

SECRETARY STATE HOTEL ASSOCIATION THINKS LOCALS COULD ROADS

Following a tour of the state that carried him over practically every highway that will be traveled by motorists this winter, Secretary Harvey Whitney of the Florida State Hotel Association has given a report on road conditions that will be interesting to all who contemplate travel, or who wish to know what the roads are like. His report is as follows:

Jacksonville to St. Augustine. This stretch of the Dixie Highway in fair condition, but the stretch of shell between South Jacksonville and beginning of brick paving near Mandarin, which is becoming rough and full of "pot holes" that defy the most arduous dodging. The short stretch of rock between the St. Johns county arch has been smoothed off. This was formerly a bad place. Brick paving on this stretch of road is going bad owing to heavy traffic.

St. Augustine to Hastings. Brick paving and fairly good, but also showing signs of wear from heavy traffic. In some spots deep sand on shoulders makes driving slow and dangerous when passing other cars. Some rock has been placed on shoulders, but there is a big chance for improvement. The big bridge near Hastings seems to be solid enough, but as it might cave in at any time.

Hastings to Bonnell. This brick paving also fair, but many and long stretches where deep sand on shoulders makes turning out a real task. Bridges along this stretch also going bad. The road there appear very dangerous, only to be taken very slowly.

Bonnell to Daytona. Continuation of brick from Bonnell to end of paving near Ocean City is fair but occasional holes, bumps and bad bridges which command slow speed. From end of brick paving to big hammock, coast to Ponce de Leon, last January, is going bad. Lots of holes and that most disgusting corrupted effect that makes the best car rattle in protest. Unless this road is repaired before the heavy winter travel sets in, much violent language will be used. After leaving the hammock and swinging westward the short stretch of asphalt and road encountered is even worse than that in the hammock. After negotiating the shell road, the fine asphalt highway southward to Daytona is a joy, except for the "wash board" road just before reaching Tomoka cross.

Daytona to New Smyrna. The asphalt road is good, but there are some surprisingly deep holes in it. The shell road is not bad, but that frightened a truck and simply kills a Ford.

New Smyrna to Titusville. More shell road than before. Getting bad and has been that way for some time. Nerve-racking driving here and one mile seems like several.

Titusville to Rockledge. Some work done on this road, but much more needed. The "wash board" effect is at its best here, and coated with the dust, one is almost glad to get to Cocoa, where the asphalt surfacing begins. Until one gets past Rockledge the road is fine, recent work having put it in first class shape.

Rockledge to Melbourne. A continuation of the corduroy washboard road. More shell, more dust, and more profanity provoking roadway. Getting better.

Melbourne to Vero. Except for the last few miles, this road is terrible. It is a continuous succession of side alleys and rattling shakes. Back wheels refuse to pull going in the air half the time. The crowning gem of all the bad going. Bad holes making and no one seems to know it, as there are no signs of road work here.

Stuart to Miami. Grand. Asphalt all the way, and nothing to fear except the speed cop. Free bridge at West Palm Beach, and the ocean drive southward to Boynton. New road completed from Fort Lauderdale to ocean beach, allows one to drive over and down to Miami Beach if preferred to the Dixie Highway.

FOUNDATION AND FRAME FOR NEW WAREHOUSE ON BUTLER AVE.

The new warehouse on Butler avenue, being erected by C. P. Turner, E. L. Franklin and the Atlantic Coast Line, is assuming large proportions, the foundations being in and the frame erected. Brick masons are at work laying the front wall and carpenters speeding up on the wood work.

This new warehouse when completed will be one of the most substantial buildings of its kind on the Seaside Highlands. It will accommodate seventy-two in number, are the heaviest we have ever seen used in buildings of this size. The building is 6,880 square feet of floor space, with a carrying capacity of 1,645,000 pounds, or 822 1/2 tons. Allowing an average of twelve tons or 24,000 pounds of coal, this new warehouse will easily store a fairly heavy load of merchandise.

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Daytona to Deland. Fine road in good shape. Asphalt is wide but good shoulders on narrow bridge make it a safe and fast road.

Deland to Eustis. Going by the new bridge over the fine fine just out of Deland, has long been a terror. It's worse now and getting worse every day. Tremendous traffic, and result is a badly out surface with holes, ruts and corrugations. Brick from St. Johns to Sanford going bad.

Sanford to Orlando. Brick road. Narrow but in good shape. Some bad turn-outs.

Asphalt and sand-clay roads, the latter being excellent and kept so by constant working of road gangs.

Leesburg to Ocala. Lake county's part of the road the best. Marion county's part of the road is in spots, but in spots is bad. Scraping carried on but seems to injure rather than improve.

Ocala to Gainesville. Some good rock road, but most of it is going bad, but far from being a boulevard.

Gainesville to Lake City. Road southward from Gainesville is rotten and needs work. Road through Alachua to High Springs is a much better road. Highway from High Springs to Lake City. The road is rough and slow going. Some sand hills make work of improvement, but the best a little can do.

Orlando Southward. All roads southward from Orlando. Meaning to Tappan, Bartow, Lake Wales and Arcadia.

Hillsboro county road fine. Memorial highway is without doubt best road in the state. Road from Hillsboro county going bad and very rough. Little signs of upkeep.

Asphalt and clay roads. Former is good but the clay roads are rough and full of holes. Road from Florida between Lake Wales and Sebring, unless repaired almost first part of the road is in a bad way.

Some of this road is good, but most of it is rough. Upkeep is lacking and the road is much worse this year than last.

Good road through the woods and prairies in dry weather. Hard to find and follow. Another route on grade of surveyed highway can be followed, but no paving. Not bad going and some signs would help a lot. In wet weather, the road is a real test.

Nothing wrong in the state for such a distance. A good road that has lost its grade. Deep ruts and deeper holes. This for about twenty miles, ten miles due east and ten miles due south. Then a good road back into Fort Myers.

Some rough brick, but most of the road fine asphalt. Bridge down at Wekiva river, necessary ferry on boat operated by county free of cost. Approaches to ferry on either side had enough to warrant fear of a fall.

Not so bad. In fact very good asphalt paving. Somewhat narrow in places, and some work needed. Big improvement being made along Indian river south of Fort Pierce, where brick is being placed alongside of asphalt and sharp turns are being eliminated by longer rock paved curves.

Construction of this highway going on. This road is rough and sandy in spots, but offers no serious difficulties. Found it better than reported, but had enough.

After the ceremony a splendid luncheon, prepared by the ladies and served by Mrs. Norton T. Smith, Mrs. S. Francis, Mrs. George F. Smith and Mrs. George W. Adams, was enjoyed in the club room of the first floor of the Masonic Temple building. Sandwiches, various kinds of cake, ice cream and fruit were served.

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WHOLESALE PRICES INCREASE 2.75 PER CENT DURING AUGUST

Wholesale prices increased 2.75 per cent in August over July levels, and the food prices leading in the advance with an increase of 13.5 per cent, according to figures made public by the department of labor in Washington.

Food products, including many food articles, were 2.5 per cent higher in August than in July, the statistic said, adding that there were decided advances in butter, cheese, milk, eggs, rice, meats, sugar and fruits and potatoes. Meat animals, including cattle and hogs, also averaged higher in August than in July. In other commodity groups, most of the advances were small. Clothing and shoes, for example, were 1.5 per cent higher in August than in July. The average decline in all wholesale commodity prices since last August was given as 39 per cent.

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Life Coming from England. Prof. H. B. Parker went to Jacksonville Wednesday afternoon to meet Mrs. Parker, who had just returned from England. He will bring his wife to Avon Park to live and together they will conduct the school.

Mr. Parker has been in Avon Park but a short while, he has made many friends and we feel sure in a few days that Mrs. Parker will receive a cordial welcome.

PARK PLANS ARE MOVING ALONG AND MORE BRICK BUILDINGS WILL COME

Work on the park has been temporarily held up, while Dr. W. M. Diamond is having his building erected. As soon as this work is finished, Engineer John Hood will resume operations of laying curb and gutter and putting in the clay foundation on the remaining of the park.

Plans for beautifying the park are working out nicely and a liberal sum of money has been subscribed by our citizens to defray the initial cost. As the tax budget for this year contained no provision for the park, it was necessary to call upon the public-spirited citizens for contributions. The total amount subscribed, about \$1,500 has been subscribed, while the proceeds from the picture show, generously donated by Manager Bond, will add about \$75 to the fund.

Among the plans for lighting the park the one most favorably considered at this time is the placing of

ILLUSTRIOUS ORDER OF RED CROSS CONFERRED ON NINE CANDIDATES

Additional Masonic history was made in Avon Park Monday night, when nine Sir Knights of the Holyrood Commandery U. D. Knights Templar, conferred the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross upon nine Royal Arch Masons and also received them into the Order of Knights of Malta. The ceremony was presided over by the Rev. Dr. E. G. Skiff, of Sebring, and the Rev. Dr. E. G. Skiff, of Sebring, and the Rev. Dr. E. G. Skiff, of Sebring.

The work was such that every Sir Knight present at the convocation had to be present. The ceremony was a long and interesting one, and the conferring of the work requires a vast amount of study. If it is successfully done without the use of rituals, the officers of Holyrood Commandery have studied diligently to perfect themselves in the work and although Monday night's work was the second attempt by this young commandery, no rituals were required and every Sir Knight acquitted himself with honor.

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HAYNES WARNS HOME BREWERS

Warning that the making of intoxicating "home brew" is illegal was issued by Prohibition Commissioner Haynes of Washington Monday night.

"Numerous inquiries have been received recently," he said, "concerning the home manufacture of fruit juices growing out of reports that a head of a household was entitled to make 20 gallons of wine a year under permit."

The prohibition unit's attitude on the home brew question was defined by Mr. Haynes as follows: "Non-intoxicating fruit juice can be made in the home. Intoxicating wine, home brew and distilled spirits may not be made. Two hundred gallons of non-intoxicating fruit juice may be manufactured tax free by the head of a family registering with a collector of internal revenue."

"This tax exemption provision has been the source of confusion. The effect of this is not to allow the manufacture of 200 gallons of intoxicating wine free from registrations of the national prohibition act, but merely to allow the manufacture of 200 gallons of non-intoxicating fruit juices free from tax."

Caught Fine String of Fish. J. S. Buchanan and J. W. Tuten spent Thursday last week at Arcadia lake, fishing. They caught a fine string of fish, but merely brought home and distributed among their friends and neighbors. Mr. Tuten informed us there were about 100 pounds of the fish and that they were all caught by bait casting.

Imports of Tea. In 1918 there were 50,000 tons of tea imported from Japan to America, whereas the amount exported in 1919 was 20,000 tons and in 1920 to 23,000 tons. This decrease is attributed to the fact that low price in America has taken tea out of place of Japanese tea on the market in America, and in addition there has been some difficulty in the disposal of old stocks. It is considered likely that the tea exports may decrease further by 10 per cent, unless recourse is had to the drastic measure of either destroying or returning to Japan old stocks still in existence.

Repairs at Masonic Temple. Considerable repair work has been recently accomplished at the Masonic Temple. New sills and foundations have been placed under the main entrance and other needed repairs have been made. A Hutchinson had charge of the brick work and W. H. Fryer the carpenter work.

Revival Meeting. The pastored by Baptist church announces that they will begin a revival meeting the third Sunday in September, at 7 o'clock. The pastor, Dr. E. G. Skiff, will do the preaching. The name of the singer will be announced later.

Peace River Baptist Association. The forty-sixth annual session of the Peace River Baptist Association will be held in Fort Myers Oct. 5 and 6. An elaborate program has been prepared and a large attendance is expected.

New Sidewalks. New sidewalks will soon be laid in front of the Avon Park Printing Company and the Albert Ellison properties on the new Main street.

Work of moving the Dr. W. M. Diamond building to its new site on the north side of the new Main street has been progressing rapidly and by the latter part of next week, if all goes well, the building will be standing on its new site. Dr. Diamond, of Arcadia, a house mover of many years' experience, is in charge of the work, and he is so well known to the tenants who would hardly know the building was being moved, if it were not for the fact that he is doing it.

Dr. Diamond informs that he is planning to remodel the interior of the building and improve the outside and that when his plans are completed he will have a building that will not only present a fine appearance, but will be a place for the tenants to occupy same. He has not def-

initely decided as to just how he will finish the exterior, but at the present time favors stuccoing it. He states that he contemplated making these improvements before the agitation for a new street and park started, but that the delay in the city's light of progress or cause unnecessary expense to the city in the removal of the building and its rebuilding after repairs had been made, he waited until the matter was satisfactory and then he decided to do it.

He decided that he wanted the new street and park. The Diamond building is on its new site passing through Avon Park on the Atlantic Coast Line. It will have an unobstructed view of the main business section of the city and many is the one who will be attracted to it. The building is rapid and substantial growth they will behold. When the landscape garden is completed, it will be a beautiful and the cluster lights placed over the business center will cause no little favorable regard to be expressed for it, and passing through the city.

HIGHLANDS COUNTY TAX LEVY WILL BE SIXTY-NINE MILLS; THE BUDGET

Will Establish Shoe Shop
J. W. Farley, Lake Wales, spent Saturday in Avon Park, completing arrangements for the establishment of a first-class shoe repair shop here. Mr. Farley rented the building formerly occupied by Albert Ellison with his barber shop and will have his machinery installed within a few days. He had been engaged in business in Lake Wales, but recently sold out, with the intention of locating in Avon Park, but could find no location until he succeeded in securing Mr. Ellison's building. Other quarters will be provided in the near future, when Mr. Farley expects to add an up-to-date line of men's shoes to his business.

Baseball at Frostproof. The Avon Park football baseball team will play the Frostproof high school team at Frostproof this (Friday) afternoon, game starting at 4 o'clock. The lineup of the locals is as follows: Victor Stansbury (c), J. V. Nolan (p.), Jarvis Fisher (1b), Duncan Palmer (2b), Robert Hood (3b), C. R. Gimm, Jr., (ss), Forrest (lf), and in this is the first game of the season for our high school team. The crowd is expected to be the largest possible. It is hoped a large number of the Avon Park boys will attend the game and root for the home team.

Bought Chapman Property. R. C. Epperson of Williston, mention of whom was made last week as having purchased the property of the Park Mercantile Company, has purchased the beautiful home property of J. Chapman on South Verona avenue. Mrs. Epperson and the children have arrived, as have also their household goods, and are settling comfortably in their new home. We join with the people of Avon Park in extending to them hearty welcome and feel sure they will be well pleased with our community and the surrounding country.

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The above resolutions were unanimously passed by the vote of Commissioners McAlamy, Graham and Williams, Commissioner Etheridge being absent.

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Material 1,000
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Supervisor of registration 200
County Jail 1,000
Insanity inquiries 100
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Tax assessor 2,500
Janitor 1,000
Light and water 4,000
Stationery and record books 1,500
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Whereas, Pursuant to law, the board of commissioners of Highlands county, Florida, have made, have caused to be legally published and have adopted a budget of expenses for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1922, and

Whereas, It is necessary that a levy be made to meet the expenses provided in said budget, be it

Resolved, by the board of county commissioners of Highlands county, Florida, in open session, at which a quorum of said board is present and voting, and the same is hereby resolved:

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666 cures a Cold quickly.—Advertisement.

B. F. West was a business visitor in Wauchula Friday.

G. W. Adams made a business trip to Sebring Monday morning.

Mark Lance was transacting business in Sebring Monday forenoon.

For Sale—Two good mules. See W. P. Martin, at Max Wild building.

Miss Mattie Langford of Arcadia is visiting her brother, N. G. Langford.

M. W. Lance made a business trip to Haines City Thursday of last week.

For Rent—Desirable room, centrally located. Apply at Highlands Pilot office.

Beatrice Pass left Monday for Winter Park, where she will enter Rollins College.

C. A. Skipper was among the Avon Park business men visiting Sebring Monday morning.

M. A. Wilson of Fort Meade spent Saturday afternoon here, looking after his grove interests.

C. P. Anderson spent a couple of days in Tampa the latter part of last week transacting business.

For Sale—Eight mules; in good condition; cheap. J. L. Hartfield & Sons, Avon Park.—Advertisement.

N. G. Langford and R. H. Stodden were visitors to Bartow last week, where they went to meet with the officials of the Citrus Exchange.

L. Grady Burton was over from Wauchula for a short while Monday morning. Mr. Burton was en route to Moore Haven on a business mission.

R. B. Campbell of Tampa, representing the Tampa Fertilizer Company, was in town Monday calling on the trade and shaking hands with friends.

J. Lee Johnson, one of Sebring's wide-awake and progressive citizens, spent a couple of hours here Saturday morning, transacting business and greeting friends.

Ed Welch and Harry Johnson were among the Avon Park people spending Thursday afternoon of last week in Haines City, attending the ball game, dance and chicken pie supper.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Adams and their guest, Mrs. Leona Haynes of Jacksonville, accompanied by F. H. Adams of Sebring, made an auto trip to Wauchula last Friday afternoon.

Extra copies of the Highlands County Pilot and the Highlands County Messenger will be found on sale at the Avon Park Drug Company's store and the Florida Pharmacy.

The Misses Louise Cloud and Rebecca Caldwell returned Saturday from Lake Wales, where they had been enjoying themselves several days as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Thulberry.

The Rev. Sam Durrance of Wauchula passed through town Monday, on his way to Oklawaha, where he expects to conduct a series of meetings. He was accompanied by Clyde McLeod, his son-in-law, and his father-in-law, S. B. Williams.

J. W. Newbern of Largo was here Thursday and Friday of last week, transacting business and greeting old friends. Mr. Newbern states that they have moved from Miami City, where they went from here, and are now living at their old home in Largo.

Harry Cutler returned Saturday morning from a visit of several weeks to Stratford, Conn., Perry, N. Y., and other points in the east. He says he enjoyed himself while away, but was glad to get back to Avon Park, where there is evidence of "something doing."

Owing to extra pages in the Pilot last week we were a day late in mailing. Our regular mailing day, however, is Friday, but we have of late been printing and mailing Thursday mornings, in order that the paper might be distributed in time for our subscribers to read the ads, many of which have of late quoted Saturday bargains.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ellison and little son Byron returned Thursday evening of last week from a three-months' vacation spent in various parts of New York and New Jersey. Mr. Ellison informs us they spent a very pleasant summer, but that times were unusually dull in the sections they visited, there being no comparison between that country and the south, the latter being in much better condition. They made the trip home from New Jersey in six days, a distance of 1,400 miles.



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From the Macopin County (Ill.) Enquirer, published at Carlinville, we reproduce the following clipping:

"One of the most enjoyable receptions and at the same time one filled with most profound regret was that held on Monday evening by the members of the First Baptist church, at the church, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Masters, who are leaving for Avon Park, Fla., where they will make their future home. Mr. Masters and his wife have been true and faithful members of the Baptist church for over half a century and he has been an ordained deacon of the church for about thirty-three years, serving with this local church for the past seventeen years. That he and his wife have made many warm and lasting ties of friendship during their long and faithful connection with the church and residence in Carlinville and vicinity goes without saying and the assembly of Monday evening was held that those who have labored with them in the church as well as those who have so long known them as friends, neighbors and citizens, might express to them their regrets at the loss felt by the church and community in their removal from our midst.

"A short musical program was given by the choir, consisting of an organ solo by Mrs. O. C. Hart, solo by G. J. Vaughn, an anthem by the choir and that old familiar hymn, "God Be With You," was sung by those present, led by the choir. The pastor, Rev. J. G. Little, offered a prayer for the future blessing in their new home of the departing members and a token of esteem in the form of a book filled with excerpts from the best authors and poets of the world on "Friendship," was presented on behalf of the church in a few well chosen words by Mrs. E. W. Denby. She was answered by Mr. and Mrs. Masters, who spoke most feelingly of the many years of happiness they had spent in co-operation with the others in the upbuilding and betterment of the church and Carlinville.

"After a prayer of dismissal by Rev. A. H. Rhodes, the evening was brought to a close with general conversation and the serving of refreshments."

Mr. and Mrs. Masters are delightful people, who have spent a couple of winters here with their children and Avon Park people will be pleased to learn that they are to make this their future home.

DR. ETHEREDGE OFFERS HIS SERVICES TO ARCADIA

[DeSoto County News]
Dr. E. J. Etheredge of DeSoto City and Attorney T. B. Conway of Sebring were in Arcadia Wednesday on a short business trip.

Both these gentlemen called at the News office and were very enthusiastic over Arcadia's chances of getting the government vocational school at Dorris Field. Dr. Etheredge, representative for this county and probably the successor of Senator Cooper, stated that he would gladly give his services in an attempt to persuade the government to locate the school here. Mr. Conway also is anxious to see Arcadia get the school. He said he would obtain the endorsement of the Sebring Board of Trade if Arcadia desired it, and added that Arcadia should get busy on the proposition and get the school located here.

It is a source of much gratification to the business men here to learn that their neighbors are so anxious to assist them in advancing the advantages of locating the proposed vocational school in Arcadia. Dr. Etheredge has long since had a host of friends here who admire and respect him. They believed in his sincerity and therefore they appreciate his interest. Both Dr. Etheredge and Attorney Conway were very kind to urge the business men of this city to permit them to help them work for their own interest. Their interest in having the proposed government vocational school located here should inspire the business men of Arcadia to push the movement for all it is worth.

CITRUS CROP SHOWS A SLIGHT INCREASE

Production of citrus fruits in Florida this season will exceed last year's crop by approximately 200,000 boxes, according to an estimate of the federal bureau of crop estimates in its report on agricultural conditions in the state during the month of August. Last year's commercial crop was 13,200,000 boxes in round numbers, the bureau declares, and it estimates the current crop at 13,600,000 boxes. A heavier prospective yield of grapefruit is largely responsible for the increase. The tangerine crop is short, as compared with last year, and production of limes will be lower than usual.

The condition of the crop over the citrus belt on Sept. 1 was highest on the West Coast, "decidedly spotted through the central highland section, and rather pessimistic in South Florida, especially on the lower East Coast," the report declared. The condition of oranges on Sept. 1 was 85 per cent of normal as against 86 per cent on Aug. 1 and the crop was estimated at \$200,000 as against \$100,000 boxes last season. Grapefruit was 85 per cent of normal Sept. 1, as compared with 86 per cent Aug. 1 and the crop was placed at 5,400,000 boxes as against 5,100,000 boxes a year ago. The condition of limes was 81 per cent Sept. 1, as against 83 per cent Aug. 1 and production was estimated at 49 per cent of last season. The tangerine crop was placed at 90 per cent of that of last year.

Two Big Fig Trees
There are two big fig trees growing on the banks of the San Antonio river, near Coahuila, Cal., which are thought to have been planted by the Franciscan fathers 300 years ago. One tree bears an abundant crop of fruit each year. Besides these there are many others along the river whose age dates back a century or more. In India there are century-old fig trees. There should be more fig trees in Florida. The fig is more generally spoken of in the Bible than any other fruit.

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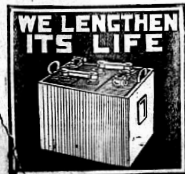
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TELEPHONE No. 18

Sebring is again afflicted with a "chicken pot pie" epidemic.

Every day the little city of Avon Park takes on a more metropolitan appearance.

When a Florida editor attempts to cash \$500 checks its time for the bank cashier to become suspicious.

That golden yellow tinge is beginning to be visible on the smooth cheeks of our grapefruit.

We'd rather be a pauper in Florida than a millionaire in some of the other states—if we had to live in those states the year round.

The May and June number (combined) of the Florida Zephyr was read at the University of Florida at Gainesville. On our desk lies five No. 10 envelopes, addressed to "The Pilot," "The Highlands Pilot," two to "The Press" and another to "The Herald." Each of these envelopes

with those handsome lady officers in charge of the South Florida Press Association meeting, there ought to be a full attendance at Lakeland next month.

Man wanted to know the other day if we were a real "Florida Cracker." Nope; only been here since 1893; but we've got some mighty healthy "Cracker" kids.

Lakeland Telegram asks: "What would happen to this country if it elected a president who did not play golf?" The daily papers would be hard put for news some times.

That "geologist's" success (?) in tracing the hot water stream in Sebring may cause some people to think twice before putting too much stock in his prognostications about oil.

The Okeechobee News has been sold to Messrs. Holly,illard and Neale of the Sanford Herald. If Okeechobee doesn't get a booster newspaper now, then they have nothing worth while boosting in that neck of the woods.

Times-Union: "With a short potato crop elsewhere, Florida spuds should command a good price this year. They'll have to if the farmer gets anything back after paying the freight."

Hardee county farmers are getting ready to rake in scads of money from their fall and early winter crops. A drive from Avon Park to Wauchula shows many acres of excellent land being made ready for planting.

We notice by an advertisement in the Bartow Record that another heavy cut has been made in the price of Ford cars. That's the second cut since we bought ours. But then, we never were very lucky, except to be alive.

We know the prohibition law should be enforced, but isn't it a little out of the ordinary for a sheriff to follow a fishing party fifteen miles, with the hope that they may discover a quart of "bait" being illegally transported?

Over at Zolfo they are adding some splendid attractions at the Aquavite Mineral Springs. Zolfo should draw good-sized crowds of people, both winter and summer, when the health-giving qualities of those waters become generally known.

An exchange published not a thousand miles from here says "from Eastern the news comes that a wild plant of Florida, exciting a serum, has been found to be a valuable aesthetic. We'd recommend a fish diet—or a few weeks at a night school."

Editor M. M. Lee of the Winter Haven Chief is now giving us a double dose of his excellent paper, having changed last week from a weekly to a semi-weekly. First thing we know Brother Lee will be springing a daily on us. May success attend our efforts, old scout.

Old John Barleycorn is the cause of many deaths and much suffering. You can't pick up a newspaper nowadays without seeing an account of bootleggers or prohibition enforcement officers being killed. And just think how those poor fellows who can't get their "morning's morning" must suffer.

Tampa Tribune: "So far Sebring has not indicated whether there is sulphur in that hot water well. Suppose it would not be safe, with such paragraphs as Thorn, Felkel, Naigle and George Washington Adams all ready with a quib." Pahaw, John. We're all keeping as far as possible away from comment on sulphur. We like to live in the present and not bring up subjects suggestive of the future.

Three Hardee county citizens last week attacked a harmless old negro inflicting serious injuries upon him. The law-abiding citizens of Zolfo and Wauchula are indignant over the affair and if apprehended the guilty brutes will probably be made to suffer for their act. Here's hoping Sheriff Poncher and Deputy Dishong are as successful in apprehending these so-called men as they were in rounding up the auto-stealing gang.

Tampa Tribune: "We like the way a writer to the New York World sums it up: 'This is not a Prohibition country; nor a Catholic country; nor an infidel; nor a seceder country; but a free country.' If there's anything true in this country, except advice, which nobody wants, we'd like to know what it is. Even the old folks, if you get the best, costs double the old railroad fare to Florida."

USELESS WASTE

If rigid economy were practiced in all branches of the state institutions it would be unnecessary to ask for such large appropriations for their maintenance. Just now we have in mind the general extension division of the University of Florida at Gainesville. On our desk lies five No. 10 envelopes, addressed to "The Pilot," "The Highlands Pilot," two to "The Press" and another to "The Herald." Each of these envelopes

carries a 2-cent stamp and on the inside each has a self-addressed, stamped envelope for reply, in addition to the printed circular letter enclosed. We have notified the general extension division that the Press and Herald were no longer in existence—to correct their mailing list. If this waste were confined to one town or city only, there would be no room for complaint, but we have every right to believe that the same condition applies to nearly every town or city in the state. The general extension division sends out a large quantity of publicity matter each week, the sum total of cost representing a large amount. A few hours' time spent in correcting the mailing list would save hundreds of dollars in postage and printed matter that are now absolutely wasted. And this condition does not apply to the general extension division alone, for nearly every state institution or body sending out publicity matter is guilty of the same extravagance.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

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Col. D. V. Rouse spent the week-end with his parents in Dover.

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J. E. Glover spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Tampa transacting business.

There are several important changes in the ads this week. It will pay you to read them.

J. D. McEwen left for Jacksonville Saturday to spend a few days transacting business.

L. P. Hagan of Sanford was among the out-of-town business visitors in Avon Park Monday.

S. P. Durrance was among the Avon Park people transacting business in Sebring Monday.

For Rent—Five-room bungalow overlooking Lake Tule. C. W. Wood.—Advertisement.

Wanted—To rent piano for six or eight months. Apply to H. N., care Pilot.—Advertisement.

W. Z. Dalgety of Sebring attended the convocation of Holyrood Commandery, Knights Templar, held here Monday night.

The Rev. and Mrs. Joab Edwards of DeSoto City spent Sunday in Avon Park. Mr. Edwards holding morning services here.

Cyril Baldwin made a trip to Arcadia Tuesday, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mitchell, who returned home, after having spent several days here with Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin.

The Hon. W. A. Marshall spent Monday morning in Sebring, appearing before the board of county commissioners to have his bond as county superintendent of public instruction approved.

Noticed some fine avocados in B. H. James' show window Wednesday. They were of nice size, weighing on an average of about one pound each. They were grown on the Roberts Bros' grove here.

Ira Rigdon, Dr. E. G. Skiff, E. O. Douglas, G. V. Hudson and C. C. Cobb of Sebring received the Illustrative Order of the Red Cross here Monday night and attended the banquet following the ceremony.

Mrs. E. Thompson left Monday for Huntsville, Ala., where her husband is now permanently located. Mr. Thompson has been engaged in evangelistic work during the summer, but now has a splendid charge at Huntsville.

J. V. Chapman left Saturday for a vacation of a couple of weeks, which he will spend at the home of his parents in Adrian, Ga. He is driving through in his Ford coupe and was accompanied as far as Jacksonville by William H. Tompkins.

Mrs. S. P. Durrance, accompanied by her daughter Marie Lee and son, Fred, left Wednesday for Nashville, Tenn., where Marie and Fred will enter Lincoln College.

Mrs. Durrance will remain in Nashville about a month before returning to Avon Park.

George F. Kellogg spent Monday morning in Sebring, meeting with the board of county commissioners as a member of the committee appointed by the Highlands Good Roads League to meet with that body and discuss a system of lateral roads for this county.

Miss Myrtle Jack, assistant cashier of the First National Bank, returned Sunday from a two-weeks' vacation, spent with her parents at Boca Grande and in touring South Florida. Miss Jack reports a splendid time and looks as though she enjoyed every moment of her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bennerman and little son Leroy of Wilmington, S. C., spent Sunday with the family of Mrs. Bennerman's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Boney. The Bennermans have recently come to this section from South Carolina and will spend some time here and in Wauchula with their relatives.

Mrs. Leona Haynes and son Earnest of Jacksonville, who had been spending a week with the family of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Adams, left Monday morning for their home. This was Mrs. Haynes' first visit to this section of the state and she was so delighted with everything she saw that she would like to make this her home.

James Luxton and D. F. Canfield returned Tuesday night from Siesta, over on the West Coast, near Sarasota, where they had been spending a couple of days fishing. They had no big fish tales to tell, but brought back a good-sized jewfish and several other kinds, as well as some fine clams.

Wednesday noon we had clam chowder for dinner, the boys bringing us several of the large mollusks.

We notice in an Associated Press dispatch from Berkeley, Cal., to the Brooklyn Eagle, giving an account of the recent disaster to the steamer Alaska, the name of Thomas Johnston of Brooklyn listed as one of the victims. Mr. and Mrs. Johnston will be remembered by many Avon Park people, having spent the winter here three years ago, occupying the Herbert Savers cottage. Mr. Johnston was about 50 years old and a Scotsman by birth.

The Epworth Leaguers met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fraser Friday evening. Those present were Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Fischer, Mrs. W. M. Meredith, Mrs. B. H. Starkey, Nellie Baines, Grace Meredith, Gladys Meredith, Margaret Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Houghaboom, C. Syrett, Jarvis Melton, Florence Mosher, Myrtle Conoley, Essie Johnson, Myrtle Lane, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fraser, Willard Fraser, Mary Fraser, Ray Fraser and Mrs. Green. Treatments were served and all reported a fine time and are anxiously looking forward to another such meeting.

666 cures Bilious Fever.—Advertisement.

666 cures Malarial Fever.—Advertisement.

Tom Caldwell left Saturday for Rollins College.

S. E. Roberts of Zofo was transacting business here Tuesday.

Mrs. L. Crouley returned Sunday night from Nashville, Tenn., where she has been spending about three months very pleasantly.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mitchell of Arcadia have been guests of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Baldwin, several days.

For Sale—On easy terms, new six-room bungalow; close in; would consider well-located tract of 10 or 20 acres of citrus land as first payment. Address HX, care Pilot.—Advertisement.

We have been literally swamped with job printing this week, but our equipment and force are such that we can handle a vast amount of printing without causing unnecessary delay to anyone.

The Misses Martha Marsh, Vera McGinnis and Rebecca Caldwell departed Monday for Winter Park to enter Rollins College. This is Miss Marsh's second term there. Miss Caldwell graduated from the Wauchula high school last year and Miss McGinnis from the Avon Park high school.

A new addition to Avon Park's population is the family of Mr. Boynton of Bartow, who have moved into a portion of the old Dickinson house on Butler avenue. Mr. Boynton is employed with Curtis Langford in the blacksmith shop. He is the son of J. J. Boynton, former tax assessor of Polk county, and one of the best-known citizens in that county.

H. L. Lyman of Winter Haven and Victor Morley of Lake Alfred spent Wednesday afternoon here. Mr. Lyman and Mr. Morley are intimate friends of Prof. H. B. Parker and had an enjoyable visit with him. Mr. Morley has been spending the last two years in Tampico, Mexico, and is now operating there as an accountant. He informs us that conditions are bad in Mexico and that he does not know how soon he will return. At present he is visiting his parents in Lake Alfred.

D. W. Stevenson, C. E. Worrell, W. H. Foster and W. L. Long, prominent citizens and business men of Moore Haven, spent Monday night and Tuesday morning in Avon Park. They came up to receive the Illustrative Order of the Red Cross Monday night. Tuesday morning they were shown some of our fine groves by Mark Lance and to say that they were favorably impressed with what they saw expresses it but mildly. They had no idea that we had such a country here and were astonished at the evidences of growth and development seen on every hand. They are particularly well pleased with Lake Byrd Lodge and the large development of the Pittsburgh-Florida Fruit Growers Association.

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Substitutes for Gasoline

Three kinds of alcoholic substitutes for gasoline are being manufactured in South Africa for automobiles. One "Natalite," from sugar cane distillate, another "Acetol," from sweet potatoes, and a third from corn. The demand in Europe, however, is so great for pure alcohol for liquor that it keeps the supply of denatured alcohol at a low price in small supply. South Africa imported 19,948 automobiles in 1920, of which 7,264 were from America.

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WASHINGTON, D.C. OWNERS OF LOCAL GROVES HOLD OUTING

Washington, D. C., Sept. 10.—Favored by perfect weather conditions, which seemed ordered for the occasion, a jolly throng of grove owners in the Florida Citrus Development Company staged their first annual picnic at Rock Creek Park. Games, eats, new acquaintances and discussions of Florida and grove interests were the order of the day. Washington boosters for Avon Park are second to none.

Shortly after the close of business at noon, merry groups began to arrive in goodly numbers. Field Marshal Charlie Weber and wife, aided by Lieutenant Minter, had been early on the grounds. When all was set for lunch, coffee and ice cream in abundance were ready for the attack by the hungry picnicers. Words of director of events are still being passed around.

After lunch, as an aid to digestion, the games were started. The men's tug-of-war brought out a bunch of powerful rope pullers, the Nevers-Slips vs. the Anti-Slides. Cyrus Murray, anchor man for the Nevers-Slips, had easily the biggest pull and if his team-mates hadn't gotten in his way, they would have handled "em easily. However, the Anti-Slides, aided by a down-grade, had the biggest tug and won. Van C. Thompson, Ed Hammond and F. H. Ellis can pull on a rope just as well as they can for the company.

The ladies, too, were good performers in their tug-of-war. Mrs. F. P. Ferris became anchored and immovable, holding the victory for her side. It seemed at times as if the ladies in their exertions might overthrow the massive stone fireplace around which they were struggling, but the contest ended before the chimney toppled. Miss Weiner and Mrs. Stuart Garber featured for their side.

The nursing bottle emptying contest, in which Mr. Moomaw, Dr. Gans and Mrs. J. B. Garber competed, was won in five minutes by Mrs. Garber, who showed great skill in handling the bottle. The company treasurer, Mr. Moomaw, had been too long out of practice.

In the meantime a ball game had been started. The men of the most active Garber family, aided by a few trusted friends, played against the Uster-Wuzzers. Space does not permit publishing the score, which seemed to favor the invincible Garber family. Charles C. Murray starred as the "Babe Ruth" of the game.

The beauty contest, which had been so much looked forward to, was to be decided by the judges from the group photograph, taken on the grounds. This was due to the reluctance of the handsome contenders to line up. The judges are still working on the problem and hope to have a decision ready to announce at the next annual outing. The photographer admitted that it was the most beautiful group he had ever captured.

The welcoming address was made by M. T. Moomaw, secretary and treasurer of the company. He expressed regret at the absence of C. P. Anderson, president, and D. P. W. Haupt, attorney for the company, who were expected to be present. Their absence was due to imminent company business in Avon Park, which Mr. Moomaw announced was the arranging for the consolidation of the Florida Citrus Development Company, the Citrus Groves and By-Products Company and the Pittsburgh-Florida Fruit Growers Association into one company, known as the Pittsburgh-Florida Fruit Growers Association. He pointed out some of the many advantages of this arrangement—greater efficiency through a single system of bookkeeping, a single set of executive officers and managers in the field, reduction in the cost of maintenance through the purchase of supplies in large quantities, the control of a crate supply and the prestige of a large corporation as compared with that of three smaller ones.

He mentioned the excellent crop prospects of the present year, which point to fine results for the Washington owners.

He also stated that grove owners, for a limited time, would be given the opportunity to purchase stock in the new company and thus share in earnings from the operation of the by-products industry and maintenance of the groves, so become completely interested in this enterprise from every side. He expressed the appreciation of the officers of the company for the hearty co-operation of the grove owners, which is making possible an industry designed to handle in every detail the production and marketing of citrus fruits and by-products.

Again Marshal Weber was passing 'em out as the merry-makers gathered for their evening lunch. There were some late arrivals. Dr. C. D. Swope, after a busy day, arrived in time for the ice cream eating contest and at dark was leading the field by seventeen helpings.

Not all present were from Washington—Mr. and Mrs. Blosser of Harrisonburg, Va., Mr. Shaul, Mr. Thrasher, J. R. Poland of Martinsburg, W. Va., and C. C. Maxwell of Ransom, W. Va., were among the crowd. Nearly two hundred and fifty attended the outing, and judging from the enthusiasm, there are even bigger picnics ahead, both in Washington and in Florida, when that wonderful region rewards, as it surely will, those who have patience and faith in its producing possibilities.

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Farwell Party
A farwell party and reception was given at the pretty home of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Durance on Lake Tulane Friday evening, in honor of the departure of their daughter Mamie Lee and Beatrice Bass, who left this week for Lipscomb College, Nashville, Tenn., and Rollins College, Winter Park. About twenty-five young people responded to the invitation and thoroughly enjoyed the entertainment provided for the evening, as well as the dainty refreshments served.

Recovering from Accident
About four weeks ago Mrs. Henry Stevenson, while alighting from their car, fell and fractured one of the bones of her left hip, since which time she has been confined to the house, getting around on crutches a portion of the time. Her many friends here will be glad to know that she is now on the rapid road to recovery.

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Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the undersigned for the construction of about two hundred (200) privies, according to plans now on file in my office, as approved by the state board of health. All bids to be filed on or before the first Monday in October, 1921, and the right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.
Sept 16-23-30

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Highlands Orange Groves Company will be held at their office on Friday, the 30th day of September, A. D. 1921, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of confirming the sale of their entire holdings of real estate and other assets the company may have to the Scenic Highlands Development Company, and to pass on any other matters to come before the said stockholders at said meeting.
Dated at Avon Park, Highlands County, Florida, this 24th day of August, A. D. 1921.
WILLIAM KING, Secretary.

LEGAL NOTICE
In the Justice Court in and for District No. 1, Highlands County, Florida.

L. D. Roberts vs. Wesley Gunter.
Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the above court, in that certain cause wherein L. D. Roberts is plaintiff and Wesley Gunter is defendant, I have deeded upon and will offer for sale at public auction during the legal hours of sale, one Indian motorcycle. Said sale to be held at court house door, First National Bank building, Avon Park, Florida, on the 17th day of October, 1921.

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DISSOLUTION NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between H. B. Parker and Hilda E. Nelson, in the Poinsettia Photographic Studio and the Parker Music Company has been dissolved and that the business of the Poinsettia Photographic Studio will be discontinued on and after this date. The business of the Parker Music Company will be conducted by H. B. Parker and Hilda E. Parker. All accounts due the Parker Music Company are payable to said company and all indebtedness of said company will be assumed by H. B. Parker and Hilda E. Parker.
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By H. B. Parker and Hilda E. Parker.
Dated Avon Park, Fla., Sept. 5, 1921.
Sept 16-23-30

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Scenic Highlands Development Company will be held at the office of said company on Friday, Sept. 30, A. D. 1921, at 2 o'clock p. m., to take action upon the following resolution:
Resolved, that the capital stock of said corporation shall be increased from three hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$350,000.00), its present capital, to five hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$550,000.00), which said capital stock shall be issued in the following manner and for the following purposes:

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The corporation shall have the right and privilege of calling in and retiring all or any part or portion of said preferred stock at any time after five years from the date of issuance of the first share of said preferred stock by paying to the record holder or holders thereof not less than fifty dollars (\$50.00) per share, together with accrued dividends due thereon at the date thereof.

In case of liquidation or dissolution of said corporation prior to the calling in or retiring of said preferred stock the said holders of said preferred stock shall be entitled to receive and to be paid the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) per share of said stock together with any accrued dividends due thereon prior to the date of said dissolution or liquidation.
Said stock to be sold and issued in denominations of fifty dollars (\$50.00) per share. All of said stock to be sold and issued for cash, property or other things of value or for other purposes to be determined by the board of directors, and to pass on any other matters to come before said stockholders at said meeting.
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Cheese, per pound	29c
Burt Olney Peas, per can	25c
Burt Olney Corn, per can	20c
VanCamp's Soups, 3 cans for	25c
Indiana Bacon, per pound	30c
6-oz. bar Laundry Soap, 4c; 7 for	25c
2 Large Bar Octagon Soap	15c
Golden Age Macaroni, 3 8-oz. packages	25c
Crackers, all 10c packages, 3 for	20c
Heinz's Vinegar, quart	39c
Pineapple, sliced, No. 2 can	35c
Army Bacon, 12-lb. tin	\$2.40
Asparagus Tips	45c
Wesson Oil, pints	35c
Table Salt, 2 boxes for	15c
Toilet Paper, 3 10c rolls	25c
Lux, 2 pkgs for	25c
Household Ammonia	15c
Granulated Tapioca, 2 1-lb. pkgs.	25c
Campbell's Pork and Beans, 2 cans	25c
Campbell's Soups, 2 cans	25c
Corn Beef, 1-lb. tins	17c
White Fin Tuna Fish	29c
Wesson Oil, quarts	59c
Wesson Oil, 2 quarts	\$1.10

Furs from Canada

The number of pelts of fur-bearing animals taken in Canada in the season of 1919-20 was 3,600,000, with a total value of \$21,287,005. According to total value muskrat takes first place with \$6,030,303; beaver second with \$5,339,097; marten third with

\$1,867,967; mink fourth with \$1,792,232, and silver fox fifth with \$967,972. For average value silver fox takes first place with \$240; black fox with \$155; fisher third with \$84; blue fox fourth with \$69, and patch fox fifth with \$63. Foxes can be raised in captivity and it might be worth considering in Florida.

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Tuesday—We are a little uncertain of the name of this picture but it will be the feature picture of the week in the same class with "The Kid." Wednesday—"A Private Scandal." This is a Realart special production with an all star cast. Also a two-reel comedy.

Thursday—The same as Wednesday. Friday—Jack Holt in "Dead or Alive." Jack was the sheriff of one of the worst counties of the old U. S. A., and that will assure you of one of the most exciting feature pictures

of the month. Also a two-reel comedy. Saturday—Madge Kennedy in "Dollars and Sense."

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Imports of raw cotton into Great Britain during the first six months of 1921 totaled 8,133,176 bales (1 cental=100 pounds), which was one-half of the amount received during the corresponding period of 1913, and 7,024,955 bales less than the quantity imported during the first half of 1920. The total value this season was \$160,000,000, of which about \$100,000,000 was from the United States, and the remainder from nine countries, with Egypt in large lead.

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