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BASKET BALL TEAM WINS THREE STRAIGHT

Sebring high's basket ball five made it three straight games this season, when it beat the Lake Wales team 28 to 20 at Lake Wales Friday of last

*Gifts for Golf Tournament
Displayed at Kenilworth Lodge*

The Blind Bogie medal handicap tournament Tuesday, March 31, last was won by C. W. Burdsal of Evans ton, Ill., over a large number of con

Mrs. George L. Rogers of Gardiner, Me., is visiting Kenilworth Lodge for some weeks.

The advertisement in the Messenger last week, announcing the special sale being held by Katz Bros.

of Kissimmee and Avon Park at their big store in the Brickell building, Avon Park, attracted the attention of many Sebring buyers, who visited Avon Park on the opening day (last Saturday) and made large purchases of dependable merchandise.

dise" from the splendid stock carried by that enterprising firm. Mr. Katz remarked to the Messenger man that he had been "successfully demonstrated" that advertising in the Messenger "paid" and stated that their sales on the opening day were more than double what they had expected them to be. The sales on that one day amounted to nearly a thousand dollars and all during this week have again punctuated the average of the Avon Park to take advantage of the sale prices. Advertising, when done in the right manner, pays and if you want to reach the people of Sebring the Messenger is the proper medium to use.

MEETING OF EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE WOMAN'S CLUB OF SEBRING

Tuesday evening, Jan. 31, a call meeting of the executive board of the Woman's Club was held in the club room with Mrs. J. W. Harrison present. Matters pertaining to the bazaar were discussed and all arrangements for the great event are nearing completion. The decorations, entertainment, refreshments and articles for sale are being neglected no more. No plans for the acceptance of the invitation of the Sebring Club to entertain the Sebring club Friday, Feb. 17, at Avon Park, Transylvania, have been arranged for as those wishing to attend the affair. Problems were discussed, but awaiting further action for settlement of the same. The meeting was adjourned. It was made by representatives of the

various active departments and the extent of the club work is surprising to all not following it closely. The regular meeting of the executive board will be held next Tuesday night, Feb. 7, and all members of the board and the club are urged to be present.

They say St. Petersburg's 25 per cent reduction of rents has given St. Petersburg a 25 per cent increase in tourists. Worth trying elsewhere!

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"FAITH"

The question has often arisen as to what word in the English language means the most to the human family in its broadest and best sense. Many prizes have been offered for essays on this subject and many words have been collected by the various authors, who have written upon this topic. Perhaps the words most frequently chosen were "love," "friendship," "charity," "hope" and "faith." These are all good words and carry considerable prominence, but from our viewpoint we believe that the last mentioned may be the word of more vital importance to the human family than any other word in our vocabulary. Faith is that element in the human mind upon which all constructive work is founded or based. When we contemplate Nature in all her visible forms, it creates in our mind a faith in knowledge, power and wisdom. The Great Master Mind that must of necessity be the origin of all things, both seen and unseen, known and unknown.

Through the faith so engendered we learn to love, respect and have confidence in our Creator.

This leads to a love of all things created, both animate and inanimate, sentient and insentient, but more especially does it teach us to have a part of creation with which we are most closely allied—the human family.

Through our love for our fellow man we learn to exercise the attributes of friendship, loyalty and benevolence.

Through faith in ourselves and in our fellow man.

It is only through the element of faith that we are able to overcome seemingly impossible adverse conditions.

It is through faith that we accomplish the so-called impossible.

It is through faith that we believe in the innate goodness of man.

It is through faith that we overcome and conquer our enemies.

It is the element represented by this word that causes us to ever strive for all things possible under any and all circumstances, and to rally to the attack after numerous defeats with a firm and undaunted determination to do or to die.

It is through faith that we believe we shall have the future.

So long as man possesses faith in God, himself and his fellow man, in the vocabulary of his life, written for nobler manhood, there is no such word as "fail."

He cannot be defeated, discouraged nor cast down for any length of time. His faith gives him courage and valor that is invincible.

No force brought to bear by ignorance, superstition, creed or prejudice of any kind may prevail for long.

Love, based upon faith, cannot be destroyed.

Charity, that element which is often said to be the greatest of all Christian attributes, cannot be exercised without a firm faith in the goodness of God and the wisdom of his creation.

By charity we do not mean the giving alone of material aid to the needy and distressed. We mean that charity that extends love and sympathy to all, regardless of their so-called undesiredness, resulting from deeds either done or left undone.

We mean that charity which for the true mother or father has for all its children, no matter how sinful they may have been.

We mean that charity that all of us hope may be extended to our Wise Father to us in the time of need and distress—not on account of deeds performed, but because we are his children.

Let us look for just a moment upon the condition of the man or the woman who lacks faith in the goodness of God, himself and his fellows.

In the time of stress, when overtaken by misfortune or adverse circumstances, he is like a ship at sea without a rudder. He cannot trust in God, himself nor anyone or anything. He is on the sea of doubt, without chart or compass, filled with fear and misgivings and no possible hope for relief. In his extreme he perseveres for a short time, then losing heart, descends to the depths of despair, gives up the struggle and dies an inglorious death.

Without faith we look with suspicion upon those who would be our friends. We thwart co-operation, discourage honest endeavor, bring about destruction, panic and suffering, where otherwise construction, confidence and happiness would prevail.

Therefore we feel warranted in again making the statement that no other word in the English language represents so important an element in man, contributory to his growth, development and happiness, as that of "faith."

Some naturally possess this element; others must acquire it by effort. It is within the reach of all who are willing to devote a portion of their time and energy to the study and reason along the lines of creation, with a view of solving its real object.

Therefore, let us work with a sufficient effort to acquire an understanding of faith in the goodness, wisdom and power of the Master Mind in his plan of creation. And once having acquired this faith, we may rest assured that the various problems that confront and worry us today will forever have disappeared, nevermore to return.

THE LIGHT AND WATER QUESTION

In the three articles we have published on the different water situations we have endeavored to handle the subject in such a manner that the public might be informed as to actual conditions relative to the plant, the purchase of which is being contemplated and for which bonds in the sum of \$100,000 have been sold.

The articles published have been based upon the facts in our possession and the publication we have endeavored to be fair and impartial in our presentation of the subject to the public. We have not been actuated by any personal feeling or interest, but simply by a desire to place the matter before the public in such a light that it would be enabled to judge intelligently and assist their public officers, the members of the town council in arriving at a fair purchase price of the plant, considering both the interests of the present owners and the public.

If we have made any erroneous or misleading statements, we are willing to retract them and to make proper evidence being furnished.

We thoroughly believe that the best interests of the community can be served only when harmonious and fair dealing is the basis of all action. Greed should be eliminated on both sides, a fair and just apportionment of the plant and its value upon the physical value and earning capacity of the plant and we earnestly hope that the purchase may be made at an early date and the needed improvements installed as quickly as possible.

We sincerely desire to see the town of Sebring flourish and grow and the sooner we may all work in harmony the more rapid will be the growth.

We are happy to boost for Sebring and Sebring's interests as a whole, regardless of individual interests.

Unless matters take such a turn as to require more publicity, the chapter is closed with us.

HELPING THE KNOCKERS

[St. Petersburg Times]

Some Florida newspapers feel called upon to devote their columns at frequent intervals to answering the tirades of the "knocking clan," which is ever busy berating "knockers."

Nothing successful ever existed, however, where these writers did merely a man, which did not draw criticisms of itself and attract the venom of the "knocked."

Florida is a success—if it were not, there's no fun in "knocking" it. There's no fun in "knocking" anything which is already recognized as a failure. It's the thing which has succeeded against which these writers direct their shaft of sarcastic junk.

The Times ordinarily echoes resolutions and promises about the future. A newspaper lives in the active now and cannot venture backward into the past or tread lightly the thin ice of the future. Promises and resolutions are dangerous, for the future, with its shifting action, may bring the newspaper into a position of being forced to remain silent or stultify itself by breaking its promise and forgetting its resolution.

However, in the case, the Times believes that it might lead the way for some Florida newspapers by asking them to "knock" the "knockers" instead of "knocking" the "knockers."

It is a dose of the silent treatment. The "knocker" is treated as if he were "knocked." He is told to see other folks in his business. He's to be the only man of that disposition. But he does, nevertheless, he finds his "knocking" propaganda is winning publicity for him, he cares little that the press may say he's better known the public eye and he's better known the next time he appears in his favorite role.

Brother Florida editors, let's forget the "knocker" and let's refuse to pay attention to him. Let's throw a smoke screen of truth and a barrage of thousands of boosting facts that can be found with the ease of a feather in our state, until these "knockers" will be lost in the haze and forced to seek other targets for their attacks.

As the Telegram has more than once pointed out, the great difference between Ford and men of the Rockefeller, Morgan and Schwab type is that Ford has accepted in practice the principle of minimum profits and maximum volume in business, while they hold to the narrower theory of maximum profits.

It is therefore a radical among the rich—that is to say, he has developed ideas which, if generally adopted, would deprive the present controllers of the nation's wealth of their prestige unless they resorted to the almost (for them) impossible expedient of changing their methods.

One difference between his methods and theirs, arising from the distinction between the two, is that, while they merely put their dull, senseless dollars to work and sit back and reap the reward, he works and suffers with brains, his own or those of others—and thus vastly increases their efficiency.

Opposition to his nitrate plant proposal is therefore inspired by general "class consciousness." Should he succeed in applying his methods on a mammoth scale at Muscle Shoals, demonstrating the superiority of the methods generally in vogue in big business, the example would be followed by others; the business field would be invaded by disciples of the Ford idea and the hold on public affairs which the present leaders of business enjoy would be seriously threatened.

What wonder, then, that the proposal is held back by the war department, let us say, or the bureau of mines, that every newspaper in the United States which is subservient to the three great trusts is busy trying to discredit Ford and his Alabama project. It is not a mere business matter, to be thought of in terms of dollars and cents. It is the

introduction of a new principle which may necessitate a total reversal of business methods in every industry. There is not today before congress any bill which would give to the farmer a political matter which equals in its possibilities of far-reaching results the proposed nitrate plant. It is a political matter to take over a gigantic enterprise, which, in the hands of the government has become a gigantic failure, and convert it into a model of efficiency, both in ultimate product and service to the public.

We are in receipt of a communication from a resident and subscriber, which we have heard and which comments so many have expressed to us, that we deem it worthy of a conspicuous place on the first page, our merchants in particular are requested to read the letter carefully and then read it again and again, weighing carefully every sentiment uttered, and then ask themselves this question: "Are we treating this agency of public utility fairly?" The Messenger has been published nearly seven years and long enough to prove to the community that it is a community institution, working for the benefit of the whole as a whole, regardless of individual interests, and fearlessly advocating the principles which it believes are right and just. Think it over.

When we read of such terrible catastrophes as occurred in Washington Sunday night, when the roof of the Knickerbocker theatre collapsed under the weight of two feet of snow, killing and injuring scores of people, we feel more than thankful that we are a resident of this land of perpetual sunshine and flowery paths to those who lost their mother, brother, sister, child or friend and to those who were injured, among whom was our Congressman Smithwick of Pensacola.

In talking politics we often hear the remark "when defeated candidates have recovered from their wounds," etc. We desire to state that there should be no "wounds" which will not recover. If an election is carried on in a honorable, gentlemanly manner, with no personal attacks or mud-slinging, a defeated candidate has no cause for harbor ill-feeling or animosity. Let us endeavor to conduct our campaign in such a manner that harmony will prevail after the primaries and the election.

Word comes from Detroit that Henry Ford is at work on a composition of formaldehyde, cotton and glue, which will make bodies for his tin tiazies. His experiments succeed and he will be able to block out bodies for his tin tiazies. Now if he can only devise some means whereby the motive power can be developed from the air, and Ford jokes can be easily manufactured.

The potato growers of the Hastings district will save more than half a million dollars this season in the reduced cost of fertilizer, barrels of sulphate of ammonia and other items, in consideration of the reduction of the price of common labor. Indiana farmers are that much better off, for the price in the northern markets, therefore the Hastings crop growers will feel happy.

Democrats are scheduled that Tuesday, Feb. 14, is the day set for organizing and selecting committees. The voters of each precinct are urged to meet at Sebring at the court room at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. It would be well to determine whom you desire for your committee man, so that the necessary business may be dispatched in short order.

The young man just starting in business should consider well the one great asset that will be of more value than any other one thing during his business career—that is his credit. He should sacrifice some of the pleasures of life in order to meet his obligations and establish a credit rating which will mean more to him than any other asset.

Frank Fortune Pulver, St. Petersburg's millionaire bachelor may have proven himself artistically human by stating that "the one-piece bathing suit is much more artistic and 'the old-fashioned bathing skirts are an insult to bathing.'"

We judge from these statements that St. Petersburg will still have many attractions at her bathing beaches.

Deputy Sheriff R. H. Hancock has resigned his position and it is rumored that he will be a candidate for the office of sheriff in the coming primary. Mr. Hancock has been an efficient deputy, is thoroughly familiar with the work, honest in his endeavors and would make a good officer.

What's the matter with the lights on the Circle? The contrast between the new lighting of the new white way and the Circle is too great to be particularly pleasing to the people on the Circle.

Seventeen years ago Henry Ford could not get trusted for a chicken for his Thanksgiving dinner. Last year he paid the government \$76,000,000 in taxes. Who says opportunity does not exist at this day and age?

Our readers are again reminded that every dollar sent to a soldier concerns remains out of town. Those dollars will not help educate your children, keep your churches, pay your taxes or build up the town.

The Times-Union voices the need of the hour in the following: "Never mind it he says, natives, what a woman wants in cold weather is a hubby who splits kindling."

Every dollar wisely spent in building good roads will be returned many times in dollars invested in real estate and improvements.

An opportunity exists here for an experienced poultryman to engage in a profitable business.

With twelve growing months in the year, why shouldn't Florida prosper?

ANDREW CARTER WITNESSES A BATTLE OF THE WINDS

(Highlands County Pilot)

Andrew Carter, editor-owner of the Moore Haven Times, was in Avon Park Saturday and visited the Pilot office. As usual, Andrew wore that bright and scenic smile, and was bristled full of both reasonable and unreasonable stories, especially the latter. According to Andrew's tell when he was on arriving at Yuma he encountered severely cold weather, and from the horrible, ear-piercing sounds he imagined a 100-mile-an-hour tornado had struck the town. Seeing an old-time resident of that locality in the car, he asked him the cause of the frightful noise, when the old-timer replied: "Just a little battle between our delightful warm zephyrs with which we at Moore Haven are blessed during the winter and the cold winds that come from the snow and ice-bound north. Every winter one or more of these battles are fought around here, and our life-restoring, evenly-tempered, warm winds are always successful in the combat. Our wind, like Jolly, has issued the command, 'thus far shalt thou come and no farther,' and never yet has the cold wind blown from the bleak and barren ice fields of the north failed to obey that command." And Andrew really believes and tells that story as true.

Figure It Out

There was once a boy who married a widow and his father married the daughter of the widow. This made the son's step-daughter, his mother-in-law, and his wife his step-grandmother, and the father's mother-in-law was his daughter-in-law. The daughter then had a son, and this child was his half-brother's step-son, and his sister-in-law's grand-son;—if the child is the step-son of his half-brother, his own father is its step-grandmother's mother, and his father's wife then had a son, and this son was his grand-pa's brother-in-law, and if his is his grand-pa's brother-in-law he is his father's uncle and is his own great uncle.

Madame Isabelle's toilet goods are fast gaining popularity among the fair ones of our state. On sale at Manley Drug Store and by Miss Blanche C. Shaffer.

FAIRFAX T. HASKINS, Attorney for Petitioners, Jan. 28-Feb. 11.

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DIDG YUH?

When you were flush and everything looked good to you, automobiles on the street and on paper; oil wells on the gush and on the "pretty maps," and all that sort of thing, and then the "bubble busted"—you promised yourself you'd put your money in the bank hereafter.

DIDG YUH?

Saving money with which to buy the things you want comes easier and the money comes more surely by banking it systematically until you're ready to use it. You never heard of a better way to accumulate funds.

DIDG YUH?

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J. H. GARST, President.

IRA HIGDON, Cashier

MY CITY

(Denver Commercial)

My city is where my home is founded, where my business is situated, where my vote is cast, where my children are educated, where my neighbors dwell and where my life is chiefly lived.

It is the home spot for me.

My city has a right to my civic loyalty. It supports me, and I must support it.

My city wants my citizenship—not partisanship; friendliness—not offalness; not inattentive discussions; sympathy—not criticism; my intelligent support—not indifference.

My city supplems me with law and order, trade, friends, education, recreation and the rights of a free-born American. I should believe in my city and work for it.

And I will.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all parties interested or concerned:

That application was made on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1922, to the Honorable George W. Whitehurst, Judge of the Circuit Court of the Twelfth Judicial Circuit of Florida, in and for Highlands County, by a petition of the whole of the stockholders in interest in the South Florida Realty and Bonding Company, a corporation created and existing under the laws of the State of Florida, with its principal office in the town of Sebring, in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, for a dissolution of such corporation, pursuant to statutes in said cause made and provided, on the ground stated in said petition; that said petition is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county and for the Twelfth Judicial Circuit of Florida, for Highlands County, where the same may be inspected.

FRED JOHNSON, E. J. EVERETT, L. T. HASKINS, FAIRFAX T. HASKINS, Attorneys for Petitioners, Jan. 28-Feb. 11.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between F. H. Field and E. J. Young has been dissolved and the business heretofore conducted by said named partnership will be continued under the name and style of E. J. Young & Son. All debts due the former partnership will be paid to the firm of E. J. Young & Son, and all obligations of said former partnership will be paid by said E. J. Young & Son. E. J. YOUNG & SON, A. E. Lawrence, Attorney, Feb. 11-18

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THE LITTLE MINISTER
HERE TUESDAY, FEB. 7

That most entertaining, that most interesting and instructive picture "The Little Minister," will be shown here next Tuesday, Feb. 7, under the direction of the Woman's Club, and we feel certain will draw a large house.

In making "The Little Minister," from James M. Barrie's famous story, Vitagraph adhered closely to the novel. The story is in itself a work of simplicity, dealing for the most part with the humble life of the poor weavers in the village of Thrums. It was to get this atmosphere and give the production realism that Vitagraph strove for in transferring the story to celluloid. The atmosphere of the Scotch hamlet has been maintained. The thatch roof, the plain

little church, the red coats of the soldiers, the clean dress of the Scotch and other little touches which go to make this production one that will be long remembered. — Highlands County Pilot.

KENILWORTH LODGE
LAUNCHES SPEED BOAT

The management of the Kenilworth Lodge has placed a fleet of boats on Lake Jackson for the pleasure of the guests of that splendid hostelry. Three of these boats are power boats and two are skiffs. Among the power boats is a speed boat, which might properly be termed a water plane. This boat is 35 feet in length, has a 100-horsepower engine and a speed capacity of thirty-five miles an hour. It is built on the plans of an automobile, is decked over fore and aft, with an open cockpit in the center. The steering wheel is along the same lines as an auto wheel. The capacity of the boat is about ten passengers and when traveling at full speed it skims over the water as gracefully as a duck, throwing spray in every direction. Capt. H. Hinsley, who has carefully inspected this new boat, pronounces it one of the finest of the kind he has ever seen. He says it is perfectly seaworthy and predicts that it will be the means of affording much pleasure to the guests of Kenilworth Lodge.

Newspaper Says:

"If Jacksonville actually tries to enforce that crazy ordinance which forbids every person under 18 from driving a car, it should be adjudged non compos mentis and sent to Chautauchoe for a spell."—Tampa Tribune.

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PROGRAM FOR BAND CONCERT NEXT TUESDAY NIGHT

The Avon Park band will present an exceptionally fine program next Tuesday evening at 7:30. Those who enjoy the best music will be given real treat. The following program would do credit to a first-class professional band. If the present rate of progress continues to be made by the band it will not be long until we can claim to have the best non-professional band in the state of Florida. Program for Next Tuesday Night

March—Our Favorite Regiment—Dominik Erti.
Overture—Lustspiel—Keler-Bela.
Berceuse—Duet for two cornets solo for clarinet and baritone—Arranged by R. D. Knight.
March—Militaire—Schubert.
Sextette from Lucia—Donizetti.
Solo for trombone, baritone and cornets.
Selection from the Opera Aida—Verdi.
March—Adalid—B. B. Hall.

Birds of Passage
Thousands of the pretty little yellow-rumped warblers tarried in Avon Park a few days this week in en route north and will reach the middle state the latter part of April, then proceed to Canada and Labrador to breed and rear their young. Coming back they reach the Pennsylvania region in the fall and the Florida Everglades for Christmas. Their scientific name is dendrea coronata. The robins should likewise be along in a few days. Many other flocks of birds also visit us for a few days semi-annually and all are well worth observing for their beauty and natural interest. The birds that remain with us the year round also add their contribution to make us cheerful and happy.

A BRILLIANT SOCIAL AFFAIR AT AVON PARK

[Highlands County Pilot]
Friday night of last week County Superintendent and Mrs. W. A. Marshall of Rose Villa entertained a large number of guests at the Hotel Avon to meet Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Collin of Riverton, N. J., and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Middleton of New York City. It was the most largely attended social event ever given in Avon Park, there being eighty-two guests present.

The dining room and rotunda of the splendid hotel were banked with flowers, the color scheme being red, white and blue and carried out with red and white roses and blue queen's wreath, presenting a wonderful and pleasing effect.

The guests began arriving about 7:30 o'clock and were graciously received by the host and hostess, who presented them to the honorees of the occasion. After all had arrived, thirty-two couples were indulged in the fascinating game of five hundred until 10 o'clock, there being seven tables and a large number of the most skillful players, Mrs. Arthur Middleton receiving the lady's prize, a handsome Haviland china cloche and cracker dish, and C. S. Donaldson the gentlemen's prize, a sterling silver perpetual calendar.

Refreshments consisting of sandwiches, salads, olives, coffee, red, white and blue brick ice cream and cakes iced with red, white and blue king, carrying out the color scheme of the evening, were then served and heartily enjoyed by the assembled guests, who were profuse with their "well" and "ah's" and other exclamations of delight.

Dancing was then indulged in until an early hour in the evening, music being furnished by the Victrola and by Prof. H. B. Parker with the piano. At 1 o'clock the guests dispersed, unanimously voting it to be one of the most delightful and elaborate social events ever given in Avon Park and Superintendent and Mrs. Marshall the most charming of hosts and hostesses.

Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Collin and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Middleton, honorees; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Marshall, host and hostess; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Winger, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Brink, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Lander, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mr. and Mrs. Carlos E. Skipper, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Norton Smith, Mr. and Mrs. William King, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Francis, Prof. and Mrs. H. B. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Canfield, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McEwen, Dr. and Mrs. Henry Timm, Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Donaldson, Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Merwin, Mr. and Mrs. Merwin, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hood, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. R. Reck, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Smith, Mr. and Mrs. John W. T. Lesure, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Caldwell of Avon Park; Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Vinson, Mr. and Mrs. George F. Bobb, Mr. and Mrs. Fairfax T. Haskins, Schieffelin, Mrs. F. B. Gunshaus, Mrs. J. B. Rogers, Mrs. Charlotte Leigh, Mrs. L. H. Pace, Mrs. William Darr, Mrs. W. M. Reck, Mrs. L. E. Bass, Mrs. Henry Stevenson, Mrs. A. V. Anderson, Mrs. Grace Walden; the Misses Sadie Myers, Grace Herst, Ruth Bass, Bertha Chinn, Myrtle Jack, Robert Myers, Messrs. C. A. Skipper, George W. Merrill, Joe Lander, Mark Lance and Judge L. V. Rouse.

One of the features of Friday night's event was the ease with which the Hotel Avon handled the large assemblage. There are not many cities in Florida the size of Avon Park where hotels are found that can provide for a crowd of this size, but Landlord McEwen experienced no difficulty whatever and could have accommodated many more guests. This not only speaks volumes for the hotel and its management but also for the city, for it shows us that when one desires to entertain a large number we have the accommodations and that we are also in a position to entertain large gatherings, such as conventions, etc.

WHY THE FORESTRY PROBLEM IS SO IMPORTANT

This is truly a paper age, and even more truly a newspaper age. Just 217 years ago the first newspaper in America was printed; today our daily newspapers have a circulation of more than 25,000,000 copies. There are sixty dailies whose circulation exceeds 100,000 copies. To many readers a newspaper is a thing to be hastily scanned and the man who runs while he reads never stops to think what a wonderful co-ordination of service from lumberjack to newspaper, is required to produce and give him for two or three cents, an up-to-date resume of the world's happenings in politics, industry, science and education. Still less does he realize that the newspaper which he holds in his hands is 100 per cent product of the forests of our country, since wood fibre is the only constituent of newspaper paper. This is why the forestry problem touches so intimately every man, woman and child in the United States, whether he realizes it or not.

\$200,000,000 ANNUAL DAM. AGE FROM RATS AND MICE

If a meeting of 100 persons was asked what the greatest animal pests in the world were, there probably would be many answers. The United States predatory animal service, however, does not hesitate to confer this honor upon the rat and the first cousin, the mouse. The estimated damage from this one source in this country each year is \$200,000,000. To be sure, this is but an estimate, but each of us knows that there is not a farm in America where loss of some kind does not occur as a result of the depredations of rats or mice. Every house owner in the country, be he city or rural resident, should get after the pests with traps or poison, or both, and never allow one of them to live on the place longer than twenty-four hours.

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That Missing Link of Hard Road

(Highlands County Pilot)

There is more travel, possibly, on the Scenic Highway than on any other highway in Florida, and greater travel still would result if the entire road from Haines City to Sebring was hard-surfaced, but there is a stretch of some ten or twelve miles between Frostproof and Avon Park that is in bad condition, and should receive the attention of the Polk county commissioners above all other road matters in that county.

This stretch of road has been the subject of much comment among the people along the Ridge, and especially our tourist friends, but when such men as C. E. Lanier, vice-president of the First National Bank, speak, it should certainly cause the Polk county authorities to awaken to the harm the Ridge has suffered because of their laxity or the state's neglect of this wonderful section and the great development that has and is in progress.

And Mr. Lanier: "The unpaved stretch of road between Avon Park and Frostproof has been the cause of much comment by those who travel by auto over the Scenic Highlands, much of which comment was unfavorable to Highlands county, but for anyone to place the blame on our commissioners for the inattention to that 'missing link' in our grand velvet highway is unjust, for the reason that practically all of the unpaved road is in Polk county, and appeal as we may to the authorities over there to put it in first-class condition, so far has brought no result. I know that stretch of bad road has been the cause of

many not motoring to Avon Park from the towns to the north of us, and the same applies to those below Avon Park and those residing here from taking a pleasure trip to Polk county's many beautiful little cities.

"Not so very long ago we were jolting over the state assuming charge of the Scenic Highway by designating it a state road. We patted each other on the back and the following week began looking for men and material and trucks to begin making the Scenic Highway sixteen feet wide from Haines City to Lake Alfred, and we are still going northward, but from the present outlook we will go blind from strabismus before the state's road army tops the brink of the hill. When petitioned to begin work on the road, the state highway department answers, 'no money; every portion of the state is knocking at our door; we will get around your way some time.' And there you are—the state in charge of the job with no money, and the Polk county commissioners evidently having forgotten that the road south of Frostproof has never been hard surfaced.

"It appears to me that our Board of Trade should take up this matter without delay, and appoint a delegation to attend the next meeting of the Polk county commissioners, carrying a strong resolution urging that something be done to cure this blight on the surface of Florida's most favored section, a cure that will not only repay its cost in money twice over before twelve months, but will bring a joy and gladness to the hearts of every person for a hundred miles around who owns an auto."

time to time. I only suggest this, as you know conditions and I do not. "The thermometer tonight is not far from the zero mark and it is hard to keep warm with a good fire. It has been below zero for several mornings. New England people are said to be very hardy and if true, I think it may be explained as being simply the 'survival of the fittest' through several generations. The weaker ones cannot weather the alternate thawing and freezing.

"I enjoy reading the Messenger, as it is a breath from a warmer clime.

We have consulted a gentleman who has been a resident of Florida for the last twenty-five years, who is familiar with almost every phase of agricultural pursuits. He informs us that he does not know of anyone in the state who has ever made a great financial success of the poultry business, when engaged in on a large scale. Those engaging in the business in a small way, however, are successful and in a number of instances people with small flocks are making a living from them. There are no diseases to poultry particularly peculiar to Florida and as climatic conditions are so much better here than in the north, greater opportunity is afforded for raising.

Anyone knowing how to handle poultry has as great an opportunity for success here as in the north, if not greater. In this immediate locality the price of eggs ranges the year 'round from 40 to 85 cents a dozen and chickens for table use from 35 to 50 cents a pound. We believe that any person understanding poultry from raising can make a living here much more easily than in the north and not suffer from the discomforts of six months cold weather.

The cost of feed is about the same here as in the north, but green feed can be raised every month in the year.

JUST ONE THING AND 'NOTHER

We must not confuse knowledge and intelligence. There is a wide difference between the two, and the possession of one is not necessarily followed by the other. Intelligence is largely a natural quality, but knowledge is acquired, and, of course, of the two the former is by far the more important because without its guidance knowledge can be of but little value.

How many people have you known whom you have classified as educated fools, and what did that mean in every day language? It meant that their minds were stored with masses of knowledge of various kinds which they lacked the intelligence to make sane and efficient use of. How many others have you known who, while they possessed little knowledge or learning, had minds so keenly intelligent that they seemed to be able to analyze automatically matters which presented themselves and to arrive at true conclusions? That quality is often called common sense, which has rightly been described as the most valuable gift which man can possess.

The master minds of the world are those in which the two things are combined; sane minds which are storehouses of great knowledge from which clear intelligence fashions sound ideas and theories with a practical eye on the world in which they are to be used. They constitute the nearest approach to mentality in full bloom which the world has yet produced and are extremely rare. They are the advance scouts of civilization and on them rests the hope of the future advancement of the world.—Exchange.

Face the Inevitable
The woman vote will be a much more important factor in Florida politics in the June primary than some folks think. Candidates might as well make up their minds to fill out questionnaires.—Times-Union.

Madame Isabelle's toilet goods are fast gaining popularity among the fair ones of Sebring. On sale at the Manley Drug Store and by Miss Blanche C. Shaffer. 22-41

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VENUS

Mr. and Mrs. Davis of Lake Stearns were visitors at the home of Capt. and Mrs. W. W. Williams Sunday afternoon.

Bill Snell of Palmdale was in Venus Sunday.

Prof. A. M. Ake has a vacation this week.

Riley Shepherd and Gih Gross attended services Sunday night at the auditorium.

M. B. Cowart has gone to Tampa, where he has a position in a barber shop on Twenty-second street, conducted by L. Smith. Mr. Cowart is a first-class barber and we dislike to have him leave. Mrs. Cowart and

sons anticipate spending a vacation in Tampa.

There was a social party given at the home of B. S. Johnson Friday night.

Miss Glennie Pogue and brothers visited at the home of Capt. and Mrs. W. W. Williams Sunday afternoon.

James Cassels and Joe Ryan were much disappointed Sunday forenoon. They know why.

Nathan Platt has gone to Lakeport to look after his farm there.

Mrs. Emmett Jones and Miss Dora Johnson visited at the home of Professor Poppell Sunday afternoon.

Zeba Johnson is visiting his brother in Sanford.

The Rev. G. Mason filled his appointments Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Everybody came for us.

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unday night to cover them from the cold.

Sam Shepherd and sons have secured a number of nice furs, for which they have received fancy prices.

Mac Matchette is clearing several acres of land for M. B. Cowart, which looks as though it would produce fine crops of anything that may be planted there.

Mrs. A. Fred Engleman is one of our most accomplished baby chick ma-

trons. She is taking 185 from the brooder this week and expects to repeat the same in thirty days.

Our Sunday school is doing nicely with H. G. Cassels as superintendent.

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R. B. Campbell of Tampa spent Wednesday here Monday.

W. A. Lanier of Crewsville spent Monday in Avon Park.

S. E. Roberts of Zolfo was transacting business here Monday.

Sheff W. M. Griffin made a business trip to Wauchoa Tuesday.

E. H. Young, Jr., and wife of Lakeland were visitors here Saturday.

Dr. W. C. Touchton made a professional trip to Lake Stearns Tuesday.

Cyril Baldwin spent Thursday of last week at Lake Stearns taking tax returns.

Miss Lou Hart has been in Sebring taking the teachers' examinations this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Button of Okeechobee City were in Avon Park Friday last.

W. A. Lanier and Dink Skipper were business visitors in Avon Park Monday.

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Tax Assessor Cyril Baldwin spent Tuesday in Fort Bassinger, taking tax returns.

C. A. Skipper and C. E. Lanier made a business trip to Okeechobee City Tuesday.

J. S. Francis returned Thursday of last week from a business trip to Moore Haven.

J. Lee Johnson and Mr. Kocher of Sebring were in Avon Park Tuesday transacting business.

The Hon. E. J. Etheredge of DeSoto City spent a short while in Avon Park Tuesday morning.

Mrs. W. H. Barrow and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rogers of Sebring dove up and spent Tuesday afternoon.

W. H. Parnell and wife of the Crewsville section were shopping in town and greeting friends Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reese of Wauchoa spent Sunday in Avon Park, guests of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Smith.

M. A. Marshall, county superintendent, visited Venus Thursday of last week in the interests of the school.

C. E. Lanier attended a meeting of the directors of the Everglades State Bank at Moore Haven Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Briggs of Washington arrived in Avon Park Saturday and are enjoying a few days stay at the Hotel Avon.

The Citrus Exchange packing house resumed operations Tuesday and will likely run steady now for the balance of the season.

The lecture at the Methodist church Thursday night of last week by Rev. Elias Zimmerman, a Russian Jew, was largely attended.

F. G. Canavasser, George E. Boyd, T. J. Murray and D. T. Getter of Sebring were transacting business and greeting friends Monday.

Miss Mattie Langford and Miss Juanita Worley of Arcadia are visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. C. Langford and will spend some time here.

W. F. Ward of Kiceo and Miss Emma Hunt of Washington, stopped at the Hotel Avon Saturday on their way to Haines City to meet a party of friends.

W. S. Decker of Tampa, William Metzger and Ed Day of Cleveland and Mr. Miller of Plant City made up a party who registered at the Hotel Avon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson, their daughter and two sons of Louisville, Ky., have arrived in Avon Park and will spend the remainder of the winter here enjoying out-door life.

Ira J. Johnson and brother, Dr. Johnson of Jacksonville, spent Thursday of last week in Avon Park prospecting. While here they were guests of Cyril Baldwin and family.

Andrew Carter, publisher of the Moore Haven Times and the Arcadia Enterprise, spent Friday night and Saturday morning in Avon Park, attending to business matters.

Henry G. Murphy of Zolfo, ex-tax assessor of DeSoto county and the present tax assessor of Hardee county, was here Friday attending to business matters and greeting friends.

Miss Joy Park, who is teaching a successful school at Waverly, spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Park. Miss Mabel Russell enjoyed Sunday with Miss Park.

J. W. Parnell and Thomas W. Albritton, well-known and prominent farmers of the Parnell settlement near Crewsville, spent Saturday afternoon in Avon Park, attending to business matters.

Mrs. Ellis West entertained her Sunday school class Sunday by taking them home with her to a tempting dinner. The class greatly enjoyed the treat.

A. W. Allan left Saturday for New York, where he will take medical treatment. Mr. Allan numbers his friends by his acquaintances, all of whom sincerely hope his malady will be entirely cured.

The Philanthropic class of the Baptist church met with Mrs. Ruth Hare Thursday afternoon of last week. Miss Hare is a charming entertainer and the meeting was a profitable and enjoyable one for all who attended.

Miss Floy Howard of Augusta, Ga., is the guest of Mrs. B. A. Pearson. After a few days here Mrs. Pearson will take her guest on a tour of the West Coast, and will be accompanied on the trip by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stevens.

W. M. Reek and James A. MacCraw arrived in Avon Park from Washington the latter part of last week, bringing with them a party of ladies and gentlemen interested in Hillcrest, individual members of whom will be found elsewhere in this issue.

Mrs. S. J. Triplett arrived in Avon Park from Lake Wales Tuesday of last week to join her husband, who connected with the Pilot force. Their household goods also arrived

last week and Mr. and Mrs. Triplett are now comfortably domiciled in the Covington house on the east side of Lake Verona. They are much pleased with Avon Park and will be cordially welcomed by our citizens.

The services now in progress at the Church of Christ, being conducted by that eminent evangelist, Rev. A. G. Freed, are attracting large audiences and there is no doubt but what many converts will be added to the faith. A cordial welcome is extended the public to attend.

Arthur Middleton of New York City arrived in Avon Park the latter part of last week for a visit with his wife and mother, who are located here for the winter. He is a son of F. L. Middleton, who is well and favorably known to all our people and who has played an important part in interesting many people in our beautiful and growing city.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Servett of Green Bay, Wis., friends of H. E. Woodruff, are here for the winter and are stopping at the Penn-Carl. Mr. Servett is a prominent contractor and builder of Green Bay and is very much in love with this section of Florida. He thinks Avon Park people are among the most progressive he has ever met and that we have a splendid opportunity here to make a worth-while city.

W. M. Blue, a prominent real estate dealer of Raeford, N. C., who is spending the winter in Florida, was in Avon Park Tuesday morning on a business mission. Mr. Blue has visited Avon Park several times within the last two or three years and says that every time he comes

he notes important improvements. He is much pleased with this section and thinks there is a wonderful future in store for it. Before leaving he subscribed for the Pilot, in order that he might keep in touch with the situation here.

Robert S. Downs and sister, Mrs. John E. Wright of Washington, are guests at the Hotel Avon. Mr. Downs is lessee and manager of the Hotel Washington in the capital city. He is so well pleased with Avon Park that he regrets for the time to come when he must return home.

Mrs. A. D. Roberts, assisted by Mrs. H. B. Parker, entertained Saturday afternoon in honor of her little son Lawton's 6th birthday. The refreshments and fun provided were thoroughly enjoyed and Lawton was the recipient of many useful and appropriate gifts. Those present were: Zenda Langford, Dale Marsh, Densel Hunt, Iola and Phil Lacey, Walton Touchton, Blaine Lanier, Robert Johnson, Nelson Smith, Grigory Cornelius, G. D. Godwin, Jr., William Bennett, Virginia Baldwin, Dorothy Crews, John Caldwell and Byron Edlison.

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The house to house distribution of Chlor-E-Denta Thrift Coupons has been completed. Be sure to save yours—these coupons will be worth money to you on Friday and Saturday.

As explained on each coupon, just bring the coupons in and use them like money in purchasing Chlor-E-Denta Tooth Paste and articles in our toilet article and sundry department.

Chlor-E-Denta
Paste for the Teeth

Chlor-E-Denta Tooth Paste contains Chlorine, Ash and Eucalypt. Chlor-E-Denta is pleasant, thoroughly cleanses, polishes and whitens the teeth, keeps the mouth aseptic, refreshes and tends to keep the gums and makes "teeth cleaning time" a pleasure. Large family size tubes—50c.

Chlor-E-Denta Thrift, Coupons Friday and Saturday Only, January 27 and 28

The Rexall Store

E. J. MOLTER, Proprietor

Sebring, Fla.

Special Sale

EVERY PAIR OF

Ladies' High Top Shoes

IN OUR STORE

At or Below Cost

FOR
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North Ridgewood Drive

Sebring, Fla.

Sebring Garage & Machine Company

SEBRING, FLORIDA

We wish to express our thanks to our many customers, both old and new, for the nice business with which they are favoring us.

We will do all in our power to merit your confidence.

We are handling only goods of proven merit, such as

KELLY TIRES AND TUBES

THE HIGHEST GRADE OF ACCESSORIES

TEXAS AND MOBILE OILS AT LOWEST PRICES

COMPLETE BATTERY SERVICE, INCLUDING REBUILDING

AT TAMPA STANDARD PRICES

We now have the exclusive sale of the PHILADELPHIA DIAMOND GRID BATTERY, known as the very best battery built today, and costs no more than other standard makes.

Our Machine Shop is ready, as ever, for all kinds of lathe work.

Welding of all kinds under the direct supervision of Dalgety. All work guaranteed to satisfy. See

DALGETY, Manager

FOR PRICES

Watch and See
No man's friendship is worth a hurrah unless it is sincere. You can watch a thief, but you cannot depend on a liar. No man is worthy another man's confidence who will lie to him to mislead him in order to pull across a political or business deal. No man's friendship or even acquaintance is worth having who is insincere. Just paste this in your hat and watch and see.—The Florida Bull.

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Lowest Temperature 39
During the cold snap last week, when the mercury was away below the zero mark in the northern states, the lowest point recorded here, according to William King, United States weather observer at Avon Park, was 39. No damage was done to citrus fruit or trees and only the most tender vegetation was frost bitten.

Extra copies of the Messenger are on sale at the Rexall Store.

Lumber

ROUGH DRESSED
Delivered at a Price to Suit You

Windows, Doors, Roofing
Ready-Mixed Paints
PAINT THAT IS PAINT

Lump Coal—Just received a carload. Place your order before it is all sold.

See

William H. Tompkins Co.

Phone 207 Brickell Building Avon Park, Fla.

SEE US BEFORE YOU BUY

New Chairs, Rockers and Straight Backs, Window Shades, Hall Rugs, Bungalow Rugs. In fact, household furnishing is our business.

Highlands Furniture Co.

J. GEARING & SON

DeSoto City Groves Company

Offers you the best of citrus land in 5, 10 or 20-acre tracts, situated on Red Beach Lake

in the heart of the famous citrus growing belt

We also have for sale a number of BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE LOTS IN DE SOTO CITY ON THIS BEAUTIFUL LAKE

We invite you to come and look over this property and let us show you this rapidly developing section and give you our prices and

Terms

DeSoto City Groves Company
OFFICES DE SOTO CITY AND SEBRING
(Over New Postoffice, Sebring)

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

The following are filed for record with the clerk of the circuit court of Highlands county since last publication, as reported by Highland Security Abstract & Title Co., Sebring:
Sebring Real Estate Company to William Evans Lot 4, block 94, Sebring.

William Evans to Laura Giarth Part of lots 3 and 4, block 94, Sebring.

Sebring Real Estate Company to C. S. Humbert: Far No. 20, Dinner Lake Farms, in Sec. 18, Twp. 34, R. 29.

Mary M. Marsh and husband to W. M. Dozier and wife: Lots 1 and 2, block C, March subdivision of lot 1, block C, of Price & Gorham's subdivision of Sec. 27, Avon Park.

George Buel and wife to Howard H. Allison: Lot 1, block 59, Sebring. Howard H. Allison to George E. Sebring: Lot 1, block 59, Sebring.

O. D. Garrett and wife to Sebring Development Company: Lots 3 and 4, block 100, Sebring.

O. D. Garrett and wife to Sebring Development Company: Lots 1 and 2, block 100, Sebring.

O. D. Garrett and wife to Eliza M. Lawton: Lot 4, block 100, Sebring.

John A. Taylor and wife to M. Edward Borders: North half of farms 13, 14, 15, Sec. 21, Twp. 34, R. 29.

J. P. Jensen to L. A. Wolff: Lots 20 and 21 in Skipper Bros. & Lanier's subdivision of E½ of NW¼ and government lot 1, Sec. 26, Twp. 23, R. 22.

P. M. Boyd to M. C. Brown and O. B. McElroy: W½ of N½ of NW¼, Sec. 27, Twp. 35, R. 29; 40 acres.

DeSoto City Farms Company to M. M. Payne: Farms 8, 9, 10 and 11, Sec. 22, Twp. 35, R. 29, DeSoto City.

Indian Prairie Land Company to Harry L. Kelley: All of Sec. 30, Twp. 37, R. 22.

Highland Orange Groves Company to Mary W. Taylor: Lot 1, block 1, Sec. 15, Avon Park.

E. E. Skipper and Sons to L. C. Pearce: Lot 2 of Martha A. Pearce's subdivision of Lots 1 and 2, Sec. 28, and lots 1 and 2, Sec. 17, Twp. 36, R. 29; also part of lot 2, containing 1 acre, of same subdivision.

DeSoto City Groves Company to O. C. Tomlinson: Farm No. 18, Sec. 22, Twp. 35, R. 29, DeSoto City.

G. H. Betch and wife to A. G. Smith: 40 acres in S½ of NW¼ Sec. 11, Twp. 36, R. 28.

J. H. Tomlin (single) to Jennie Murray: SW ¼ of NE ¼ of Sec. 15 of lot 1, block 84, Sebring.

Sebring Real Estate Company to Frank J. Palmer: Farm 6 and S ½ of Farm 3, Basket Lake Groves, Sec. 17, Twp. 34, R. 29.

WHY NOT KEEP A FEW STINGS OF BEES?

Most bees, if permitted to swarm naturally, will about double themselves every year; so, when a beginner starts out with one or two colonies, it is only a few years before he has a large sized apiary. The cost of operation, with a few colonies, is small and the time required for their care is of no real importance.

Many people could easily have a colony or two of bees, while the industry could be enlarged by more bee-men going into the business on a larger scale. Honey producing plants in Florida are abundant, and they wait in the woods for the bees to gather their nectar.

While there are some troubles with which the beekeeper has to contend, such as certain diseases, the wax moth, ants, etc., generally the year ends with the beekeeper having a nice balance to his credit. In fact, his balance is usually much greater than his who has some other hobby or business, if we consider the amount of money invested and the work done.

You do not have to live on a farm in order to own bees. They seem to do about as well in the city, providing the number of colonies is limited, as they do in the country.

Conducting Services
Prof. A. G. Freed of Henderson, Tenn., is in Avon Park for the season. Sunday morning he began a series of meetings in the Church of Christ. He has preached each night during the week and will continue for some days to come. His talks are interesting and instructive, and cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

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STATUS OF WOMEN IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA

[Miami Metropolis]
Many well-read women in Florida are, of course, cognizant of the fact that the adoption of the suffrage amendment did not by any means endow them with the same political or property rights guaranteed to the men of Florida. But to many other Florida women and to newcomers who have not had time or opportunity to study the state's laws, a statement of the national woman's party regarding the status of Florida women will come as a decided shock.

In Florida, as the woman's party investigators point out, women are under the domination of the old English common law to a greater extent, perhaps, than they are in any other state of the union. "According to the common law," says the clever writer for the woman's party, "a man and his wife are one person and that person is the husband. A married woman could make no contract of any kind. And this is true in Florida today with few exceptions."

"Even the wife's separate property in Florida," says the report, "is controlled by her husband; she may not sue him to secure an accounting of what he has done with her money."

"A married woman cannot become a responsible public merchant unless the court gives her permission. The promissory note of a married woman is void; she is not able to enter into legal partnership. A court decision has ruled that a married woman does not have the right to hire domestic servants."

A married woman working in a business distinct from her husband may control her own earnings, but if she works in her husband's business or at home, for instance, keeping boarders, her earnings are her husband's.

The father controls his children; the mother is the sole guardian of her illegitimate child. He may appoint guardians for his children born or unborn, by deed or will, taking them entirely away from the mother. A careful review of all important decisions in suits between parents shows only four cases where the custody of a child was awarded to its mother.

The father alone can collect damages for the death of a minor child; he can even collect for the mental pain and suffering of the mother in such cases.

The married woman's domicile is that of her husband. "Women may be excluded from public offices in cases where bonds are required since married women are not authorized to give bonds."

Women are not admitted to the State University.

With that information to guide them, would seem that the woman's clubs and political organizations of Florida would have some very definite work laid out for their attention.

Hotel Sebring, in the Bank of Sebring building. Every room with running water; clean and comfortable. Mrs. A. Auslund—Advertisement.

THE DIABOLISM OF ENVY

By H. S. Jensen

Envy is one of the blackest of passions, propagated in the realm of darkness. Its virus saps uprightness of character, causing a disease of the mind which reacts injuriously upon the body. The "milk of human kindness" curdles, the disposition becomes grumpy, the judgment warped, everything being seen through distorting glasses. The writer of Proverbs has fitted termed it "a rottenness of the bones."

We are told that our divine Master was delivered for crucifixion because of envy. That is sufficient criterion of its genealogy. To flavor the disposition with this ingredient is as destructive to peace of mind as poison in the body is injurious to health. The envious person, instead of being glad at the good fortune of others, squirms like a worm on a hook at the sight of such prosperity.

The scriptural warning is, "Be not thou envious. Many times the Bible is the caution repeated in different words, to beware of this obsession. It strangles the joy of living, even as the slimy folds of a boa constrictor crush the body of its victim. The Psalmist drew back with horror when he bled envy in his path, exclaiming, "My foot had well nigh slipped—because I was envious."

A demonstration of the pulling power of the ads in the Highlands County Pilot and the Highlands County Messenger was given Saturday when Katz Bros. sold nearly \$1,000 worth of merchandise as a direct result of their ads in these papers.

BLIZZARDS IN THE NORTH. HURDS SINGING AND FLOW.ETS ARE BLOOMING HERE

January weather in the north has been anything but pleasant, with its frosts and thaws, snow and ice and consequent discomforts. While blizzards were raging in the northern states, here in the scenic Highlands of Florida flowers were in bloom, the birds pouring forth their throat-thrilled notes and nature smiling on every hand. The average temperature, as recorded by William King, United States weather observer at Avon Park, was as follows:

Mean maximum 73.84
Mean minimum 53.63
Maximum 85
Minimum 37

Rainfall (inches) 2.17
Our little cold snap the latter part of the month did no damage whatever, but was a reminder to our winter visitors from the north of the extremely cold weather they had fortunately escaped by coming to this favored land for the winter.

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ASSESSOR'S ROUNDS
I will be at the places below on the dates named to assess taxes for the year 1922. The law provides that each property owner make a return of all their property together with the value. It is very important that each and every owner of either real or personal property see me or send in their return between now and April 1.

Avon Park, Feb. 7 and 8.
Sebring, Feb. 10 and 11.
CYRIL BALDWIN,
Tax Assessor, Highlands County.
Jan 12-20-27-Feb 6-10

First-Class Mechanics

are an absolute necessity if you would have satisfactory work on your car. We have two of the best mechanics in the state and

GUARANTEE ALL OUR WORK

We carry a full line of Accessories and Supplies and are in a position to save you money on all kinds of work you may desire in our line.

We Recharge, Rebuild and Repair Storage Batteries

ALL WORK PROMPTLY HANDLED

Love & King Garage

Phone 22 Sebring, Florida.

Special for Saturday

SUGAR HAS GONE UP, YET WE WILL SELL IT SATURDAY FOR 6 CENTS

COFFEE
WHITE HOUSE, SENATE and MAXWELL HOUSE, per pound 41c
ARRUCKLE'S, per pound 29c
BARRINGTON HALL, per pound 48c
LIPTON'S, per pound 39c
EGGS, fresh, per dozen 45c
ALL CREAMERY BUTTER, per pound 50c
ARMY BACON, 12-pound can for \$2.00
AUNT JEMIMA FLOUR, guaranteed or your money back, 12 pounds for 80c

H. Y. Thompson

First National Bank Building PHONE 7 Avon Park, Florida.
WE DELIVER ANY PLACE IN TOWN

It's Only Human

You appreciate a little personal attention. Everybody does. No one likes to do business where he feels that he is not appreciated. We are all quite human.

That's why our bank tries to give personal attention to its customers, to look after every detail, no matter how small. We try to come in personal touch with our patrons, to be of real service, to extend every courtesy and above all, to safeguard all funds entrusted to our care. We will try to meet you more than half way. That's one of the best things that help to make our Bank the BEST bank for you.

The First National Bank of Sebring

P. J. RIPPBERGER, Cashier.

Nothing Just Like It

Satisfied Customers, Pleased Patrons
Are Proof

THAT MOYER'S CAFE IS THE PROPER PLACE TO EAT
HOME COOKING APPEALS TO EVERYONE
YOURS FOR SERVICE

Moyer's Cafe

MAINE BUILDING SEBRING, FLORIDA RIDGEWOOD DRIVE

SHIPPING MAN SHIPS FIRST
FREEZER OF STRAWBERRIES

The honor of shipping the first freezer of strawberries from Plant City, the largest strawberry growing center in South Florida, is claimed by a Sebring man. J. Storch of this city purchased and shipped the first freezer of berries from that place this season, paying for them \$2.50 a quart. Mr. Storch is the father-in-law of J. F. Eiland and spent the early part of the season here buying and shipping oranges and grapefruit, handling several carloads. From here he went to Plant City to purchase strawberries and thus far he has purchased and shipped from that place an average of 500 bushels a week, at a price of 50 cents a quart. He figures that the berries this year are of fine quality and that his shipping season will continue at least three months longer.

Mr. Storch has also been shipping oranges and grapefruit from Fasco county, lettuce and celery from the Palmetto section, and peppers, eggplants and cukes from the Fort Myers section.

We have a considerable quantity of strawberry land in the vicinity of Sebring and we believe it would pay to see this land next season, thus securing another source of revenue to the community. Strawberry culture is highly profitable, requiring no more labor than is required in raising any other cultivated crop. Rich, sandy soil, well drained, but containing plenty of humus, is the most successful culture of berries, but there is plenty of such land near Sebring that is in perfect condition. Plants for runner should be planted in September, which would give ripe berries in January. Later plantings can be made, though, with probably a greater insurance of success, especially in setting plants for runners.

Why would it not be a good idea to investigate the possibilities of view to adding another industry?

PROMINENT MEN ORGANIZE
INDIAN PRAIRIE CATTLE CO.

(Highlands County Pilot)
In last week's issue of the Pilot we published notice of intention to apply for letters patent incorporating the Indian Prairie Cattle Company, with a capital stock of \$50,000. The incorporators are Howard Cole of the Howland Cattle Company, New York, E. E. Roberts, Zolfo, and C. A. Skipper, C. E. Lanier and Stephen Skipper of this city.

This new corporation will fence 100,000 acres of land in the southeastern part of Highlands and northern part of Glades counties, upon which will be placed 8,000 to 10,000 head of cattle, which will be improved by breeding to pedigreed stock. Dipping vats will be installed and the cattle kept tick free. The land to be fenced by the new corporation lies in what is known as the Indian Prairie drainage district, which contains many thousands of acres of the best pasture land to be found in the state.

The officers of the new corporation are: Howard Cole, president; C. A. Skipper, vice-president; C. E. Lanier, secretary and treasurer, and Howard Cole, C. A. Skipper, S. F. Roberts and C. E. Lanier, board of directors.

The cattle industry in Highlands county will soon play an important part in the business of the county, for every effort is to be put forth to make this a tick-free county, thus giving us access to the markets of the country for the cattle raised. The bridges and Pen-Florida Cattle Company already have large acreages enclosed under fence and are this month building six additional miles, which will complete a fence on the west side of the county nearly one-half its length. This it will be seen that no great expenditure of money would be required to complete fencing the western half of the county, making Highlands a tick-free county.

Just as soon as this is done large sums of money will be available from the War Finance Corporation, much of which will be expended in this county.

About the only man who does not make mistakes, who is a wise bird and positively good looking is the one you see in the mirror when you share—Times-Union.

Ford Startles
the World

the American public with the glad news to the tiller of the soil by the greatest slaughter in prices on one of the most staple products known to the American farmer—the Fordson tractor. The news carried over the wires from one end of the country to the other a reduction in favor of the tiller of the soil of \$230—making the factory price on this machine \$995—a little more than one good mule.

At these remarkable low figures no farm of any size can any longer afford to be without at least one Fordson.

When we sell you the Fordson we also give you the Fordson service which is unequalled in the world. Put your order in at once and start the new year with economy and efficiency.

FOR SALE BY

The Highlands Motor Co.

Dealers

AVON PARK

FLORIDA

SEBRING HAS EXHIBIT
AT SOUTH FLORIDA FAIR

A few days before the opening of the South Florida Fair in Tampa (six days, to be exact), several programs were received here, a notice that Highlands county was about to default in the way of an exhibit and that unless the Board of Trade busied itself and secured an exhibit. At about the time was short, Messrs. B. L. Laird, J. Lee Johnson and T. V. Chivon, brief warblers with real estate dealers, immediately became active in an effort to secure an exhibit that would prove creditable to the county and to Sebring. They solicited fruits, exhibits and aid with a truck load of citrus fruits, vegetables, strawberries and other products of our soil were sent to Tampa and J. Lee Johnson accompanying the load and who will look after the placing of the exhibit and remain in Tampa a number of days, reaching the gospel of Sebring and Highlands county in general.

Included in the load sent Wednesday were boxes and natural clusters of citrus fruits, strawberries in boxes and plants in bloom and fruiting, sugar cane, honey, rosin, turpentine, a splendid variety of vegetables, canned fruits, jellies and preserves, tanned hides of alligators, large bird heads (trophies of catches in our local waters), a display of photos and colored lithographs of local interest, large carloads of Sebring health water, samples of various soils found in the county, and a number of other articles.

Avon Park was invited to co-operate in an effort to make a creditable display, but owing to the shortness of time, felt that a display which would do justice to the county could not be made, therefore but little from that place was secured. Sebring people exceedingly regret the fact that Avon Park would not participate, as it is felt that the exhibit should be county wide and that if the proper effort had been put forth a really creditable exhibit could have been made.

SEBRING PEOPLE REGRET
MISS TROSTLE'S LEAVING

Miss Trostle gave her closing talk last Sunday evening. In fact, she gave two talks, the first one to parents at 6:30 and at 7:30 she had an overflow congregation, it being necessary to open the annex. Her subject was "Seeking Happiness" and the address was one of her best. During the two weeks she was with us, she won the hearts and esteem of the hundreds who heard her well-prepared and splendidly delivered addresses. Miss Trostle returned to her home in Chicago Monday morning, greatly delighted with her reception and treatment in Sebring, saying that next time she came she was going to spend the entire winter in the state and the better part of that time in Sebring.

Editor P. S. Miller of Roanoke, Va., had filled the pulpit at the morning service and delivered an able address when it was known that he would preach he was greeted with a large congregation. He returned home the middle of the week and like others who leave early, regretted that he could not have remained until spring opened up in the north.

Next Sunday will mark the beginning of a two-week revival to be conducted by Evangelist O. H. Feller of Kansas. He is a new man for this part of the south, but comes highly recommended. He preaches Sunday morning at 11 and at 7:30 in the evening and then each evening during the week. Do not fail to hear Rev. Feller. He is said to be a real live wire in the pulpit, as well as out of it.

MERCER CASE GOES
TO CIRCUIT COURT

The case of the state of Florida vs. Wesley Mercer of Avon Park, charged with transporting moonshine liquor, came up before Judge D. V. Rouse Monday. Attorney A. B. Lawrence represented the state and Judge Rouse bound the defendant over to the February term of circuit court, fixing his bond at \$700, which defendant furnished. Mercer entered a plea of not guilty.

INCOME TAX IS LESS
THIS YEAR THAN 1920

In making out his income tax return for 1921, the average taxpayer will find a considerable saving in comparison with the amount of tax paid on the same income for 1920.

The exemptions provided by the revenue act of 1921 are \$1,000 for single persons (the term including widows, divorcees, and persons separated from husband and wife by mutual agreement), \$2,500 for married persons whose net income was \$5,000 or less, and \$2,000 for married persons whose net income was \$5,000 or more.

Under the revenue act of 1918 the personal exemption allowed a married person was \$2,000, regardless of the amount of net income. The personal exemption allowed a married person applies also to the head of a family, man or woman who supports in one household one or more relatives by blood, marriage or adoption.

The exemptions for dependents—a person who receives his chief support from the taxpayer and who is under 18 years of age or incapable of self-support because mentally or physically defective—is increased from \$200 to \$400.

The act requires that a return be filed by every single person whose income for 1921 was \$1,000 or more, every married person whose net income was \$2,000 or more, and by every person—single or married—whose gross income was \$5,000 or more.

The requirements to file a return of gross income of \$5,000 or more are

regardless of net income is a new provision. Net income is gross income less certain specified deductions for business expenses, losses, bad debts, etc., which are fully explained on the forms.

Returns must be filed by married couples whose combined net income for 1921, including that of dependent minor children, equaled or exceeded \$2,000, or if the combined gross income equaled or exceeded \$5,000.

The period for filing returns is from Jan. 1 to March 15, 1922. Heavy penalties are provided for failure to "willful refusal" to file a return on time.

For 1040A for incomes of \$1,000 and less and 1040 for incomes in excess of \$5,000 may be obtained from the offices of collectors of internal revenue and branch offices. The tax may be paid in full at the time of filing the return, or in four equal installments, due on or before March 15, June 15, Sept. 15 and Dec. 15.

Didn't Know John
The dear old lady drew the state who writes that she thinks "John McWhorter picks out the Bible verse at the head of the column every day; they are so helpful and appropriate," has our thanks—for the compliment.—Tampa Tribune.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the stockholders of McClurg-Laird Nurseries will be held Monday, Feb. 27, 1922, at 7:00 o'clock p. m. in the office of the company, Highlands Bank & Trust Company building, Sebring, Fla.

MOSE LANIER TAKING A
BAND OF SEMINOLES TO
THE SOUTH FLORIDA FAIR

Failure on the part of the management of the South Florida Fair to supply the necessary funds with which to pay the expenses of the Seminoles Indians to be featured as a part of the big exhibition, will result in that part of the entertainment being considerably curtailed.

Arrangements had been made with M. E. Lanier, the only white man in this section of the country well enough acquainted with the chiefs of the tribe to induce them to leave their traps and tepees, to secure about thirty-five of the Seminoles, take them to Tampa, act as interpreter and have charge of their affairs during the fair. In fact, Mose would have been the big chief of bucks, squaws and papooses during their visit to the haunts of the palefaces.

As the time for the opening of the fair drew near and no money to defray expenses had arrived, Mr. Lanier decided that if the Seminoles were to form a part of the exhibit, it would be necessary to visit Tampa and secure the funds. He went there the latter part of last week, securing a promise of the necessary funds, finally receiving a check for \$150, about 25 per cent of the funds which would have been actually required to bring a band of thirty-five Indians to Tampa for the purpose of the fair, however, for the camp of the Seminoles, expecting to return with thirteen tribesmen, dressed in their gaudy

attire and with exhibits of the chase and their handwork.

Had the fair management put forth the same effort as Mr. Lanier, to make this feature of the fair a success, it would have prevented one of the drawing cards of the occasion.

SCHOOL NOTES

Today morning's entertainment was in charge of Miss Mary Patrick. A fine selection was given by the Glee Club.

Miss Horrell, teacher of the eighth grade, had charge of the Thursday morning's exercises.

Following are the names of those who have made an average of 90 per cent or more in class standing and department during the fourth month: Dorothy Baldwin, Cecil Collins, Claude West, Bonny Prescott, Anna Penock, Selwyn Farnell, Wilson Weeks, Harold Bodel, Ebel Green, Ora Woodford, Nan Carson, Adam Brown, Lloyd Smith, Marie Young, Billie Pollard, Gertrude Johns, Malcom Pickett, Homer Wakefield, Jr., Emma Adams, Evelyn Rogers, Edna Hanson, Mary Cooper, Wakefield, Kathryn Eastwood, Minnie Mansfield, Miranda Anderson, John Barber, Miles Baker, Wilbur North, Edna Capwell, Mary Gearing, Martha Sevier, Alva Sevier, Roy West, Espase Rogers, Mary Cornelia Saunders, Willye Taylor, Leila Sebring, Marian Butts, Etha Croft, Grace Brown, Margaret Salmer.

Hotel Sebring, in the Bank of Sebring building. Every room with running water; clean and comfortable. Mrs. A. Ausland—Advertiser.

KATZ BROTHERS JANUARY

Will end next Monday night. This is a splendid opportunity to buy a dependable merchandise at RIGHT PRICES

Every article in our store is on sale at reduced prices

BLEACHED SEAMLESS

SHEETS

Pepperell Sheets
Size 72x90 inches, sale price.....\$1.25

Pelzer Sheets
Size 81x90 inches, sale price.....\$1.00

Forrest Sheets
Size 81x90 inches, sale price.....\$1.25

Pepperell Sheets
Size 81x90 inches, sale price.....\$1.45

Value Pillow Cases
Size 42x36 inches, sale price, each 21c

Pepperell Pillow Cases
Size 42x36 inches, sale price, each 35c

Sheeting, per yard, 49c
9-4 Pepperell Unbleached Sheet
The standard of all

Sheeting, per yard, 54c
9-4 Pepperell Bleached Sheet
A good quality, free from dressing

Unbleached Muslins
30-inch Unbleached Muslin, fine quality, sale price, yard.....12½c
36-inch Unbleached Muslin, sale price, yard.....10c

Huckaback Towels
Size 18x36, standard of the market, each.....12½c

Bleached Muslins

36-inch Bleached Muslin, sale price per yard.....14c

BARKER Muslin, 36 inches wide, sale price, per yard.....17c

HILL Muslin, 36 inches wide, sale price.....18c

ANDROSCOGGAN Muslin, 36 inches wide, sale price.....18c

GINGHAMS

27-inch Dress Gingham, yard.....10c

Amesque Apron Check, yard.....14c

Utility Dress Gingham, yard.....16c

900 yards of 27-inch Gingham, worth 25c per yard, sale price.....15c

Rates' 32-inch Gingham, yard.....25c

Long Cloth, 10 yards, \$1.35
A very good quality, soft finish Bleached Long Cloth in 10-yard pieces

Long Cloth, 10 yards, \$1.95
Splendid quality, English finished Long Cloth in 10-yard pieces

Nainsook, 10 yards, \$2.50
A superior quality in white only, in boxes of 10 yards.

Nainsook, 10 yards, \$3.75
Famous Capitol Nainsook, fine quality, white only, in boxes of 10 yards.

Checks, 17½c per yard
Yard-wide Pajama Checks, a very good quality.

Have you seen those pretty Taffeta and Crepe Dresses from Coed and Kleva Klad Dress Makers? They are very clever.

Spool Cotton
J. & P. Coat's 150 yard spools, 6 for.....25c

IS THE BOY FIXED FOR SPRING?

Boys' All-Wool Two Pants Norfolk Suits.....\$10

Boys' Bell Blouses and Shirts, of good percale and madras, each.....69c and 85c

Our line of Dress Shirts for men is complete and prices range from 80c upward.

Laundered Collars, 18c each or three for.....

FREE WITH EVERY PURCHASE, NEXT SATURDAY AND MONDAY, YOUR CHOICE OF ONE PIECE OF OUR ALUMINUM WARE

Percale, 16c a Yard
A fast color, 26 inches wide, in a variety of patterns; looks like and dark.

Outings at 15c a Yard
27-inch Outing in white, solid colors and fancy patterns.