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State Press Comment

LEE IS RIGHT

(From Lake Wales Highlander)

Word comes through "grape vine" channels that Comptroller Lee's stand against paying the gas tax money for various court house expenses where they have no more roads to "sell" the state, may be attacked from another source.

The Highlander bears that some of the big bond interests in the state have interested several cities and that soon there may be pressure brought to bear for an extra session with the idea of passing a law providing that part of the gas money may be used to pay municipal bonds.

There are several good reasons why this should not be done.

First and most important, it is not fair to motorists that the gas tax money should be used for any other purpose than building and maintaining highways. Much is so used, of course, but the Highlander believes it is not fair to do it and that sometimes it will be stopped. In fact, the Federal Government has already stopped it in some states, by refusing to match the state's gas tax contribution with federal funds.

In the second place money not used for road building and maintenance should be left in the commoner's hands. In other words, the gas tax should be cut down unless it is all going to be used for highway purposes.

In the third place it is not more fair to pay city expenses with gas tax money than it is to pay county expenses.

In the fourth place such a move would stop every city refund not already accomplished and would make every city bond worth 100 cents on the dollar, thus putting millions of dollars into the hands of bondholders. No city could refund a city bond at four if the state had made the bond worth 100 cents while still bearing five or six percent interest.

Other reasons may be brought forward but these are enough it seems to us. Lee has been standing out for the right principle in opposing the use of gas tax funds by the counties for anything other than roads and would be justified, we believe, in opposing a similar use for the benefit of cities.

All gas tax funds should go into the hands of the state road board and be used for road building or road maintenance only.

And if the state wants many more new roads it must face the idea soon of giving the road board more money because we are rapidly approaching the time when most of the funds available will be needed for maintenance, and not available for new construction.

HUGE COST OF GOVERNMENT

(From Sarasota Tribune)

A statement made by C. P. Weidling, president of the Florida Tax Revision League, shows that county, city and local government costs the people of Florida approximately \$73,000,000 per year.

The expenses of the state government, not including funds prorated back to the counties, costs taxpayers another \$25,000,000 annually, says this same authority.

"The only complete figures on the costs of county and city government for those contained in the report of the U. S. Department of Commerce for 1931," he said. These show that state and local government in Florida during 1931 cost \$98,000,000.

The principal reason for the excessive cost of county and local government is our antiquated system of taxation and cumbersome governmental set-up, the league official pointed out.

The tax revision program sponsored by the league is designed to correct these defects, according to Mr. Weidling, but only the legislature has authority to make the recommended revisions.

Certainly, there must be some way by which the cost of local and state government can be cut, and cut deeply.

PLENTY OF NEED!

"Although Florida has one of the finest highway systems in the world, the time will come, and not so distant future," the Sanford Herald warns, "when the present 12,383 miles of paving will prove inadequate and the present rate of new construction will have to be increased. The tremendous increase in the number of automobile users, as well as the constant resort to public highways for freight transportation, is bound to make additional highways necessary." Regarding the character of future Florida highways, the Herald suggests: "Two-lane highways will have to be built so that the danger of head-on collisions may be avoided. The better still, one-way highways will be constructed so that the Sanfords going to Orlando will travel on one road while those returning to Sanford will take another. All railroad crossings will have to be eliminated, and underpasses will have to be built where main highways meet. And there should be special highways constructed for heavy trucks. This is no idle warning and it suggests that the Florida of the future will have plenty of vital ways in which to spend its gas tax money without diverting it to pay for the ordinary administration of some of our smaller counties."—MIAMI DAILY NEWS.

COST OF GOVERNMENT

(From Orlando Sentinel)

The Florida Tax Revision League is doing the most consistent job of propagating against State governmental expense.

There are those who cry out against the league,

charging it is supported by big, fat taxpayers. . . . Suppose it is. The big fellows cannot lower their own taxes by harping against Tallahassee waste and not, at the same time, lower taxes for the little fellow.

As a matter of fact, we don't think the Tax League is lolling in wealth. If it is, it does a pretty good job of hiding its riches. From what we have seen it is a highly energetic organization, doing a lot of digging and regular writing.

The latest from their pen says: "Florida's need is a state-wide efficiency contest in governmental offices."

Well, there's nothing for a taxpayer to get mad about in that.

Continuing: "If private business operated on the same standard of efficiency as most governmental departments, wherever business in Florida would be bankrupt in six months."

Right again . . .

FOR ALL FLORIDA

(Plant City Courier)

Comptroller Lee finds himself in the middle of a fix in the state gas tax matter. But unless a man does something he doesn't get in the middle of fix. We believe that the comptroller is right in his stance, and that he is looking after the interest of the state as a whole, and not after the interest of this or that other county. After all, Mr. Lee is a state official and he is not to be held responsible for the actions of the state as a whole that he acts. The business of taxing gas is getting more and more into the racket class when one considers the uses to which gas tax monies are sometimes put and Comptroller Lee is trying to live to the law and spirit of the law, rather than the all too common course of playing all sides against the middle with result unfairness to some sectors.

TOO LATE TO CLAYSON

By RUSSELL KAY

We of Florida have become more or less accustomed to the blunt, but nevertheless picturesque, speech that characterizes the public utterances of our Chief Executive.

Because we know him we realize that our interpretation should not be too literal. We overlook colorful phraseology and seek the middle ground, in the knowledge that what FRED MEANS cannot always be determined clearly by what he SAYS.

The homely philosophy of the backwoods, with its deep reverence for American ideals and institutions, has been pushed into the background while sleek, ungodly disciples of the new order dull the flame our forefathers kindled, with meaningless honeyed phrases and oratorical platitudes.

Florida's first Governor, who later became the Nation's seventh president, spoke the same language that Florida's Governor speaks to-day. His statement, when confronted with those who were more blunt and picturesque as that attributed to Governor Cone, only "Old Hickory" made a personal matter of it and said he'd "go down there and hang 'em" himself, if they didn't behave.

Perhaps the Governor's remarks would have been better unmade. Certainly the well-meaning down-up speech should not be too literal. Reds and pinks will rave and tear their hair; political pussyfooters, fence-straddlers and vote seekers will wave flags and thump their many chests. But deep down in their hearts countless millions of true loyal Americans will concur with those sentiments, despite their crude expression, and the reaction will prove more favorable than unfavorable to our state and our Governor.

As a congressman, Mark Wilcox has made an enviable record. His courage in coming out without equivocation for those principles in which he believes is admired by friends and enemies alike. While others side-stepped, he came out openly against prohibition and his stand ability in presenting the earned for him a seat in Congress, even though he opposed no less a personage than Ruth Bryan Owen.

Again, during the late election, when most political aspirants were pussy-footing and dodging the issue, Mark courageously took his stand against the Townsend Plan at a time when to do so seemed little short of political suicide, and again he won.

That Mark would like a seat in the United States Senate cannot be denied. In fact, he admits such an ambition. But just how he is to obtain it is a matter of conjecture, and while those who would speak for him would have you believe he has definitely chosen to run against Claude Pepper, I, for one, am not ready to accept this belief.

The old gag about "making the race at the insistence of my friends" certainly could not apply in this instance, for no real friend of Mark's would encourage him to enter such a hopeless contest. The odds against him are too great, the time too short, and necessary support so doubtful as to make it a most foolhardy undertaking and none knows this better than Mr. Wilcox himself.

Pepper's defeat would bring joy to the hearts of certain groups — the same groups that would thrill at the defeat of Franklin D. Roosevelt — for to them the names Pepper and Roosevelt are synonymous. They have no particular interest in Mr. Wilcox's personal ambitions, but they are in a possible opponent to Pepper. They'd drop him to-morrow if they could discover a better one. Being nobody's fool, Mr. Wilcox also realizes this.

As it stands to-day, Pepper is stronger than ever. He has lost little, if any, support. The press, even in Wilcox's own district, generally favors Pepper. The state administration may kid Wilcox along, but it will go "down the line" for Pepper when the gong rings. Fred Cone is a Roosevelt and an administration man; he won't lend aid to one whose campaign is based on criticism of administration policies and leadership. The good ladies of the W. C. T. U., while not strong enough to defeat Wilcox against Mr. Owen, have not forgotten nor have they forgiven. Loyal followers of Dr. Townsend likewise have a score to settle with the gentleman from West Palm Beach. President Roosevelt and those who believe in him promise little aid and comfort to Mark in his campaign. The support of lumber barons and utility chiefs, while helpful financially, is far from enough to offset the popular vote.

My unimportant personal guess is Mr. Wilcox WILL run, but not against Mr. Pepper. He'll run for re-election to Congress as representative of the Fourth District.

Avon Park Publicity In New York Paper

Despite a few minor inaccuracies, Avon Park received some excellent publicity in the New York "Herald Tribune" on Tuesday, October 19. The story concerned Alfred Engelmann and the large business he has built up shipping baby chicks by air to Central and South America. The story reads:

Thanks to the speed of airplanes and the fact that chicks never eat during the first seventy-two hours of life, a lucrative new business has been created in the exportation of American poultry to Central and South America, it was learned yesterday.

More than 1,000,000 of the non-hungry infant fowl have been transported in special "poultry apartment houses" built into the tails of Pan American Clipper ships since the idea was conceived. Some 10,000 are leaving the United States each week now, with indications that an additional 500,000 or more than half million will be established for 1937.

The first detailed account of the "industry" came from William L. Van Dusen, an experienced aviator, who said it had its origin with Robert Becerra, a traffic manager of the Western division, an experienced chicken raiser, who, in turn, had introduced to chicken, fried, broiled or roasted.

South American Fowl Tough On his first trip over the line through Central America to Panama in 1929, Mr. Soto tasted chicken at many stops and found it tough. He learned, however, that the birds were coming, done with the aim of developing fighting cocks, had gone so far in the last 400 years that in "Venezuela, for instance, hens and spurs and for no other reason than necks." He discovered, too, that replacement was prohibitively expensive because hatching eggs could not be transported.

Mr. Soto came back and arranged to ship baby chicks by air from Brownsville, Tex. W. B. Lawton, then traffic manager in Miami, did the same from his town. Then William F. Engelmann, owner of a poultry farm at Avon Park, Fla., one of the shippers, came to the following conclusion: chicks weigh less than eggs and do not eat for several days after hatching, why not ship the chicks and save on express charges?

"Poultry Apartment House" Made Mr. Engelmann and traffic experts developed the "poultry apartment house," a light weight, reinforced paper box, divided into compartments, each complete with replaceable floors, air-conditioning vents and broad dormer windows. One hundred chicks can be packed in a box, and the first shipment to Miami to the first stop in South America, in Colombia, for \$7.42.

"Shipments are not accepted when the chicks are more than twelve hours old," Mr. Van Dusen said. "Actually, hatching is done, not on the basis of orders, but on the basis of 'airplane space available.' Shipment restrictions are made for regular shippers. And that is why, in Peru, in Venezuela and in most of the other South and Central American countries, the eating of chicken has become once more a pleasure instead of just exercise."

Woman's Club Meet On Friday Next Week

The monthly meeting of the Avon Park Women's Club will be held on Friday afternoon, November 5, at 2:30 p.m. An interesting program has been arranged. The executive board will meet on Thursday, November 4, at 10 a.m. in the office of Mrs. O. Head in the Jaccarda Building.

Section nine of the F. W. V. C. will meet at Lake Alfred on Saturday, November 6.

Teachers' Salary Fund to Receive Full Allocation

Tallahassee, Oct. 28.—(FNS)—Florida's school teachers' salary fund will get its full monthly allocation of \$1,255,000 shortly after Nov. 1, State Comptroller J. M. Lee announced today after a couple of weeks of uncertainty as collection efforts under the retail store tax were pressed.

The fund will be allocated to the state superintendent as soon as checks received from hundreds of merchants the past ten days clear the banks and are credited to the state treasury account by the banks.

The payment will leave the cupboards bare as this payment will require that even the surplus in the motor vehicle expense fund be tapped for approximately \$150,000 to get the fund required. The surplus represents savings in operation of the motor vehicle department from its expense allowance of 1 percent of tag sales, the transfer of which probably will be authorized by Governor Cone and Comptroller Lee, as authorized by law.

At twenty years of age the bill reigns; at thirty, the wit; and at forty, the judgment.—Gratian.

OCTOBER MEETING OF WELFARE BOARD

Old Age Assistance Case Records Are To Be Audited

The District No. 8 Welfare Board held its October meeting in Fort Myers. Clayton C. Coddington, Commissioner and Ivey Futch, State Board member from Lake Placid were present at the meeting.

During the day 249 applications for Old Age Assistance were approved and 61 rejected. Of this number 18 were approved for Highlands county and two were rejected. This brings the total figure of those now receiving Old Age Assistance in Highlands county to 81.

In the Highlands, Hardee and DeSoto Unit located in Wauchula, Miss Elizabeth Tarrar is the supervisor. Mrs. Letha Cardon, Mrs. Zeama E. Morgan, Mrs. Miss Willie B. Price, Miss Nina Whitlock and Mrs. Josephine Bigelow are visitors in DeSoto county. The clerical workers for the unit are Miss Mary E. Josey, Miss Louise Neely and Miss Muriel Warren.

The workers in District No. 8 are working toward completing all pending applications for Old Age Assistance.

Chairman Ireland announced that auditors from the Social Security Board are expected within the next few days to go over the records of all cases now receiving Old Age Assistance to see that age and residence have been proven and that those receiving are in need of the assistance.

Those present at the meeting were: Mr. Futch, Mr. Coddington, chairman, D. Ireland, Mrs. Marie C. Kayton, Wauchula; J. Hancock, Punta Gorda, Mrs. D. Graham Copeland, Everglades; Mrs. A. R. Barnett, Bradenton; Mrs. J. A. McGehee, Cleveland; Bruce L. Davis, Arcadia; Miss Eunice Minton, field representative for the State Welfare Board; and Miss Martha Nelson, district director.

Decrease in Expenses Shown by Fla. Motor Vehicle Department

Tallahassee, Oct. 28.—(FNS)—Governor Cone once again reported statements that the state has sufficient money to meet its obligations and that no new sources of revenue are needed, are supported by the report of increased revenue and decreased expenses of the motor vehicle department, of which D. W. Finley is the new head.

For the first three-quarters of this year the report shows an increase in revenue of considerable more than \$600,000 and a decrease in operating expenses of more than \$450,000; making a combined total of a little less than three-quarters of a million dollars for the three-quarters of a year the new administration has been in control. Officials of the motor vehicle department estimate that the increased revenue and decrease in expenditures for the first year will reach a sum of nearly a million dollars.

The savings in the operation of this department can be accounted for largely by the decrease in the number of employees. When the new administration went into office, it found more than 180 employees and played stunting over each other trying to find something to do. Now the department is operated on practically half that number, and the increased amount of business handled shows that there has been no loss in efficiency.

Completion of Fla. Canal Believed by State Congressmen

Ocala, Oct. 28.—(FNS)—Speaking before a joint meeting of the civic clubs of this city last week, Representatives Joe Hendricks and Senator Claude Pepper both expressed a firm belief of the ultimate completion of the Florida Cross State Canal. Pointing out that the highest geological and engineering authorities had given the project their full approval, the speakers stated that the proposition was in a more favorable position at this time than ever before.

Congressman Hendricks stated that based on his own information he secured all available data relative to the Kell Canal, the Panama Canal, the Manchester Canal, and others, and found that in every case when these were proposed, dire consequences were predicted that almost word for word would match the objections given by opponents to the Florida Canal, yet the construction of these other projects each proved they were justified and of great value.

Both Pepper and Hendricks expressed hope for some action during the coming congressional session.

SCOUT NEWS

The Boy Scouts had a Board of Review Monday night at which time Calvin Bryant was awarded the Star Scout rank. This rank is the fourth step in Scouting. Other boys went up for different requirements and Merit badges. There were refreshments for those who attended the review, afterwards.

We now have two active competitive Patrols with Calvin Bryant and Herbert Todd as patrol leaders. The scouts are now meeting in their new scout hall, at 7:30 p.m. Monday nights. We are trying to build our membership up now and all boys 12 years or older who are interested in scouting are invited to come to our meeting.

Scribe, HERBERT TODD

2 Cars, New Truck In 1938 Ford Line

New York, Oct. 27.—An advance showing of 1938 Ford V-8 cars and trucks opened this afternoon at the Ford Metropolitan showroom at 1710 Broadway.

Two distinct Ford V-8 cars, differing in appearance, appointments and price, were presented. One was the de luxe Ford V-8, the other the standard Ford V-8.

The standard car is designed for owners to whom economy in first cost and operating cost is paramount. The de luxe car provides added luxury and style for those who desire them.

Both cars have the same V-8 chassis. The eight de luxe type cars are available only with the 85 horsepower V-8 engine, the three standard types with either the 85 horsepower or the 60 horsepower engine.

The de luxe car is a stylish sister of the standard. It is entirely new in appearance. The radiator grille is of new design. Appointments of the hood is larger and more sweeping. Fenders are massive. Interior appointments are in keeping with the styling of the exterior. Substantially more room in the closed sedans, greater passenger comfort and much larger luggage space are provided.

The standard V-8 cars reveal new styling, with a different radiator grille design, long hood and flowing contours. The spacious interiors are roomy and attractively upholstered and appointed.

In addition to the two passenger cars, Ford is to present an expanded line of V-8 trucks and commercial cars. Both are newly styled to lend added "eye appeal" in commercial transportation.

A new group of "one-tonner" trucks also is offered, in addition to the 12-inch commercial cars and the 134-inch and 157-inch wheelbase trucks.

The new "one-tonner" is designed specifically to bridge the gap between the commercial cars and the truck groups. Available with either 85 horsepower or 60 horsepower engine, it is expected to make the economies of the latter engine more widely available in commercial transportation.

Other advances for 1938 are the new 134-inch wheelbase truck, replacing the 131 1/2-inch wheelbase in the big truck line, a new frame width for the 134-inch and 157-inch wheelbase units, improved brakes and easier steering and stronger construction throughout.

CAFE WORKERS MUST HAVE HEALTH CARDS

Miami Restaurant Proprietors Asked To Comply With State Law

Tallahassee, Oct. 28.—(FNS)—A vigorous statewide campaign to force all proprietors of restaurants and eating houses in the state to require health cards for their employees was inaugurated this week when 14 eating house proprietors in Miami were notified to comply with the law, or suffer the consequences, in the form of a revocation of their license, Hotel Commissioner Taylor announced.

"Many operators of eating houses have not complied with the state law requiring all employees who handle food to pass physical examinations and furnish health cards before they can go to work," Taylor said. "The hotel commission has instructed its entire force of inspectors to wage a war on this practice, and to cure it in one way or another."

"We are right at the beginning of a monster tourist season," the commissioner said, "and it is our determination to do all in our power to protect the public health and welfare through rigid enforcement of those rules and regulations designed for this purpose."

Employees seeking positions should first have a physical examination and secure a regulation health card from their physicians. The fee which is paid to the physician is set at \$1.00, the commissioner explained.

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Leigh Chapter, O.E.S. Honored Mrs. Lander Thursday Evening

Leigh Chapter No. 85, O. E. S., entertained on Thursday evening at the Masonic Temple, honoring Mrs. Mamie S. Lander, winter Park, who was recently elected to the position of Right Worthy Grand Associate Conduktor of the General Grand Chapter of Florida. Chapters from adjoining districts were well represented. Sister Lander gave a very interesting account of the General Grand Chapter meeting.

A program of instrumental music was rendered by Mary Lydia Stebbins and interesting dance numbers by Betty Moffet.

This was also the birthday night of Leigh Chapter, its twenty-second, and a beautifully decorated birthday cake with coffee was served.

Art Club To Meet On Friday Evening

The Avon Park Art club will hold the regular November meeting in the women's club rooms, Friday, November 5th at 8 P. M. Members please note change of date.

Myrtle Taylor Bradford will be the speaker. A musical program, arranged by Mrs. G. S. McKnight, will be presented.

The school faculty, the press, ministers and their wives are invited guests.

Miss Christine Lofton of Lake Placid, has entered the senior class of Avon Park high school and will make her home this winter with her aunt, Mrs. Roland Drott.

Bride Elect Honoree At Shower Thursday

Miss Mary Turner, who will be married to Pat Pollock on November 6, was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower given by Mrs. J. L. Deleag, Miss Ethel Windham, Miss Doris Williams and Mrs. Ella Hargrave, Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Glen Spink.

Wild flowers in colors of gold and white were used, golden rosi and bread wreath being in evidence.

At one end of the room a large rainbow led to a pot of gold, filled with beautiful gifts for the honoree.

The hostesses presented Miss Turner with an electric table master, and the Rebecca Lodge gave her an attractive floor lamp.

Mrs. Daisy Ten Eyck, gave a reading, "Toast to the Bride" and the guests wrote their favorite recipes for her.

Delicious refreshments of angel food cake and coffee were served. Favors were tiny pots of gold filled with mints, placed on the plates.

Invited guests were: Mrs. Ida Ott, Miss Harriet Alexander, Mrs. Thelma Camp, Mrs. Briscoe Willis, Mrs. J. L. Wells, Mrs. T. J. McGinnis, Mrs. Charles Best, Mrs. Adele Causey, Mrs. Frank Wilkes, Miss Gwendolyn Weaver, Miss Hazel Cameron, Mrs. Henry Turnbull, Mrs. Arthur Shaw, Mrs. J. G. Hall, Mrs. Arnold Hanson, Miss Helen Beckett, Mrs. George Turner, Mrs. Jack Tyne, Mrs. R. B. Smith, Mrs. Wesley Davis, Mrs. Cecil Collins, of Sebring, Mrs. Marjorie Church, Mrs. George Turner, Miss Mabel Collins, Mrs. Lawrence Coffee, of Ft. Myers, Mrs. Grover Daly, Mrs. Floyd Houghboom, Mrs. Dora Hayne, Mrs. George Hayne, Mrs. Clare Mann, Mrs. Harriet Smith, Mrs. Kathleen Jones, Mrs. J. B. Rodgers, Mrs. Elmer Wray, Mrs. Mildred Wray, Mrs. Jack Cox, Mrs. Harry Dilley, Mrs. B. T. Cox, Mrs. Pearl Spink, Mrs. Daisy Ten Eyck, Mrs. Nancy Boarf, Mrs. Sue Saylor, Mrs. W. Hauptmann, Mrs. W. H. Yates, Mrs. J. D. Raab, Mrs. G. S. McKnight, Miss Mildred Martin, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. S. C. Pardee, Mrs. Harriet Collins, Miss Ann Harrell, Miss Millie Pearson, Mrs. Ben Stewart, Mrs. Pat Gordon, Mrs. Robert Stewart, Mrs. C. Harris, Mrs. Gertrude Montano, Mrs. N. H. Trent, Mrs. C. R. Ginn, Mrs. Louise S. Seibert, Mrs. J. E. Brick and others.

Mrs. Arline Roberts of Highland Lakes has returned home after a two week visit in St. Petersburg.

Birthday Party At Todd Home

Josephine Beck of Lakeland celebrated her 13th birthday anniversary Saturday afternoon at a birthday party given by Mrs. E. G. Todd, at her home on Lake Todd.

Games and contests were enjoyed during the afternoon. In a flower contest, Martha McCord was the winner and received a prize, a folder of stationery.

The decorations in the dining room emphasized the Halloween motif, the table was covered with an orange crepe paper cover, decorated with black and white and centered with a chocolate covered cake with orange candles. Games were attached to orange cups filled with black and yellow candies. Cake and ice cream were served and Halloween ice-creamers were given as favors.

Josephine received many attractive gifts from her friends attending the party.

Mrs. Todd was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. F. H. Haskins of Sebring and Mrs. William Reck.

Guests were Juanita Haskins of Sebring, Peggy Mandis, Betty Moffet, Betty Touchton, Marjorie Hood, Margaret Dilley, Martha McCord, Willa Pearl McGiboney, Dorothy Welch and Gloria Hughes.

Circle Two Met With Mrs. Lockett

Mrs. D. T. Lockett was hostess on Monday afternoon, to members of Circle Two of the Baptist Missionary society.

The devotionals was led by Mrs. Fred Weatherly.

Mrs. B. F. Martin presided over the business session.

The second chapter of the mission book, "The Life of Basil Lockett," was taught by Mrs. S. J. Pendleton.

Refreshments of date and nut loaf with whipped cream and coffee were served.

Those present were Mrs. J. H. Coon, Jr., Mrs. I. H. Ford, Mrs. S. J. Pendleton, Mrs. Earnest Spencer, Mrs. J. B. Coen, Mrs. L. D. McGiboney, Mrs. Frank Cosine, Mrs. B. F. Martin, Mrs. Fred Weatherly, Mrs. J. D. Sherman, Mrs. David Stuckey, Mrs. F. L. Seibert, Mrs. S. F. Longbottom, Mrs. E. Foster, Mrs. C. Coy and Mrs. Milford Dilley.

Halloween Party At McGiboney Home

Willa Pearl McGiboney and Ann Eudora Bates entertained a large number of their friends at a Halloween party at the home of Willa Pearl Thursday night.

Guests were taken to "haunted house" filled with specks and spider webs and given a Halloween initiation.

Hot dogs, pickles, ginger bread and punch were served on the lawn. Present were Ed Sherman, Jack Head, Jr., Charles Lawhon, Mary Clements, Desmond Roberts, Betty Touchton, Martha McNicholas, Marjorie Wells, Eugene Fields, Martha McCord, Fowell Skipper, James Bradbury, Ann Catherine Carter, Helen Jarrett, Alvin W. Watter, Fred Foster, Gloria Hughes, Robert Louis and Sanford Hart.

B. F. Martin Honoree At Birthday Party

Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Dalton, the deacons of the Baptist church, and their wives, met Tuesday evening in the basement of the church, in honor of the birthday of B. F. Martin.

A covered dish supper was served buffet style after which Halloween games were played.

Present were, Mrs. and Mrs. J. L. Collins, Mrs. and Mrs. G. D. Gordin, Mrs. and Mrs. D. T. Lockett, Mrs. and Mrs. J. B. Coen, Mrs. and Mrs. Ray Wells, Mrs. and Mrs. J. H. Dean, Mrs. J. B. Coen and daughter Gail, and C. D. Noland.

Mrs. Godwin Hostess To Circle One

Circle One of the Baptist Missionary society met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. E. Godwin.

Mrs. W. C. Touchton led the devotional.

Mrs. J. P. Dalton taught the lesson, from the book, "The Life of Basil Lockett."

The hostess served mince pie and coffee.

Present were Mrs. Anna Lawhon, Mrs. L. Lawhon, Mrs. Briscoe Willis, Mrs. Bob Adams, Mrs. D. H. Bowman, Mrs. W. W. McFarland, Mrs. J. P. Dalton and Mrs. W. C. Touchton.

Picnic Enjoyed By Girl Scouts

A weiner roast was given by the girl scout organization of Avon Park at Lake Byrd lodge Monday afternoon, chaperoned by Miss Erres Arrant, scout leader and school teacher.

The scouts met at the school house at 4:30 and journeyed in cars to the lodge. Ladies carrying cars were Mrs. J. Hood, Mrs. Moffet, Mrs. Connell and Miss Lillian Bennett.

The meeting was held on the lawn of the lodge with the scout sitting around in a circle. The first move of the meeting was to elect, Marie Vanderveer for scribe.

Following this each patrol was given its own patrol meeting, and then the girls were divided into teams to select a patrol leader and a scoutmaster.

The majority of the girls did something toward completing the tenderfoot test. After they had finished eating they sat around and enjoyed talking until a late hour.

Patrols were prepared for the Monday afternoon at 4:30 in Miss Arrant's home. Girls wanting to join the scouts are urged to attend.

Those present were: Doris Reddick, Claire Vanderveer, Lillian Bennett, June Gough, Deloris Carr, Mildred Cason, Mrs. Mary Pardee, Martha McNicholas, Peggy Mandis, Martha McCord, Mary Carrott, Dorothy Welch, Jean Cannon, Gloria Hughes, Bobbie Lee Hart, Betty Touchton, Betty Moffet, Mary Clements, Juanita Hunt, Marjorie Sherertz, Winifred Hood, Harriet Wells, Nita Bryant, Hilda Smith, Clara Vinton, Dorothy Welch, Juanita Scales, Mary Meeks, Virginia Bozeman, Jerry Cornell, Margaret Harper, Paty Rounds, and Margaret Dilley.

Legion Auxiliary Met Monday Night

The American Legion Auxiliary met Monday night at the Legion home.

Plans were discussed for the sixth district conference to be held in Avon Park next Sunday.

The Auxiliary conference will be held at the Lakeland hotel at 2 o'clock and all members are urged to attend.

President Mrs. A. M. Morgan appointed Mrs. J. B. Coen, chairman, Mrs. L. D. McGiboney, Americanism and National Defense chairman; Mrs. W. H. Hetherington, Publicity; Mrs. John Hood, Membership chairman who with her committee plans an extensive membership campaign within the next few weeks.

It was voted to have the next meeting in two weeks, a covered dish supper at the Legion home.

Those attending were Mrs. A. M. Morgan, Mrs. Ed Welch, Mrs. John Hood, Mrs. Floyd Johnson, Mrs. Alice Sherman, Mrs. J. L. Deleag, Mrs. Ruth Clowe, Mrs. D. Smith, Donald Todd, Ed Touchton, Bud Trent, Fred Kipp, Charles Moffett, John Edward Lamb, James Jordan, and Max Mathis.

Chaperons were: Dr. and Mrs. Stanley N. Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Garber, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Betts, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wagner.

Halloween Party At Lake Byrd Lodge

One of the most delightful affairs of the season was the Halloween party and dance given by Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Reeves and Mrs. Paul Garber Wednesday evening at Lake Byrd Lodge.

On arrival the guests were ushered through a new door into a chamber of horrors. In the lobby the balcony and ceiling were hung with orange and black paper streamers, and jack-o'-lanterns created a rustic atmosphere and a cheery wood fire flared in the large fireplace.

Dr. A. M. Morgan, dressed as "the lady in red" received the prize for the funniest costume. S. Thayer, an old fashioned character for the most original costume. Most completely disguised, Mrs. R. L. Brown, dressed as a raggedy-ann doll. E. G. Todd, received honorary mention dressed as "Kingfish."

Dancing and contests were enjoyed throughout the evening; at midnight, pumpkin pie with whipped cream, cheese molded into pumpkins and coffee were served buffet style, bringing to a close a most enjoyable evening.

Dr. Coffin Host To Chess Club

Dr. Charles Coffin entertained the members of the Chess Club, Monday evening at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Kempton on Lake Lela.

There were two tables of chess and one of bridge.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Parks, Mrs. Lena Naylor, Frank McConnell, Mrs. and Mrs. Kempton and Clifford Craft.

Morris McCord, returned to Deland Sunday after a visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McCord.

Miss Myers Hostess To San Souci Club

Miss Mildred Myers was a charming hostess on Tuesday evening when she entertained the members of the San Souci Club with a waffle supper at her home.

A Halloween motif was used in all the decorations, a large lighted jack-o'-lantern, placed on the porch greeted the guests.

In the living room, where small tables were placed for supper, yellow cosmos and marigolds carried out the color scheme of orange and black.

Orange and black paper cups, filled with salted nuts, and hand-painted place cards were used.

In a chewing gum contest, Miss Erres Arrant, was the winner and received a box of hand-painted Christmas cards.

In the bridge games, Miss Betty Ellen Smith, was high scorer and received a double deck of cards, Mrs. Fred Peden was second high and received a box of home made candy. Mrs. Ben Stewart the guest of high award, a box of hand-painted Christmas cards.

Those enjoying this delightful evening were: Miss Alma Harrell, Miss Erres Arrant, Miss Hettie Hundertmark, Miss Millie Pearson, Miss Elizabeth Green, Miss Ivy Phillips, Miss Helen Pittman, Miss Mary Key, Miss Frances Lee, Mrs. C. R. Ginn, Mrs. Wilma Peden, Miss Betty Ellen Smith, Mrs. Ben Stewart, of Tallahassee, Mrs. Charles Sherman and Mrs. Raymond Dilley.

Social Club Enjoys Halloween Party

Apple eating contests, sticking a stick of dynamite in a doughnut, string eating contest, fortunes told in a peanut shell, and identifying eyes, were some of the many games the Social Club enjoyed at their Halloween party, Tuesday night, October 26 at Lake Byrd Lodge.

Everyone at the party had to enter through the kitchen door and proceed through the "Hall of Horrors." One had to feel of a dead man's bones, tongue, eyeballs, then look at the dead man in the casket.

At 10:00 o'clock refreshments were served consisting of hot dogs, doughnuts, and ice-cream.

Among those attending were: Barbara Betts, Nancy Betts, Sibyl Eglie, Frances Brown, Jane Clouse, Frances Cloud, Dorothy DeShong, Faye Gordon, Elizabeth Hetherington, Dorothy H. U. G. h, Jane Hart, Lila Martin, Evelyn Martin, Mary McCarthy, Blanche McCord.

Dorothy McNicholas, Mary Pardee, Hilda Reddick, Mary Jane Genderson, Mary Loyd, Dorothy Betty Sherman, Marion Weaver, Reba Mathis, Christine Lofton, and Doris Reddick.

Cyril Baldwin, Edgar Bradbury, James Bradley, Peyton Covington, Marion Foster, Eugene Martin, C. W. Meriwether, Dixie Moore, Marvin Reddick, Charles Sherman, D. D. Smith, Donald Todd, Ed Touchton, Bud Trent, Fred Kipp, Charles Moffett, John Edward Lamb, James Jordan, and Max Mathis.

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P. T. A. Regional Conferences Held

The regional conferences of the P. T. A. are being held as follows: Panama City—Oct. 27th.

Largo—Oct. 28th.

Daytona Beach—Oct. 29th.

West Palm Beach—Nov. 1st.

Lakeland—Nov. 2nd.

The State Board meeting will be held in Lakeland November 3 and 4. All meetings will open at 10:30 A. M. with sessions all during the day.

The theme for P. T. A. this year is "Forward with the Home."

Mrs. C. E. Lanier, president of the local P. T. A. is planning to attend the conference in Lakeland, November 2 and wishes all members of the executive board to attend if possible.

STUDENTS AT STETSON

Deland, Oct. 28 — This year Highlands county has five students at Stetson University here, all coming from Avon Park. They are: freshmen Jesse Greene, Edwin McCord; juniors: Mary Coen, Rodney Durranne, Emily Patricia Loomis.

Rev. and Mrs. R. I. Brown spent Monday in Tampa.

Mrs. Pardee Hostess To Bridge Club

Mrs. S. C. Pardee, most delightfully entertained the members of her bridge club Tuesday afternoon at her home.

Yellow daisies and zinnias decorated the living room where tables were placed.

Mrs. S. Y. Hart received high score award, a potted croton.

Delicious refreshments of ginger bread with whipped cream, mince and coffee were served.

Those enjoying the affair were, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. G. E. McKnight, Mrs. Lulu Bass, Mrs. Marjorie Church, Mrs. J. E. Brick, Mrs. S. Y. Hart, Mrs. J. B. Harri, Mrs. Alexander Gilmore, Mrs. H. Kempton, Mrs. Ben Stewart, and Mrs. Olive Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier spent Monday in Tampa.

Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Dalton and little son were visitors in Tampa Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crabtree were business visitors in Lake Wales Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Loomis and Mrs. S. Thayer were visitors in Tampa Tuesday.

Mrs. C. N. Ott, Miss Harriet Alexander and Mrs. Kelsey spent Sunday in Tampa.

Lester Lucas of New York City was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peden over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crabtree spent the week end in Orlando, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mel Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Allen and little son Jimmie, spent the week end in Lacochee visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Forbes of Stanton, Neb. will arrive this week end to spend the winter at their home.

E. C. Stuart, J. W. Dickens and Charles Pickens of Gainesville, Ga. were Avon Park visitors this week.

J. P. Garber left Thursday noon for New York on a business trip and expects to be gone for about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Shepherd and Mrs. Corn Lewis of Arlington, Va. will arrive next week to spend the winter in Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McNicholas and children, Mary, Dorothy and Martha spent the week end in Ft. Lauderdale visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coy are moving this week from the money home on the Sebring road to the Lakeview apartments.

Mrs. Roscoe Bass, Mrs. Parke Anderson, Mrs. Walter Betts, Mrs. Olive Anderson and Mrs. S. N. Reeves were visitors in Tampa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Towle of Manchester, N. H. arrived Tuesday to spend the winter in Avon Park. They are cousins of Mrs. C. H. Shepherd.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Elliott, Mrs. W. H. Yahn and Miss Alice Davidson left Wednesday to attend the Congregational church conference in Winter Park.

Mrs. Harold Epps and baby Beverly Sue returned to their home in Athens, Ga. Tuesday after a ten days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Langford.

Friends of Mrs. W. S. Rawlings and Miss Elizabeth Rawlings, will be glad to hear that they will arrive this week end to spend the winter at their home in Avon Park.

Among those attending the meeting of Florida Cattlemen and rodeo in Kissimmee, Wednesday were S. J. Pendleton, H. E. Godwin, Jess Ragdale and Demos Mandis.

Mrs. Augusta Mills and her mother, Mrs. S. T. Buchanan, and Judge Wayne Allen of Miami were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier at their home on Lake Lela.

Mrs. Ruth Bass Hylton, Mrs. Lela Bass, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Bass, Mel Bass and Mrs. Parke Anderson attended the meeting of Florida cattlemen and rodeo in Kissimmee, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Baldwin, returned to Tallahassee Monday after spending the week end in Avon Park. They were accompanied by Mrs. L. L. Sellers who will visit her sister, Mrs. Gilbert Freeman.

Mrs. O. W. Louis, Mrs. Lora Stuckey, Mrs. M. G. Williams, Mrs. Briscoe Willis attended the official visit of Mrs. Charlotte Perry, to the Arcadia chapter of O. E. S. in Arcadia, Monday night.

Mrs. J. A. Jordan of Rochester, Wis. and Miss Catherine Culler of Ohio Wednesday visited Mr. and Mrs. Irving Smith, arrived Monday and will spend the winter at the Crumby apartment on Highland avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Johnson, Miss Farlow Anderson, Mrs. Alma Head, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Louis and Mrs. Briscoe Willis attended the official visit of Mrs. Charlotte Perry to the Frostproof chapter of O. E. S. Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wright of St. Joseph, Missouri, were guests at the Jacaranda hotel for several days this week. They left Wednesday for Ft. Lauderdale where they will spend the month of November after which they will return to Avon Park for the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brickell return to their home in Massillon, Ohio Wednesday after a visit of several days in Avon Park. Mr. Brickell is a large property owner in Avon Park and expects to return later for a longer visit. His here they were guests at the Jacaranda hotel.

In all science ever precedes the next—Oct. 31 is better, the good first than last.—Walpole.

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JOAN BLONDELL
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PAUL MUNI
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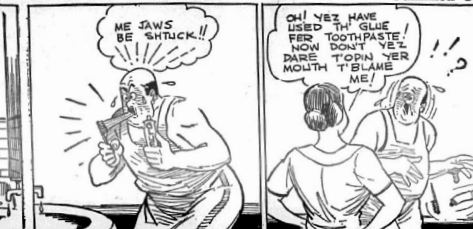
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THE way to day-in, day-out chic for the woman who sews is shown in today's attractive new three-way plan. It goes deeper than the surface, you see, in the presentation of a sleek new slip. Ah, and it gives great thought to the surface, as you can't help but note in the two wing-side models.

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The man that makes a character makes foes.—Young.

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RULING ON COUNTY USE OF GAS TAX IS SOUGHT

Constitutionality of Special Acts Placed Before Supreme Court

Tallahassee, Nov. 4.—(FNS)—The constitutionality of special acts diverting gas tax money to the use of counties for other than state road purposes and the right of counties to continue to participate in the distribution of gas tax money after all the provisions of the general act of 1931 have been met, was placed squarely before the supreme court Saturday by the State Road Dept.

In its answer, filed Saturday in an action by Jackson county against the state comptroller and the State Road Department for an alternative writ in the supreme court, the State Road Department alleges that Jackson county has received to date more than \$500,000 from gas tax collections and now has a credit of more than \$11,000 from the same source in the hands of the state treasurer. The answer shows that this county is entitled to receive only a total sum of \$555,185.70 under the provisions of the 1931 general act.

The answer sets forth that the general law of 1931 provided for the return to each county of the amount expended by it in the construction of state roads and further provided that a sum equal to that amount should be paid to the State Road Department License Fund and appropriated to the use of the State Road Department for the construction within that county of certain specified roads. A special act passed in 1935, diverted that gas tax money allocated for the construction of roads designated in Jackson county by the 1931 act, for other and different purposes; and that because of this diversion none of this money, with the exception of \$17,580.40, has been used or expended by the State Road Department for the construction of such roads.

The State Road Department asks the supreme court for instructions on two points. It asks if the special act of 1935, diverting gas tax money for purposes other than those specified in the 1931 general act, is constitutional. And it asks if Jackson county is entitled to already received more than the amount of gas tax due it under the provisions of the 1931 general act, is entitled to further participation in the distribution of gas tax money, which under the terms of the 1931 act, should be available for general road purposes.

The decision of the supreme court on these two points should settle the dispute which has been raging in the county for months and give our state officials definite instructions for future guidance. It will also enable the State Road Department to determine to a more definite degree how much money it will have available for the maintenance of existing roads and for the construction of additional roads.

Commerce Body Has Opened New Office; Norton Smith, Sec'y.

New offices for the Avon Park chamber of commerce was opened this week in the Jacaranda building, the south east corner room being donated by Manager C. E. Crabtree for this purpose. Norton Smith, one of the pioneer residents of Avon Park, has been engaged as secretary by the board of directors and has begun his new duties.

In an interview this week Mr. Smith said in commenting on the new office, "The officers want the people to realize this is their office and their chamber of commerce and we want all of you to take advantage of the various facilities that are offered. If you have any ideas that you think would make for a bigger and better organization, come in and tell me."

"Or if you have any criticism of the things we have done in the past, or did not do, come in and tell us. They will be considered very carefully."

Mr. Smith is compiling a social directory of the fixed dates of the social and civic clubs and fraternal organizations of Avon Park. Any person who is planning to entertain is asked to phone his date so it may be added to the list. It is also requested that in arranging for any affair the existing list be consulted, either by phone or in person, in order to avoid conflicting dates.

AUXILIARY SUPPER

A pot-luck supper will be served next Monday night at the Legion home at the regular meeting of the Legion Auxiliary. A report on the membership drive will be given at this time. All members are urged to attend.

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The Episcopal Camp Is Sure

Diocese Trustees Make Big Appropriation; Build Next Spring

The Episcopal Camp on Front Lake for the diocese of South Florida became an accomplished fact this week when the appropriation of \$5,000 by the diocese trustees. The camp committee also has nearly \$2,000 on hand and a further \$2,000 from the diocese early next year. Building contracts will be let out in February and the camp will be ready for occupancy by June.

The trustees made their final decision at a meeting held in Orlando on Wednesday and approved the proposed building plans at the same time they made the appropriation. The plans call for a central assembly and administration building and two cabins, one to accommodate 20 campers. These will be added to as the necessity arises.

A delegation representing the Church of the Redeemer here and the diocese of commerce conferred with Bishop John D. Wing and the trustees in Orlando on Tuesday and assured them of the full cooperation of Avon Park citizens here. The trustees met Wednesday and accepted the site which has been donated by John S. Francis and Norton Smith, and also passed a resolution expressing gratitude for the interest and cooperation of Avon Park citizens.

Members of the chamber of commerce and of the Episcopal church have worked hard to secure the camp. One consideration was the need of securing electrical facilities at the site and half of the cost, \$500, has been underwritten by local citizens as individuals and not as members of the chamber of commerce.

The camp has been held at Lake Byron Lodge for several years and this year was held at Haines City. Due to the rapid growth permanent quarters were considered necessary hence the camp to be built here.

The camp will be built here for \$3,600 and spent locally for supplies and this year at Haines City. The total cost was \$4,600. These figures do not include the money spent by the different individuals attending the camp.

Although nothing definite has been arranged future plans contemplate the use of the camp during the winter months as a retreat and recreational center for Episcopal clergymen from the north.

The initial expenditure for the camp buildings is expected to be about \$15,000.

Those making the trip to Orlando Tuesday to contact Bishop Wing and the trustees were: Fr. I. Brown, Walter E. G. E. Lanier and R. R. Brown.

W. H. Carney Passed Away Here Sunday

William H. Carney, aged 76, died Sunday, October 31, at his residence in Avon Park after a long illness.

He was born in Ft. Meade, September 10, 1861 and lived there until 1922, when he purchased a large grove east of Avon Park, moving here with his family.

He was married in 1891 to Essie McLeland of Frostproof, where he lived in 1930.

Surviving are four children, Mrs. T. McGinnis and Clayton Carney of Avon Park. Mrs. W. L. Frazier of Sebring and W. H. Carney of Lakeland, a step father and two half sisters of Frostproof.

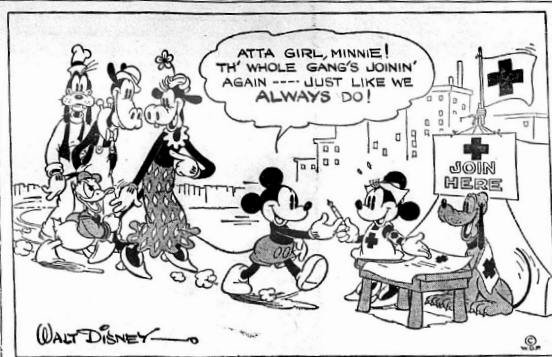
The funeral was held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Baptist church, Rev. J. P. Dalton officiating. Interment was in Hill cemetery.

Casket bearers were L. D. McGibson, Fred Smith, Frank Coville, Irvin Ford, G. D. Godwin and Otto Skipper.

Not a Candidate

With less than a month before the city election is to be held only one definite statement has been made by any of the present councilmen or those mentioned as candidates. Councilman F. S. Jordan issued the words of the late Calvin Coolidge this week and said "I do not choose to run and will not be a candidate for re-election."

Mrs. A. D. Robinson of Hollywood and Mrs. R. M. Marsh of Cleveland, Ohio were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Thayer Sunday.



LEGION POSTS GATHERED HERE

Highlands Post Host To Members of Sixth District

Americanism was stressed by many of the speakers at the sixth district conference, department of Florida, American Legion, held here Sunday afternoon at the Legion Club house on Lake Loteh, with Highlands Post, 69 and Auxiliary as hosts for the occasion. Approximately 130 guests were present from many sections of South Florida and eight posts of the district were represented. There were visitors from other posts outside the district as well.

Legionnaires met at the club house for their conference and the members of the auxiliary gathered at the Jacaranda hotel for a session before meeting jointly with the Legion members.

Russell Rich of Fort Myers, district vice commander, presided. The address of welcome was given by Mayor M. E. Covington with Ellen Eberole of Arcadia giving the response.

Posts giving reports of their activities were: Avon Park, Bradenton, Fort Myers, Punta Gorda, Sarasota, Sebring, Arcadia and Wauchula with the teaching of Americanism being stressed by the majority.

Kenneth Williams, Fort Myers, spoke on the "Sons of the Legion" and urged that each post sponsor a squad. Harry Milton, also of Fort Myers offered his services in forming drum and bugle corps in connection with such squadrons.

Major Ernest Smith of Arcadia spoke on national defense and Bill Connor of Orlando spoke on Boy Scout work and also represented State Adjutant Howard Rowlin who was unable to be present.

John Falkenberg of St. Petersburg, assistant state service officer, made the motion for the retention of the badge and urged the retention of the state post service officer.

Miss Ruth McElroy of Arcadia, vice president of the sixth district, had charge of the Auxiliary meeting and State President Mrs. William Lott of Coral Gables spoke at the joint session as did "Gabby" Knowles of Bradenton, former department commander.

An entertainment feature of the joint session was tap dancing by Betty Moffett, with Barbara Betts accompanying at the piano. The conference closed with the serving of an appetizing lunch consisting of pork picnic and the usual accessories with Demos Mandis, vice president of the sixth district, in charge.

Plans Complete For First Permanent Building For Fair

The building committee of the Highlands County Fair Association held a meeting Monday night at Sebring to view the plans for the first permanent building which they plan to have ready for the fair which opens here February 14th.

The plans which were prepared by Wilbur Cornell, call for a building which opens here February 14th.

The building is designed so it can be used for exhibits during the fair and can be used at other times for basketball and other indoor sports, public meetings and other community affairs.

The building committee will make application to the WPA for help in erecting the building as well as the final blue prints are ready to be submitted with an estimate of the cost of the building.

Col. Lee Recovering From Eye Operation

The many friends of Comptroller J. M. Lee will be glad to know he is recovering in an Atlanta hospital from an eye operation which he underwent Tuesday. The Colonel has been suffering from a cataract for some time and it was removed by this operation.

Dr. I. W. Chandler received a telegram from Mrs. Lee at Atlanta on Tuesday morning which read: Colonel Lee operation a success, is at Wesley Memorial hospital.

ROTARIANS ARE QUIZZED AT MEET

Miscellaneous Questions Provide Much Fun At Luncheon

A general knowledge quiz provided an entertaining program for Avon Park Rotarians at their regular luncheon Wednesday noon at the Jacaranda Hotel. This took the place of the announced program and talk by F. Irving Holmes of Fort Myers, past district governor.

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ART EXHIBIT IS PLEASING

Local Artists Contribute; Antiques and Other Articles Shown

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The exhibit will be open daily through the week, as Avon Park's observance of National Art week. Paintings exhibited by L. H. Park are all in watercolor.

Three paintings are displayed, which won prizes at the Central Florida Exposition in Orlando.

A back porch scene, which won first premium, Pointsettias, first premium and an arrangement of musical instruments, first premium.

A hammock scene won second premium.

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A. C. Slaughter, secretary of the Orlando chamber of commerce and president of the Orange Blossom Trail Association, is the guest of the Jacaranda Hotel for a few days. Together with C. E. Crabtree, manager of the hotel and vice president of the Trail Association, he has been making a canvass of the towns and communities on the Trail seeking advertising appropriation. They have had marked success and the enthusiasm for the Trail is running high, they state.

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As usual the Woman's Club was sponsor for the evening's doings. They supervised the parade, provided the cats for the hungry morticians, and had charge of things in general.

Stanley N. Reeves was master of ceremonies for the evening, using the necessary equipment for making the announcements and providing the music for the street dance which opened with "The Big Apple."

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Hallowe'en Was Big Night

Parade and Other Events Sponsored By The Woman's Club

The young folks of Avon Park—and some of the older ones—dressed up and "went to town" Saturday night in a big way and pitched a Hallowe'en celebration that was a celebration. Except for a few depredations everything was very orderly, although the sale of soap is said to have been upped considerably during the day in preparation for the annual event in the evening.

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