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Candidate For Governor
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WEST PALM BEACH, April 15 (Special).—Born at Bell Buckle, Tennessee, forty-six years ago, B. F. Paty, of West Palm Beach, only lower east coast candidate in the race for governor, comes from a hardy stock of American pioneers, whose forebears abraded their blood for the cause of independence and bled trails into the trackless wilderness under the inspired leadership of Andrew Jackson.

Son of a small country merchant and the grandson of a congressman, Robert B. Lee, he gave promise early in life of becoming the forceful and convincing orator he is today. During his grammar school days as well as his attendance at Webb School, recognized as one of the south's finest preparatory institutions, B. F. Paty applied himself without stint to mastering the art of self-expression. But oratory was not his only objective. Teachers and professors, who taught him then, recall today that B. F. Paty seemed marked from the beginning as a leader of men and a master of the art of political science.

As a youth, B. F. Paty exhibited marked aptitude in the law so his selection of this course at Cumberland University, the University of North Carolina and Vanderbilt University was expected. In his university classes, B. F. Paty was an outstanding student. At the outbreak of the World War, the first volunteers in Tennessee included B. F. Paty and his ability was quickly recognized by the officers training camp, where he was a lieutenant's commission in infantry. Inspired, in common with all soldiers, with the prospect to serve in France, B. F. Paty was thwarted because his services were demanded in the training of troops on the home front. A good soldier always, B. F. Paty obeyed orders and a well-earned captain's commission was before the Congress of the United States. His record of hostilities as a belated reward for faithful performance of duty.

Returning to civil life, B. F. Paty resumed the practice of law. A native Tennessee but, eager to explore new horizons, cast his lot in the development of the lower east coast of Florida. In 1920, he moved to West Palm Beach where he quickly won a place in the front rank of the Florida state bar. With his partner, Charles H. Warwick, the firm prospered, engaging exclusively in civil practice but never on the side of the special interests. The lure of fat fees as a legislative lobbyist likewise failed to attract B. F. Paty.

A member of the Methodist Church, B. F. Paty followed the faith of his forebears and his three children are being brought up in the same denomination. His wife, the former Gladys Newsome of Shelbyville, Tennessee, is a member of one of the oldest families of that state. They have two daughters and one son. The candidate's mother also lives in West Palm Beach and operates a hotel.

Special mention, it seems, should be made of "Mother" Paty. No finer tribute can be paid any man in public or private life than "Mother" Paty's description of the boy, who practices his first public speeches at her knee in the leafy delts of (Continued on Page Eight)

Busy Dav Monday In Circuit Court

Circuit Court, with Judge Petteway presiding, was in session Monday. The grand jury indicted Joe C. Jackson for assault and attempt to murder and Jackson and Leonard Cutts for murder. The men have been in the county jail following the Bonner's Beach affair. Bill Glibbo, negro, indicted for murder, and E. L. McDaniels for robbery.

Joe Shoetta, colored, was convicted of assault and attempt to murder in the second degree, and was sentenced by Judge Petteway to ten years in the state penitentiary. Shoetta is the negro who escaped several months ago from the chain gang which is quarantined between Sebring and Avon Park.

Henry Brown, colored, whose case has been hanging for over a year, was given a six months sentence for unlawful destruction of personal property. Nine months ago, Brown broke into the house of Lonnie May McElroy, colored, and burned some of her clothing.

The case of Orlan Lauch, charged with taking Allen Altavert's car, and LeRoy Parr, with taking W. A. Robert's car, were referred back to the county clerk. The men are charged with unlawful use of the property of the owner—Highlands County News.

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WHITEHAR SAYS NO GRAFT IF HE MADE GOVERNOR

Brought Campaign Central and South Florida This Week

"There will be no graft and no inevitable force running your government for the special interests when I am your governor," Francis P. Whitehair told vast and enthusiastic crowds in Central and South Florida during the week.

Pressing his campaign with a vigor rarely if ever seen in Florida, the youthful and dynamic All Florida candidate, plans his program designed to eliminate a "lot of dead wood and red tape in the state government" and promised to "give the state government back to the people."

Resuming his tour Tuesday at Orlando with a radio broadcast to Florida farmers, Whitehair reiterated his program for a "united Florida" in which a cooperative spirit would be encouraged and developed to "keep at home part of that \$50,000,000 that leaves the state every year to purchase products which can be grown right here in Florida."

Continuing his attack on the governmental regulation of private industry, Whitehair told a routing rally at Kissimmee that "Stalin and Hitler are pikers when it comes to regulate measures compared with Florida's government."

He charged that Florida's half a billion dollar citrus industry, was virtually killed by "strangling regulations" promulgated by the legislature. "Under the present system," he declared, "it is a violation of the law to sell good fruit, but Whitehair is going to do something about this."

Whitehair, reference to efforts being made to regulate the cattle industry, Whitehair asserted at Sarasota and Bradenton that he intends to protect this industry from the clutches of "governmental interference."

Earlier in the week, the Deland candidate was given tremendous ovation at the annual convention at Daytona Beach of the Florida Federation of Labor, which overwhelmingly endorsed his candidacy.

Continuing his drive with speed and precision, Whitehair was greeted by large and responsive audiences in Danville, Bushnell, Wildwood, Dade City, Brooksville, Chipley, Bonifay, Marianna and Panama City.

Taking his candidacy into the Miami area Thursday, the youthful candidate told a representative gathering at Miami Beach that he (Continued on Page Eight)

Sebring Man Given Fine and 30 Days For Drunk Driving

County law enforcement officers "threw the book" at Bob Sullivan of Sebring, when he was arrested Saturday night on road eight by Patrolman E. R. Ferrell. Sullivan was charged with drunken driving, having no driver's license and with having no tag on his car.

He pleaded guilty to all charges Monday morning before Judge T. A. McNicholas and drew the following sentences:

Drunken driving, \$100 and costs and 30 days and will get an additional 60 days if he fails to pay the fine and costs; no driver's license, \$25 and costs or 60 days; no tag, \$10 and costs or 30 days, making a total of six months if he fails to pay up the several fines.

NEW BASEBALL TEAM WILL PLAY HERE ON SUNDAY

First Home Game in Orange Belt League Will Be With Lake Wales

The newly organized Avon Park baseball team will play their first official game in the first half of the Orange Belt League on Sunday at Head Field. Their opponents will be Lake Wales and the game is called for 3:30. The first game away will be next Thursday and they will again have Lake Wales to contend with.

Here's the rest of the schedule for Avon Park for the season:

FIRST HALF
At Home
May 2, Sebring
May 9, Bartow
May 16, Frostproof
May 23, Ft. Meade
May 30, Winter Haven
June 6, Sarasota
June 13, Lake Wales
June 20, Sebring

Games Away
April 28, Sebring
May 5, Bartow
May 12, Frostproof
May 19, Ft. Meade
May 26, Winter Haven
June 2, Sarasota
June 9, Lake Wales
June 16, Sebring

SECOND HALF
At Home
June 27, Bartow
July 4, Frostproof
July 11, Ft. Meade
July 18, Winter Haven
July 25, Lake Wales
August 1, Sebring
August 8, Bartow
August 15, Frostproof
August 22, Sarasota
August 29, Lake Wales
September 5, Sebring
September 12, Bartow
September 19, Frostproof
September 26, Sarasota
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State Press Comments

SOME PERTINENT QUESTIONS

In the Miami Daily News of March 13th or 14th an article appeared concerning the endorsement of Francis P. Whitehair for Governor by a Labor Committee at Orlando sometime ago. The article continued a quotation from Mr. Walter Hoyt, Secretary of the Florida Federation of Labor (which quotation we have not seen denied) which, to our way of thinking raises some pertinent questions concerning the supposed endorsement of Mr. Whitehair.

Mr. Hoyt was quoted as saying: "Only one candidate for Governor appeared before the committee. Mr. Whitehair told us what he intended to do for labor and the committee, with only three dissenting votes, endorsed him."

Based on this quotation, it seems to us that the following questions are fair: Why did only one candidate appear before the committee? Was only one candidate invited? If only one candidate was invited, why were the other candidates not invited? Did the other candidates know that the committee would meet and consider endorsing a candidate for Governor? If they did not know that, why were they not told? If the other candidates were invited, or were told about the meeting, and did not come, why was the fact that they snubbed the committee not given publicity?

Whose policy was it for the committee to consider endorsing a candidate for Governor? Did the committee originate that policy before it met at Orlando? If so, why was publicity not given to that fact, at least in labor circles? At least, why were all the candidates for Governor not told, and invited to attend, and submit their views?

Why were Seward Holland and Fuller Warren, members of several legislatures, not invited to attend and tell what they had already done for labor, as well as what they intended to do? Was the committee not as interested in the faithful service in days gone by of friends of labor as it was in what a candidate for office would promise to do in the future? Why were Paty, and Fraser, and Farbee, and Walker, and other candidates, not invited to attend and tell what they intended to do for labor?

Who decided, and by what authority, that out of a field of 11 candidates for Governor, organized labor in Florida is only interested in what one candidate proposes to do for labor? When and by whom was it decided that one candidate for Governor so far outshone all the other candidates for Governor that his views, and his views alone, were worthy the consideration of organized labor?

Who decided for organized labor, and by what authority, that, if organized labor decided to go into politics, it would put all its eggs in one basket, and not only fail to give ten candidates out of 11 a hearing, but snub them?

Were the ranks and file of organized labor back home who sent the delegates, or committee-members to Orlando, notified in advance that the endorsement of a candidate for Governor would be considered, and

did the delegates, or committee-members ascertain, and represent, the sentiment of the rank and file back home?

There are all pertinent and fair questions. Before this campaign is over some representative body representing organized labor should give this information to the rank and file of organized labor in Florida and to the people of Florida, most of whom are friendly to organized labor.

In this connection, the people would like to know if the Federation of Labor in Florida is proposing to depart from the policies of Samuel Gompers and William Green and adopt the tactics of John L. Lewis and the C. I. O. Gompers and Green have tried, in the main, to keep organized labor out of partisan politics. Lewis and the C. I. O. on the other hand believe in a militant political attitude. Is organized labor in Florida breaking away from the policies of Gompers and Green and adopting the policies of Lewis?

If so, when was the decision made and when and where was it debated? Has it been debated and decided by any members of organized labor in Florida have the membership of the committee that met in Orlando? If this is the case, can this committee send organized labor in Florida away from its traditional policy, and lead it to make important political decisions affecting one and a half million people by a star-chamber committee session, with ten out of 11 candidates, the rank and file of labor, and the people, excluded, and not consulted?

WALTER B. FRASER

(From Orlando Times)

Candidate Walter B. Fraser for governor, with his bill-billy hand, continues to draw a great deal of interest throughout the state. He cites a few facts and figures about Florida's size and the amount of money that is idle.

Florida has the largest area of any Southern State east of the Mississippi, except Georgia, and in our State we have the smallest population of any Southern State east of that great river," he says. "Establishment of Everglades National Park as a national shrine will permit Florida to compete with California's Yosemite National Park. While Florida suffers from financial anemia and tax indigestion," Fraser continued, "we have \$20,000,000 idle in 196 special funds."

"By consolidation of some of these funds into a single pot, by a sensible method of good business practice, we can unleash this idle money and save interest payments on funds the State, through a curious method of administration, has to borrow to make ends of some departments meet."

SENATOR HOLLAND

(From Orlando Times)

Senator Seward Holland, candidate for governor, recently told a DeLand audience that he had no machine, no army of hired workers, no huge advertising, no slush fund. He and the other candidates are directly or indirectly attacking Whitehair who seems to be slipping.

In his swing around Florida, Senator Holland has made many speeches. He said his Volusia County organization was No. 46 in the state.

His illusion to the merchants was well received. He is quoted by the Times-Union as saying:

"A large army of supporters is made up of merchants who consider him their friend because of his constant fight against a sales tax and because of his efforts to kill the gross receipts tax which is an unbearable burden on the small merchant." They also know, he said, of his introduction and work for the Fair Trade Act under which druggists and jewelers of the State are now operating and which other classifications of business may accept at any time they are ready. The gross receipts tax, he recalled, has been thrice killed in the Senate under his leadership.

Free Honeymoon For June Bridal Couple at Daytona

Some June bridal couple from Florida, possibly from Avon Park, is going to get one week's free July honeymoon in Daytona Beach. The Chamber of Commerce in the Florida resort city will award the expense paid honeymoon to the couple that most closely represents the typical 1940 Florida bride and groom.

Only entry requirement is that a single photograph of the nuptials be sent the Daytona Beach civic organization before June 30.

A committee of five Summer visitors to Daytona Beach, who live outside Florida, will be appointed to select the lucky pair.

Every recreation and fun facility of the Florida resort city will be placed at the disposal of the couple during the "honeymoon week" which begins July 14.

Photographs submitted will be used for no purpose other than judging, except when special permission is obtained from the subjects.

Magazine Reports Andrews In Lead

ORLANDO, (Special) — United States Senator Charles O. Andrews has been given a commanding lead over all opponents in first returns from the State-wide poll on the Senatorial race, being conducted by Florida Magazine, published at Bradenton.

A story in the latest issue of the magazine reports Senator Andrews far ahead in all of the State's five congressional districts. The editors say he has been given about 50 per cent of the many thousands of ballots tabulated so far.

This poll, generally conceded to be one of the more accurate of the several being conducted in Florida, is regarded as another of the frequently recurring indications Senator Andrews will score a tremendous popular re-election victory in the first primary on May seventh.

Church Notes

EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICE

Richard I. Browne, rector

Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

Holy Communion and Sermon, 11:00 a. m.

ST. CATHERINE'S CATHOLIC

Hickory Street — Sebring, Fla.

Mass every Sunday at 6:30 a. m. and 9:30 a. m. except first Sunday in the month when it will be at 8 a. m.

Daily Mass 7 a. m. Rev. Con.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

N. M. Isacabene, pastor

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.

Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.

Junior Meeting, 7:00 p. m.

N. Y. P. S., 7:00 p. m.

Evangelistic Service, 7:45 p. m.

Subject: "The Virgin."

Wednesday night prayer service, 7:45 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Joe Cooke Van Dyke, Minister

"And he was angry, and would not get in therefore came he as a sinner out, and intreated him."

Bible School, 10:00 a. m.

Preaching, 11:00 a. m. "Malice."

Preaching, 8:00 p. m. "More Accurately."

Prayer Meeting, 8:00 p. m. Wed.

Adult Bible Class (cottages) at 3:30 p. m. Friday.

"But when Priscilla and Aquila heard him, they took him, and expounded unto him the way of God more accurately."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

Women's Club Building

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

Services, 11:00 a. m.

The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

"DOCTRINE OF ATONEMENT" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Sunday, April 21.

The Golden Text is: "The Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give his life a ransom for many" (Matthew 20:28).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And ye hath he quickened, who were dead in trespasses and sins; But now in Christ Jesus ye who sometimes were far off are made nigh by the blood of Christ. For through him we both have access by one Spirit unto the Father" (Eph. 2:13, 15).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Atonement is the expiation of man's unity with God, whereby man reflects divine Truth, Life, and Love. Jesus of Nazareth taught and demonstrated, man's oneness with the Father, and for this we owe him endless homage" (p. 18:1-5).

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor.

Sunday, April 21: Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. when the topic for adults will be "The Way to Peace."

In view of the war in Europe, a war which is likely to spread and grow more intense and terrible any day, and in view of the war in China and the threat of Japan against the Dutch East Indies, a threat which, if carried out, may involve the United States in a war in the Far East; all right thinking people should be interested in the great question on international peace and the best way of securing it. Come, and let us discuss the subject together in our adult classes. We would like to know what you think about it.

Morning service of worship at 11 o'clock, with sermon by Dr. Elliott, who will speak on "Rejecting Deliverance." Duet "There's No Friend Like Jesus," by Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Garber. Offertory: "Just For Today," by the choir.

Young People's Pilgrim Fellowship at 6:30 p. m. Harmon Atkins

Local Growers Met Monday Night; Dr. Camp Was Speaker

Largely attended by enthusiastic growers was the annual meeting of Dr. A. P. Camp, director of the Lake Alfred Citrus Experiment Station, Dr. Camp exhaustively discussed the problems resulting from the recent cold weather and its effect on the future development of trees and crops.

The address was followed by a symposium in which many of the growers asked Dr. Camp questions regarding the effect of the various treatments suggested.

This Avon Park association is part of the county unit, which is in turn connected with the state organization of the Florida Citrus Growers, Inc. This powerful organization is largely for the benefit of the small grower so as to enable him by cooperating in this manner to successfully compete with larger organizations. Don't let anybody deceive the grower on that point.

It is largely for the small man.

At the election of officers, Earl Hartt, who so ably served for the last two years as chairman, decided the nomination for a third term and E. G. Todd was elected to succeed him. Earl Hartt was elected vice-president. C. P. Anderson was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

It was decided to hold periodic meetings subject to the call of the chairman. A definite and comprehensive program for the year was decided upon and a committee appointed to work out such a plan with F. C. Morrell as Chairman. (Contributed).

Ever Try This One? Among the problems that most mathematicians accept as "impossible" are trisecting an angle and duplicating a cube.

will lead the meeting and Mrs. Harmon Atkins will introduce the topic: "What Makes A Home Christian?" Young people are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

The Ladies' Aid will hold an all-day sewing meeting, beginning at 10:00 a. m. on Friday, April 26, at the home of Mrs. C. P. Anderson, Lake Lotella. The Children's Choir will meet for rehearsal at the Church on Friday at 4:00 p. m.

The Ladies' Aid will hold an Ice Cream Festival at the bandstand on the Mall on Saturday, April 27 beginning at 6:30 p. m.

Finnish Facts!

LAKELAND, April 18 — (Special) — Orange juice and pink ice cream are the two American products which Tasto Maki, the Finnish middle distance runner, has found to his liking while in the United States.

Interviewed at Kansas City recently during his tour to raise money for relief of the Finnish people, Maki said he would rather face bullets than American autograph seekers. The Helsinki liquor store clerk frankly said he had found two things in America which he did like, however: orange juice and pink ice cream.

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AUCTION, Horses, mules, cows and hogs, Saturday 10 o'clock, April 20. I will unload off the Coast Line two fresh carloads of real horses, Friday A. M. at Lake-land stockyards. This is all first class stock. Will sell everyone regardless of price Saturday at Lake-land Livestock Exchange, Highway No. 17. R. GOFF. 8-11 p.m.

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NOTICE

The cutting and destroying of park benches must cease. There has been more destruction by cutting and breaking of park benches in the past sixty days than there has been in the past three years. This damage is especially in the park between the two drug stores.

Quite a number of the slats have been cut entirely through with knives.

If the party is caught I promise to give him at least 10 days at hard labor in the park be he high or low degree.

I will also pay \$5.00 for information relating to the arrest and conviction of parties involved.

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Lovely Party At Lanier Home

One of the largest and most attractive parties of the week was the luncheon held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. E. Lanier, for members of the Methodist Missionary circles of Mrs. W. S. Rawlings and Mrs. C. H. Pardee. Co-hostesses for this lovely affair with Mrs. Lanier were Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. C. H. Harris, Mrs. McKee Elwell and Mrs. A. C. Wester.

The house was beautifully decorated with roses and other spring flowers which were placed at suitable places around the rooms in various colored vases which, added attractively to the beauty of the party rooms.

The dining table was centered with a large bowl of pink roses and baby breath which was placed on a mirror reflector over a white linen cloth.

The luncheon consisted of roast lamb, scalloped potatoes, congealed vegetable salad on lettuce, pickles, hot biscuits, orange marmalade, ambrosia, pineapple cake and coffee. After the luncheon a short business meeting was held during which plans were made for a picnic to be held May 21st at the home of Mrs. Katherine Bristol.

Mrs. C. R. Minglehoff had charge of the devotional for the afternoon taking as her subject, "The Good Samaritan."

Those present were: Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. C. H. Harris, Mrs. A. McKee Elwell, Mrs. A. C. Wester, Mrs. Rector, Mrs. W. S. Rawlings, Miss Funtor Anderson, Mrs. Hayes Maxwell, Mrs. J. D. Raab, Mrs. P. Anderson, Mrs. C. R. Minglehoff, Mrs. Vann, Mrs. Bert Wilcox, Mrs. E. Booth, Mrs. Katherine Bristol and Mrs. C. E. Lanier.

Rebekah Lodge Met Monday

The Rebekah Lodge held their regular business meeting Monday evening at the Rebekah Lodge Hall. The meeting was under the direction of the Noble Grand, Mrs. Reba Hainey.

A short business meeting was conducted with the following members present: Mrs. Reba Hainey, Mrs. Cora Way, Mrs. Fennie Hainey, Miss Ruby Norton and Mrs. Harriet Smith.

Senator H. G. Murphy of Zofo was a business visitor here Wednesday afternoon.

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Thursday & Friday, April 25-26
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"Daytime Wife" "The Old Maid" "Waterfront" "The Farmers Daughter" "Little Old New York" "Gerome" "Broadway Melody of 1940" "Barbecue"

B. P. W. C. Club Met At Sunset Lodge

The B. P. W. C. held another social night, this time at Sunset Lodge, with the Misses Mattie and Kate Tompkins as hostesses. The room was redolent with the odor of varied color carnations. Three tables of contract bridge and one table of rummery were enjoyed by the following members: Miss Rose Abrahamson, Mrs. Olive Anderson, Mrs. Muriel Boardman, Mrs. Katherine Bristol, Miss Sarah Brown, Mrs. Frances Clark, Mrs. Virginia Clute, Mrs. Mary Holcomb, Miss Hettie Hundertmark, Mrs. Helen Mann, Miss Millie Pearson, Mrs. Wilma Peden, Miss Kate Tompkins, Miss Mattie W. Tompkins, and Miss Margaretta Vogt, and Bill Hammond as guest. Angel food cake topped with whipped cream, delicious coffee, and candy wafers, galathea, etc., tickled the palates of all participating. The table decorations and score cards were beautiful.

The fine time stationery was given to Miss Pearson for scoring high, while the cut prize, a container of silk face tissues, fell to the lot of Rose Abrahamson.

The regular monthly business meeting of the club will be held May 6th, when the Annual May Picnic will be discussed. It goes without saying there will be no absences on either occasion.

— By the Publicity Com.

"Covenant Circle" Met Wednesday

The Covenant Circle, women's missionary society of the Congregational church, met at the home of Miss Mable Lee, Wednesday afternoon with 21 ladies present.

The meeting opened with a short business session. Reports from the secretary and treasurer were read and accepted.

Mrs. A. C. Elliott spoke about the state conference which is to be held at Daytona Beach, April 23-25. Some of the ladies are planning to attend the conference.

The devotional service was read by Miss Alice Davidson, who read from the Bible, and gave a talk on the promises of God for those followed by prayer.

Miss Cutler gave an interesting and enjoyable review of the first ten chapters of the book "Right Here at Home," by Frank S. Mead, which tells about missionary work in our own country, and the beginnings of International Church in New York City, and Grace Church in Denver, and other churches.

The meeting adjourned and delicious refreshments were served to the following: Miss Ode, Miss Cutler, Miss Alice Davidson, Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. Donaldson, Miss Mable Lee, Mrs. Jordan, Miss Marjorie McKnight, Mrs. James Lutton, Mrs. Neelitt, Mrs. L. H. Park, Mrs. Irving Smith, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. W. H. Yates, Mrs. E. O. Ware and Mrs. Max Will.

The guests were: Miss Lillian Haag, Miss Molly Clements, Mrs. Ellen Martin, Miss Hickman, and Mrs. Amber Craig.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McCuller announce the arrival of a 7 pound girl. The young lady was born Wednesday night at Touthon's hospital and has been named Geraldine.

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Saturday, April 27
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GENE AUTRY

Miss Olive Knight Birthday Honoree

Mrs. Parker of Providence, R. I. who is spending several weeks at Lake Byrd Lodge, entertained Monday evening with a very delightful dinner party honoring Miss Olive Knight on her birthday anniversary. The table was very attractively arranged with bowls of cut flowers and a delicious four-course repast was served.

Miss Knight received lovely gifts from her friends after which the evening was spent in playing cards.

Those enjoying this party were: Mr. George Voorhes, Jr. and Mrs. R. L. Brown and son, Mrs. E. O. Knight, Miss Olive Knight and Mrs. Parker.

San Souci Club Had Buffet Supper

The members of the San Souci Club who live at the Jacaranda Hotel entertained the other members of the club Tuesday evening with a buffet supper at Lake Byrd Lodge.

The supper was served from a table attractively decorated with vases of spring flowers.

The supper consisted of fried chicken, potato salad, tomato aspic on lettuce, deviled eggs, pickled peaches, olives, mixed pickles, chocolate layer cake and coffee.

After the supper was enjoyed the remainder of the evening was spent very pleasantly in bridge with the scores ending as follows: Mrs. Raymond Dilley high for which she was presented with a porch pillow in bright colors and Mrs. C. R. Ginn second high prize, a striped beach bag.

Those acting as hostesses from the Jacaranda Hotel were: Miss Mary Key, Miss Alma Harrell, Miss Hettie Hundertmark, Miss Julia Norfleet, Miss Mable Pearson, and Miss Janet Cook. Other members of the club present were: Mrs. J. D. Williams, Mrs. Fred Peden, Miss Mildred Myers, Miss Iva Phillips, Miss Elizabeth Green, Mrs. Raymond Dilley and Mrs. C. R. Ginn.

Trumpet Club With Mrs. Scarborough

The members of the Trumpet Club met this week at the home of Mrs. Zeal Scarborough.

The party rooms were very attractively decorated with mixed cut flowers with pink and yellow snapdragons and double fluffy peonies predominating, which added to the attraction of the party.

High score prize for the club was won by Mrs. George Hainey, for which she was presented with a lovely bath towel; and second high Mrs. A. McFarland for which she received a novelty set of salt and pepper shakers. Guest prize for the afternoon went to Mrs. Earl Ware and was a set of linen guest towels.

At the close of the bridge games the hostesses served refreshments of orange fig nutters, spruce and orange juice to the following: Mrs. A. McFarland, Mrs. T. J. McGinnis, Mrs. Edna Pelton, Mrs. George Hainey, Mrs. Virgil Hall, Mrs. Bill Carter, Mrs. E. H. Ware, Mrs. Nelson Smith, Mrs. L. H. Ware and Mrs. R. B. Scarborough of Lake Wales.

Methodist Choir Sang At Sebring

The Young People's Vested Choir of the Methodist Church sang Sunday evening at the First Baptist Church in Sebring.

The program, lasting 40 minutes, consisted of a solo, two duets, one quartette and several ensembles.

After the program the members of the choir were entertained in the basement where they were served refreshments of orange juice and cookies.

The following taking part were: Mary Basmore, Charles Cannon, Retha Nixon, Doris Cannon, Maria Basmore, Lillian Wyatt, Mary Elizabeth Hall, Imogene Minglehoff, Jerry Connell, Glenn Minglehoff, Carolyn Holland, Elizabeth Bradbury, Vivian Luthy, Billy Connell, Fred Montecosa, Clair Mae White, Barbara Joan Bridges, Virginia Rines, Velma Stewart, Charlotte Orr, Ann Vann, Marjorie Flowers, Jack Gerrard, Jean Cannon, David Lanier, John Elwell, Bunny Brown and Bobby Hall.

Bull Sachemmar returned Wednesday from St. Augustine after attending the Ellis Convention held there this week.

Mrs. Walter S. Betts, Fr. Brown and Mrs. R. L. Brown, Mrs. Stuart Thayer and Mrs. Demos Mandis are spending several days of this week in Ft. Pierce where they are attending an Episcopal church meeting.

Avon Park-Sebring Bridge Club Party

The members of the Avon Park and Sebring bridge club met Monday afternoon at the lovely home of Mrs. P. G. Gearing in Sebring.

Garden flowers were used in the decorating and consisted of roses and gladioli.

One game of things was enjoyed at the close of the bridge games with Mrs. Tom Jones winning. Mrs. Frances Shockley held high score for the bridge games, Mrs. P. G. Gearing second high, and Mrs. Warren, floating.

The hostess served refreshments of hot sandwiches, cookies and coffee to the following members of the club, Avon Park, Mrs. Frances Shockley, Miss Hazel Cameron, Mrs. Bill Sachemmar, Sebring, Mrs. Tom Jones, Mrs. Z. Serron, Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Beal and Mrs. G. Gearing.

Young People's Choir Picnic

The Young People's Choir of the Methodist Church enjoyed a winter picnic Saturday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier.

The young people met at the church from where they enjoyed to the Lanier home where they enjoyed many games in the yard.

This affair was given by the members of the choir with the right side entertaining the left side because they were the losers in an attendance contest.

The children roasted wieners over an open fire which they enjoyed with rolls, potato salad, pickles, orange juice and marshmallows.

There were around twenty-five young people who enjoyed this delightful party.

Baptist M. S. Meeting Monday

The Baptist Missionary Society met Monday afternoon at the church, with Circle Two in charge of the program, on which Mrs. Skipper, Mrs. Fred Touchton, Mrs. J. B. Coen, Sr. took part for the afternoon.

Mrs. Coen had charge of the devotional for the afternoon.

Those present were: Mrs. E. C. Weaver, Mrs. Otto Skipper, Mrs. Fred Touchton, Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mrs. D. T. Lockett, Mrs. J. B. Coen, Sr., Mrs. J. P. Dalton, Mrs. J. J. Fendleton, Mrs. S. F. Longbottom, Mrs. W. W. McFarland and Mrs. C. W. Pabor.

G. A. Stebbins of Miami spent several days of this week here visiting with his family.

St. Maj. J. F. Wells, Riverside, Calif., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Wells.

Mrs. Jack Head and children spent Sunday visiting with relatives in Ft. Meade.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Willis of Bradenton spent the weekend here visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Marsh.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Willson left Tuesday for Reading, Pa., after spending the winter here.

Miss Wanda Chandler spent the weekend visiting with relatives in Ft. Bassenger.

Mrs. A. E. Hollingsworth has moved from her home on Forest Ave. to the Griffith home around Lake Verona.

Mrs. Hodges of Georgia is spending several days here visiting with her sister, Mrs. Beulah McArthur and son.

Mrs. R. I. Brown, Mrs. E. A. Ricketts, Mrs. E. O. Knight and Miss Olive Knight visited Mrs. George Scott McKnight who is in T. J. Hopley and Mrs. George Voorhes spent Thursday evening visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pardee were the dinner guests of Mrs. B. T. Stewart in Lake Placid Monday evening.

Irving Morgan of Plant City spent the weekend here with his wife and baby and Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Wells.

Miss Mildred Wray, Mrs. Fannie Spink and Mrs. B. T. Cox attended the Rebekah Lodge State Convention in Jacksonville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly who spent the winter here in the Collins' apartments last week for their home in Toledo, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Bovars left Saturday of last week for their home in Pennsylvania, after spending the winter months here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Albertson left this week for their home in Toledo, Ohio, after spending the winter here.

Mrs. Zel Scarborough and baby expect to spend next week visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Akerman in Orlando.

Dr. A. Steiner left Tuesday for his home in Cleveland, Ohio, after spending the winter here at the Pointetia Hotel.

Mrs. Ed Gough and Miss Rose Abrahamson are spending several days of this week visiting with friends and relatives in Miami.

Aubrey Roberts of Bradenton spent Sunday afternoon here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Forbes and Miss Mildred Thirt left Tuesday for their home in Nebraska after spending the winter here.

J. A. Johnson of Lakeland arrived Monday and has taken charge of the Shoe Repair department of B. T. Stewart's.

Miss Mary Coen of Lake Placid spent the weekend here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Coen, Jr.

Mrs. B. T. Stewart of Lake Placid spent the weekend here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pardee and her husband.

Mrs. G. L. Peeples and baby of Bradenton are spending several days of this week here visiting with her mother, Mrs. E. A. Delaney.

Mrs. A. F. Spooner and children and Miss Mielton, Pollard of Sebring spent Monday here shopping and visiting with friends.

Julia Blake of Lakeland spent several days of this week here attending to business and also visiting with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Martin.

Mrs. Geo. Scott McKnight is expected to return Saturday from the Arcadia Hospital in Arcadia, where she underwent an operation Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nouse and daughter Jane Ann spent several days of this week visiting with Mrs. Judy Huston and daughter Betty Green in Vero Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Culler and son Thomas, Jr., and Miss Dorothy Roberts of Sarasota spent Sunday here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. Roberts.

M. T. Mervin and grand-children Miss Marjorie Mervin and Roger Wells left Tuesday for their summer home at Blue Mountain Lake, N. Y. after spending the winter here.

Dr. George Scott McKnight, Miss Marjorie McKnight, Mr. and Mrs. George Scott McKnight who is in T. J. Hopley and Mrs. George Voorhes spent Thursday evening visiting.

With Mrs. George Scott McKnight who is confined to the Arcadia hospital.

Mrs. S. A. Abady and daughter Francis of Richmond, Va. returned from Miami after a three weeks vacation with friends there and left Friday for their home in the north after spending several weeks here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Wolf and Miss Rose Abrahamson.

Mrs. Ben Hagan and daughter, Mrs. Russell Childs spent Tuesday evening visiting their son and brother, Murray Elks in Tampa. Mr. and Mrs. Hagan returned from New York on the S. S. Pan Royal and will leave next week from New York for Italy on the Pan Atlantic Lines, S. S. Pan Royal. He expects to be gone for about two months.

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CHAPTER XIV—Continued

"Frank may be dying, and you can talk about him that way. Her dress was still dusty and rumpled, her face dirty, and she had a deep purple bruise on one temple. But there was a flaming beauty—a force—in her aspect, as she faced the other girl, that made Bernadette draw back.

"Pretend that you love him, why don't you?" Bernadette said, in a frightened, dogged voice.

"I don't have to! I thought you did!"

"Your kind always pretend that they love everyone," Bernadette said, in bitter contempt. "It's all love, and how a boy isn't understood at home, and things like that."

"My kind!" Sheila echoed, with a bewildered look about the stricken circle.

"Yes, your kind! The kind that goes to a place like Atlantic City with a rich man's son!"

"Look here," Joe Carcaden said, suddenly taking a part in the conversation. "Look here, Miss What's-your-name, tell me what you call my sister, will you, or you'll find yourself in trouble!"

Sheila isn't responsible to you for what she does—no, the newspapermen, either!

"I've just been talking to her," Joe continued, with the sound of his own voice, "and she's been working hard in a hotel down at Atlantic City, with no more idea that Frank Mc Cann knew where she was than—"

"Then the babe itself!" Mrs. Carcaden supplied, and Joe paused for breath, and for a smile.

"Joe, you believe me, don't you?" Sheila stammered, bursting into tears.

"I believe you," Joe said, angrily, "and I've had enough of these rich folks that pretend they want to help a girl, just because she's honest enough to return fifty dollars they'd lost! I don't care if my father and yours were friends in Albany."

"Joe won't be angry," Joe said, "my sister to have anything more to do with you!"

"Joe-Joe," the judge began nervously, placatingly. Joe shook off the friendly hand.

"I'll bid you all good day!" he said, hastily. "Come on, Ma, come on, Sheila!"

They went out, Sheila and her mother and brother, into the night. "The way it was, Mamma—Joe!" he began.

Helping her mother and Joe with the dishes, she was back in the home kitchen, back in an old faded gingham apron, with her brown hair tied up reverently in a bun.

Sheila had returned from church, she had enjoyed once again the delights of a leisurely home breakfast with the family, and she was now retelling to them, for the hundredth time, some of the lesser details of her adventure.

Mrs. Carcaden now having finished the dishes, was at the sink, occasionally mopping its already well-mopped surface absently. Joe, really listening, was pretending to read the pages of the paper.

"Don't tell me how it was, Sheila," her mother retorted, "I can hear anything but that."

Sheila put her head down on the table and laughed.

"No one was ever good as you can make yourself out to be, when you're just up to your engagements, and thrown a family like the Mc Canns into grief and sorrow!" Mrs. Carcaden observed.

"It may not be your fault," her mother continued sarcastically, "but there's few cut girls themselves mixed up in trouble the way you do, and make such an innocent face on you. Whatever you'd be doing to get into one of them Zepplins I don't know, but that you'd come down near New York, New Jersey, is no more than you deserve! A little before that."

Mrs. Carcaden continued, in a droning, resigned sort of monotone, "it was disappeared you were, as no one had space the night of ye for days. An' before that again, it was married in Boston, Massachusetts, ye were, by a justice of the peace, or was it a district attorney, Joe?"

"It was neither," Mrs. Joe said, and Sheila laughed again. She was not deeply concerned in what was thinking of something else this morning.

She had made up her mind to something the day before yesterday, and since the instant of her decision, the world had been singing for Sheila. She was going to call on Frank Mc Cann.

The terrible day of the plane crash was now almost two weeks in the past; Sheila had had no communication since with the Mc Cann family. The unfortunate pilot of the plane had been turned over to the physicians had reported Frank as making good progress toward recovery, and newspapers had turned out for the matter. Joe Carcaden had telephoned the Mc Cann house almost every day, and had extended sympathy and made inquiries for the whole family, and it had finally been decided by her mother, Angela, and Joe that Sheila should write Frank a "nice note," telling him how glad

she was that he was getting well, and expressing her heartiest good wishes for his marriage to Miss Kennedy.

Sheila had half-heartedly agreed to this. She would have preferred, herself, to do nothing in regard to Frank. Without being able to analyze exactly how she felt, she sensed that there was mystery, there was provocation, about complete silence. But a nice letter was simply a nice letter; it ended everything. Everything was ended, of course. But somehow Sheila had had a feeling, deep in her heart, that there would be one more act.

She wanted to see Frank once more, to be sure that everything was all right between him and Bernadette, to close up their own sensational experience with one little, friendly talk.

But the manner in which Joe and Ma had treated the propriety, even a letter had shown Sheila plainly that the thought of a call was quite out of the question. So she had dutifully written, almost as dictated by her authorities.

The first days following the accident had been a time of strange lassitude and weariness to all, in the center room, dreamy and silent, or she had come out to take the kitchen rocker, listening to the talk that had gone on about her, very gentle and sweet, but apparently broken in body and spirit.

During these days the house had been full of company. Every relative and friend the Carcaden had, and they were legion, had come in and out of the kitchen as if it were a quiet place of business.

From the stairs, Lizzie had come; Neely and Lew had come. The teapot had never cooled, nor run dry, in this exciting time.

After almost a week of it, Sheila had appeared suddenly to awaken. She had washed her hair, had put her wardrobe in order. The sensations, the thrills, were all over. Now for a job, and a stretch of unromantic routine and duty.

And first duty of all, and in another sense, last, the nice letter to Frank had been written.

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there had seemed to be no other reasonable thing for Sheila to do.

But Angela and Mrs. Carcaden were no sooner out of the house than Sheila was dressing. She trembled for sheer joy as she put on her best dress, the blue coat had some clothes, but the blue coat had been brushed and pressed by her own hands, and there was another dark blue hat. Looking at herself in the cramped little mirror over the sideboard, she knew she had never looked any better.

No subway today. It was the first day of real winter. Spring could come back again, but today was languid and sweet and soft, with blue in the sky, and flurries' windows bursting with new blossoms and for trees, lilac and lilacs. Roses were everywhere; potted little red roses, on feathery light branches.

Sheila took the elevator, and sat looking out of a window only half sensing what she saw and heard. Children, mad with spring, were running and screaming in the streets below her. Church bells rang, and the whistles of boats sounded newly sweet and soft from the river. Windows were open to the world; the world was all abroad.

Some of the walking women carried small sheaves of blossoms, and some of the men had little crosses of it pinned on their coats.

Sheila walked from the elevated to the big Cann house steadily, yet without any hurry. She was going to see Frank; nothing could keep her from seeing Frank; there was no need for haste. The only thing singing in her heart like a glorious song: it was a thrilling day, and yet it was a soft, too, filled with languorous charm.

CHAPTER XV

"Maybe they won't let me see him!" Sheila thought. But she knew that Frank's father and mother were away; they had gone to the Charity Drive lunch—their names had been in the paper. And when he had telephoned her, he had asked as usual for Frank, Mrs. Mc Cann's voice, Joe said, had been quite cheerful—Frank had been out yesterday, and had set up for supper with Miss Kennedy the night before, and she and the judge had had a lovely time.

Sheila anticipated no trouble, and sure enough, everything went smoothly. There had been something in Sheila's spirit all day that had promised smoothness; she had had no doubts of what the outcome of today's venture would be. Mamma admitted her, and if there was any hesitation or doubt in her manner, Sheila did not see it. The girl, following her, walked straight through the great spacious hall, and mounted the stairs, and crossed the upper hallways to the doorway of Frank's room.

The door stood open; Sheila saw open windows, and pots and jars of exquisite flowers, beyond she began to tremble now, and felt as much like crying as smiling as she walked into the room. Mamma did not announce her, merely stood at the door.

Frank was alone, dressed, seated in a high chair piled with pillows, his bandaged left arm strapped across his breast. Over his silk shirt he wore a loose blue silk coat; his hair was neatly brushed, he looked thin, and a little pale.

As Sheila walked slowly to his chair, her smiling eyes, fixed on him, he glanced away from the window, and instantly a sort of magic seemed to be shimmering about her, and she felt hardly conscious of what she was doing.

"Why, look who's here!" Frank said, with his broad smile. "Well, I am glad to see you. How are you? Sit down, sit down. No, pull your chair nearer. I'm all alone."

Sheila sat down, and looked at him.

"Do you know, I've been thinking about you, and want to see you!" Frank asked. And as she did not answer, he went on, "Funny thing, I was talking about you only last night. Bernadette was here—Miss Kennedy, you know."

"I know," Sheila's voice was very faint. His nervous, the sight of the band, the blue-eyes, again the flash of his white teeth, the half-smile in his Irish eyes, were too much for her. The tones of his voice made her heart feel as if it were melting wax.

"I said to Bernadette that you were in the telephone but I was wrong," Frank said. "I said I had the funniest feeling of being responsible for you."

"Is this your room, Frank?" she interrupted.

"Hope. I'm up on the next floor; I can't see you. And as this."

"Whose room was this?"

"Well, this used to be an upstairs sitting-room. Then Pop put the kitchen and the dining-room into the basement floor, and turned the old dining-room into a library, and gave Mom a new room next to it, and this has been a sort of spare room ever since. And beyond the bathroom, there's the room where they stored my mother's things."

"And that reminds me that she's coming down to dinner tonight," Frank went on. "And Peter's home here yesterday. And we think

they've been writing to each other, and that they've made it up."

"Peter and Gertrude?"

"Yes."

"Oh, I'm glad!" Sheila exclaimed. "Honest, are you?"

"Oh, honest!" And she looked at him in surprise.

Frank was eying her with a teasing expression.

"I thought you liked Peter?"

"You're not jealous, anyway," he said. And after a minute he added, "I don't believe that after five years of being engaged, you'd suspect a man of anything, would you, Sheila?"

"I wouldn't be engaged for five years," Sheila answered.

"You wouldn't? Why not?"

"Because," she was thinking it out, "because I wouldn't want any man to feel—sure of me, for five years," she formulated it slowly.

"I don't think any man would!" Frank presently said, with a not quite natural laugh. And after a minute he added dryly, "Fortunately for me, Bernadette doesn't agree with you."

"So you don't think you could be faithful to any man for five years?" he asked, as Sheila did not speak.

"I didn't say that. I only meant that—if I loved a man, I wouldn't want to wait five years—to be his wife," Sheila answered simply.

"You wouldn't want to be sure?"

"I would be sure,"

Frank mused on this, watching her steadily.

"What would you call being sure?"

"Sheila thought a while before she answered, looking down, biting her full, red lower lip. "I wouldn't."

"Dividing the world into two parts," she said, after a pause, "him and me."

"If it isn't Peter, who is it?"

—and the rest. Never going anywhere that you didn't hope to meet him, never doing anything without thinking whether he'd like it or not. Hoping—hoping that everyone else would hate him—"

"Hate him! Love him, you mean?" Frank ejaculated incredulously, as she hesitated.

"Hate him—so that you could make it up to him by loving him all the more."

Frank could only stare at her.

"I don't love Bernadette like that; I'm glad when she admires me," he finally observed. "And she feels the same way about me."

"Then you're different," Sheila commented mildly.

"How do you know that love is like that?" Frank demanded.

"It is for me."

"It is. He said he was singing; she felt her hands cold and wet. A silence."

"You mean—Peter?" Frank asked respectfully.

"Peter!" Sheila cleared her throat. "No, not Peter, but he said, 'You mean you don't love Peter any more?'"

"I never did. We just had a case," the girl explained, "and he promised he'd come to see me, and he didn't come, and that made me mad—I thought more about him than if he had, maybe."

"Well, come on—!" Frank said encouragingly. "You've only made half a confession! If it isn't Peter, who is it?"

"So much so that he didn't keep his word to you?"

"He lost my address."

"And forgot your name?"

"I forgot his," the girl said honestly, laughing. "But you see we're not in the telephone but I was wrong."

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3. Which is written, libel or slander?

4. What is a popinjay?

5. Which are the three largest islands in the Western Hemisphere?

6. What are water chickens?

7. How long did Benjamin Franklin attend school?

8. Can one's front teeth be referred to as molars?

The Answers

1. There the wedding ceremony consists merely of eating cake together.

2. A palindrome.

3. Libel.

4. A dude.

5. Canada, Brazil and the United States, in size according to the order named.

6. Water chickens (Florida gallinules) are birds about the size of a chicken, squawk like hens, swim, but rarely fly. They are of the rail family.

7. Two years, between the ages of eight and ten.

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MICAH'S VISION OF PEACE

LESSON TEXT—Micah 4:1-3, 2-3, 4. GOLDEN TEXT—And they shall beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into pruninghooks; nation shall not lift up a sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more.

Peace on earth! Why, that is hardly more than a phrase which we recall at Christmas time as we think of the song of the angels. Yet now is the time to assure people that there will be peace on earth. Peacemakers who are now silent were striving to bring in a man-made peace, following a will-o'-the-wisp. Let us tell men about the real peace which will come when the Prince of Peace sets up His kingdom. Let us urge upon them the glad acceptance of His personal kingdom in their hearts that they may even now know peace within.

Micah warned Judah that their rejection of God and His love would bring them sorrow and judgment. In the midst of his message, however, he breaks forth into a glowing prophecy of the glory that is to come during the reign of the Messiah, the Prince of Peace.

I. The Foundation of Peace—God's Word (4: 1, 2).

Vainly do men labor to bring about a lasting peace built upon the words of men, for the moment there seems to be gain in repudiating promises given in the greatest of solemnity, they become mere scraps of paper. There is no security in such words, nor in the guns and battleships used to support or to break them.

God's Word, the teaching of His law, walking in His paths—here is the foundation for real peace. Micah speaks of the time "in the last days" when the people of the earth shall go up to God's house to hear His Word and to learn to walk in His ways. To that blessed and holy day we look forward with anticipation and joy even as we now bring men the message of Christ's redemption and His peace.

II. The Prince of Peace—Jesus Christ (4: 3-5).

This beautiful portion of God's Word (and such parallel passages as Isa. 2:1-5; 11:1-12) gathers together the longing and hopes of peaceloving men of every age. Perfect justice, the end of all wars, prosperity for peaceful pursuits, boys no longer learning warfare, coming warriors, universal brotherhood, social security, universal worship of God—what a thrilling promise! Will it ever come true? Yes. When? In the "latter days" (1: 1, R. V.). Who has made such a promise? God Himself. Who will bring it about? God's Son, the Prince of Peace, who will come to "judge between many people."

Why will men be so blind to the "sure word of prophecy, whereunto ye do well that ye take heed, as unto a light that shineth in a dark place" (II Pet. 1:19)? Why will we reject Him who is "the day star" (II Pet. 1:19; Rev. 22:16) and who is even now ready to "arise in your hearts"?

III. His Coming—As a Savior (5: 2, 3).

This remarkable Messianic prophecy gave more than 700 years before the birth of Christ the exact place of His birth, so closely identified as to make both the prophecy and its fulfillment a testimony to the inspiration of the Bible. Note that this was the passage with which the priests and scribes answered the question of Herod (Matt. 2:1, 4) regarding the place where the Messiah was to be born.

Thus the coming ruler of Israel, the Judge of all peoples, the Prince of Peace, is none other than the Lord Jesus who was born into this world as the Babe of Bethlehem, "a Saviour . . . Christ the Lord" (Luke 2:11). Israel rejected Him and He had to "give them up" (v. 3), but the time will come when they shall see Him as their King.

IV. His Reign—As King (4: 4, 5).

"This man shall be our peace" (v. 4, R. V.). He is it who "shall be great unto the ends of the earth" (v. 5); and that can be said of no man in all history except of Him of whom we sing.

Jesus shall reign where'er the sun
Does his successive journeys run;
His kingdom stretcheth far as west,
His throne shall sit as on the seas.
—Charles Wolfe.

His shall not be the reign of a despot, for we read that "He shall feed His flock in the strength of Jehovah" (v. 7, R. V.). His enemies and the enemies of God the Father must be put down, but His people will be His flock. He is the "good shepherd" who "gives His life for the sheep" (John 10:11). He is that now to every believer. Sinner, why not take Him now as your Saviour, your Good Shepherd, and join with His people in looking for His coming as King?

Opposition Helps

Efforts against the truth sometimes help it progress; the seed and the guard only make it more clear that the Savior rose from the dead.—Broadus.

HOUSEHOLD QUESTIONS

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Sprinkle chopped, candied ginger over thin biscuit dough. Then spread the combination with soft butter. Cut into strips a fourth of an inch wide and two inches long. Bake quickly. Serve hot.

Be careful not to fill baking dishes too full. Escalloped foods, rice puddings and fondue need about two inches of rising space. Foods made with baking powder, soda, cream of tartar or egg whites require at least three inches.

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A man is not educated until he has the ability to summon, in an emergency, his mental powers in vigorous exercise to effect its proposed object.—Webster.

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