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For Health's Sake EAT MORE FLORIDA ORANGES AND GRAPEFRUIT

RIDGE BOOSTERS TO ENTERTAIN GOVERNOR

Head of Highlanders Makes Report to Board of Governors

The contractor is making rapid progress on the Frostproof-Lake Wales link of Road 8, John D. Clark told the board of governors of the Scenic Highlanders this week.

South of Babson Park there is now a long detour almost to Frostproof. However, the detour is over a very passable clay road and when not too wet is answering the needs of the traveling public in a satisfactory manner.

"Nothing further has developed relative to the right-of-way problem around Lake Moody. Mr. Maxcy has delivered agreements from all property owners and it is now up to the county to go ahead, but as the right of way fund is exhausted, their hands are tied for the time being.

"We hope this entire right-of-way from Lake Wales south may be obtained before the present contractor pulls up stakes. If we do have this right-of-way complete to lay in the lap of the road department, it is natural to believe that they will willingly consider the advisability of finishing the job solid between Lake Wales and Frostproof before he get away. But the entire right-of-way probably must be available very soon to bring about this happy possibility.

"Mr. Holliday reports that this right-of-way situation between Dundee and Haines City is progressing normally but expects now that property owners have returned from summer absences, that the sign-up will proceed more rapidly.

"We confidently expect work on this link of No. 8 to begin immediately following the close of the coming tourist season. This means things will be disturbed during next summer, but No. 8 will be completed in toto for the tourist season of 1942. This now seems definitely assured.

"In answer to your invitation sent Governor and Mrs. Holland for a big Highlander party to be given in their honor, he writes that both Mrs. Holland and he will be delighted to accept but suggests we hold it in late October or early November. The Road Board will also be guests of honor.

"Comptroller Lee is holding county officials' feet to the fire on their budgets this year and we are very much in accord with this strict program of economy in all county spending. This is as it should be.

However, we people in Polk and Highlands counties have a road problem. We need roads. We had been forgotten untill the Scenic Highlanders made such a noise that at last things have begun to move. But, there are several roads in both counties which need to be rebuilt.

"Remember this—you have to have a right-of-way before you can the needed right-of-ways requires have a road and the obtaining of a larger appropriation than was available last year in the right of way fund of Polk county. Not next year, or the year after, but this year, so that these necessary right-of-ways may be obtained now.

"So as an organization and as individual citizens, we should see to it that Polk and Highlands counties are permitted to determine this point for themselves and Colonel Lee must be persuaded that on this one item at least we know what we are doing."

County Agent Runs Soil Tests Free For Growers Of County

A very large number of Highlands County Citrus and Truck growers are taking advantage of the soil acidity test work being done by the office of County Agent Louis H. Alsmeyer. About 100 samples have been run a week.

The acidity tests are made in an Electrical machine which was donated by one of our leading cattlemen, Mr. William H. Boyd.

Growers bring in a little over one-half pint of each soil area they desire tested, and then the samples received during the week are run with the machine Friday afternoon, and reports immediately mailed out to the growers showing the alkalinity and acidity of their soil, and then the growers are all then so advised by the County Agent as to what steps can be taken so that their soil can be in a more favorable condition for planting.

Acidity determinations are very important under normal conditions, but under present conditions, with agriculture needed to produce as rapidly as possible for National Defense, and with certain materials being difficult to secure, the testing for acitity is much more important.

In cooperation with the A.A.A. approximately $180 tons of Dolomitic Limestone have been ordered by the citrus and vegetable growers and a few cattlemen through this source during the past five months.

BIRD LECTURER IN SEBRING ON MONDAY NIGHT

Representative of National Audubon Society.. Will Give Interesting Lecture On Southern Bird Life

An illustrated lecture on bird life in the south will be given at the Sebring recreation center Monday, September 29th, by Alexander Sprunt, jr., southern representative of the national Audubon Society. Howard B. Livingston, secretary of the Highlands County Fish and Game Association announced yesterday.

The lecture is educational and interesting to those not interested in conservation as well as those who are. It is open to the public and no admission charge will be made.

Mr. Sprunt has since his earliest years devoted himself to out-door pursuits. He has been, as he himself expresses it, a "prowler of swamps," and few persons know as he does the forests and swamps, the swamps and the prairies, of the South, from the Carolinas to Florida, Louisiana and Texas.

Except for his undergraduate years at Davidson College, N. C., (1924-30) held the position of Curator, U. S. Navy prior to the Armistic, Mr. Sprunt has devoted himself to the study of wildlife and to the great problems of conservation. A native of Charleston, S. C., he spent many a boyhood day working as a volunteer in the noted Museum of that city and later (1924-30 held the position of Curator of Ornithology in that institution.

Mr. Spurnt made his first field investigations for the National Audubon Society in Louisiana during the fall of 1924, and he has been actively in the field for the society ever since. For many years he supervised the work of Audubon wardens in the great sanctuary areas throughout the South. Since the inauguration of the Audubon Wildlife Tours he has devoted himself to supervising these organized field trips which have brought many hundreds of visitors, from all parts of the United States, to observe at close range the spectacular wildlife of these areas.

These great sanctuaries (covering more than three million acres) are patrolled by wardens of the society—by automobile, power boat on horseback and afoot, according to conditions—during the critical breeding and nesting seasons. Vast colonies of birds are protected in this way—among them the most beautiful and spectacular in this country, Egrets, Spoonbills, Cranes Herons, and Ibis of many kinds. There can be no doubt that this protection has resulted in saving from complete extinction some of the most magnificent species of these wild birds, which add so greatly to the interest and beauty of the scenery, and which constitute indeed a valuable asset by attracting visitors to the regions where they are to be seen.

In addition to supervising these sanctuary areas, and leading organized tours in Virginia, Florida and Texas. Mr. Sprunt has rendered valuable service through his education activities as writer and lecturer. His scientific articles and stories of the out-of-doors have appeared in leading magazines,—a collection of which has been published under the title, "Dwellers in the Silences," As a lecturer, Mr. Sprunt combines color and forcefulness in a very effective way. His unusual acquaintance with the natural history of the South, his intimate knowledge of conservation problems, his broad viewpoint, his fluent and colorful speech, combine to make him an exceptionally agreeable and authoritative speaker for all those who are keenly interested in wildlife and in all outdoor pursuits.

Ben Stewart's Father Passed Away In Alabama

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stewart were called to Phoenix City, Ala. early this week due to the death of Thomas C. Stewart, father of Mr. Stewart. He had been in failing health for the past few years and was 76 years of age at the time of his death. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Survivors include the widow, Mrs. Nannie Stewart; three sons, G. W. Stewart of Tallahassee, Ed S. Stewart of Columbus, Ga., and Ben Stewart of this city; and one daughter, Mrs. Dewey Fannin of Phoenix City, Ala.

U. S. ARMY OFFICERS AT FLYING SCHOOL—From left to right: First Lieutenant Albert P. Sights, Jr., Air Corps, Commanding Officer; Second Lieutenant Theodore H. Watson, Air Corps, Assistant Air Corps Supervisor; First Lieutenant Clarence W. Rice, Jr., Infantry, Adjutant; Second Lieutenant Donald T. Bennink, Air Corps, Operations Officer and Engineering Officer; Second Lieutenant Earl D. Caton, Air Corps, Supply Officer.

ENLISTED MEN AT FLYING SCHOOL—Left to right: Sergeant Malchus C. Baker, Company Clerk; Corporal Angus M. Hannes, Operations and Engineering Clerk; Staff Sergeant Helton G. Hudgens, Acting First Sergeant and Sergeant Major; Master Sergeant Robert E. Rice, Technical Inspector; Sergeant John H. McLemore, Supply Sergeant.

P.-T. A. Will Sponsor Program For Elks' Iron Lung Fund

Sponsored by the Avon Park P.-T. A. a program will be presented at the high school auditorium on Thursday night, October 9, the proceeds of which will go towards the Elks' iron lung fund of Highlands county. The entire proceeds will be given to the Elks and no expenses will be deducted. There will be no admission charge but a collection will be taken at the door after the program.

Band Director E. L. Roberts is chairman of the program committee and he has asked seven Avon Park civic organizations to help or take part on the program. Those asked to cooperate are: the Rotary Club, the Lions Club, the B. P. W. C., the Woman's Club, the American Legion, the Legion Auxiliary and the P.-T. A. Each has been asked to prepare and present a skit, a stunt, a reading or something else of entertainment value.

There will be a speaker from the Elks Club who will tell of the value of an iron lung to the community. The high school band will also have a place on the program, both before and after.

Girl Scouts Met Monday Evening

The Girl Scouts met Monday night for their second meeting this year. Mrs. Durrah Martin, their leader was in charge of the meeting.

Each one of the scouts are looking forward for plenty of camps, hikes and new members.

Those present were: Alice Rouse, Juanita Sauls, Wanda Chandler, Barbara Jean Bridges, Retha Mixon, Betty Jo Wells, Virginia Spencer, Winifred Archer, Mary Elizabeth Hall, Jerry Connell, Janet Barker, Dorothy Welch, Winifred Hood, and Helen Garrett.

O. B. Trail Assn. Is Sending Publicity

"Many reports are coming in to the Orange Blossom Trail publicity headquarters for travel stories on this famous route thru Central Florida," said C. E. Crabtree, Chairman of the advertising committee at the Avon Park office. "We believe last year's record of 63 stories with pictures carried by the travel magazines will be equaled before the season is half over."

"These requests," continued Crabtree, "are due to the opening of highway 26 from Lake Okeechobee on South to Miami. Through the North the larger automobile clubs have their own travel magazines, and feature stories on this scenic route give Central Florida a chance to go after a large portion of the auto visitors that visit Miami each year but this season would like to try the new routing thru Florida's famous hill and Lake region."

Mrs. G. B. Pittman and children, Kenneth and Junior, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Baker, of Tampa, Mrs. J. B. Maulden, of Lakeland were the week end guests of their mother, Mrs. J. W. Porter, and their sisters, Mrs. V. C. Bass and Mrs. J. P. Conner.

AVON PARK RED DEVILS Football Schedule

Sept. 26 Jersuit Hi. Here
Oct. 3, Ft. Meade, Away
Oct. 10, Lake Wales, Here
Oct. 17, Jefferson, Away
Oct. 24, Haines City, Away
Oct. 31, Arcadia, Here
Nov. 7, Frostproof, Here
Nov. 14, Mulberry, Here
Nov. 21, Okeechobee, Away
Nov. 27, Sebring, Away

Mayor Covington Dinner Host To School Officials

M. E. Covington, the right honorable lord mayor of Avon Park, was host today at his home at a "Cracker Dinner" to officials of the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy. The following menu was placed before the distinguished guests:

Fried Avon Park bass, hush puppies, swamp cabbage, Mandis salad, tater pie and guava cream, coffee and mint juleps.

Those enjoying the mayor's hospitality included: Albert I. Lodwick, Robert H. Austin, Stanley N. Hedberg, W. C. Pidgeon, R. G. Beeler, J. L. Abbott, E. L. Lowe, G. P. Emerson, P. C. Leatherman, H. K. Pettit, R. E. Betz, Lt. Albert P. Sights and Lt. D. T. Bennink.

Local guests of his honor included: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Betts, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crabtree, R. R. Brown, Earl Ware, Charlie Lanier and Mr. Parks.

Theatre Changes Night Show Time

Beginning next Monday night shows at the Park Theatre will start at 7 o'clock during the week instead of 7:15 as at present. The doors will open at 6:45. This change does not apply to Saturday and Sunday when the shows run continuous from 2 o'clock on.

Pigeons Released

Dan Allen, agricultural teacher at the Bowling Green schools, released 10 racing homer pigeons here this morning. He released some more in Sebring. He says that anyone interested in raising this type of bird should see him or Frank Morgan at Sebring. The birds are registered with the U. S. Army for military work, Allen said.

FIFTY ARMY AIR CADETS WILL ARRIVE HERE NEXT WEDNESDAY

Hangars Going Up With Every Thing Nearly Ready To Start Training Pilots For The U. S. Army

The first class of fifty U. S. Army Air Corps cadets to receive their ten weeks primary flight training course at the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy will arrive in Avon Park at 10 A. M., Oct. 1st, it was announced today on receipt of word from Major General W. P. Weaver, commanding officer of the Southeast Air Corps Training Center, Montgomery, Ala. The new flying school is a detachment of the Southeast Air Corps Training Center and is under their supervision.

Officials of the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy said that renovation of the Lodwick Inn was practically completed and with construction work on the two large steel hangars at the airport well under way, everything would be in readiness to receive the first batch of embryonic pilots next Wednesday.

Albert I. Lodwick, owner and operator of the flying school said that one hangar would be completed on or about October 1, and the second would be completed a week or so later.

"We are ready to receive the first batch of students October 1," Mr. Lodwick said. "We have some twenty instructors here in Avon Park at the present time together with a complete staff of ground school instructors, mechanics and line men to handle all operations. "There are eleven Stearman training planes based at the airport and more are expected to arrive next week."

Major L. S. Stranathan, U. S. Army Air Corps officer from Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Ala., flew to Avon Park Tuesday and inspected the local airport and the Lodwick Inn where the students will be quartered. He expressed himself as well pleased with the progress made since his last visit three weeks ago.

Robert Austin, Drector of the School, whose 90 year old mother arrved Tuesday from Danbury, Conn., to pass the winter with him, also said that everything would be in readiness to receive the cadets when they arrived. The entire three story hotel, formerly known as the Highland Lakes Hotel has been repainted throughout on the inside. The dining room, lobby and kitchen as well as all of the rooms and the halls have been repainted, with the ceilings white, walls a blue-green and woodwork ivory. Showers and answer curtains have been installed in each room which will accomodate two cadets each.

Parking spaces for employes and cadet cars have been laid out alongside the Lodwick Inn as have drill grounds and recreational and sport facilities for volley ball, tennis and shuffle board. There will be two drill grounds and arrangements were made to place two large flag poles, one in front of the hotel on the road and one on the Lake side. The U. S. Army Air Corps insignia, a white star on a blue circle with a red dot in the middle is being placed on each side of the hotel building.

Paul Leatherman, Barracks Manager, has had a large crew of men and women at work cleaning the rooms, halls, lobby and windows from top to bottom. He, too, reported that everything would be "spic and span" when the first of the cadets arrived. Curtains were being put on the windows of all the rooms in order to give them a "homey" appearance. Each room at the Lodwick Inn commands a beautiful view of a lake for they are all outside rooms and there is a Lake both in front and back of the hotel.

Officers for the Army officers, non-commissioned men and civil service employes as well as employes of the school have been located on the first floor of the North Wing of the Building. There are five officers and six enlisted men on duty at the present time. They are First Lieut. Albert P. Sights, Jr., Commanding Officer, Second Lieut. Theodore H. Watson, Assistant Air Corps Supervisor, First Lieut. Clarence W. Rice, Jr., Adjutant, Second Lieut. Donald T. Bennink, Operations and Engineering Officer and Second Lieut. Earl D. Caton, Supply Officer.

The enlisted staff consists of Staff Sergeant Helton G. Hudgens, Acting First Sergeant and Sergeant Major, Sergeant Malchus C. Baker, Company Clerk, Corporal Angust M. Hanne, Operations and Engineering Clerk, Master Sergeant Robert E. Rice, Technical In-

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COUNCIL MAKES NEW CONTRACT WITH LODWICK

City Failed To Build Hangars Agreed On; Seek To Close Road Between Hotel And Lake Lillian

The city council Monday night authorized an amended contract with A. I. Lodwick covering the flying school. The amendments became necessary when the city could not fulfill its parts of the old contract regarding the building of the hangars and Lodwick agreed to build them himself. Council also agreed to deed 40 acres to Lodwick, this tract being where the hangars are now being built.

At the request of Mr. Lodwick the council passed a resolution asking the county commissioners to close the road between the Highland Lakes Hotel and Lake Lillian. Lodwick said he was just asking this during the present emergency as the road will be used for drill and other formations by the cadets housed in the hotel.

The city also sold the old house at the airport to Lodwick for $155. There were other bids but those of Lodwick and Les Collier were the highest and for the same amount and council sold the building to Lodwick. He paid cash.

Leasing of the Highland Lakes casino to Lodwick for $1.00 a year was also agreed on. This lease will go into effect if and when the city acquires title to the property.

Orders were issued to burn the old Sue Davis house on the Wauchula road. City Health Officer W. C. Thornton advised the building was menace to the health of the community and should be destroyed by fire.

HERBERT MOORE KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Four Sebring Young People In Collision On Avon Park-Wauchula Road

Herbert Moore, 22, of Lakeland, was fatally injured in a head-on collision which occurred on the Avon Park-Wauchula road Friday evening.

Moore was a passenger in a 1933 light coupe driven by F. L. Mallonee, 23, of Lakeland. The other vehicle was a 1934 light sedan driven by Elmer T. Hoyt Jr., of Sebring. The accident occurred when Mallonee attempted to turn his car from the shoulder on the wrong side of the road to get back on the right side of the highway.

Hoyt's car was bearing four Sebring high school students home from a football game at Wauchula.

First people on the scene of the accident rushed Moore to an Avon Park physician who treated him for wound to his jugular vein. He died Saturday morning at a local hospital as a result of the wound.

Occupants of the Sebring machine received lacerations of the head and body. Passengers of the sedan were Verna Vail Weems, Doris Harrison and Milton Ramer. They were released from the hospital Saturday morning.

At a coroner's hearing at Avon Park Monday afternoon Mallonee was charged with killing Moore due to negligient operation of an automobile while in an intoxicated condition. At present he is out on $1,000 bond.

The entire front ends of both vehicles were extensively damaged. Patrolmen Edwin R. Ferrell estimated the total damage to the two machines at $400.

Red Cross Notes

Beginning Tuesday, September 30th, the Red Cross production room will be open every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock.

The local chapter has a large quota to fill before the end of the year, and both new and old workers are urged to contribute their services in every way possible.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Ward and Miss Elizabeth Smith, spent Monday in Tampa.

WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON
(Consolidated Features—WNU Service.)

NEW YORK.—In the newspapers and on the street there is more and more talk of Donald M. Nelson for the one-man head of the national defense effort. A Washington friend informs this writer that powerful New Dealers, as well as important members of the opposition are working to the above end.

Miracle-Man Sans Sleight-of-Hand, Is Don M. Nelson

There has been much favorable comment on his showing in a recent radio debate on prices. Processed through several alphabetical scrambles at Washington during the last year, he has been appointed executive director of the President's new Supply, Priorities and Allocations board. There seems to be a growing belief that if anybody can perform a miracle, he can.

Mr. Nelson probably would concede no more than a deprecatory wave of the hand to this miracle business. Tall, bulky, bespectacled, slow-moving, and deliberate in speech, he would resolve the bewildering complications of plane and tank production in orderly and methodical processes instead of sleight-of-hand. The former and never the latter is his unfailing procedure.

Mr. Nelson's business career of 29 years has been given entirely to Sears Roebuck & Co., of which firm he became chairman of the executive committee in 1939. He became a defense aide at Washington a year ago. He joined Sears Roebuck as a chemical engineer, for which he had been trained at the University of Missouri. His friends have noted that thus he would bring a technical equipment to the job, as well as long experience in organization and co-ordination if he should be assigned a one-man seat in the defense wheel-house.

He's slightly red-headed but isn't that way temperamentally. In this connection, he is an inveterate pipe-smoker, the same being the classical deterrent to going off half-cocked. He was shoved around considerably in the more or less broken field of the earlier defense drive, but has shown a capacity to get on with his workmates and is credited with ability to clear log-jams and get things done. He is 53 years old, a native of Hannibal, Mo.

THE life of Artemus L. Gates has been one continuous anti-climax. From the day of his 90-yard run in the Yale-Harvard game of 1917, he has been slipping steadily. In the World war the best he could do was to become Yale's most decorated war hero. He didn't even become a bank president until he was 33 and was probably near 30 before he gathered his first million.

A. L. Gates Long Has Been on the 'Down-and-Down'

And now he has dragged along to 46 before being named by the President as assistant secretary of the navy for air. His final slump from that golden November afternoon of 24 years ago probably will be when they make him president of the new League of Nations, after the war.

He entered Yale from Cedar Rapids, Iowa, his home town, guessed right on our entering the World war, joined an apprentice flying group and was ready when the call came, volunteering in the naval air service. He was a tackle in the air, as he had been on the ground, dropping many German planes. The British awarded him the Distinguished Flying Cross, the French the Croix de Guerre, and his own country the Navy Congressional Medal of Honor. His most sensational exploit was the rescue of two British fliers whose bomber had been downed in the channel.

All this got passing mention in the public prints, as did his appointment to the presidency of the Liberty National bank, in New York, in 1923, at the age of 33, but it was just a whisper compared to the uproar touched off by that 90-yard run.

At this writing Mr. Gates is president of the New York Trust company.

Others engaged in Wall Street activities who are on the up-and-up at Washington include Robert Lovett, (he not so long ago served as one of Mr. Gates' directors) who now has a war department post corresponding with Mr. Gates' new navy secretarial job; James C. Forrestal, who is deep in production-management, and then there is Averill Harriman, who is swing-man diploma! in England and Russia.

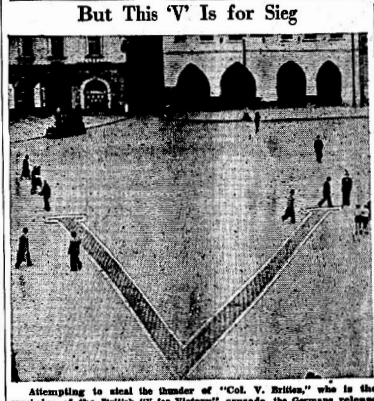
Three New Rear Admirals for U. S. Navy

President Roosevelt has approved the recommendations of the line selection board, which selected 13 officers of the grade of captain for promotion to the grade of rear admiral. Among the navy officers to step into the charmed circle are, left to right, J. R. Beardall, J. F. Shafroth and O. M. Hustvedt. The promotion was made necessary by the expansion of the U. S. navy to meet threat of war.

America Strengthens Sea and Air Arm

Pictured at left is a view of the keel laying for the new 10,000-ton cruiser, Wilkes-Barre, at the recently re-opened century-old Cramps shipyards, near Philadelphia. Upper right: Widely heralded new flying fortress, probably world's deadliest instrument of destruction, emerges from the Boeing plant in Seattle for first test flight. Lower right: The U. S. cruiser San Juan, after being launched at the Fore River yard of the Bethlehem Steel company, Quincy, Mass.

But This 'V' Is for Sieg



Attempting to steal the thunder of "Col. V. Britton," who is the sparkplug of the British "V for Victory" crusade, the Germans release this photo to a skeptical world. It shows a great "v" inscribed in a public square in Prague, Czechoslovakia. The V stands for Victoria, an ancient German word for victory, long superseded by the familiar "sieg" of modern Germany.

For Civilian Defense

Alice Marble of California, assistant director of civilian defense in charge of physical training for women, looks over some civilian defense insignia. Miss Marble was formerly national singles tennis champion.

Rescued Yankee Fliers Land in British Port

Five American fliers who were en route to England to fly for the R.A.F. and who were rescued when their ship was torpedoed. Four other Americans were drowned. The rescued men, who landed at a British port, are, left to right: Norman Echerd of Kansas City, Tom Griffin of Mississippi, Jack Gilliland of Kansas, James Jordan of San Francisco and Rivers Greve of Georgia.

Vest Pocket Rations

Lieut. Col. Paul Logan shown with the army's new "vest pocket" ration for parachute troops, now being tested by the quartermaster corps. Three complete meals will be contained in these tiny boxes, each weighing but a few ounces.

(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Camp Cavalcade

SHADOWY figures in a cavalcade of American history—such are the men behind the names of the great army cantonments scattered all over the United States, where young Americans are learning to be soldiers in order to defend their country when the need arises.

If the deeds of a man who served brilliantly in three wars can inspire his fellow-Americans, then the men who are training at Camp Shelby, near Hattiesburg, Miss., have plenty of cause for inspiration. For it is named for Colonel Isaac Shelby, (1750-1826) born in Maryland but a settler in western Virginia at the outbreak of Lord Dunmore's war in 1774. He fought in the historic Battle of Point Pleasant but he won his greatest fame during the Revolution as one of the leaders of the frontier riflemen who won the great victory over Major Ferguson's British at the Battle of King's Mountain. Moving to Kentucky after the Revolution, Shelby was one of the framers of the constitution of Kentucky and in May, 1783, was elected first governor of the new state. At the outbreak of the War of 1812 he led 4,000 volunteers to help Gen. W. H. Harrison fight the British and Indians in the Northwest and for his bravery at the Battle of the Thames he was given a gold medal by congress.

Isaac Shelby

Another Revolutionary war hero is immortalized in Camp Stewart near Hinesville, Ga.—Gen. Daniel Stewart, born near the site of the camp in 1761. He enlisted in the Patriot forces at the age of 15 and served under Marion and Sumter in South Carolina. Captured by the British, he escaped from a prison ship in Charleston harbor and immediately re-enlisted in the fight for freedom. After the Revolution he served in several Indian wars and rose to the rank of brigadier-general before his death in 1839.

Louisiana has two camps named for notables whose careers were closely associated with the history of that state. They are Camp Claiborne and Camp Livingston, both near Alexandria, Lt. William Charles Cole Claiborne (1775-1817) was a Virginian and a friend of Thomas Jefferson, who persuaded him to study law. He moved to Tennessee, where he became a member of the first Tennessee constitutional convention and was elected to congress. When the historic contest for the presidency between Jefferson and Aaron Burr was thrown into the house of representatives for a decision, Claiborne cast the deciding vote for his friend on the thirty-sixth ballot. Thereafter Jefferson appointed him territorial governor of Mississippi and in 1803 named him and General Wilkinson commissioners to receive Louisiana Territory from France. He became the first governor of the new Territory and finally United States senator but died before taking office.

W.C.C. Claiborne

Robert R. Livingston (1746-1813) was a native of New York, who was elected to the Continental congress and was a member of the committee appointed to draw up the Declaration of Independence. Elected chancellor of New York in 1777 and again in 1779, he, as the head of the government of that state, administered the oath of office to George Washington as first President of the United States. In 1801 Livingston, as United States minister to France, opened negotiations for the purchase from Napoleon of the territory beyond the Mississippi and two years later he and James Monroe signed the Louisiana Purchase treaty. He was associated with Robert Fulton in developing steam navigation and when he retired to private life it was to his estate, "Clermont," for which Fulton named his historic steamboat.

R. R. Livingston

Origin of Army Titles

A captain commands a company and his title is derived from the Latin word for head, "caput." His second in command was his lieutenant, the man who held (tenand) the company in place (lieu) of his superior officer. Next came the sergeant, one who served (servir). Several companies together form a column commanded by a colonel (column). His second in command is a lieutenant-colonel and the third in command was originally a sergeant-major but is now a major.

WAFFLES AT NIGHT—GUESTS' DELIGHT!
(See Recipes Below)

OUT OF THE WAFFLE IRON

Waffles! Um'm! Crisp and browned to suit the taste—a queenly dish, whether you're a homemaker who delights in calling in your friends—a "home body" who caters only to the family—or a lone eater who simply likes nice foods.

It's fun to make 'em . . . it's fun to bake 'em. And waffle baking has made so many homemakers—young and old—waffle-party conscious, that we've included in this week's column games especially suitable for waffle parties.

So why not be a hostess who is different! Invite the "gang" in for a neighborhood "waffle feed." Your new deal in entertaining—whether your guests be clubwomen, daughter's pals, the high school basketball team, or hubby's cronies—will go down in social history. Mark our words!

Waffle recipes can be divided into two parts—the "ordinary" or "regular" waffle—good enough for anybody; and the waffles with frills and furbelows—gingerbread waffles, chocolate waffles, etc. So we give you some of each.

Waffles.
(Makes 5 waffles)

2 cups sifted flour
1½ cups milk
3 teaspoons baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
3 eggs
4 to 6 tablespoons melted shortening

Separate the eggs and beat the yolks with the milk. Add the sifted dry ingredients, then the melted shortening, and last, the stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into hot waffle iron and bake until iron stops steaming.

Variations for Standard Recipe.

Pineapple Waffles—Reduce milk in plain waffle recipe to 1 cup and add ¾ cup well-drained crushed pineapple.

Date Waffles—Add 1 cup chopped dates mixed with part of flour from recipe.

Ham Waffles—Add 6 tablespoons minced cooked ham to plain waffles.

Huckleberry Waffles—Add 1 cup well-drained, canned or fresh huckleberries mixed with ¼ cup sugar.

Nut Waffles—Add 1 cup finely chopped nuts to standard waffle recipe.

Spiced Waffles—Add 1 teaspoon cinnamon, ¼ teaspoon cloves and ¼ teaspoon nutmeg to batter for plain waffles. Nuts may be added to this.

Corn Waffles—Add 1 cup well-drained, canned whole-kernel corn to standard recipe.

Yeast Waffles.
(Makes 6 waffles)

1¾ cups milk
1 teaspoon salt
4 tablespoons melted shortening
1 yeast cake
¼ cup warm water
2 cups flour
2 eggs

Dissolve yeast in warm water. Add salt and melted fat, then milk and flour. Stir until smooth. Let stand over night, or 1½ hours. When ready to use, beat egg yolks, add to mixture and then add beaten whites. Bake 4 minutes on a very hot iron.

Fruit Sauce for Waffles.

½ cup butter
2 cups powdered sugar
1 cup crushed berries
1 egg white
1 teaspoon vanilla

Cream butter, add powdered sugar and when well creamed, stir in white of egg and vanilla. Mix thoroughly and add berries. Chill. Makes a delicious topping for waffles when served for supper, dessert, or even late-at-night as a "snack."

Gingerbread Waffles.
(Makes 6 waffles)

1½ cups pastry flour
¾ cup sugar
½ cup molasses
2 eggs
1 cup sour milk
1 teaspoon ginger
½ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon soda
1 teaspoon baking powder
6 tablespoons melted shortening

Beat eggs until light. Add sugar, molasses and sour milk. Sift dry ingredients together and add. Beat until smooth. Add shortening and bake 3 or 4 minutes. Serve with ice cream.

Chocolate Waffles.
(Makes 4 waffles)

1¾ cups flour
3 teaspoons baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
6 tablespoons sugar
2 eggs
1 cup milk
2 squares chocolate
4 tablespoons butter

Mix and sift dry ingredients. Add milk, beaten eggs, fat and chocolate which has been melted over hot water. Preheat iron 6 minutes and bake waffle for 3 minutes.

Apple Waffles.
(Makes 6 waffles)

1¼ cups flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
1 egg
2 tablespoons butter
¼ teaspoon salt
⅔ cup milk
¾ cup chopped apples
2 tablespoons lemon juice
Dash of nutmeg

Chop apples, add lemon juice and nutmeg. Let stand for 15 minutes. Sift flour, measure, add dry ingredients and add apples and butter. Heat waffle iron 6 to 8 minutes, pour on batter and bake 2 to 3 minutes. Serve with butter and brown syrup.

Here's a good game for your next waffle party. It's called CONSEQUENCES and is played as the old familiar Consequences. Paper and pencil are needed. Each person draws the head of a beast, bird or man, folds the paper over and passes it to the neighbor on his left. Each person then draws a body of beast, bird or man, according to his fancy, and again folds the paper over. The last item to be added is the legs and feet. The paper is to be folded again and passed to the neighbor on the left, then all are opened. The results may be astonishing.

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THIS WEEK'S MENU

WAFFLE PARTY
Hot Bouillon
Waffles Syrup Sausages
Fruit Salad
Homemade Chocolate-Mint Ice Cream
Coffee Milk

LYNN SAYS:

Care of the Waffle Iron. Most modern electric waffle irons should not be greased, but extra richness must be put into the waffle batter. This should be poured on the pre-heated iron from a pitcher or with a large spoon.

With continued use, the cooking surface is apt to become brown, and it is a mistake to remove this unless it becomes burned or too thick. During the occasional scourings, great care must be taken not to get water into the connection plug or heating element. A damp cloth or a soft brush should be used to free the iron from excess batter or crumbs.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS By Edward C. Wayne

Protection of Lend-Lease Shipping Is Extended to 'Ships of All Flags' By U. S. Warships as Far as Iceland; Conflicting Reports Mark War News

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

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SHOOTING WAR:
Recapitulation

Repercussions among the non-interventionist opponents of President Roosevelt's general foreign policy were surprisingly calm, following his address in which he told U. S. naval skippers to shoot first and ask questions afterward. Beyond seeing it "as a step toward war," there seemed to be an utter unwillingness on the part of the White House's opponents to sail into the President tooth and toenail.

The request of Captain Halliday of the sunken Steel Seafarer "give us guns and we will shoot, too," brought the discussion of arming of merchantmen into the fore. In this the pattern of the last war was being sharply paralleled.

The declaration by Germany of unrestricted submarine warfare was closely followed in those days by the arming of merchantmen, which, in turn, was followed by the country's active entrance into the war.

However, it was not immediately apparent that any such move was being sponsored on Capitol Hill.

'For All Flags'

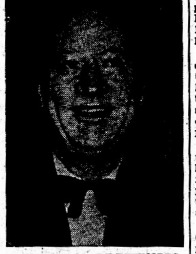
Later the trend of U. S. policy became more clear as Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox, in a speech before the national American Legion convention in Milwaukee, indicated that U. S. warships would "provide protection . . . for ships of every flag carrying lend-lease supplies between the American continent and the waters adjacent to Iceland."

While he avoided the use of the word "convoy" this appeared to be the plan for providing the promised protection and to most observers it looked like the logical follow-up to the President's former "shoot on sight" edict against German or Italian raiders.

REYNOLDS NIPPED:
A Repercussion

Cancellation of an address scheduled by Sen. R. R. Reynolds of North Carolina before the Advertising club of Newark, N. J., was another repercussion which bid fair to be a typical reaction of the times following the President's "shooting" speech.

The senator had been booked to speak September 24 "many months ago," and the statement made public by the club declared: "and the club directors at that time felt that, regardless of the senator's decidedly isolationist position, the club should continue its poicy of listening to both sides of every question.



SENATOR ROBERT REYNOLDS
Foreign correspondent was substituted.

"However, because of the recent Nazi sea incidents and the recent clearly definite speech of President Roosevelt, we feel now that Senator Reynolds' talk might be in a definite conflict with the national defense program.

"The withdrawal is in no sense an indictment of the eminent senator. He is entitled by the Constitution of the United States to express whatever viewpoints he chooses to indorse.

"Nevertheless I feel sure that the people of New Jersey, one of the thirteen original States of this country, are 100 per cent against Hitler, and, in my opinion, are solidly opposed to the views expressed by Senator Reynolds."

A foreign correspondent was substituted.

RUSSIANS:
Hold and Advance

Conflicting reports from the Russo-German front continued to paint, as near as it was possible to determine, a general picture of the Russians holding out in the siege of Leningrad, and making a steady and fruitful advance against the Nazis in the central sector around Smolensk.

Whether this was the natural sagging of a salient due to the removal of Germany's best troops to the Leningrad front, or whether, as the Russian communiques insisted, the Red victories were against the Reich's crack legions in full force, was of course a matter of conjecture.

Two names emerged from the daily dispatches—those of Marshal Semeon Timoshenko, general commander on the central front, and that of Gen. Jacob Kreuzer, leader of the Russian blitz forces who were doing much of the driving ahead.

The Russian daily claims of 7 to 10 miles advanced might be discounted, but the names of places where fighting was reported showed definitely that there was an actual advance, and of no inconsiderable proportions. Three towns easily locatable on detailed maps of Russia which lie well "behind Smolensk" were reported captured.

Strange sight for a war-torn land is this picture taken in Vichy, France, as Marshal Petain, head of the Vichy government, awards a trophy to one of the winners in the meet that marked the revival of athletics in France. Admiral Darlan and other important government leaders attended the meet.

Absence of any further German claims on the Kiev and Odessa fronts were accompanied by simple Russian statements that the battles there were "continuing." One Russian commander said "Stalin's order not to yield Kiev is being complied with."

Many military observers believed that the long, waving line of the Nazi front was fraught with exceeding danger to the German campaign provided the Red army on the central front really has the enemy in an important retreat.

Perhaps the outstanding Russian claim was the recapture of several points on the west bank of the Dnieper. This, if true, did much to bear out the feeling that the second great Nazi blitz against Russia again was bogging down.

Isvestia stated "the Napoleonic record of 83 days from Warsaw to Moscow still remains unchallenged by Hitler."

IRAN:
Sends Nazis Out

Eighty Nazis were reported expelled from Teheran in carrying out the terms of the British-Russian-Iranian armistice, and that eight of them were sent to Siberia, "very glum"; the rest going to India.

The German legation had, by a variety of excuses, postponed the departure of the special trains for nearly 24 hours. The British and Russian diplomats had expected about 225 to be expelled, and were visibly disappointed when only 80 left.

The German legation was reported to be housing about 400 men, women and children rounded up in preparation for the expulsion.

HIGHLIGHTS . . . *in the week's news*

London: It was purse "blackout" for Britishers. The postman brought them their income tax bills. They called for up to one-half of all their earnings in the year ended April 5.

New Orleans: Hurricanes of September revealed a new menace to defense. Five hundred and fifty war planes had to be moved to points of safety when a hurricane was reported in the vicinity.

Vichy: Marshal Petain made the use of his prerogative to save the lives of condemned men when he commuted two such sentences. The men had been charged with fomenting a strike in 1938.

Washington: Charlie Chaplin was subpoenaed to testify concerning his motion picture "The Great Dictator" in which Hitler was lampooned.

Star Dust
STAGE ☆ SCREEN ☆ RADIO

By VIRGINIA VALE

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PARAMOUNT may have something very interesting in the picture called, so far, "Tales of Manhattan." It's the story of a dress suit and what happens to it, and there are seven sequences, in each of which a different male star will appear. So far Charles Boyer, W. C. Fields, Edward G. Robinson and Joe McCrea have been signed up, and Paul Robeson, the famous baritone, is one of the dozen outstanding stars being considered for it. Well, remember "If I Had a Million"? The episode which practically everyone recalls from that picture is the one in which Charles Laughton, learning that he had a million dollars, gave his boss the raspberry. It made the picture!

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Susan Hayward did so well in "Reap the Wild Wind" that she has been given another important role; in "The Lady Has Plans," the Paulette Goddard-Ray Milland spy comedy, she'll be an American racketeer whose identity gets mixed up in Europe with a woman radio commentator's—the commentator being Miss Goddard. The screen play was written by Harry Tugend, author of "Caught in the Draft."

SUSAN HAYWARD

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Martha Mears, the popular blonde radio singer, has been signed to a term contract by RKO Radio. As her first assignment she will do a feature number in floor show sequences for "Call Out the Marines," which stars Victor McLaglen and Edmund Lowe.

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RKO has also signed Pare Lorentz to write, direct and produce feature films. Lorentz, you'll recall, was responsible for those superb government-sponsored documentary films "The River," "The Fight for Life," and "The Plow That Broke the Plains."

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Too much can't be said in praise of "Here Comes Mr. Jordan." It's one of the most original pictures ever turned out in Hollywood; it's highly amusing, it's well performed, especially by Robert Montgomery, James Gleason and Edward Everett Horton. Don't miss it!

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Kathryn Grayson's going to grow up into Spring Byington in Metro's "The Vanishing Virginian" — and they'll both be portraying Rebecca Yancey Williams, the author of the book. Despite the chance to see two movie actresses portraying her before the cameras, Mrs. Williams refuses to go to Hollywood.

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Edward G. Robinson recently spent a week with his son, Manny, at the Black-Foxe Military academy summer camp in the San Bernardino mountains, and as a result there'll be a change in the dramas presented on the CBS "Big Town" program during the 1941-42 season. That exposure to the youngsters convinced Robinson that younger listeners should hear more comedy and light dramas—which may also provide older ones with relief from present world conditions. So "Big Town" will be more amusing.

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Few people outside of the radio business have ever heard of Hal Block. Radio writers usually are just heard, speaking through the mouths of other people. But Block has done such prodigious work on CBS's "Treasury Hour—Millions for Defense" that he's becoming known to the public. With regard for each performer, he has written the humorous side of the show for just about every big-time air comic of the day. And that's quite a trick, for comedians, according to those who know, are naturally some of the unfunniest men in the world.

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ODDS AND ENDS—Patricia Morrison, last of the long-haired brunettes in the movies' stellar ranks, has succumbed to the inevitable—she's succumbed to a bleach and a bob . . . Joel McCrea can't help stopping and listening when he hears a newsboy really giving; he used to peddle papers himself . . . Warner Brothers have decided that you'll be more likely to want to see "The Black Widow" if it's called "The Body Disappears," with Jeffrey Lynn, Jane Wyman and Edward Everett Horton . . . Veronica Lake and her infant daughter, Elaine, have matching bed jackets of ice blue satin—just the thing for a brand new baby!

Washington Digest

President's Farmer Tenant Has Trouble All His Own

Newsmen Quoted Mose Smith, Who Works 140-Acre Hyde Park Farm, and He Doesn't Like It at All.

By BAUKHAGE
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I suppose the landlord-loving tenant is as much a piece of news as the dog-biting man. So when a famous landlord made the following remark about a certain farmer, I decided the matter ought to be looked into:

"I don't know whether I like being called a landlord," said the landlord. "I say this, though, that if I have to be a landlord, and if he has to be a tenant, I would rather have Moses (Smith) as a tenant than any man I know . . . he has not cut down the trees; he has not burned up the house; and the fields are in better condition than the day he came. And, incidentally, from my point of view, all the time that Moses has been here, he has never given me a headache."

That is what President Roosevelt said about Moses Smith.

So I dropped in and had a talk with Mr. Smith when I was up at Hyde Park recently.

This is what Mr. Smith said to me:

"The President is the best landlord in the United States. I've rented from him for 22 years and he has yet to find fault. Whenever he gets a chance he comes over here to say 'hello' and 'good-by,' but he doesn't find fault. And I've made mistakes, too. Nobody is perfect."

And Smith sounded sincere. There is nothing self-conscious about his relationship with the President—to Smith, Franklin Roosevelt seems simply the son of a landlord who has grown up to inherit the functions of his mother and who, purely incidentally, has become President.

Meeting of the Home club at home of Moses Smith recently.

When I got out of the car in the driveway beside the neat little white farmhouse with its pillared porch, Smith walked out to meet me. He is a typical up-state New York farmer. He was dressed in two-piece overalls—he told me he had just "dressed three fowls" and I knew that morning he had been spreading fertilizer. Bright brown eyes looked out under the wide brim of his straw hat—the kind "Ding's" farmers wear. He took it off and I saw that his hair was not gray as I judged his years would indicate, but weathered a bit, like good lumber that has been exposed to sun and wind and rain.

House Expands Backward.

We did not walk over the 140 acres which make up the place. They are typical of that part of the country, some pretty hilly, some flat—soil that is spread not too deeply over the hard rock, of the sort that makes the Palisades. Flat field stone has provided the stone walls and material for the buildings.

Smith asked me in out of the sun which was filtering through the great trees in the yard. We went in the back door which was handiest.

"It's a long way," he said, "from the parlor to the kitchen." It was. The house had expanded backward evidently instead of spreading out. Convenient in winter though, not so long a path to have to shovel to the barn.

We sat down in the parlor and the conversation started on the landlord-tenant subject. Smith had reached the point where he was telling his side of the story:

"Now the President drove over here a little while back, Smith went on, "with the Princess Juliana. He told her about this house being over a hundred years old and I told him about the well-water. It had gone bad. So he said to go ahead and dig a new well."

Smith showed me the new well. It is 140 feet deep, drilled through the rock. Smith was proud of it. Up Dutchess County way they have a pride in old things that are good. "It will last a hundred years," Smith said with obvious satisfaction.

Two Things Worry Him.

Smith does general farming—raises wheat, oats, corn, potatoes and vegetables and keeps 14 cows. He has a good home market close by and he raises enough vegetables for himself.

There were two things which were worrying Smith when I talked to him. One which every farmer worries about these days—getting help. And another which is the particular worry of a tenant of a President.

Every year the Home club meets on the Smith lawn, a group of some four or five hundred Hyde Parkers (incidentally I understand these people are really the ones the President likes the most). This year something happened that worried Smith.

As host he made an introductory speech. He told me that he looked around and saw there weren't any microphones and concluded that as long as this was a home gathering he could say what he pleased without being quoted in the papers.

He got a little excited, he told me, and said something about wishing the interventionists would go up on a mountain and talk themselves to death. Next day he was shocked to see his words in print. And he got a lot of letters protesting.

He explained to me very earnestly that he didn't mean to say that anybody could not say what they wanted to under the Constitution.

"I suppose it's all right that they should," he said, "but it just seemed to me that when these people talk that way and show dissention in the country they just encourage those people in Europe to prolong the war."

"That's all I meant to say," he concluded, "I never had any idea a reporter would go and put it in the paper."

Smith does not think they should have put it in the paper at all—even if he is the tenant of the landlord that he is.

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Rusting Rail Look Quite Attractive Now

Since Uncle Sam has turned junkman and is crying for scrap iron, attention of the defense agencies is turning toward some of those rusty rails which used to be bright and shiny before the flivver and the truck took away their business.

A quarter of all the iron scrap which goes into the manufacture of steel normally comes from the railroads, and scrap makes up 50 per cent of the basic raw material of steel. According to recent reports, 98 per cent of all traffic is carried on 70 per cent of the mileage of the railroads of the country. The roads would be glad enough to get rid of the rusty rails which carry little or no traffic and the government would be glad to tap this source for tanks and ships and guns if it were available. However, when formal steps are taken to abandon a branch line there is usually a strong protest from the citizens of a community through which it passes.

Recently a representative of the Interstate Commerce commission was holding a hearing at a town distant from Washington. Many persons from the community were present as witnesses protesting the abandonment of a branch road which went through it.

There was a dispute as to how much the road was used by the community so the ICC representative asked all those who had come to protest against the abandonment of the line who had come to the meeting by auto, truck or bus to raise their hands. All the hands went up. None had used the railroad.

With the call for more steel for national defense, Washington is looking with hungry eyes at the rusting rails.

BRIEFS . . . *by Baukhage*

A large part of the WPA program is being reslanted toward defense needs under the direction of Mrs. Florence Kerr, assistant WPA administrator. The new slogan for the effort will be "the good neighbor policy at home." Instead of emphasizing what the government can do to help the individual, as was the need during the economic emergency, the emphasis is now to be on what the individual can do for the government.

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For the first time since the war began on September 11 not a single item of war news appeared on the front page of Hitler's newspaper, the Voelkischer Beobachter. Just what this signified none could say.

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Past Mischief

To mourn a mischief that is past and gone, is the next way to draw new mischief on.—Shakespeare.

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Small and Great

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ONE-SIDED COMPULSION

"It is regettable that the strike at the Federal Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company at Kearny, N. J., should have ended in government seizure of the plant. Imperative as it was to get the plant going again, this particular method could have been averted. The President, no doubt, could hardly have repudiated the recommendations of the Administration's own National Defense Mediation Board. He therefore places the responsibility for the seizure on the company for refusing to accept those recommendations.

"It may be argued, indeed, that it is the duty of both workers and employers to accept the decisions of the board, even when they feel those decisions to be not altogether just. But this assumes impartiality on the part of the board and a determination not to allow either side to exploit the existing national danger to its own advantage. Unfortunately, the decisions of the board have revealed a steady tendency in one direction—to buy off strikes by accepting the major demands of the strikers.

". . . The board has also recommended in crucial cases the disruption of long-standing arrangements which should have been maintained during the emergency. It has refused to follow the wise example of the National War Labor Board of 1917, which adopted a statement of principles for the guidance of itself, of industry and of the workers. One of these principles provided for the only fair and sensible course when it froze existing closed or open shop arrangements in any plant for the period of the war. But in the Federal Shipbuilding case (as in some previous cases) the present board attempted to impose a limited closed or union shop where one had not previously existed. It recommended that any employe who is a member of the union, or hereafter becomes one, must maintain his membership in good standing or be discharged. It is this recommendation alone that the company rejected.

"There is a serious implication of the government's seizure of the Federal Shipbuilding plant which cannot be overlooked. That seizure can only strengthen the suspicion that the recommendations of the national Defense Mediation Board have become a form of compulsory abritration—a one-sided form, however, which bears against the employer alone. By not accepting the recommendations of the board for the settlement of the strike the company loses its plant. But no equivalent punishment has been meted out to any labor union which has refused to abide by or even to wait for the board's decision.

"John L. Lewis successfully defied the board even through it had handed down a recommendation enormously in his favor, and had not only supported an increase of $1 a day in wages in the Northern bituminous mines, but one of $1.40 in those of the Southern mines, to wipe out a long-standing differential. Mr. Lewis insisted on clauses . . . which the board recommended should be omitted—and he got them. In the case of the North American Aviation strike, the government 'crack-down' was not against the union which defied the board. The company's plant was seized, and the union was well rewarded for its strike by a recommendation by the board under which the company was asked to pay record-high wages for the aviation industry on the West Coast, and to grant the rebellious union a clause under which workers, as a condition of continued employment, had to retain membership in that union.

"What must be the eventual outcome of a system of one-sided compulsory arbitration of this sort, in which the government 'crack-down' on one side for rejecting its recommendations, but in effect rewards the other side for doing so?"—The New York Times.

DISGRACEFUL WAR PROFITEERING

The act of 1,250,000 railroad workers in authorizing a strike because impossible wage demands have not been met, presents the country with a dangerous defense problem.

The railway workers have deliberately refused mediation and arbitration. They have held tenaciously to wage demands which, if accepted in their entirety, would cost the railroads the sum of $900,000,000 a year—more than 20 times the average income of the railroad industry 10 years ending 1940! They have said, in effect, that if the railroads and the government mediation board do not capitulate, a defense program on which the very life of free, democratic government in the world may depend, will be brought to a standstill.

These railroad workers are the highest paid major working group in this country—and that means they are the highest paid in the world. Their hour and working standards are unsurpassed in any industry. An elaborate, government-enforced arbitration system exists to protect them against any injustice. Their wages are higher than in the boom year of 1929 even as their living costs are lower. Yet they vote for a strike—despite the need for accelerating the arms program, despite the President's declaration of an unlimited national emergency which demands the full, the unqualified cooperation of every American.

No one needs to be told what stoppage of rail transport would mean. The vast bulk of war production, no less than normal production, must move by rail, and by rail alone. Thus, a railroad strike in this country would do more for Hitler and his Axis than a dozen military victories in Europe.

It is impossible to exaggerate the gravity of this situation: 1,250,000 highly paid, highly favored workers are threatening an out and out holdup strike against the safety of 130,000,000 Americans. This is a disgraceful example of war profiteering.

LOOK AT THE FACTS

Those who urge socialized medicine seem to blind themselves to facts. For the plain truth is that our system of private, independent medicine has been responsible for practically all of the great medical discoveries and advances of modern times.

It was independent medicine that discovered vaccination, developed abdominal surgery, and has practically abolished diptheria and typhoid. It is independent medicine that has put tuberculosis, a disease which was once considered incurable and the harbinger of certain death, "on the run." It is independent medicine that has reduced childhood deaths and illnesses to but a fraction of what they were twenty or thirty years ago. And it is independent medicine which is making great strides in combating other bacterial killers.

Under a system of socialized medicine, the doctor is simply a creature of the state. The competitive urge—which makes for progress in every field of life—no longer exists. There is little opportunity for advancement. The security of his position depends on pleasing the politicians in power—not on the success with which he handles his practice. That is not theory—the history of socialized medicine in the many countries in which it has been tried, tells the story.

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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY
By RUSSELL KAY

Editor Allen Andrews, publisher of the American Eagle at Estero, is a friendly, kindly soul and can usually be counted upon to cooperate fully in any constructive effort.

Ordinarily he leads a calm and peaceful existence and it takes a lot to get him worked up to the point of flinging an editorial harpoon at anyone.

But even the worm will turn, we are told, and likewise the meekest and mildest of men can "stand just so much."

Last week, opening his mail, Allen found himself wading through a mess of press releases. Reaching over to pull the wastebasket a bit closer so that he could handle them in the routine manner, his eye chanced to catch the words "waste paper."

Staying the hand that was automatically edging the mimeographed sheet to the yawning receptacle, he took time to read and pounder over the following appeal from his government:

"Washington, D. C.: Waste paper now joins the nation's parade of defense needs, it was announced Saturday night by officials of the office of Production Management.

"A national collection campaign, conducted by the waste paper consuming industries and supported by the OPM, will begin this week in New York City, Chicago and Milwaukee. Thereafter the program will spread to other cities . . . housewives, small business houses and industries will be asked to save waste paper."

Allen looked at his desk all cluttered up with official looking envelopes all stuffed with gobs of carefully folded sheets of "waste paper," then he gazed upon his trusty waste basket, filled to over-flowing with similiar material. It was too much. Snorting like a caribou, he yanked the offending message back from oblivion, spread it out before him, and reached for his battered typewriter.

Allen, along with other patriotic fellow citizens, had voluntarily contributed his share to the national aluminum pile; to the extent of his ability he was buying Defense Bonds and Savings Stamps; he had even gone along with Harold Ickes and his screwball gas-saving program. But when his government deliberately bombarded him with gobs and gobs of waste paper and then admonished him to please save it for 'em, that was the straw that broke the camel's vertebrae.

Choosing language "fit to print" with difficulty, that humble country editor pointed out that from countless governmental departments, bureaus, boards, committees and commissions, he received a never-ending flow of so called "news" releases. So much, in fact, that if some enterprising statistician were to gather it all up and lay it end to end it would probably reach from hell to breakfast.

Practically every governmental bureau today has its own publicity men whose job it is to sing the praises of the particular activity with whom he or they may be employed. Their job is to disseminate propaganda and publicity material that the experienced "news hawk" and news gathering agencies won't handle. To justify their existence they must keep typewriters clicking and multigraphs humming.

As Allen points out, if the "save waste paper" campaign were started in Washington and instead of dumping tons and tons of this trash in the mails each day, trucks could be sent from office to office and bureau to bureau to collect and bail it as fast as it comes from the mimeograph, it would probably go a long way toward solving the paper shortage, would be just as effective from the standpoint of results, and at the same time would tend to relieve the over burdened mails.

Closing his editorial peeve, Allen says: "Calls from Washington to the people of these United States will have little effect while wholesale waste of perfectly good paper is permitted to continue from state and federal departments. Under existing circumstances, such an economic policy is like saving at the spigot and wasting at the bunghole. First stop this weekly avalanche of press dope that nobody reads, and there will be little need to call on business men and housewives to save the waste paper that accumulates in homes and places of business."

Koo - Koo By - Poters

"Pardon me, Miss, but your bathing suit is showing."

Tuneful Comedy Is Coming To Theatre Here Sun. and Mon.

With five new tunes added to a story that was already famed for its merriment, "Kiss the Boys Goodbye," the Paramount film version of the Broadway stage comedy, arrives Sunday at the Park Theatre.

The film stars Don Ameche and Mary Martin, and features in its superior cast such always-welcome entertainers as Oscar Levant, the musical genius and information expert of radio's 'Information, Please' Virginia Dale, one of Hollywood's comeliest and most talented singers and dancers, Connie Boswell, the singing star of the Bing Crosby radio hour, and Rochester, temporarily forsaking his boss of radio and films, Jack Benny. The film is especially endowed with good luck, for it was directed by Victor Schertzinger, the man who has given us such topnotch film musical and laugh bits as "Road to Singapore" and "Road to Zanzibar."

It need hardly be pointed out that all this is indeed an impressive array of talent. Incidentally, the five new tunes heard in the picture are the products of the music-writing ability of the same Mr. Schertzinger who directed the comedy, and the considerable lyric-writing talents of Frank Loesser, who has penned the words to many a hit number. In case you've forgotten, Schertzinger happens to be the fellow who wrote such memorable songs as "Marquita," the music for such pictures as "One Night of Love" and many others.

The songs which have been concocted by the Messrs. Schertzinger and Loesser are "Kiss the Boys Goodbye," "Find Yourself a Melody," "Sand in My Shoes," "I'll Never Let A Day Pass By" and "My Start." No doubt we'll hear them sung by the lyrical larynxes of Don Ameche, Mary Martin, Connie Boswell and Rochester, who, incidentally, has a dance to go with it, according to information reaching this desk. Of course, we can also expect Oscar Levant, pianist extraordinaire, to tickle the ivories in his inimitable fashion.

Citrus Growers Had Meeting Thursday

Members of the Avon Park Citrus Growers Association and others met Thursday night at the Tourist Club house and heard W. L. Burton talk on the "ills of the Citrus Industry." Mr. Burton has made an extensive study of the citrus business and believes that Florida has a good chance to capture the orange market if production costs and freight rates can be cut. He had charts showing how citrus fruit is consumed among the different classes of the population.

Visitors included County Agent Louis Alsmeyer and Heinrich Rohde of Sebring, A. J. Ahearn of Babson Park and others from Babson Park and Frostproof.

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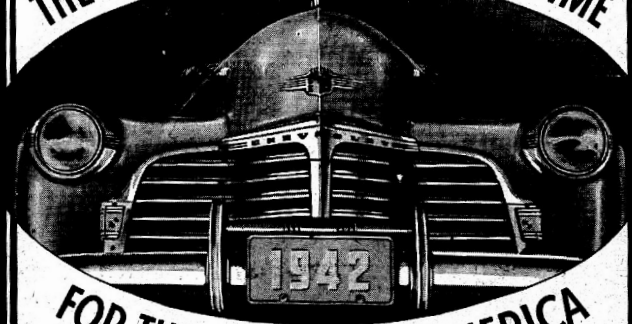

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Congregational Ladies' Aid Meets

The Ladies' Aid of the Union Congregational Church met at the Church on Wednesday at 3:00 P.M. with eight members present. Mrs. R. Rutherford read the minutes of the previous meeting, and Mrs. J. Hood presented the treasurer's report in the absence of the treasurer, Mrs. H. Dilley, through sickness. Mrs. A. C. Elliott presided at the devotional period. It was decided to hold a food sale on Saturday, October 4, on the Mall, beginning at 9:00 A. M. Mrs. E. L. Thomason and Mrs. W. H. Yates were appointed to have charge of the sale. A rummage sale was also planned to be held at the store formerly occupied by the R. and B. Grocery, to begin on Saturday, October 11, and continue each Saturday for several weeks, or until the goods are sold. Ladies present were: Mesdames A. C. Elliott, L. E. Bass, C. R. Glim, Jr., C. H. Lewiston, W. H. Yates, E. L. Thomason, J. Hood, R. Rutherford.

Circle One Met With Mrs. Bishop

Mrs. J. A. Bishop, entertained Circle One of the W. M. S. of the Baptist Church at her home, on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Touchton, chairman, was in charge of the program meeting. Mrs. J. B. Coen led the opening prayer. Mrs. Fred Touchton read the devotional. Her passage was found in Luke 7: 36-51.

Mrs. Dalton gave an interesting lecture on "When one Drinks Water." Mrs. Longbottom gave an interesting talk on "Chinese Baptist Youth."

Delicious cookies with an iced drink was served to the following: Mrs. J. B. Coen, jr., Mrs. B. F. Martin, Mrs. S. F. Longbottom, Mrs. J. E. Crosby, Mrs. H. J. Davis, Mrs. Fred Touchton, Mrs. J. P. Dalton, Mrs. C. R. Wingfield, Mrs. Lena Clements, and the hostess Mrs. J. A. Bishop.

Circle Two Met With Mrs. Lockett

Circle Two of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist church met with Mrs. D. T. Lockett, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. R. H. Lawhon, chairman, opened with prayer. Old and new business was discussed. Mrs. Pendleton gave the devotional taken from the 46th Psalm and John 14: 1-3. Mrs. Singletary, Mrs. Earnest Spencer, Mrs. R. H. Lawhon, Mrs. M. M. Foster, Mrs. D. T. Lockett and Mrs. E. C. Wever had parts on the program. Mrs. Pendleton closed with prayer.

The hostess served delicious ginger bread with whipped cream to the following members: Mrs. S. J. Pendleton, Mrs. R. H. Lawhon, Mrs. Anna Lawhon, Mrs. R. F. Sappington, Mrs. Earnest Spencer, Mrs. M. M. Foster, Mrs. J. H. Singletary, Mrs. Brisco Willis, Mrs. Milford Dilley and Mrs. E. C. Wever.

Woodman Circle With Mrs. Lamb

Mrs. J. T. Lamb entertained members of the Woodman Circle with a covered dish luncheon at her home, Tuesday at noon.

The business session was conducted by Mrs. Harry Jackson, Guardian. Mrs. Miller gave a report on the national convention held at Omaha, Neb., which she attended. Plans were made for a fish fry to be held at the home of Mrs. Daisy Ten Eyck on the evening of October 2nd. Members of the circle and their family are invited.

Members present were: Mrs. Kate Miller, district manager, Mrs. Tom Hayward, Guardian of Gate City Grove No. 2, of Tampa, Mrs. Daisy Ten Eyck, Mrs. Harry Jackson, Mrs. H. W. Hardin, Mrs. Lillian Thompson, Mrs. Marjorie Amlung, and the hostess, Mrs. J. T. Lamb.

Legion Auxiliary Had Sewing Meet

The American Auxiliary met Monday night at the Red Cross sewing room. Mrs. Ruth Clowe was in charge of a short business session.

The evening was spent in sewing for the Red Cross.

Those present were: Mrs. Ruth Clowe, Mrs. Chas. Sherman, Mrs. Demos Mandis, Mrs. C. R. Currie, Mrs. W. J. Prevatt, Mrs. Mary Holoomb, Mrs. W. S. Betts, Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mrs. John Hood, Mrs. David Stuckey, and Mrs. C. H. Lewiston.

Mrs. Gilmour Is Party Honoree

Mrs. Alexander Gilmour was given a farewell party by the Tuesday contract bridge club.

Lunch was served in the Jacaranda Coffee Shop, following which three tables of contract bridge were enjoyed in the Jacaranda Palm Room.

Mrs. L. E. Bass received a box of stationary for high prize winner. Mrs. Gilmour was presented with a bottle of perfume as a going away gift by the club. Mr. and Mrs. Gilmour are going to Portland, Oregon for a year.

The members present were: Mrs. G. S. McKnight, Mrs. Margery Church, Mrs. Brick, Mrs. L. E. Bass, Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. G. P. Thayer, Mrs. Georgia Voorhees, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Mrs. W. H. Yates, and the honoree, Mrs. Alexander Gilmour.

Episcopal Guild Honors Mrs. Gilmour

Mrs. Alexander Gilmour was honored at a tea by members of the Episcopal Guild, Wednesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. W. S. Betts, on Lake Lotela.

The dining table was covered with a beautiful lace cloth. A lovely vase of pink roses adorned the center of the table with candle sticks on each side.

The afternoon was spent very informally. Mrs. Gilmour was presented with a beautiful fountain pen as a going away gift.

Fancy cut sandwiches, cookies, pink and white mints, and hot tea were served to those present, Mrs. Mandis very graciously poured tea for each one.

Members of the Guild were present. Mrs. D. T. Bennink, Mrs. Peter Sykes, Mrs. Wallace Wright, and Mrs. Robt. Wood were guests.

Trump-It Club With Mrs. Hall

Mrs. Virgil Hall entertained the Trump-It Club with a dessert bridge, Wednesday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, at her home.

A vase of American Beauty rose buds were placed in the center of each card table.

Mrs. Thompson was given a double deck of cards for winning high score, Mrs. Brisco Willis received a cake of novelty soap for second high score.

Refreshments of pecan pie a la mode, peanuts, and coca cola's were served to the following members present: Mrs. Helen DeShong, of Sebring, Mrs. Reba Haynie, Mrs. Estelle McGinnis, Mrs. Irene Patterson, Mrs. Thelma Willis, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Virginia Carter, and the hostess, Mrs. Hall.

Mrs. Mark Smith Circle Hostess

Circle Three of the W. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. Mark Smith, Monday afternoon, at 3:30 o'clock.

Mrs. J. L. Collins, circle chairman, had charge of the regular business meeting and the program. The program theme was "Christ's Compassion fails not for Chinese in America."

Mrs. Sherman led the opening prayer. Mrs. W. C. Touchton asked all to remember the offering for the Margaret Fund and training school at the next meeting Monday, Sept. 29th.

Mrs. Collins closed the meeting with prayer.

Delicious refreshments of apple pie with whipped cream and iced tea was served to the following members: Mrs. David Stuckey, Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mrs. J. D. Sherman, Mrs. Lester Collins and the hostess, Mrs. Mark Smith.

Farewell Party For The Fred Touchtons

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Touchton and daughter were the surprise honorees Thursday night when a host of friends descended on them to wish them farewell and good luck, at Dade City where they are moving to soon for future residence. Some 35 or 40 called during the evening, leaving gifts and remembrances. Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and ice tea were served during the evening.

Births—

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ellis announces the arrival of a baby son, Saturday September 20. The young lad tipped the scales at eight pounds, and has been named Casper Leroy. The mother and son are doing nicely.

N. L. Thompson, of Winter Haven is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Horace Bryant.

Mrs. Stuckey Hostess To S. S. Pupils

Mrs. David Stuckey entertained at her home Thursday night, at 7:30 o'clock, several pupils of the Baptist Sunday school who had rated 100 percent for four Sunday's.

The entire evening was spent in playing several games. Favors of gay colored suckers were given each child.

Refreshments of ice cream and cookies were served to the following: Misses Barbara Lawhon, Jeanne Crews, Evelyn Pate, and E. C. Wever, Lolia Sherouse, Billy Wingfield, Virgil Martin, Kenneth Richardson, and Hubert Pate.

Mrs. Stuckey was assisted by Mrs. Brisco Willis in entertaining the children.

Mrs. L. D. Roberts is visiting in Miami for several weeks.

Miss Allie Lee Belin spent Wednesday in Tampa.

Mrs. Carolyn Walker spent Monday afternoon in Frostproof.

Miss Allie Lee Belin spent Sunday in Arcadia visiting friends.

Miss Grace McConnell spent Saturday in Arcadia visiting friends.

R. H. Pendleton, of Miami, is visiting his father, S. J. Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bowman and family spent Saturday in Lakeland.

J. Boundy, of Chicago, Ill., has rented Mrs. Ida May Ott's apartment.

Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Dalton, and daughter, Sylvania, spent Tuesday in Tampa.

Mrs. Jean Ricketts left for Alabama, Wednesday to visit relatives and friends.

Miss Mary Lee Herndon, of Wauchula, spent Sunday with Miss Grace McConnell.

Mrs. Edith Wild is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mary Cobb, in Tampa for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Hart, of Ona, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Hart Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Smith, and children, Peggy, and Charles, Jr., spent Tuesday in Sebring.

Johnnie Vilkaitis, of Gainesville, spent the week-end with his mother Mrs. Mary Vilkaitis.

Miss Minnie Lee Lewis, of Wauchula, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. L. R. Lewis.

Mrs. Doris Bradbury left Tuesday for Tampa. She is under the care of the doctor in Tampa.

Miss Carris Pearson, of Sunniland, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Emma Pearson.

Lorena Wernicke Gould returned to her home in Brooksville, Tuesday after visiting friends here.

Miss Mary Pardee left Sunday for DeLand to enter Stetson University for her sophomore year.

John Edward Lamb, of Sebring spent Monday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lamb.

Calvin Bryant, of Ft. Myers, arrived Tuesday to spend a few days with his mother, Mrs. C. O. Bryant.

Miss Bootie Roberts, of Miami, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Roberts.

Mrs. Howard Wray, of Miami, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Paschill.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Smith and son, of Lake Wales, were visiting relatives and friends here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Mallory Tillis, of St. Petersburgh, spent Sunday with Mrs. Tillis's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Reddick.

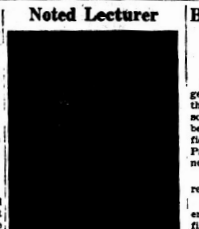
Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Thompson and family moved this week from Charleston, S. C., to one of Mr. Wester's houses.

Mrs. Harvey Hardin, and Mrs. Buck Thompson spent Monday in Fort Meade, visiting their aunt Mrs. Allen Pierce.

Mrs. D. G. Bennett, of Bareah, and Miss Ouida Bennett, of DeLand were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bennett, on Friday.

Mrs. Virginia Cloud, Mrs. Charles Sherman, Mrs. Muriel Boardman, and Mrs. Charles Shepherd attend a teachers course Friday night, in Lakeland.

Noted Lecturer



ALEXANDER SPRUNT, JR.

Noted scientist will give illustrated lecture at Recreation Center in Sebring, September 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Still and two children, of Waverly, spent the week-end with Mr. Still's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Still.

Mr. and Mrs. Blanchard Gaster and daughter, returned home Sunday, from Detroit, Mich., where they have spent the summer.

Mrs. J. E. Crosby and daughter, Dolores, Mrs. Ed Barker, and two children, Patricia and Betty, of Sebring, spent Friday in Tampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Farnell and son, of Tampa were the week-end guests of Mrs. Farnell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Weisheyer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bishop and daughter, of Tarpon Springs, spent several days visiting Mr. Bishop's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bishop.

Friends of Mrs. O. R. Perry will be sorry to learn that she underwent an operation at a Sebring hospital Sunday. She is doing nicely.

Mrs. J. C. Walker, Miss Bertha Walker, Mrs. J. Kenney of Frostproof, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walker and family on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Shark of Irvington, N. J., arrived Thursday for a three weeks visit with Mr. Sherk's sister, Mrs. Daisy Ten Eyck.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lamb, and children, Coram, and Royal, were visiting Mr. Lamb's brother, Mr. Lee Lamb, Friday in Bowling Green.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Anderson, and son Elliot, of Miami, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Green, Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Rice, and Mrs. Bud Clark, over the week-end.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred Touchton, and daughter, Mary Alethia are moving Sunday, to Dade City. Their many friends regrets their leaving but wish them happiness in their new home.

Mrs. Azalene Gunter left Saturday, for Pompano, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Cay Singleton. While there she plans to visit another daughter, Mrs. Jake Swann, in Key West.

Sgt. and Mrs. H. R. Hoffman and Tech. Sgt. "Red" Keenan, of Selma, Ala., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Beckett on Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. Hoffman is the former Miss Helen Beckett.

Mrs. Harvey Hart and daughter Robbie Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Kelley Walker and son left Wednesday for Puryear, Tennessee. They were called there to attend the funeral of Mrs. Hart's brother and Mrs. Walker's father, Mr. Marshall Provines.

State Road Dept. Removing Signs

Tallahassee, Sept. 25 (FNS)—A State Road Department crew began removing signs from state highways this week, it was announced by Thomas A. Johnson, department chairman.

He stated that advertisers have been invited to remove their signs if they wish before the road crews start work.

A law passed by the last legislature requires all highway signs be licensed and that they must be placed 15 feet back from road right-of-way.

At this time the department is only removing signs that are actually on the right-of-way and will wait until suits now in court determine the legality of the law which calls for their removal in the fifteen foot area beyond the highway.

Baptist Church Sunday School Workers Named

According to C. R. Wingfield, general superintendent, workers in the First Baptist church Sunday school for the year 1941-42 have been recommend and will take office the first Sunday in October. Promotion exercises will be held next Sunday at the church.

The following is the list of recommendations:

Pastor, Rev. J. P. Dalton: general superintendent, C. R. Wingfield; general secretary, Mrs. J. R. Bennett, assistant general secretary, Miss Patti Rounds, Cradle Roll Department: superintendent, Mrs. J. P. Dalton; workers Mrs. C. R. Wingfield, Mrs. C. W. Pabor and Mrs. S. G. Patterson with two others to be selected.

Beginners department: workers, Mrs. C. R. Wingfield and Mrs. D. Martin.

Primary department: superintendent, Mrs. W. C. Touchton; associate superintendent, Mrs. C. R. Wingfield; teachers, Mrs. Mary Myers, Mrs. Albert Demorest and Mrs. S. F. Longbottom; substitute teachers, Mrs. Lillie Langford and Mrs. Spencer; secretary and pianist Miss Marjorie Wells.

Junior department: superintendent, Mrs. Loca Stuckey; associate superintendent and pianist, Mrs. E. C. Wever, teacher, Mrs. W. W. McFarland, Mrs. M. M. Foster, Mrs. Anna Roberts, Mrs. B. F. Martin, Floyd Patterson, Paul McFarland, and Miss Louise Smith; substitute teacher, Mrs. Paul McFarland and secretary Miss Ophelia Dean.

Intermediate department: superintendent, Mrs. S. J. Pendleton; associate superintendent, Mrs. E. R. O'Neal; teachers, S. F. Longbottom, Mrs. C. W. Pabor, J. B. Coen, jr., Mrs. Frank Costine, Mrs. H. H. Shepherd; Substitute teacher, Albert Demorest; pianist, Miss Winifred Demorest and secretary, Mrs. E. R. O'Neal.

Young peoples department: superintendent, Francis Skipper; associate superintendent, Warren McFarland; teachers, Mrs. R. H. Lawhon and I. H. Ford; secretary, Miss Margaret Smith and pianist, Miss Betty Touchton.

Adult department: superintendent, E. Ray Wells; associate superintendent, Rev. J. P. Dalton; teachers, R. I. Harris, W. W. McFarland, Mrs. J. B. Coen, jr., and Mrs. J. D. Sherman; pianist, Mrs. J. B. Coen, jr.

A Tribute

to

MRS. M. M. HAYES

(Written by REV. TERRY H. MAXWELL, Temple, Ga, former pastor of Adairsville, Ga.)

Many hearts were made sad on August 16, 1941, when the news was spread that Mrs. Maggie Hayes of Avon Park, Fla., formerly of Adairsville, Ga. had passed away. She was one of the saintliest women that the writer of this tribute ever knew. A genuine Christian, one in whose heart God had "His Indwelling." Early in life having His call of 'Give me this heart' she made an unconditional surrender of the same. Also asking the young man Saul on the Damascus Road, "Lord, what wilt Thou have me do?" And until the day of her death, she could say, "I have not been disobedient to the Heavenly Vision." When I first knew her, she was full of faith and good works, and like her Lord—going about doing good. She always wore an angelic smile, and was an inspiration to me and everyone who knew her.

We regret so much to give her up, but would not call her back. She is with the white robed throng around the throne of God, How sweet the words of Jesus, "Let not your hearts be troubled, ye believe in God believe also in me. In my Father's house are many mansions, if it were not so I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you, and if I prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you unto myself." Heaven is a prepared place for a prepared people, Sister Hayes heard the Master calling, "Well done good and faithful one, enter into the joys of thy Lord." We have said, "Goodnight, mother, friend and servant of God." Some sweet tomorrow we shall say "Goodmorning," to her.

Rev. Terry H. Maxwell,
Temple, Ga.

Fifty Army Air Cadets Will Arrive Here Wednesday

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spector, Sergeant John H. McLemore, Supply Sergeant, and Sergeant H. L. Crowe, Aircraft Technical Inspector.

Forrest Trout, who will handle the books and the accounting records for the school arrived to take up his new duties Thursday. He was formerly connected with the Lakeland School of Aeronautics which Mr. Lodwick also owns and operates.

R. G. Beeler, Flight Director continued to put his instructors through their paces all week and eleven Stearman training planes were busy flying in and out of the local airport as the pilots took their refresher courses preparatory to being accepted by the Air Corps officers.

Harold K. Pettit, formerly in charge of the Jacaranda Coffee Shop and who is now in charge of the kitchen at the new school has his kitchen in "apple pie" order according to Pettit, who is well known in Avon Park and Sebring, the school's kitchen is one of the finest in the entire South. A new oil burning range was installed during the week and a new refrigerator where meat and other perishables will be stored was also put in operation Friday. The dining room with a seating capacity of 300 was set up ready to feed the first batch of students. The store room, freshly painted and two new windows installed together with a freshly laid concrete floor was loaded with edibles of all kinds to accomodate any taste or fancy. Pettit declared he was ready to serve a meal "fit for a king," yes, he said, "even the Duke and Dutchess" on but a few minutes notice. To prove his point he took your reporter to the store room and opened the door of the refrigerator where your reporter smacked his lips at the sight of huge sides of beef hanging on the racks not to mention hams, bacon and other "goodies."

The dirt floor of the basement of the hotel was converted to concrete during the week. The "sick bay" will be located on the first floor of the North side of the building with the medical reception room, doctor's offices, dark room for depth perception tests, dispensery and pharmacy quarters below it.

Landscaping of the grounds has been completed both front, back and on both sides. Out at the airport scores of men were engaged in erecting the first of the two immense steel hangars which will front on the Wauchula road. The concrete foundations were all in and the steel frame work was rapidly taking shape. Grass planted on the shoulders of the paved runways was already beginning to sprout thru the newly placed clay surfaces.

Local business concerns as well as the restaurants, hotels and soft drink parlors reported increased business as the result of the activity of the hotel and the airport.

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Approximately 175 persons were engaged during the week getting things in shape for the opening. Carloads of equipment continued to arrive on the Seaboard Air Line Railway siding and salesmen from various parts of the country were calling on Director Austin and other officials of the school to interest them in their particular products, which ranged from nuts and bolts to trucks, busses, and drag lines.

Charlie Lanier, local Ford dealer announced the sale of a second Ford Bus to the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy. The first bus was delivered to the school several weeks ago. Both busses will be used to transport the students from the Lodwick Inn to the flying field.

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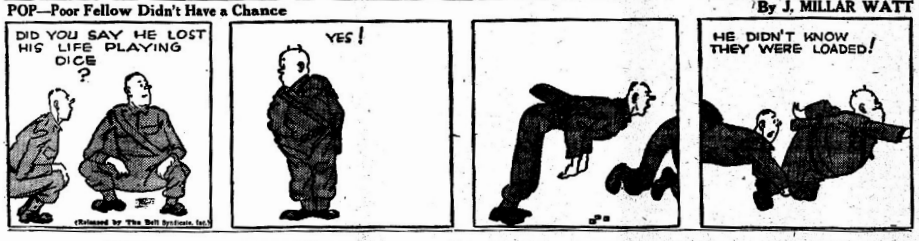

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3. What is meant by the French phrase vis a vis?
4. What was the nationality of the traveler Marco Polo?
5. Nemesis, the avenging deity of the ancient Greeks, was represented as what, man, woman, or beast?
6. What river supplies the water by which the Panama canal locks are operated?
7. The science of pomology deals with what?

The Answers

1. Seven hundred and forty.
2. A mild name for something disagreeable.
3. Opposite.
4. Italian (Venetian).
5. Woman.
6. The Chargres.
7. Fruit.

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INSTALLMENT TWO

THE STORY SO FAR: Larry Cutter was attracted to Jacqueline Anthony, pretty public stenographer at the Hotel Raynsar, when he heard that she was interested in reading about travel and adventure. After watching her for several days from a vantage point in the lobby, he fell in love with her. In an effort to meet Jack—as Jacqueline is called—he dictated an imaginary letter to Roy Allen, noted archeologist. As he had planned, this induced her to talk about her longing for travel. When Larry told her she could easily realize her dreams, she replied, "How could I? That costs money." He explained, "Simple enough. You can marry me."

Now continue with the story.

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"Wait!"

Larry Cutter made a peremptory gesture with his pipe at Jacqueline Anthony as she stared at him in wide-eyed bewilderment. He leaned still nearer, speaking in a low impetuous voice.

"You're thinking one of two things," he insisted. "That I'm as fresh as paint and you should call the house detective, or that I've some idea I'm humorous. Either way, you're wrong. I meant what I said then. And I've never talked marriage to a woman before. I don't expect you to believe that or . . . anything. But you've got to let me explain now. I've no apology to make."

"Excuse me, Mr. Cutter." Jacqueline spoke in a flat little voice. "If you have a letter you wish written, I will take it. Otherwise, I am busy."

"Never mind the letter. It can wait. So can your pirates. I've simply got to tell you . . ."

He broke off to scowl at a small rain-coated figure that appeared in the doorway. The intruder was looking inquiringly at the little stenographer. Larry was aware of a sudden suspicion; he wondered if the girl had found some way to summon aid. But this was no cop, by any stretch of imagination.

"Oh . . . Mr. Dennison!" There was no question about Jacqueline's pleasure at seeing the newcomer. "I'll be finished here in a second," she volunteered.

Larry rose quickly. "There's no hurry whatever about my work," he announced blandly. "Take care of this gentleman, Miss Anthony. I'll drop back when you're not busy."

Larry brushed past the man in the raincoat and retreated to his favorite chair in the lobby. He flung himself into it with a sigh of relief.

He was rather too far away to be sure of the expression in Miss Anthony's eyes, but the watcher was convinced that she was listening to something unpleasant.

Who the devil was this guy? What was he saying? What did he want? Larry wished he could see the man's face now . . . Hadn't liked his looks, anyway. Maybe he was the boy friend.

Silly, of course.

When it was time to go back and square things with . . . Jack, Jack Anthony, how in the world would he make her know that he wasn't a common cad? That he loved her? That he had fallen in love with her that first day?

Larry believed that profoundly. The same as he believed that Jack Anthony was going to love him in return, or he'd know the reason why. There was no reason why he could not win her. Jack would listen. She had to listen . . . She would give him his chance. She must!

Hello . . . There was Dennison leaving. The girl was sitting there alone now. She was looking into the distance. So very small and helpless.

Before he should lose courage, Larry strode purposefully to the goal of his desires. He entered, closed the door gently and helped himself to his former seat.

Jacqueline regarded him without the slightest display of interest or resentment. She waited for him to speak.

"I'm back," he hazarded.

"You didn't have a letter at all," came the quiet accusation.

"Won't you let me talk to you just a minute? Afterwards . . . Well, you won't see me again . . . If you say so. Please!"

"Go on." There was no encouragement in the permission.

"Thanks. I've told you my name. Does it mean anything at all to you?"

"No."

"It wouldn't. But it was pretty well known in this part of the country once. I'm speaking about my father. John Cutter. He was a scientist. You'd scarcely know about him . . . Long before your time, that was."

There was no reply.

"Now this is going to be a strain on your credulity. Would it surprise you to know that I consider myself a gentleman?"

"Oh, no."

"I get it. Don't blame you in the least," Larry conceded gloomily. "It's one of many things I'll have to prove. It may take time. The same as proving that I'm sane. And yet I am. Also I'm thirty-five and weigh one hundred and seventy. I drink a bit . . . in company. You seem to be up on Kipling. He said there was hope for such a man. And I smoke, as you see. Profession, engineer of sorts. Just a few of the tiresome details," he apologized.

Only silence greeted this effort.

"Ever run across the Val d'Or in your book wanderings, Miss Anthony?"

"Yes." It came out with obvious reluctance.

"Then you know what a wilderness is there, or has been until lately. You still have to go in on foot and pack your supplies, unless you're an ultra-modern prospector and ride a plane. Well, I've been there off and on for over two years . . . Somewhat to the north of the main diggings, however. Primitive enough to suit anybody."

"I imagine so."

"Yes, ma'am. But it's worth it, if you find something. I was lucky, myself."

"Gold?" The firm trace of interest.

"Some . . . Good enough showing for me to dispose of a half interest in my claim."

"That is very nice, I'm sure."

"As far as it goes. I came back here on purpose to . . . But we won't go into that. I'm foot-loose. No family but some distant cousins that I don't know. They may be dead. One of my ideas was to get married. Been knocking around alone long enough. I decided that I wanted a home . . . companionship. And comforts. I suppose every man does at one time or another."

"And you decided to offer yourself to the first girl you met."

Larry Cutter was unable to detect either amusement or sarcasm in that comment. It was a colorless statement and offered, seemingly, to clarify a situation.

"Nothing of the sort!" he objected hotly. "I want somebody to belong just to me. Somebody who will be interested in what I do . . . care a little. Look here, Miss Anthony. You may not have seen very much of this world, but something tells me you understand things. You even know what the Val d'Or looks like. Right now you've been picturing the trackless miles of snow and scrub pine. The camps. Tar-paper shacks in dirty snow. There's not the romance about it your magazine yarns make out. There's a lot of riffraff. Unsavory men and unsavory women. Hours of hard work and those other hours when you sit staring into a fire and smoking your pipe. That's harder than any work. The solitude . . ."

"And you decided to offer yourself to the first girl you met."

"I know," Jacqueline said unexpectedly.

"I told you so. You always would. I've been making sure of that for a week now. Such things do happen, I tell you. If only there was some way to let you know how deadly in earnest I am."

There was no reply. But Larry Cutter did not know that his dark eyes were subscribing to the truth of his claim more eloquently than any words he might find.

Too late, he realized that he had gone about things in the wrong fashion. The worst possible. He should have been more cautious in his approach. Made Jack's acquaintance and won her confidence to some degree. But it was too late to go back now. He wouldn't run.

"I told you, Miss Anthony, that I had a particular purpose in coming here to the city," he resumed steadily. "I can see now that it was meant to be . . . that I would find you. Call it fate if you like. Nothing will make me believe otherwise. It's rather difficult to explain just now . . . But if anything were to happen to me, I'd like to leave what I have to someone I care for . . . to whom it would mean something. To my wife. She wouldn't have to worry or want for most things. Please . . . !" as Jacqueline started to speak.

"That sounds rotten, I guess. But I want it to be you because I truly love you. See here. Let's go at it this way."

He regarded her in a puzzled fashion, then resumed:

"I know nothing about your situation, but I take it that you're in business for yourself . . . you're a business woman. That should make it easier for us both. Here's the way it stacks up."

Larry spread apart the fingers of his left hand and tapped the thumb with the end of his pipe stem.

"First. I'm asking you to marry me. You've nothing but my own word for it that I'm decent, healthy and independent. I'm all three.

"Second. I'd prefer to make it a straight business proposition at the start. I've something to sell, if you want to put it that way. My name and the promise to care for and respect you as long as I live. You will be running no great risk . . . I think. I would protect your investment from the start. Let me be frank about that. I mean financially. It's no inducement . . . a bond. And with no strings whatever.

"Third. I ask nothing in return. Until you wish to give it of your own accord. You would be free to keep your name, your present way of living . . . your job, if you wish. You'll see me no oftener than you like. No one need know of our marriage until you are ready.

"Fourth. If it doesn't work out after a fair trial, the deal is off. You'll be as free as air . . . and forever.

"Fifth . . . But you get me. I'm ready to draw up a paper covering all that and sign it. You're a notary, I suppose." Larry permitted himself a slight smile at this practical note. "And that covers the ground about as well as I can do it. I suppose it sounds pretty bad for me . . ."

There was silence as he waited for an answer. Jacqueline was the one who broke it.

"Aren't you forgetting something?" she asked slowly.

"I dare say. What is it? We'll include it."

"You know nothing about me."

"Oh, that." Larry gave a relieved sigh. "It seems to me that I have known you always. But, until the day I came into it, your life is just your own. It doesn't concern me. Your life will always be your own. Please be assured of that."

"You are generous." Still that expressionless note in the girl's voice.

"Don't say that! I'm not trying to be generous . . . to you. All I'm trying to do is to be fair . . . dreadfully fair. I know what a great thing I'm asking of you. I was so afraid that you wouldn't even listen to me. Well?" Anxiety gave almost a harsh tone to the last word.

Jacqueline leaned forward, leaned forward until the light fell relentlessly upon her small face. Her dark eyes were inscrutable. She was searching her mind for the words she needed.

"I don't know why I did listen," she admitted wonderingly. "An hour ago, I . . . I must be mad . . . too."

"Then you mean . . ." Larry caught his breath sharply. Waited.

"I am mad." Jacqueline Anthony was deciding that for herself.

"But you will do it? I ask for nothing until you can give it to me."

The little stenographer's face went visibly white. Her lips trembled a whispered answer that Cutter barely heard.

"I'll . . . I'll do it."

CHAPTER II

Little Miss Anthony breathed an incoherent prayer when she found herself alone once more in her office, and with the door closed. The dazed petition was that no one look at or speak to her until she could collect her scattered senses.

The entire world was gone topsy-turvy. It still moved shakily through a dull haze.

There had been no suggestion of so vast a cataclysm when Jacqueline opened her eyes in the comfort of her small apartment on Courtland street. She had lain in bed until the last minute listening to the steady drip of water from a leaking spout above her window, wishing that there were no need of going to work.

Another dull day and, probably, few customers. But each customer counted just now. They counted tragically.

Jacqueline's numbed brain still was trying to get across the message that she had just now promised to marry a man. A man she never had seen before. A man who had walked into her office and asked her to take a letter. It must be a dream . . . A nightmare, rather. And yet . . .

It might have happened. Because this man had told her his name after he proposed . . . Larry Cutter. And he wanted to marry Jacqueline Anthony. She still couldn't comprehend any clear reason for it.

It just didn't make sense.

And this Mr. Cutter apparently had been perfectly satisfied with her halting, foolish little acceptance. He had asked Miss Anthony to have dinner with him tonight . . . anywhere she liked. There were things to talk over. Arrangements to make.

Arrangements! Jacqueline shivered. That meant a wedding. He would want to talk about their wedding.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Improved Uniform International SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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Lesson for September 28

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THE FULFILLMENT OF HISTORY: THE NEW JERUSALEM

LESSON TEXT—Revelation 21:1-7, 10-12, 22-24.

GOLDEN TEXT—He that overcometh shall inherit all things; and I will be his God, and he shall be my son.—Revelation 21:7.

A happy ending may not suit the fancy of modern writers of fiction, but it does suit God. He "who worketh all things after the counsel of his own will" (Eph. 1:11) will see to it that redeemed man shall "be to the praise of his glory" (Eph. 1:12). The eternal, omnipotent God will bring the history of His dealings with mankind to a glorious ending. The last book of the Bible comes to its last pages where, after dealing with the final struggle of man with his enemy Satan (which has gone on since the entrance of sin into the world in the Garden of Eden), we find the glorious, God-given revelation of the "divine, final restoration of the universe, a picture of the home where we who love the Lord Jesus will forever dwell."

I. "The Tabernacle of God Is with Men" (vv. 1-7).

Our God is always with His people, but there is a promise of the time when He shall "pitch His tent" (for thus we might translate the word "tabernacle") in their very midst and "be with them" in full and unhindered fellowship. This He once did for a time when "the Word was made flesh and dwelt among us" (John 1:14), or literally "tabernacled among us." In the day of which our lesson speaks He will come to live permanently with His people.

The blessings of His divine presence are beautifully described in verses 4 to 6. There will be no more tears, because every occasion for them is gone. There will be no death, pain or sorrow, for the one who sits upon the throne will have made everything new.

Christianity does not evade the question of sorrow and suffering, but it does point to a glorious day when they will be done forever. What a precious promise!

II. "The Holy City . . . Having the Glory of God" (vv. 10-12).

The description of the holy city is differently interpreted, but perhaps the best one is that it will be in the form of a pyramid on a square base 1,500 miles in width and length (12,000 furlongs)—v. 16), rising in terraces, and 1,500 miles high at the top.

The description of the city is glorious beyond words (read 21:1 through 22:7), but the crowning fact of all is that it has "the glory of God." His presence means more than all the glories of precious stones and of "pure gold, like unto clear glass." He is more than His gifts, and His presence is more glorious than all His mighty works.

III. God the Almighty and the Lamb Are the Temple (vv. 22).

As long as we live under the present conditions of life, we cannot do without a place to meet to worship God and to receive spiritual help and strength—a temple. But when the redeemed are gathered in the Holy City they will have no need for a temple. The place of meeting with God "which now has to be delimited from the world, and set apart for God—yes, and held with determination and force of will against invading hosts—has there expanded to cover the whole area of human experience and activity. God's presence has no longer to be sought; it is known; it is felt, universal and all-pervading as the light of day" (C. Anderson Scott).

IV. No Need of the Sun—the Glory of God Did Light It (vv. 23, 24).

The great need of man in this world is light. He rejoices in the sun as it sheds its lifegiving rays upon the earth. He does his work and finds his healthful recreation in the day. When darkness comes, he must have illumination, that he may read, study, work, or fellowship with others. From the flickering pine knot man went on to the candle, to the lamp; and now in most places he floods his city and its homes with the light of electricity. But even so there is too much darkness in the world, and the men who love darkness rather than light (see John 3:19) are able to practice their evil deeds.

In the New Jerusalem all will be light, for the One who is light (I John 1:5) and the source of all light permits His glory to shine forth and "lighten it." Jesus, the Lamb, who is the light of the world (John 8:12), is the never failing lamp of the city.

In such light not only the nations of the earth, but their kings as well, will want to walk, doing honor with all their glory to the One who is all-glorious. The verses which follow our lesson tell us that the gates of the city shall never be closed, but only that which is good and honorable shall enter in. Nothing sinful, vile, or false shall come within its blessed portals.

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September 23, 1941

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YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that Honorable W. J. Barker, one of the Judges of the Federal Court of the Southern District of Florida, on July 31st, 1941, issued the following order:

"It being made to appear to the Court that under and by virtue of the terms of the escrow agreement aforesaid, any landowner in said district is authorized to purchase through the Receiver, at any time up to 1st day of November, 1941, such portion of the indebtedness of said Istokpoga Sub-Drainage District, from escrow agent aforesaid, as might be necessary to pay the proportionate part of the entire indebtedness of Istokpoga Sub-drainage District and Istokpoga Consolidated Sub-Drainage District, that the land sought to be released should bear, for the sum of 51½% of face thereof, plus interest, at 6% from January 1, 1941, to date of purchase."

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

IN THE MATTER OF
THE ADOPTION OF
JEAN THOMAS, a minor

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR THE ADOPTION OF BARBARA JEAN THOMAS, a minor

In the name of the State of Florida to whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given of the intention of Howard B. Hinshaw and Martha Hinshaw, his wife, residents of Sebring, Highlands County, Florida, to apply by petition to one of the Judges of the above styled court, at his Chambers in the Court House in Sebring, Florida, on Monday, October 20, 1941, at the hour of 2:00 P. M. for the adoption of BARBARA JEAN THOMAS, a minor, who at the present time resides in Sebring, Highlands County, Florida, with the said Howard B. Hinshaw and Martha Hinshaw, his wife.

This the 12th day of September, 1941.

HOWARD B. HINSHAW
MARTHA HINSHAW
As Petitioners.

HOWARD G. LIVINGSTON.
As Attorney for Petitioners.
Sept. 19-26 Oct. 3-10-17

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 153)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That W. H. Pillsbury, holder of Tax Certificate No 12, issued the 2nd day of August A. D. 1937, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon.

Said certificate embraces the following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

Lot 31, Block 75 Lake Lillian.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door, 11:00 A. M., on the first Monday in the month of October, 1941, which is the 6th day of October, 1941.

Dated this 2nd day of September, 1941.
(Seal) H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida.
By: D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk
Avon Park Times, Avon Park.
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, IN CHANCERY.

HOWARD W. BURKET,
Complainant,
Vs.
NELLIE CURTIS BURKET,
Defendant.

DIVORCE
ORDER OF PUBLICATION

To Nellie Curtis Burket, whose residence and address is Noblesville, Indiana:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that you are required to appear on the 3rd day of November, 1941, before the above entitled Court, to the Bill of Complaint filed against you in the above entitled cause, the same being a rule day of this Honorable Court, or else a decree pro confesso will be entered against you, and the Avon Park Times is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this order shall be published once a week for four consecutive weeks.

WITNESS THE HAND OF H. T. PIETY, Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for Highlands County, Florida, and the seal of said Court at the Court House in Sebring, this 24th day of September, 1941.

H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of the Circuit Court.
By J. C. DeSHONG, D. C.
Sept. 26 Oct. 3- 10- 17- 24

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the City of Avon Park has entered into a contract for the establishment and operation of a military flying school with Albert I. Lodwick, trading and doing business as Lodwick Aviation Military Academy, and the said Albert I. Lodwick is engaged in the business of training pilots for the United States Army Air Corps, and His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom, and has contracts with either or both of said governments for the training of military pilots.

AND WHEREAS the City of Avon Park is desirous of cooperating fully in all particulars with the training program in the furtherance of national defense.

AND WHEREAS the students attending such training school will be housed in the Highland Lakes Hotel, which housing facility is adjacent the hereinafter described road.

AND WHEREAS the safety of the public and the efficient operation of the school to accomplish its purposes requires the closing of the hereinafter described road.

AND WHEREAS said road so required to be closed is not necessary or essential to the traveling public.

NOW THEREFORE, it was moved by Councilman Max Wild and seconded by Councilman C. P. Anderson that the City Clerk of Avon Park be instructed in the name and on behalf of the City Council of Avon Park, Florida, to request the Board of County Commissioners of Highlands County to take such action immediately as may be necessary and proper to close that certain portion of Beach Drive as shown on recorded Plat of "Lake Lillian Section, Highland Lakes Subdivision," to-wit:

Beginning at a point where said Beach Drive intersects State Road No. 8, to and including a point where said Beach Drive intersects Avon Boulevard, as per recorded plat of said subdivision in the public records of Highlands County, Florida. The above portion of Beach drive to be closed as requested immediately and throughout and during the continuance of the present National Emergency as declared by the President of the United States.

The above motion was fully discussed and upon call of the question for vote, the councilmen voted as follows:

	Aye	Nay
C. P. Anderson		
Max Wild		
Dr. G. S. McKnight		None
M. W. Tompkins		
E. H. Ward		

Passed in a regular session of the city council of the City of Avon Park, Florida, this the 22nd day of September, A. D., 1941.

E. H. WARD,
(Seal) President of Council.
LOUISE B. ARMSTRONG,
Clerk and Collector.

Approved by me this the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1941.

H. E. COVINGTON,
Mayor.

Smart Styling Keynotes New Chevrolet

Distinguished styling, characterized by a new massiveness, marks the new 1942 Chevrolet, introduced to the motoring public today. Shown above is the Special De Luxe Sport Sedan, a roomy, luxurious, six-passenger model. A new grille treatment, with integral parking lights, and the smart new elongated front fender, which sweeps back into and opens with the front door, are design highlights. Interior appointments are in the modern mode.

Church Notes

ST. CATHERINE'S CATHOLIC
Hickory Street — Sebring, Fla

First, third and whenever, fifth Sunday: Mass at 8:30 a. m.
Second and fourth Sunday: mass at 10:30 a. m.

Rev. J. H. Cann, pastor

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
Preaching, 11:00 a. m.
N. Y. P. S., 7:15 p. m.
Preaching 8:00 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday, 8:00 p. m.

W. D. Croft, pastor

Assembly of God

West Side Lake Tulane
Sunday Services

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
Christ Ambassadors (Y. P.), 6:30 p. m.
Evangelistic Service, 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday
Bible Study and Prayer Hour, 7:30 p. m.
Friday
Teachers' Training Class, for S. S. 7:30 p. m.

A full Gospel church extends a full hearted welcome to you, worship God with us.

H. J. Walterman, jr., Pastor.

First Methodist Church
Rev. G. S. Roberts, D.D., pastor

Church school 9:45
Morning Service 11:00
Evening Service 7:30
Young People's Meetings 7:00
Mid-Week Prayer Service 7:30
Choir practice, Wednesday nights following the prayer service.

Episcopal Church Services

Holy Communion, 7:30 A. M.
Sunday School, 9:30 A. M.
Holy Communion and Sermon 11:00 A. M.

Richard I. Brown, vicor.

Churches of Christ, Scientist

"REALITY" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, September 28.

The Golden Text is: "Behold, I create new heavens and a new earth: and the former shall not be remembered nor come into mind" (Isaiah 65:17)

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Thine, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty: for all that is in the heaven and in the earth is thine; thine is the kingdom, O Lord, and thou art exalted as head above all" (I Chron. 29:11).

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: "Spirit imparts the understanding which uplifts consciousness and leads into all truth. Spiritual sense is the discernment of spiritual good. Understanding is the line of demarcation between the real and unreal. Spiritual understanding unfolds Mind,— Life, Truth, and Love,—and demonstrates the divine sense, giving the spiritual proof of the universe in Christian Science" (p. 505:16-17, 20-25).

Union Congregational Church

Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday School at 10:00 A. M. with classes for all ages. Topic for adults: "The Glorious Consummation." A hearty welcome awaits you in one of our classes.

Morning worship service at 11:00 o'clock. Sermon by Dr. Elliott, who will speak on: "Mocking at Sin." Come, and enjoy the refreshing experience of Christian fellowship and inspirational and reverent worship. It will help and bless.

The "Quiet Hour" service will be held on Wednesday at 7:30 P. M. Forty-five minutes of quiet waiting on God in praise, prayer and meditation. If you desire your spiritual life to be enriched and strengthened, this service will help you.

The pastor and members of this friendly church cordially invits all strangers who have recently come to this city to make this church their spiritual home and join with them in all its public services of worship.

1600 Operators Licenses Issued

Approximately 1600 1942 operator's licenses have been issued in Highlands county so far. The deadline to get the license is Tuesday. All drivers desiring licenses and who do not make applications by that time must either have a current out-of-state license or else submit to examination.

Says Rust Mites Mean Big Increase In Citrus Revenue

Eustis, Sept. 25 (FNS)— Gene Burrell, prominent citrus grower of Lake County, terms rust mite a "gold mine in disguise."

"Time and time again," he said, "I've been to northern distributing points and time and time again I hear consumers and dealers declare that they prefer the russet orange to all others because of its superior keeping qualities and better flavor after it reaches the market.

"Why, then, don't we try to harness this insect instead of spending millions of dollars a year trying to eliminate it?"

Burrell advances this plan for "harnessing" of the rust mite:

Control the insect by use of the customary spray until April or May, then let it color the orange to a beautiful bronze hue. This will eliminate the necessity of coloradding and at the same time give Florida citrus a distinctive produce which no other state is capable of producing.

Pointing out that Florida is the only state that has rust mite, he urges that we capitalize on this fact and suggests that the Florida Citrus Commission launch an advertising campaign calling attention to this distinctive fruit and pointing out its advantages in keeping quality and flavor.

"Old timers," Burrell says, "can remember the time when russet fruit was known to the trade as Florida No. 1 Bronze and consistently brought top prices on the nation's market."

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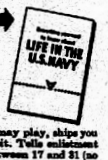

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