs. Peden's section of the
Tenth grade put on a "guess who"
program in Miss Millie Pearson's
room.

The program was opened by
Murray Williams reading a scrip-
ture from the Bible and then lead-
ing the Lord's Prayer.

Verlie Stuart, James Ward, Elsie
Viel, Kline Blackburn, Robert
Freeston and Harriet Sherre gave
descriptions of certain persons in
the room and each pupil had en-
ough to tell who it was. The pupils
who gave the descriptions were
given a point for each correct an-
swer. The game was very interest-
ing and the pupils enjoyed it.

Along with Ed's outstanding
performance, C. W. showed forth
that only an all-ridge man could
show by his long high punts and
his accurate passing. He also made
the best score in the game when he
took one of Ed's laterals through
several would-be-tacklers for
the six points.

Although the Devils registered
ten first downs to the Tiger's four
the game was evenly matched until
the final quarter when the Devils
looked to make a vicious rear-
end attack that the Tiger's were unable
to cope with.

Receiving the ball deep in their
territory, the Red Devils de-
scribed a march down the field that
netted the only score of the game.
The Tiger's threatened the
Devils' goal line only once during
the entire game, that coming af-
ter they had completed a long hie-
dout pass. Then they were penalized
for off-side and this break en-
abled the Devils to hold them
scoreless.

"A new typewriter is needed in
the library," says Miss Betty Ellen
Smith. "The one now in use is a
Remington which has been here
for 25 or 30 years." (She might
have added that it sounds like a
thrashing machine.)

The first social event of the
Girl Scouts will be a winter roast
at the Byrd Lodge, October 25,
at four-thirty.

The new members include: Vir-
ginia Spencer, Hilda Clark, Juanita
Sauls, Helen Meeks, Virginia Bos-
man, Dicks Folsom, Jerry Connell,
Margaret Harper, Mary Clements,
Juanita Hunter, Harriet Sherre,
Winifred Hood, Betty Touchton,
Marjorie Wells, Betty Moffett, and
Nita Bryant.

Bud Belin Selected Reporter By Coach

In a letter from Peter Scheal,
sports editor of the Orlando Morning
Sentinel, to Coach Arthur Wag-
ner of the Red Devil team, Mr.
Scheal asked for a capable re-
porter to cover all home games of
the defending Ridge Conference
champions. Bud Belin, assistant
editor of the school paper, "The
Red and White", has been selected
by Coach Wagner to cover these
games; he indeed has turned in a
commendable job on the first three
home games of Avon Park.

The write-ups of these games
consist of hundred word stories be-
sides the standard line-ups. The
stories are sent by telephone or
teletype immediately after the
game, as they appear in the paper
on the following morning.

Massachusetts' Gallows Hill
Gallows Hill is the scene given to
the in the neighborhood of Salem.
Mass. On Oct. 10 during the after-
noon of 1902 a number of victims
were hanged as witches. It is al-
so called Witch Hill.

Plays "Peaches"

Excellent cast as the vampire,
"Peaches" in Miles Glorious or
the Boastful Soldier, Federal The-
atre play at the high school audi-
torium Thursday evening, Novem-
ber 4 at 8 o'clock. Miss Green is
an experienced actress and radio
entertainer whose picture the crit-
ics like to publish. Among the
plays in which she has had impor-
tant parts during the last eighteen
months are the Ninth Guest, Light-
nin', Smilin' Through, Escape, An
Heir at Large, Pursuit of Happi-
ness, Candle Light, Last Enemy,
Criminal at Large, Engaged.

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riweather.

Probable line-up for Arcadia:
lg, Harvey Blackman; lg, King
Beard; lg, Glenn Corley; cf, Bill
Martin; rg, Virgil Clark; rb, Bobby
Bevis; lb, Jack Newton; lb, John-
ny Carter; rb, Armond Tew; fb,
Sam Stribling.

Since there were not enough
boys to accommodate the de-
vils from Avon Park, the former Se-
bring and Avon Park boys promptly
took one mattress from their beds
and placed it on the floor.

The Avon Park boys thought this
was very nice of them but to their
surprise the hosts gave them the
best of the floor.

Added to the surprise the local
boys had already received, the
Tampa boys made them feel as if
they really were going to school
there and were a part of their
crowd.

During the game that afternoon
Tampa University's manager
noticed one of the local boys was
missing, and after finding the
proper size he secured another one
for the player.

J. W. Tuten hurt his ankle in the
game at 2 o'clock in the mat-
ch. The University doctor got out
of bed to bandage it for him.

Added to these many deeds Billy
McCarthy succeeded in securing pas-
es to the college football game for
all the Avon Park players who
were able to stay in Tampa.

This Friday night spirit show-
ing toward visitors by the students of
Tampa University helps in making
that university one of the largest
and best in the south.

Those boys visiting in Tampa
were: Ed Touchton, Earlie Lynn,
Eugene Martin, "Boob" Bailey,
Junior Tuten, and Lloyd Gribble.

Armistice Program
Committee Appointed

Faye Gordon, president of the
senior class, has appointed a com-
mittee to prepare an Armistice
Day program for chapel on Nov.
12.

The committee consists of Jane
Hartt, Marguerite Loomis and Bud
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J. HARDIN

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