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IN THE NAME OF LIBERTY

The American citizen who reads the reports and subsequent comments of observers of the German Bund demonstration in New York City and fails to become disturbed over what is going on in this country under the guise of freedom of speech and of assembly under the Constitution of the United States is dangerously indifferent to the future security of the liberties guaranteed under the Bill of Rights embodied in the Constitution.

Franners of the Constitution never contemplated any such tactics as those pursued by the foreign elements that now are so openly carrying on their program toward tearing down the Government of the United States. Instead they laid down principles of freedom under which they believed the people would be able to live together and without restraint of tyranny such as that from which they and their forefathers had fled to this new land of hope.

Franners of the Constitution and those people of the Colonies who believed in its provisions fought and won the American Revolutionary War to make those provisions secure, to establish those principles as the guiding rules of the new Republic. By their wisdom and foresight, the framers of the Constitution, and the signers of the Declaration of Independence, paved the way for the laying of a foundation for a form of Government that was new in its conceptions of human rights. Under that form of Government the American Nation has grown, the people have prospered and enjoyed freedom such as the world never has known elsewhere.

And now come these Germans, headed by the ambitious Fritz Kuhn, and who are aided and abetted by this so-called Father Coughlin—a man parading in the garb of a minister in the cause of Jesus Christ but in actuality functioning as one of the most dangerous enemies any Nation ever has known, with the openly avowed purpose of establishing a new form of Government, one that is dictated by rulers over the Madhouse of Berlin. The ancient but effective designation, "wolves in sheep's clothing," is entirely too mild to be applied to these enemies of the American people; enemies of the United States Government.

Ways and means should be found to deal with them so effectively that they and every member of the tribes or clans, or whatever they call themselves, shall be banished; so that everyone of them shall be denied the privilege of the American form of government, which they are striving so diligently to tear down and replace with one imported from Berlin; one written by the family-destroying Herr Goebbels of Hitler Madhouse "fame."

To permit the enemies of the human race to assemble in great throngs and proclaim their purposes in the name of liberty, as guaranteed by our own revered Constitution; to permit them to carry on their subversive programs in any form or under any guise is a mockery of the Constitution of the United States. It is a mockery of the memory of the signers of the Declaration of Independence of the American Republic. It is a mockery of the memory of every American mother who has labored so tirelessly in the companionship of the patriots who have fought of those who have given their lives by the millions in the support of the principles that guarantee freedom in America.

It was never contemplated, it was never intended, that the freedom of assembly and the freedom of speech should be extended to these enemies of the American people. The freedom of assembly and the freedom of speech that the framers of the Constitution sought to safeguard was that kind of freedom which had as its purpose the enjoyment of the privilege of worship un molested; the freedom of reasonable speech in normal intercourse. The framers

sought to guarantee the rights of the people to conduct their own legislative councils, without tyrannical dictation, which theretofore had been denied; they sought to safeguard the freedom of speech and action that would make those councils and their activities most effective for the common weal. They sought to make assembly and speech constructive, not destructive.

The American people have done quite well under these principles, and it is against their desire and their best interests to change them. The American people don't want the Bunds, nor anything of their kind. But the time has come when the ideas and aims of these hyphenated interlopers, whose every act is insidiously treacherous and marked by deceit, must be recognized for their true worth and real purpose.

Unless the American people recognize the danger that faces them from this source and move with haste and effectiveness to stamp out these threatening elements and overcome their subversive activities, they have no one to blame but themselves for the consequences. JACKSONVILLE TIMES-UNION.

WORK OF COMMUNISTS

Communism, working in the United States for the conversion of our government into communism, some dozen and more years ago set up what was wrongly called the "child-labor amendment" proposing to turn over to the absolute control of Congress all young persons of the country up to the age of eighteen years. The intended "child-labor" amendment, having been driven through Congress, was started out among the States for ratification, back in 1924. The proposed amendment—which did not deal with children, but young people, seeking to take from parents and guardians the responsibility of rearing them and getting them started in their life work—as is done in Russia, met with slight success in its first round. The States did not see either the necessity or desirability of changing our Constitution in that way.

But the communists never weary in their work, and after all these years dragging the proposed amendment around the country and trying to get the States which have persistently refused to endorse it, to change around. In the first three years following submission, the amendment was ratified by five States and rejected by thirty-eight. But in the years following the people who think that the Government should direct the young people absolutely—as it does in Soviet Russia—have invaded the legislatures, again and again. And a few of them, for political reasons only, have reversed their decision and ratified it; after perhaps refusing it half a dozen times.

It seems that now a total of twenty-eight States have been wheedled, bribed or threatened into ratification. The amendment, threatened by union labor, which consistently works for anything that reduces possibilities of competition with their sacred selves, have finally been bulldozed into voting to ratify an amendment that they know is wrong. But even if the amendment is ratified, it is not binding on Kentucky and Kansas in 1937 has been questioned in suits now before the United States Supreme Court.

A few days ago Massachusetts rejected the amendment for the fifteenth time. And no doubt the communists will try again at the next session of Congress, having steadily and regularly declined to ratify the amendment in hoping that some day the Supreme Court will decide that after fourteen years and more of hawking around and rejection by more than two-thirds of States, the proposal may be considered having standing and validity. The House of Representatives, however, has rejected the amendment, and the rejection in its State and Massachusetts, recently, remarked: "This mislabeled Child Labor Amendment has been pending a long time, and having been improperly drawn in the first place no excuse exists why any State that has not voted to ratify it should be asked to vote on the question again. We say 'improperly drawn' because the amendment would put under the control of the Federal Government matters far beyond the scope of the avowed purpose to end the abuse of child labor. The amendment would not only take, and might have been adopted long ago, but this particular amendment is so broad in its language as to enable the Federal Government to regulate the youth of America in the guise of limiting or prohibiting injurious child labor. The power of Congress over the youth of any State; but although the advocates of the amendment contend that these powers will never be exercised to the full extent there is not the slightest guarantee of that. Powers not intended to be exercised are powers that never ought to be granted."—FLORIDA TIMES-UNION.

remarkable, though it's good, but her face shines when she sings. She feels every word and makes the congregation feel it.

Ma Slacker was too busy to go to meeting today. Mr. S. is quite a late to putter around and do odd jobs, but by the time he gets shaved it's too late to get to church in time. But he means well.

In making a pastoral call at the I. Tookit home, the good pastor noticed a copy of the church hymnbook. It reminded him of complaints that twenty-three copies were missing last Sunday from the racks in the pews, and he has been in time to get ready. She frets if the pastor keeps the congregation a minute after twelve, for Mr. Serious has to have his breakfast VERY promptly at a quarter after twelve, and she has to hurry to get it ready.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Joyfull, with their four children comfortably filled their pew in church Sunday morning. The two-year-old baby went to sleep when the pastor began to preach, and the six-year-old daughter was properly shocked while eight-year-old John kept turning the pages of the hymnbook during the sermon.

Mrs. O. I. Cant sat in the seat behind the Joyfulls, and as she went out after services, she said: "The Joyfull family seems so happy together, and the little ones so dear. But our children are so restless and nervous. I just can't take them with me to church."

Miss Urs Jewell has not missed a single church service since the war began. She is one of the dependable ones. Her voice isn't very

other evening, after a long search, his wife finally found them slipped up on his forehead.

Fla. Strawberry Festival At Plant City Is Next Week

Plant City, Fla., Mar. 2—Final plans were being completed this week for a colorful opening of the tenth annual Florida Strawberry Festival here next Tuesday, Mar. 7, with the grand parade at 1:30 o'clock. The parade will be followed by the formal opening of the festival at the festival grounds and the five-day exposition will then be well under way.

Wednesday will bring Dokkie and Knights of Pythias day with a comedy parade scheduled for the afternoon and a program presenting prominent Pythians following at the fair grounds.

Thursday will be featured by the annual dedication of the big State fair farmers' market here in the afternoon beginning at 3 o'clock and the coronation ceremonies at the festival grounds in the evening at 8 o'clock when the queen of the tenth annual festival will be crowned.

Friday will bring the annual colorful baby parade beginning at 3:15 in the afternoon and the annual flower garden contest at 4 o'clock following the parade. Friday will also be tourist day. The annual fete will be concluded Saturday which has been designated as American Legion, state and county official day.

Just Stuff--

(By W.A.S.)

Have Our City Solon's Efforts Been In Vain?

In a syndicated sports column, "Talking It Over" by G. A. Palmer, clipped from a southern paper of Feb. 1939, by Miss Claire Vanderwerpe of this city, appeared the following paragraph of local interest:

"Ten miles from Sebring in Florida, where the Newark Bears will do their spring training next month, is the fair village of Avon Park. Sebring itself boasts three things. They have morning, noon and night there. Two blocks from the Bruins' hotel is the community circle. Walk around that and you have seen the town. So, when day is done, if time the Newark Bears climb aboard a filver and chug over a road lined with orange trees to go night-seeing in Avon Park, where they have a postoffice, a general store 'n' everything."

Now isn't that gratitude for ya? After all those three thriving "Villages" say the Newark Bears are all together to come down here and enjoy our sunshine and get only in return five or six weeks of "everything" games. I don't know what a "boast of three things" was cute. And just think they "go night-seeing" in Avon Park, where they have a postoffice, a general store "n' everything." The "everything" must apply to the new pen on Lake Verona, which reminds me of the "Brick Inn" in the WPA State Production showing in Tampa this week, if that means anything to ya.

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Some Fun, Eh?

Columbia, Mo.—After a semester of security study last fall, submission to an active's orders, Jean Correll will introduce the topic. Young people are invited to attend the pilgrim Fellowship where they will meet other young people, form friendships, enjoy fellowship, and profit from the discussion of life topics of vital interest.

Miss Mabel Lee's Bible Study Class will meet in the Church on Monday at 8:00 p. m. Those who have joined this class would not miss it on any account. If you desire a better knowledge of the Bible, this is your opportunity.

The Ladies' Aid will meet at the Manse on Wednesday at 2:00 p. m. The "Quiet Hour" service will be held on Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. This service is for prayer and meditation. Brief address by the pastor. Forty-five minutes of quiet and inspiring worship is promised to all who attend this service. Come and try it.

Smart Gal!—Miss Barbara Belta, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Belta, a Freshman at Brenau College, was recently honored with Dean's List rating, having made the required average of 90% this semester. This distinction is the highest scholastic honor attainable by Freshmen. Miss Belta is a pledge of Delta Delta Delta, national social sorority, and will be formally initiated into active membership Sunday, March 5.

She has been elected secretary of the Freshman class in the recent class elections.

—Co—
The Toronto Maple Leafs are about to make their annual flutter amongst the orange trees 'round our fair city.

—Co—
The W.P.A. pier project on Lake Verona is beginning to be some what of a problem. Water in the pier declines as fast as the boys can build.

—Co—
Employees of the A. P. Drug announce that Lady Simpson, the cat, is the proud mother of quadruplets. Lady Simpson has a "newborn" of four kittens, all of hundreds of pounds—fans who will no doubt be interested in this blessed event.

—Co—
Well blow me down a phosphate pit! Mr. French, The Mulberry Press was a "wow" last week. Congratulations!

—Co—
The "Book of Etiquette" will not be available at the high school library for some time. The Junior-Senior banquet is only a few weeks off.

—Co—
F. D. R. laughs at the idea of water shortage if state-canal is completed. And not a giggle from the taxpayers.

—Co—
Latest agency proposed for the improvement of the Florida citrus situation is the organization of Florida Citrus Fruit Finders' Institution. Well boys, don't dig too deep for your facts or you might cause a little embarrassment.

—Co—
This week will mark basketball in Highlands county as a "has-been."

—Co—
Congratulations to James Bailey, Marian Weaver and Mary Townsend who were selected for positions on the All-Ridge basketball teams Friday night.

—Co—
Has the city converted N. Forest avenue into a parking lot?

—Co—
Miss Rosalee Clausen and her fourth grade students have a most attractive flower garden opposite the south side of the grammar school building. The children water the garden every morning before school hours and seem to take a keen interest in their work.

—Co—
If you're looking for a good time attend the DANCE at the Blue Anchor Thursday night, March 9.

Babson Park Garden Club Flower Show

The Babson Park Garden Club is holding a combination flower and style show at Webster College Grounds, March 14, from 12:30 to 9:30 P. M.

A cordial welcome is given to friends and visitors, also flowers are solicited from gardens outside of Babson Park. An admittance fee of twenty-five cents for adults and ten cents for children is asked. Fruit juices and cookies will be served free these being donated by the merchants.

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METHODIST CHURCH

C. R. Mingleford, Pastor
9:45 a. m. Sunday School, Guy F. Smith, superintendent. A class for everybody and a prepared teacher to instruct you.

11:00 a. m. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, with a message appropriate for the occasion by the pastor. Special music by the choir.

6:30 p. m. Senior, Intermediate, and Junior groups of the Epworth League. A lively group of young people you will enjoy being with.

7:30 p. m. A thirty minute song service conducted by I. H. Mack of the Hall-Mack Publishing Co., Philadelphia, with B. D. Ackley, the famous Gospel song writer that made Billy Sunday great at the piano.

8:00 p. m. Message by Fred T. Barnett, a noted layman who will speak as one man to another. Do not miss this service.

Mr. Barnett will speak each evening through Friday, March 10th. Plan to hear him at each service and a blessing will be yours.

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GWENDOLYN WEAVER Society Editor Phone 211-W

Winter Visitors Given Set of Dishes

Tuesday evening a group of Winter visitors presented to Mr. and Mrs. W. Stirling, of Gainesville, Fla., the Winter Guest House, a set of dishes and cooking utensils, for use in the new trailer the Stirlings have just purchased. After the presentation Mrs. R. H. Howard read the following poem composed by Mr. Howard to the delight of those present.

There was a nice couple, who lived in a shoe,
They had no children, so a Trailer would do.
They had no dishes, pots, kettles or pans,
So the Tourist Ladies struck on a plan.
They all threw together and bought them a set,
So we hope when they use them, they'll never forget.
The mighty good times they had while they were here
We hope the gifts in the trailer will fit.

And we wish them good luck on the rest of the trip.
Those present were: Mrs. J. E. Armstrong, Mrs. Lena Blumenthal, Mrs. J. Billman, Mrs. J. L. Becker, Mrs. Elizabeth Christy, Mrs. R. H. Bovard, Mrs. A. W. Forbes, Mrs. Henry Montague, Mrs. R. A. Reed, Mrs. W. A. Luthy, Mrs. R. M. Thurston, Mrs. Katherine Gill, Mrs. Albertson, Mrs. Margaret Thomas, Mrs. James Davis, Mrs. S. O. Norris, Mrs. S. V. Humming, Mrs. E. Hammond, Mrs. G. R. Buckingham, Mrs. J. Hickey, Mrs. Kirkham, Mrs. O. O. Crawford, Mrs. B. H. Overpeck, Mrs. William Reminger, Mrs. E. W. Kabin, and Mrs. Garrett.

Wimodausis Club With Mrs. Stodden

The Wimodausis club met last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harry Stodden. After a short business meeting the afternoon was spent sewing.

The hostess served delicious refreshments of devil food cake and coffee to members present who were: Mrs. R. T. Hosking, Mrs. Lena Clements, Mrs. W. W. McFarland, Miss Furrow Anderson, Mrs. Mary March, Mrs. Ole Head, Mrs. F. D. Andrew, Mrs. Anne Johnson, Mrs. Ida Hanson, Mrs. Harriett Harvey, Mrs. Clara Alchinson, Mrs. Blanche Williams, Mrs. A. F. Clark, Mrs. E. Kramer, Mrs. Estelle Sonnenmann, and Mrs. W. D. Cameron.

Mrs. H. A. Vickery Entertains Sister

Colorful and attractive in each detail was the lovely dessert bridge given Thursday afternoon by Mrs. H. A. Vickery at the home of Mrs. W. A. Davidson, when she entertained in honor of her sister, Mrs. C. B. Bethune of Lynn, Mass. In keeping with the "St. Patrick's Day" motif a color note of green and white was appropriately portrayed in the decorations, bridge appointments and refreshment course.

The party rooms, which are ideally adapted to entertaining, were colorfully arranged with bouquets of garden flowers. A tempting dessert course consisting of angel food cake, brick ice cream and coffee were served previous to the games. The napkins were in green and white and little mint filled baskets decorated with a shamrock and bearing each guest's name were given each guest.

The prevailing motif was again cleverly reflected in the bridge games and Chinese checkers, when green and white tiles were passed and scores were kept on St. Patrick's score pads, and pencils. During the afternoon orange juice was served.

High score prize in the bridge games, an ice box courage, was presented to Mrs. H. E. Keller, low score prize, a wall plaque, was won by Mrs. E. P. Loomis. High score prize in the Chinese checkers, lovely linen towels, were given to Mrs. J. M. McCord, and low score, a wall plaque, was received by Mrs. D. W. Overton. The honoree was presented a basket of guest powder puffs and a bottle of orange blossom perfume from her hostess. The prizes were attractively wrapped in white and tied with green ribbons.

The guests who shared this delightful affair with their hostess, Mrs. H. A. Vickery, and the honoree Mrs. C. B. Bethune, were: Mrs. D. W. Overton, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. C. C. Pardee, Mrs. W. H. Yates, Mrs. C. P. Turner, Mrs. Alexander Gilmour, Mrs. Charles Maderia, Miss Mattie Tompkins, Mrs. E. P. Loomis, Mrs. J. M. McCord, Mrs. Ida Nanase, Mrs. H. E. Keller, Mrs. M. E. Covington, Mrs. George Symonds, Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. S. N. Hart, Mrs. Mable Hugger and Mrs. Mable Brownell.

Mrs. Shockley Hostess To Club

Mrs. Francis Shockley was hostess Monday evening at her home when she entertained members of her bridge club. The party rooms were attractive with vases of cut flowers.

After the usual number of interesting progressions, high score prize was presented to Mrs. Lucille Koch and second high was given to Mrs. Richey Green. Mrs. Koch was also winner of floating prize. Dainty refreshments of ice cream and ginger ale were served to club members present who were: Mrs. R. X. Drott, Mrs. Z. S. Reck, Mrs. Tom Jones, Mrs. Bill Schaeffer, Mrs. Lucille Koch, Miss Hazel Cameron, Mrs. Richey Green, Mrs. Gwendolyn Weaver, and the hostess Mrs. Shockley.

CIRCLE THEATRE Phone 190 - BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

Sunday & Monday, March 5-6

JEANETTE GAYNOR

"The Young In Heart"

—Douglas FAIRBANKS, JR.

Tuesday & Wed., March 7-8

RAY MILLARD

"Say It In French"

—OLYMPIE BRADNA

Thursday & Fri., March 9-10

JOE E. BROWN

"Man Mountain" DEAN

"The Gladiator"

Saturday, March 11

GEORGE O'BRIEN

"Lawless Valley"

COMING:

"MARIE ANTOINETTE"

(Gibson, Fox)

"OUT WEST WITH THE HARDY"

(Renoxy, Stone)

"PARIS BONHEUR"

(Crosby, Gail)

"IDYLL'S DELIGHT"

"STABLEMATES"

(Rooney, Berry)

"WINTERGARDEN"

Baptist W. M. U. Circles Met Monday

Circles One and Two of the W. M. U. of the First Baptist church met at the church house Monday afternoon. President Mrs. David Stuckey opened the meeting by reading the First Psalm and Mrs. J. B. Coen, Jr., led in prayer. A short business session was held after which Dr. John Lowe, a returned Missionary from China, taught the last chapter of the study book, "Up from Zero."

Those present were: Mrs. J. B. Coen, Jr., Mrs. J. E. Crosby, Mrs. Anna Lawhorn, Mrs. Paul McFarland, Mrs. Bob Adams, Mrs. Devoe Bowman, Mrs. Fred Touchton, Mrs. J. D. Sherman, Mrs. B. F. Martin, Mrs. J. B. Coen, Sr., Mrs. W. W. McFarland, Mrs. E. C. Weaver, Mrs. Frank Costine, Mrs. Ray Wells, Mrs. James Reddick, Mrs. J. P. Dalton, Mrs. John Giddens, Mrs. Lena Clements, Mrs. C. Berlin, Mrs. R. H. Lawhorn, Mrs. Otto Skipper, Mrs. M. M. Foster, Mrs. David Stuckey, Mrs. Dyer and a guest Mrs. J. T. Smith of Fortville, Ky., mother of Miss Louise Smith who is the Executive Secretary of the Baptist W. M. U. of Florida. Miss Smith has taught the book "Go Forward" for adults at the church each night this week, from 7:15 to 8 o'clock. She also held classes every afternoon at 3:15 for the juniors in the Sunday school building.

Mrs. Ginn Hostess To San Souci Club

A lovely affair of Tuesday evening was given at the home of Mrs. C. R. Ginn, when she entertained members of the San Souci bridge club and a few additional guests.

Lovely bowls and vases of roses and nasturtiums decorated the party rooms most effectively for the occasion.

After several interesting progressions were played, Miss Elizabeth Jinks was awarded high score prize, second high to Miss Iva Phillips, and Mrs. Floyd Johnson was presented guest prize.

Dainty refreshments of lemon meringue pie and coffee were served.

Guests present were: Mrs. Chas. Sherman, Miss Elizabeth Jinks, Miss Mildred Myers, Miss Mary Key, Miss Hettie Hundertmark, Miss Iva Phillips, Mrs. Floyd Johnson, Mrs. Virginia Cloud, Mrs. Devon Reddick, Miss Alma Haire, Mrs. Raymond Dille, Miss Sarah Browning, Miss Elizabeth Green, Miss Millie Pearson, Mrs. Fred Peelen, Miss Janet Cook and the hostess, Mrs. C. R. Ginn.

H. J. Mumma Was Birthday Honoree

A lovely affair of last Saturday evening was the surprise dinner and bridge party which was given in honor of H. J. Mumma at the Jaccaranda Hotel.

The delicious dinner was served at 6:30 after which the honoree cut the delicious birthday cake which was decorated and "Happy Birthday To You" embossed across the top. Mr. Mumma was also given a shower of ties and socks from his friends present.

After the usual number of interesting progressions were played, prizes were awarded to Mrs. A. H. Able, Miss Hettie Hundertmark, Dr. G. S. McKnight, G. C. Daly and J. H. Foster.

Those sharing this delightful evening with Mr. Mumma were: Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Daly, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Foster of Van Wert, Ohio, Mrs. Stella Frey, Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Able, Dr. and Mrs. G. Scott McKnight, Miss Hettie Hundertmark and Mrs. Georgia Voorhees.

Jackie Pilcher Has Birthday Party

Little Jackie Pilcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Pilcher, celebrated last Saturday afternoon at his home in celebration of his fourth birthday anniversary. The afternoon was spent playing a number of entertaining games.

At a late hour delicious refreshments of brick ice cream and birthday cake were served. The cake was iced in white, with "Happy Birthday" embossed across the top and bearing four tiny pink candles in white rose bud holders. Gaily colored caps and horns were given each little guest as favors.

Jackie received many lovely and useful gifts from friends invited to share the afternoon with him who were: Lynn Longbottom, Patricia Smith, Marjorie Herberling, Jack Ward, Mel Bass, Mackey Ware, Thomas Thayer and Sonny Drott.

C. B. Martin was visiting in Sebring Tuesday afternoon.

Three Avon Park Cagers Make All-Ridge



MARY TOWNSEND

MARIAN WEAVER

JAMES BAILEY

The Avon Park Red Devils put three players on the All-Ridge team this year. Those players of the Ridge Basketball Conference making the team were selected by the different coaches and announced at the local armory last Friday night after the finals of the Ridge Tournament.

MARY TOWNSEND, guard, is a junior high school student and this marks her first year on the first team.

MARIAN WEAVER, forward for the Avon Park sextet, took a top position on the girls' All-Ridge team. Marian made this honorary squad last year and is a junior in high school.

JAMES BAILEY, guard, was the only Red Devil to make this team this year. He is captain of the team and a senior in high school.

Mrs. Marjory Church entertained at a lovely party, Tuesday afternoon at her home, her guests including members of her bridge club and a few additional guests. The rooms were tastefully arranged with vases of cut flowers.

High score prize was won by Mrs. C. H. Pardee and guest prize was given to Mrs. Katherine Dickinson.

A delicious salad course and coffee were served to guests enjoying this delightful party, who were: Mrs. Lula Bass, Mrs. Olive Anderson, Mrs. Alexander Gilmour, Mrs. S. Y. Hart, Mrs. G. S. McKnight, Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. W. H. Yates, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. Frances Hyatt, Mrs. Ida P. Brich and Mrs. Katherine Dickinson.

Glissom—Peeples
Wedding Saturday

Miss Lillian Peeples, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Peeples of this city and C. T. Glissom son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Glissom of Gainesville, were married in a quiet wedding ceremony last Saturday evening, at the Methodist church in Sebring, with Rev. Lawrence Radcliffe, minister of the church officiating. Miss Sybil Bigbie and a few additional guests were their only attendants.

The bride was married in a dusty rose sport dress with white accessories. Mr. Glissom is the local manager of the Western Union and the couple will make their home in Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blackburn and Wallace Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Crosby and daughter Delores spent the week end in Tampa the guests of friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Armstrong and Miss Frances Browne spent last Saturday evening in Orlando.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jones and son Jackie, of Wauchula, were visiting in Avon Park Thursday.

Major and Mrs. Mark Lance of Tallahassee were the guests of Mrs. Sue Gregory Wednesday evening.

Jack Delaney left today for Punta Gorda where he has accepted a position to manage a hardware store.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Stevens of Traverse City, Mich. spent the week end in Avon Park the guests of Glenn Luke.

Mr. and Mrs. R. X. Drott and Sonny, and Mrs. Ray Wells and son Lawler were visiting in Lakeland Sunday.

William T. Mabrey of Miami will spend the week end in Avon Park the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. English and family.

Dr. W. H. Malone of Atlanta, Ga. is spending some time in Avon Park the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Abrams and baby daughter, Carol Diane, of Miami were guests Sunday of his mother, Mrs. Rose Abrams.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. McGiboney, Hayes Maxwell, Roy Masters and Rubin Children were business visitors in Wauchula Monday.

Mrs. A. O. Kinney returned Wednesday after having spent several days visiting her mother Mrs. J. E. Clements in Brooklyn.

Mrs. L. P. Childers and daughter Betty were visiting in Orlando Tuesday, and were accompanied home by Miss Hester Childers.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Pipkin and daughter Marlowe of Arcadia spent Monday in Avon Park the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Pollock.

John Leonard who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Leonard in Birmingham, Ala. returned home Monday after a weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hood, and E. W. Hart will attend the 8th District Conference meeting of the American Legion Sunday in Sarasota.

Mrs. C. E. Holland and little daughter Nancy of Chicago are spending several weeks here, the guests of her sister, Mrs. R. R. Porterfield.

Mrs. G. M. Byrne and daughter Miss Marie Byrne and Russell Milley of Washington, D. C. returned Friday to their home after spending several days in Avon Park the guests of Mrs. Lela S. Hawkins and Lushy Hawkins.

Col. and Mrs. A. E. Holcomb arrived from New Rochelle, N. Y. and will spend several weeks at the Poinsettia hotel. Col. and Mrs. Holcomb are regular winter visitors in Avon Park and their many friends are pleased at their return.

Miss Lela Reck of Lakeland arrived Sunday to spend several days with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Todd. Miss Reck is Supervisor of the Domestic Science work of the W. P. A. and has been transferred from St. Petersburg and will work in the central part of Florida.

Those present were: Jack Head, Paul Vickers, Arthur Cross, Herbert Todd, Jimmie Heim, Jimmie Hetherington, Bobby Keller, Grady Holton, Arthur Hill, Raymond Sadler, Billy Archer, Walter Martin, Robert Speer, and Warren Fields.

Mrs. Walter Betts was charming hostess Wednesday, when she entertained at a luncheon at the Avon Grill. The affair was being given in celebration of the birthday anniversary of her mother, Mrs. H. J. Pratt, a guest at Harder Hall in Sebring.

Mrs. J. L. Wells and Betty Jo Wells were visiting in Lakeland Monday.

E. G. Todd was a business visitor in Orlando and Lakeland last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Martin of Tampa were in Avon Park Tuesday visiting.

"Chum" Boxwell, Ernest Wilkerson and Durrah Martin were in Orlando last Saturday.

Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mrs. S. S. Thayer and Mrs. Earl Ware were visiting in Tampa Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Lockett left Monday for Palatka and Coon where they will spend several weeks visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Phelps left Wednesday to spend several days at St. Petersburg. They will return to Avon Park before leaving for their home in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Mrs. Rex Furr and son Charles Elwood and Miss Nell Daffer of Arlington, Va. arrived Monday, and will spend several weeks the guests of Mrs. Furr's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shepherd.

Louis Wolf who has been spending several weeks visiting in Avon Park and Miami left Tuesday for his home in Washington. While in Avon Park he was the guest of his brother, F. M. Wolf and family.

Mrs. M. E. Kessler has had as her guests this week her daughter, Mrs. Charles Carlson and daughter Thelma of Orlando and Mrs. Alpha Stowess of two daughters, Mrs. John E. Patterson and Mrs. Albert Schaeffer, all of Irvington, N. J.

Mrs. George Linn Voorhees, Mrs. H. E. Goshwin, Mrs. George Scott McKnight and Mrs. Viola Alderman of 23 Poinsett, Texas were visiting at Bol. Tower Thursday and enjoyed a picnic lunch there. Mrs. Alderman is a sister of Mrs. Goshwin.

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