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THE FORD CAR HAS MANY REFINEMENTS

The Ford Motor Company of Detroit has just made public a list of recent improvements in the mechanical features of Ford cars.

Asserting that Ford cars are better today than they have ever been before, the statement adds that fuel consumption is lower; the engine is even more efficient than formerly; improvements in the springs and steering apparatus make for easier riding and driving qualities; a new head lamp lens, which complies with all state laws, improves the road-light, and that many other minor betterments have been made.

Ford pistons and connecting rods have been redesigned and are matched for weight before assembling into motors. This reduces vibration and gives the motor a quicker pick-up. The new pistons weigh three-quarters of a pound less than those formerly used. A highly polished crankshaft bearing surface also reduces wear and, added to the piston and connecting rod improvements, makes a smoother running and better balanced motor. The material used in the Ford crankshaft and the care and precision in its manufacture make it second to none.

The new Ford carburetor gives increased acceleration. Though not radically different from the carburetor previously used, the new construction improves the all around performance of the motor, giving a quicker pick-up, and a greater flexibility of action.

The wiring system has been completely redesigned and while it costs more to install than the old system, it is most efficient, proof of which is evidenced by the fact that it affords a fire insurance rate as low as the higher priced cars on the market. Many other changes have been made. A 16-inch steering wheel is now standard equipment. Timken roller bearings are used in the front wheels; one-piece pressed steel running board brackets insure body rigidity and eliminate vibration and body noise; a dash weather-tough protection rain from reaching coil terminals or dash wiring; the steering mechanism has also been improved, and the tools supplied to purchasers of Ford cars have been improved in quality. Another important improvement in the truck chassis is the adoption of cord tires as standard equipment on the rear wheels.

The change made sometime ago in the seating arrangement of the touring car has met with wide-spread approval. By lowering the seats and altering the seat backs, greater comfort was added.

It is pointed out that retail sales of a million cars and trucks yearly and the consumption of raw and finished products as a cost of production of one million dollars a day makes it possible to sell Fords at their present low price and at the same time to produce a car of exceptionally high quality.

FLORIDA FOR HEALTH

(Times-Union)

Thousands and tens of thousands of people from everywhere have, at times past, looked to and have come to Florida for the sole purpose of benefit to their health or to recover from sickness and disease elsewhere acquired. Other thousands, millions, more likely, will continue to do so in the years to come. This without saying anything particularly with reference to the people native to the state or those who are to become citizens by adoption. However, for these there is urgent need that conditions should be such as to insure the maximum of health.

Col. R. C. Turck, state health officer, in an address to the State Health Association, assembled in Daytona recently, stated very briefly the important problems relating to the general health of the people, calling attention to the very great need for that should be done to safeguard the health of the people, and at the same time telling of the very restricted facilities at the command of the public health organization for fighting disease and improving conditions by which health is made possible. The address was published in full in the Times-Union and should be read by, at least, every adult in the state.

Colonel Turck called attention to the recorded fact that Florida "has one of the lowest death rates in the United States in the respiratory group of diseases, including influenza, tuberculosis and pneumonia and in general is considered to be a healthy state."

This favorable health condition, Colonel Turck said, is due to "the grace of God" and has not been brought about "by any act of the legislature," to which so many people look for all measures of relief or for legislation whereby existing conditions may be improved.

Colonel Turck, while in a manner congratulating the people of Florida on the natural health conditions of the state, nevertheless asserted: "The state has now three great health problems, which, if corrected, will make Florida the greatest health center in the world. Uncorrected, they may lead to economic and sociologic disaster."

Here is both promise and warning—promise of Florida becoming under certain conditions, pertaining to health, "absolutely the greatest health center in the world" and warning that unless conditions favorable to health are established and maintained the state is headed toward "economic and sociologic disaster." In other words, should it become known that Florida is unhealthy the state would cease to be a place of resort for those seeking to keep in good health or to recover that which has become impaired.

Year by year we have seen, and welcomed increasing numbers of people coming to Florida, not sick people in any considerable number, but those in good health, seeking in Florida to keep and strengthen the health with which they are blessed. Florida needs to continue to attract these people, in still larger number, who are seeking to keep well by spending some portion of every year in this favored state. To do this conditions conducive to health must be estab-

lished and maintained at any cost, even if in order to do it becomes necessary to spend every dollar that the tourist brings into the state. For what is the state worth to its resort people, in spite of its enormous and annually increasing wealth production from its soil and climate, unless the people have health, health that stands for strength by which to achieve and to enjoy life, man's one great blessing, and without which living in misery, progress and prosperity is impossible.

Under every aspect of the case, Florida needs conditions entirely favorable to health, not alone to attract visitors; not by any means, but for the benefit of its own people, those who reside here permanently.

Colonel Turck calls attention to three very serious problems that must be met and efficiently disposed of. The Florida child and its welfare comes first. Colonel Turck asserted, presumably with all the authority of an ascertained fact, that there are in the state at the present time "more than 150,000 defective children of school age."

Think of it! This enormous number of children handicapped, in the case for life and living, by curable defects. He calls attention to preventable malaria, a disease far too prevalent to discuss, destructive of human energy and, eventually, of human life.

Other life destroying diseases are discussed briefly by the state health officer who, more than the average person, has reason to know present conditions in Florida. These conditions, so easy in these days, of advanced practical knowledge, to improve, must be understood and appreciated by all the people who wish to live in the full enjoyment of health. They must be established and maintained. The time to do the work is now and not after epidemics and death have taken their toll of human lives.

A Hint to Florida
A noted California mining engineer recently said: "The country that sells only raw materials will ultimately become bankrupt. He meant that the real profit comes from converting raw materials into finished goods. Europe still continues to buy large quantities of raw materials from the United States, manufactures them into artistic products and sells them back to us for five times the price of the raw material. This country will never be a dominating factor in export trade until we 'go and do likewise.'"

Hurray for Senator Harris
Restrictions of immigration more drastic than ever is proposed in an amendment to the immigration bill submitted by Senator Harris of Georgia. The senator would stop all immigration for five years, and further provide that no foreigners shall be admitted under any circumstances unless they are brought here in American or American registered vessels.

Agricultural exports represented 70.3 per cent of the total value of all exports from the United States in 1921.

STATE ROAD NO. 8 GETS SMALL APPROPRIATION

At a meeting of the state road department held in Tallahassee last week a recommendation was made that no further appropriations be made out of the 1922 revenue; that convict forces be used wherever possible, as a labor economy; and that efforts be concentrated on major needs of the state roadway projects. Two thousand five hundred dollars was appropriated for state road No. 8, between Frostproof and the Highlands county line.

Worth Their Weight in Gold
Increase the bird population on your place by putting up some bird houses and by planting trees, shrubs and vines to attract and feed your feathered friends. Do you know that fifty-one species of birds eat hairy caterpillars and thirty-eight species feed on tree and plant lice? Blue birds, wrens, swallows, cuckoos, meadow larks, quail and other insectivorous birds are worth their weight in gold to gardeners and fruit growers. Increase the number of birds and you will not need to spend so much money for spraying. Cats are very destructive to bird life.

But Not in Avon Park
"When the eyes are closed the hearing becomes more acute," says a local authority. We have noticed people trying this experiment in church.

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Remember This
Upon the sale of a farm, the general rule of law is that the vendor may not remove anything that has been attached to the land or buildings so as to become a part of the real estate. Such articles are called fixtures, and to establish that an article has become a fixture, it is necessary to prove that it is physically annexed to the real estate, also that it is being used in connection with the real estate.

The Right Idea
To get down to brass tacks, there must be a general adoption of a state and federal system of road control in order to get and keep up good roads. Thorough maintenance is the only way to keep good roads from going bad. First build good roads, then keep them good.

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STATE LAW REPEALED
Which Are You?
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FREE!
Find the objects in this picture starting with the letter "T"
The Picture above contains a number of objects and articles the names of which start with the letter "T". CAN YOU FIND THEM? You can readily see such objects as "Turkey", "Tent", "Table", etc. The others are just as easy to find and you don't have to turn the picture upside-down or sideways to see them. There is no trick at all to this puzzle, just get out a pencil and paper and write down the names of the objects you can find.
Fifteen BIG CASH PRIZES will be given for the fifteen best lists sent in. The answers having the largest and nearest correct list of visible objects shown in the picture will be awarded First Prize; second best, Second Prize, etc.

EVERYBODY JOIN IN
The Tribune's Picture Puzzle Game is a game in which all can participate, from the youngsters to Grandma and Grandpa. It is a game in which you can win prizes without any money and without any effort. It is a game in which you can win prizes without any money and without any effort. It is a game in which you can win prizes without any money and without any effort.

COSTS NOTHING TO TRY
The Tribune invites you to take part in this unique Fun Game. It's full of fun and excitement, and educational and interesting to everyone. This is not a subscription contest and you don't have to send in a single subscription to win. It's simply a test of skill, your ability to find the objects shown in the picture determines the prize you win. For the full details of the contest and the prizes, see which of you can find the most.

OBSERVE THESE RULES
1. This Puzzle Game is open to any man, woman, boy or girl, who is not an employee of The Tampa Tribune, or who is not a member of the player's family. It costs nothing to take part in the game.
2. Answers should be written on one side of the puzzle and words numbered consecutively 1, 2, 3, 4, etc. in the upper right-hand corner of each sheet.
3. All answers must be mailed before midnight, Monday, May 8th, 1922, and addressed to W. O. Stovall, Puzzle Manager, The Tampa Tribune.
4. Only those words which are found in the English Dictionary will be counted. Do not use compound, hyphenated or obsolete words. Either the singular or plural can be used but not both.
5. Words of the same spelling can be used only once, even though used to designate different objects. The same object can be named only once, although any part of the object may also be named. Where there is more than one word equally applicable to the object, any one of them will count.
6. The person sending in the largest and nearest correct list of words beginning with the letter "T" will win first prize; second nearest, second prize, etc. One point will be given for each correct word sent in and one point will be taken off for each incorrect word or misspelling. Neatness, style or handwriting will have no bearing upon deciding the winners.
7. All answers will receive the same attention regardless of whether or not a subscription to The Tampa Tribune is sent in.
8. Candidates may work together in answering the puzzle, but only one prize will be awarded to any one household. One will be awarded to the family where two or more have been living together.
9. In event of a tie for any prize offered, the tie will be broken by a drawing.
10. There will be three judges, having no connection with The Tampa Tribune, who will judge the answers and award the prizes at the end of the Puzzle Game. They will act as referees in the event of a dispute between contestants and participants agree to accept their decision as final and conclusive.
11. These judges will meet directly following the close of the contest and the names of the prize winners and the winning list of words will be published in The Tribune just as quickly thereafter as the judges can complete the checking.

YOU CAN WIN \$1,000.00
It costs nothing to try and you don't have to send in a single subscription in order to win a prize. If the judges award your answer first prize you will win \$500.00. If you would like to win more than \$500.00, you are given an opportunity during this publicity campaign to win as much as \$1,000.00 by sending in one or two six-month subscriptions, with remittance to cover, to "The Tampa Tribune."

HOW? If your list of "T-words" is awarded First Prize by the judges and you have sent one six-month subscription, (either new or renewal) to The Tampa Tribune, you will receive \$500.00 in place of only \$50.00. (See second column of figures in Prize List.)

OR, If you are awarded First Prize and have sent TWO six-month subscriptions or one for a full year, you will receive \$1,000.00 in place of only \$50.00. (See third column of figures in Prize List.)

Two subscriptions are all you need to qualify your answer for the big bonus reward. And then can be either new or renewal. You can get the subscription of a friend or neighbor, or you can get it yourself. It is your choice. For a full year and this will qualify your answer. We can also start at any time. In sending in subscriptions give full instructions and send a sheet from that on which you send in your answer.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Read every ad in this issue. It will pay you.

J. L. Yonce made a business trip to Lakeland Monday.

B. H. James attended the land sale at Lake Stearns Monday.

W. A. Lanier of Crewsville was an Avon Park visitor Saturday.

C. H. Moffett has purchased one of the H. E. Coy cottages on Charles street.

E. Roux of Plant City was transacting business of importance here Monday.

Attorney Otis G. Whitehurst was transacting business in Wauchula Tuesday.

J. W. English spent Monday in Lake Stearns, going down on the DeVane special.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Smith enjoyed an automobile trip to Lake Wales Sunday.

Byron D. T. Morris of Apalachicola spent Sunday in Avon Park, a guest of the Penn-Carol.

Mrs. Lillian Dejedoe and Edgar Kist of Kissimmee spent Friday of last week in Avon Park.

Tax Assessor and Mrs. C. A. Crews were over from Arcadia Monday, the former transacting business.

Mrs. S. P. Durand and children and Miss Nell Andrews enjoyed an auto trip to Eagle Lake Sunday.

Miss L. W. Myers of Gainesville is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. D. Canessa, this week.

C. E. Lanier returned Sunday afternoon from Gainesville, where he had been attending the bankers' conference.

R. C. Epperson went to Williston Sunday to attend to business matters and look after his farming interests there.

Mrs. R. C. Epperson returned Sunday from Lakeland where she had been the guest of Mrs. E. M. Durden.

Sam F. Ragdale and F. H. ("Shingle Creek") Tyler of Kissimmee were transacting business here Monday.

Mrs. L. C. McCraven of High Springs is the guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stringfellow.

J. V. Chapman returned Sunday from Gainesville, where he had been attending a meeting of the Florida Bankers' Association.

Mr. and Mrs. James Simmons of Orlando have been spending several days as guests of Mrs. Simmons' father, Walter Hart.

William Hare and daughter Mildred departed Saturday for their former home in Pittsburgh, Pa., where they will reside in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bennett and Mrs. Olive Armstrong went to St. Petersburg Tuesday to attend a state convention of the Congregational church.

C. W. Fabor, who is in charge of the construction work for the William L. Smith Company at Haines City and Lake Hamilton, spent the week-end here.

Joe Lander, who has been employed by the last few months by the Bridges Cattle Company, in charge of fence building at Palmdale, spent the week-end here.

C. E. Lanier went to Punta Gorda Tuesday afternoon to attend to business matters, expecting to visit LaBelle and Moore Haven before returning home.

Mark W. Lance and mother, Mrs. Henry Stevenson, drove to Tampa Monday, the former to attend the meeting of the state road department, held there Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. English have returned to Avon Park from Lakeland and will make their home in the future. They have many friends here who will be glad to learn that they will be with us permanently.

The excursion train from Tampa to Lake Stearns, carrying prospective land buyers attending the land sale at that place Monday, left Avon Park at 10:30 a. m.

George L. Crews and John W. Foley attended from this place.

Among the Knights Templar who left Avon Park last week to attend the triennial convolve of the Grand Encampment of the United States was C. R. Nichols, whom we unintentionally failed to mention. Mr. Nichols went as a member of the band.

H. M. Wiggins, formerly cashier for the First Trust and Savings Company, has been transferred to the Hardee County Trust Company at Wauchula, where he is occupying the position of cashier. C. H. Moffett has Mr. Wiggins' place with the First Trust and Savings Company.

Dr. E. J. Etheredge, president of the Gulf-Atlantic Seaside Highway Good Roads League, and Perry Etheredge, county commissioner of DeSoto City, spent a short while in Avon Park Monday morning, en route to Tampa to attend a meeting of the state road department, held in that city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adams and Mrs. George W. Adams of Avon Park came yesterday by automobile and spent the day here, returning home last night. Mr. Adams is associated editor of the Avon Park Pilot, one of the newest and most prosperous of Florida's weekly newspapers.—Tampa Tribune, Sunday.

Senator M. O. Overstreet of Orlando was an Avon Park visitor last week. Senator Overstreet's name has been mentioned in connection with the gubernatorial race two years hence.

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Murphy are now occupying the M. T. Morevin residence. Mr. Murphy is agent for the Studebaker automobile.

G. W. Hay, the deaf mute who had been employed in this office several months as press feeder, severed his connection with us Saturday night and has accepted a similar position with the Lake Wales Highlander at Lake Wales. There are several here who mourn his departure, it being alleged that he failed to attend to several minor business matters before leaving.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Lacey spent Monday in Tampa.

Harry Dilley drove over from St. Petersburg Sunday, returning Tuesday.

Mrs. L. H. Altman, sister of Mrs. G. L. Crews, is spending the week in Avon Park.

C. A. Skipper departed Monday for Chicago on an important business mission.

The Rev. A. D. Buck of Inverness spent a couple of days in Avon Park this week greeting friends.

L. E. Wolf, who has been taking an electrical course at Kansas City, returned to Avon Park last week.

M. T. Johnson was among the Avon Park people visiting Lake Stearns Monday, attending the land sale.

Mrs. G. L. Crews and daughter Nona spent Saturday and Sunday visiting friends and relatives near Arcadia.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church meets with Mrs. Floyd Bougeon Thursday afternoon, April 27, at 3 o'clock.

Miss Marjory Lacey left Wednesday morning for Union Springs, Ala., where she will spend the summer with an aunt.

Miss Jennie Waychoff, who had been with the Hardee Trust and Savings Company at Wauchula for some time, returned Monday and is again filling her position with the Corporate Securities Company.

Capt. George Mallory departed Wednesday for his summer home in Cleveland, O. Captain Mallory spends about six months of the year in Avon Park, two months in Cleveland and the remaining four months in traveling.

He has a host of friends here who always welcome his return.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin and little daughter and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith enjoyed a motor trip to Sebring Sunday, driving around Lake Jackson. About two months ago Mr. Smith suffered a slight stroke of paralysis and this was the first trip he had been able to make since that time. He is now on the road to recovery, a fact his many friends will be glad to learn.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Wilson and granddaughter, Genevieve Olds, departed Tuesday for their home in Valparaiso, Ind., after having spent several months here, occupying the James Brynere house on South Verona avenue. Mr. Wilson stated he was leaving that they expected to return next fall and that they looked forward to their visits here with a great deal of pleasure.

Samuel G. Lee and sister, Miss Cornelia, departed this week for their summer home in Rochester, N. Y. Mr. Lee was one of the first, if not the very first man, to come to Avon Park in the early days. He was then most favorably impressed with the country and climate and has lost none of his enthusiasm during the intervening years. To Mr. Lee Avon Park is indebted for much valuable publicity, as in years gone by he was engaged in newspaper work and contributed many valuable articles concerning Avon Park and this section to various newspapers.

Dr. J. C. Patterson, member of the state board of medical examiners, was in our city Tuesday.

H. W. Smith, with the Groves Development Company of Sebring, was transacting business in Avon Park Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. H. D. Smith motored to Arcadia and Nocatee Sunday sight-seeing. They enjoyed a pleasant drive and were much pleased with the country they saw.

G. A. Stebbins, who is traveling for the Highlands Grocery Company, Haines City, a branch of a large wholesale grocery house in Tampa, will hereafter make his headquarters in Avon Park. He has the territory from Haines City to Moore Haven and south. Mr. and Mrs. Stebbins' many friends will be glad to know that they will not leave Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Brick departed Monday for their summer home in Willimantic, Conn., after spending several months in Avon Park. Mr. and Mrs. Brick are among our most enthusiastic boosters and their friends here are numbered by their acquaintances—all of whom regret their departure and hope for their speedy return. They were accompanied by their daughter and grandson, Mrs. Margery P. Church and son, and will spend three weeks at Southern Pine, N. C., before going to their home.

TWO FROM AVON PARK APPOINTED GRAND OFFICERS OF ORDER EASTERN STAR

Avon Park has the distinction of having two grand officers in the Order of Eastern Star, the Rev. C. E. Gutteridge, formerly grand sentinel, having been appointed associate grand patron, and Mrs. T. H. Lander, worthy matron of Leigh Chapter No. 88, having been appointed grand duchess at the meeting of the grand chapter in Jacksonville last week. Both are enthusiastic workers in the order and highly competent and Avon Park people feel highly honored in that two of her citizens have received this recognition. The Rev. Gutteridge received several tokens of esteem, one being a handsome emblem charm, presented by Leigh Chapter.

Charter Inspection

All members of Highlands Chapter No. 42, Royal Arch Masons, are reminded that Monday night, May 8, is inspection night, at which time Earl Wirt, inspection officer, will be here. It is of the utmost importance that a full membership be present at this convocation. The chapter will be opened promptly at 5 o'clock p. m., when the most excellent master degree will be conferred. Supper will then be served in the club room, after which the Royal Arch degree will be conferred. A summons has been issued for all companions to attend and it is hoped they will respond.

G. W. ADAMS, H. P.

Dr. Y. E. Wright Dead

Dr. Y. E. Wright, chairman of the board of county commissioners of Hardee county, died Sunday evening at Wauchula a week. Dr. Wright had been a resident of Wauchula more than thirty years and had a wide circle of friends and acquaintances throughout this section of the state.

Get in the Game

YOU WHO HAVE SPORTING BLOOD AND LIKE A GOOD CLEAN GAME—AND WHAT NORMAL PERSON DOES NOT—HAVE YOU TRIED THE GAME OF SAVING MONEY?

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ALL IN READINESS FOR MEETING OF THE 7TH-DAY ADVENTISTS

Everything is in readiness for the first service of the Walker-Watts evangelistic meetings Sunday night at 7:45. Several inches of clean shavings have been spread under the tent and comfortable folding chairs are orderly arranged to seat the people. The large restroom is tastefully decorated and everything has the appearance of neatness and order.

By glancing over this half-page advertisement in this issue it will be seen that Seventh-Day Adventists are a progressive people, conducting these Bible educational campaigns in 127 languages. On account of the up-to-date conditions over all the world, the uppermost question in millions of minds is: "Where Goes the World?" In every country eager souls are seeking answers. The Adventists achieve wide-spread success by matter in a hundred languages that they have discovered the answers in the prophetic prophecies of Daniel and Revelation and a countless number of people all over the habitable part of the globe want to know what the answers are. If it is true that the prophecies of the Bible do give the answer it is equally true that people will attend the Seventh-Day Adventist lecture courses for the very reason that the modern pulpit purposely avoids any mention of these prophecies.

These people claim that many of the prophecies were "sealed up" to the end of the age and quite such passages as Dan. 12:4 in support of this. This verse says: "But thou O Daniel, shut up the words and seal the book to the time of the end; many shall run to and fro, and knowledge shall be increased." They claim that since we have reached the age when millions are running "to and fro" and there is a great increase of knowledge which has come up all at once as it were, it is not Monday at the time has arrived for the "unlocking" of the prophecies and it will be readily admitted by those who hear the Adventist lectures that they have a satisfactory solution to the prophetic symbols and writings. All their speakers are carefully examined by a committee of men and must be well informed and able to stand before an audience composed of every class of people before they are permitted to deliver lectures. Their strongest opponents do not hesitate to admit that they are familiar with the Bible through and through and are well supplied with plenty of evidence for every position. It is impossible to hear the stirring addresses without being deeply interested. The clergymen everywhere seem to be aware of this and often do all they can to discourage the people from hearing their lectures. This, however, often has the opposite effect and the people cannot be kept away.

After all, we are living in a thinking, investigating age and people are discovering that all the present-day Orthodox creeds and doctrines were formulated in the reformation days immediately following the Dark Ages, and while there has been progressive, and in every other phase of human thought, Orthodox theology has not swerved an inch forward since the Dark Ages. Seventh-Day Adventists are innovators in the realm of religion.

ious thought and for this reason, like innovations in every other field of thought, they always stir up a great deal of discussion which tends to "unsettle" thousands in their old religious beliefs. This, however, cannot be brought forth as an effective argument against them as the founder of Christianity and his immediate followers were thus branded.

Mr. J. B. Mitchell delivered the first lecture Sunday night on "What Is the Old World Coming To?" On account of the band concert every Tuesday evening there will be no lecture at the tent. The seats are free and a cordial welcome extended to all.

SERVICES AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Dr. J. B. Mitchell delighted his hearers with two splendid sermons last Sunday. In the morning his subject being "What Is a Christian?" His assistance in connection with the drive to raise funds to complete the church was invaluable and thoroughly appreciated. The officials of the church desire to extend their sincere thanks to all who contributed and helped in raising the money.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Swearingen, Mrs. F. Stevens and Rev. and Mrs. F. E. Galt were in Ocala, Fla., Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Brother Galt had a good report to deliver the first of the four months he has been here, having baptized twenty-two members and received eight, six children and six infants; and then the pleasure of reuniting the church with the building fund.

Next Sunday is "orphans' day" in the Sunday school. Remember these needy little ones.

The Sunday school, several individual classes, the Fourth League and the Indian Aid Society were all represented in contributions to the building fund. Cooperation is the key to success.

The Ladies' Aid Society met with Mrs. Houshorne Thursday afternoon. The monthly meeting of the stewards will be held next Monday at 8 o'clock in the church. The presence of all stewards is requested.

DANGER TO THE PRESENT TO BE WHAT YOU ARE NOT

(San Francisco Chronicle)
In Chicago a few days ago a man dressed as a former entered a department store and after having purchased certain merchandise proceeded to a rooming house and there he was arrested. While the customer was waiting for his change the department manager, who was interested in his case, was told that he was a "Dago-Jerk" and was getting along. He was told that they were not giving a much better but as they should "run to milk." "And the Poland-Chins," suggested the manager. "I ain't had much time to keep up my reading on their foreign politics," answered the pseudo yokel. Whereupon the house detective was called and the customer was found to be a notorious swindler.

Forging Ahead
Avon Park citizens carried their paving bonds by a vote of four to one. Winter Haven should do as well as Avon Park. We can remember the time when Winter Haven was a "thin thing." Avon Park is now, but she seems to have beaten us to the goal of a well-paved city. Let's join her. —Winter Haven Chief.

STATE HAS A MILLION DOLLARS IN ROAD FUND

One of the most complete statements ever issued by the state road department regarding funds in hand, amounts expended, etc., were presented to the members of the department at Tallahassee last week by Chairman Phillips.

The report shows that the department has more than a million dollars working funds now on hand, and an estimated income this year of about half a million, and federal aid amounting to more than \$2,000,000.

There are outstanding contracts amounting to more than two million. The cost of maintenance of convicts is estimated at \$20,000 per month, the cost of the upkeep of teams and equipment used by convicts is estimated at about the same amount, which, as the department estimates, absorb all money in hand and available up until next year.

The statement also shows the balances to the credit of several counties of April 20, 1922, amounting to \$210,883.65. Of this amount Duval has to her credit \$50,793.75, Levy, \$16,925.25; Lee, \$2,824.75; Marion, \$13,959.75; Marion, \$13,369.75; St. Johns, \$13,008.75; Sumter, \$10,224.75; Hillsborough, \$8,149.44; Duval, \$1,215.75. The other counties all have smaller amounts.

The statement shows further the receipts from automobile licenses fund and the amounts apportioned to the several counties since 1918. These total aggregate \$1,372,112. The total by year is: 1918, \$236,300; 1919, \$297,441; 1920, \$425,775; and 1921, \$370,401.

Another interesting feature of the statement is the amount of money received from counties and from federal aid applicable to roads and federal aid projects up to March 21, 1922.

The statement shows the following amounts of federal aid spent on state road No. 1, Baker county, project 21, \$17,475; project 22, \$18,840; Baker, Nassau-Duval project 11, \$51,785; Duval county, \$25,254; Jacksonville, \$141,080; Holmes county, \$12,762; Madison county, \$10,462; Ocala county, \$10,462; Santa Rosa county, \$128,738.45. The amount expended on road No. 2 is: Alachua county, \$3,362.22; Columbia county, \$17,725; DeSoto county, project 4, \$24,192; project 15, \$16,002; Hamilton county, project 7, \$30,573; project 19, \$28,306; Ocala county, \$4,793; Orange county, \$11,475.

A SENSE OF DECENCY

The San Francisco theatrical men who tried to get Fatty Arbuckle to appear in a monologue in their theater, know a good thing when they saw it. He has been long on free exhibition in the court room, but never the case would have been if they had seen him in a play. It is a pity that in San Francisco simply by appearing in a play he would have made what he did. Possibly the leading human characteristic is curiosity and advertising, whether of a favorable or an unfavorable kind, which, Fatty Arbuckle could quickly recover all the money that his trial cost him by a tour of the United States, appearing on the stage in the various cities in any capacity. The sensation fed crowd would wish to see him.

Human nature is quite a jumble of the good and the bad and there are many things about that are worse than mere vulgar curiosity. But mere vulgar curiosity, common as it is, is a thing rather to be ashamed of. The desire to see a much talked of man who has been so impudently what is said of him is a weakness that is generally attributed more to Americans than to others, but that is probably not peculiar to them and not characteristic of them more than of others.

We are pleased to note the fact that Arbuckle did not seem to appear. He said "I do not care to capitalize my good fortune so soon after achieving it. There is a sentimentalism attached to the experience of acquittal that must come before any commercialism. I will return to my profession when I consider it proper to do so."

This talk was in the right vein and we are not disparaging Arbuckle greatly if we mean that it was also a kind of advertising. If he meant the public to know that he valued other things more than money it was because he did value other things more than money. He valued his name which has been somewhat sullied justly and which has been smeared unjustly, and a man who will permit a thought of his reputation to restrain him from grabbing the dollars that are to him has character to build on whatever may have been some of his acts. It should be remembered that Arbuckle was not simply acquitted—he was vindicated. The verdict of the jury went further than verdicts usually go and virtually proclaimed the opinion that his prosecution was groundless and malicious. He certainly gave a very wild kind of a party but was no more responsible for its character than those who attended it. It is probable that a number of those who were "bitter against" him would have jumped at a chance to make money out of notoriety.—Tim Union.

JOHNSON PROVES HE IS A HUMAN MACHINE

(Pensacola News)
Current notions of human power of locomotion are shattered by the feat of Samuel A. Johnson, who traveled on foot from New York to Boston, 234 miles, in in the two days. Johnson started at 10:35 Monday morning and reached Boston city hall at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. That makes forty-seven hours of travel, which included a night's sleep in New Haven.

The automobile has become the common standard of travel in these days, and judged by this standard the man's accomplishment is no less remarkable. He made 32 to 33 miles a day. An automobile, to be sure, can make a great deal more than that but the average distance which automobile tourists find they can cover comfortably is considerably less, only about 100 miles a day. An army on the march is thought to do extremely well if it makes twenty or twenty-five miles in an exceptional day.

Johnson neither walked, like the celebrated Weston, nor ran like a marathon runner. He moved in a sort of trot, Indian fashion, which avoids the needless expenditure of energy by rising and sinking with every step, applying nearly all the effort to moving the body forward instead of lifting it.

Indians have been known to cover similar distances in emergencies, but even among them such instances are rare. Evidently the white race is not deteriorating so much as pessimists have thought, and legs are destined to last for some time yet.

WOMAN'S CLUB OF SEBRING ENTERTAINED AT AVON PARK CLUB

At the Arrowhead hotel Thursday night, April 20, the Woman's Club of Sebring entertained the Woman's Club of Avon Park at a social and art exhibit. There were present sixty-five members of both clubs and the occasion added another pleasant memory to those that had preceded it on the social calendar of the pasting season.

The hostesses of the evening were Mrs. C. F. Weigle and Mrs. A. C. Hancock, who with their efficient command, \$100.00, of the pasting season, the art department of the Sebring Woman's Club by the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

The hotel lobby was beautiful with an abundance of cut flowers and the pictures belonging to the exhibit. These pictures were sent to Mrs. S. Degener, who is the art department of the Sebring Woman's Club by the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

They were beautiful prints of famous jitters, some familiar to many and all of them deserving of much study. Mrs. Degener made a very interesting talk, giving something worthy of note about each picture, besides the name of the artist and the subject, thus helping those having little knowledge of art to get the lessons they should receive from the exhibit.

A careful examination of the pictures after her talk, in the light of her ideas and suggestions, gave to all a much greater enjoyment than had previously been possible. All present joined in singing "America" and the art federation sang "Swanee River." Miss Mary Patrick favored the assembly with an artistic violin selection, "Mazurka" (by E. Meynardi), accompanied by Mrs. E. C. Wright. Two musical recitations beautifully rendered by Mrs. P. J. Ripberger completed the program. Fruit punch was served during the evening and brick ice cream and cakes were served at the close of the program.

The annual meeting of the Avon Park Woman's Club will be held at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon, May 5, at the school auditorium. Reports of officers for the past season will be given and the election of officers for the ensuing year will be held. This important meeting should be well attended and every member who is in town should look upon it as her duty to attend and help select the officers whom she should support with her presence at every meeting.

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There are 14,000,000 unwired homes and several million farms without the advantages of electric service. Many of these will require electric service within the next few years.

In addition, there are 1,500,000 homes, 500,000 factories, 5,000 churches, 60,000 apartment buildings, 15,000 theatres and 5,000 public schools to be built before the housing and industrial problems can begin to be solved. Naturally, these too must have electrical service.

There is real work here for the capital already invested and for hundreds of millions of new capital.

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NOTED EDITOR DELIGHTED WITH LIFE IN FLORIDA

Richard H. Edmonds, editor of the Manufacturers' Record, a large trade journal and the greatest of its kind, resides in Daytona, Fla.—about six months in every year—because he likes Florida. He takes every opportunity to say so, as is evident by the many letters he writes to inquire, and by what he says personally. In addition to telling the delights that are in Florida climate and natural beauty, of the state's resources and advantages, he also takes occasion to defend the state against the slanders that sometimes emanate from persons who ignorantly or maliciously publish falsehoods concerning conditions in this state. Recently such an attack was made by an Augusta, Ga., man and Editor Edmonds made a reply at length. The following is an extract from the reply:

I have motored over nearly all parts of Florida. I have been down through a considerable portion of the Everglades section. I have motored through the swamp regions and there are abundant swamps in Georgia and every southern state but, as already stated, I have never seen or heard of a case of malaria, and some twenty years ago Henry Flagler, who brought sufficiently well of him to spend between \$70,000,000 and \$100,000,000 of his own money in building a wonderful railroad among great hotels, and in general, the swamps in the Everglades section were absolutely unknown; and as these two areas are in the extreme southern part of Florida they would likely have malaria there if there was any part of the state that had it.

Two or three years ago John D. Rockefeller, the richest man in the world, abundantly able therefore to see out any place in the world for a winter home, after trying California for several years and other portions of the south, spent three or four winters near Daytona. After this thorough testing out of the Palm Beach climate, the climate of the central south, and the climate of Florida, he has built himself a beautiful home in this section and spends his winters here. He is located on the St. Johns river, and near where his home is located there was a large mosquito breeding ground immediately in front of it, but I am sure that Mr. Rockefeller never for one moment thought of the possibility of malaria. I am told that there are five men in his immediate neighborhood who die every day, whose ages range from about 82 to 87, he being, I am sure, about the youngest in the group. Evidently, they have not suffered much from malaria.

"Several years ago Rev. Robert Stuart MacArthur, D.D., president of the Baptist World Alliance, and probably the most widely known Baptist minister in the world, wrote me, asking what I thought of the climate for a severe chronic bronchitis from which Mrs. MacArthur was suffering severely every winter. I gave him my views on the subject and they came here. They have spent three or four winters here, and I believe Mr. Arthur has not had the slightest attack of bronchitis during that time. They come early in the fall and leave late in the spring and during the entire winter Dr. MacArthur, though 81 years of age, preaches with wonderful power which has made him known all over the world as a great orator. In a letter to a local pastor last winter, Dr. MacArthur said that though he had circumnavigated the globe twice he had never found a climate so desirable as this.

"Sometime ago, while passing along a country road I saw a man plowing a field surrounded by swamps, and as his work reminded me of some early days of plowing when as a Virginia boy I lived on a farm, I stopped and chatted with him and found him so enthusiastic about the state that I asked him where he came from. He gave me the name of a small town in Ohio and said he had been foreman of a machine manufacturing company which is one of the biggest makers of agricultural implements in the country. Asking him how he liked Florida, he said: 'I feel that I never lived before I came here. As a foreman of the big plant in which I was engaged for years I never knew the joy of the kind of life which I have been getting in Florida. I feel that this is the first time I have been free from drudgery and slavery.' And in reply to the question as to how he liked the summer weather, he said that he considered the preceding summer one of the best he had ever spent in his life, much cooler and more delightful in every way than he had found in Ohio.

"Motoring through the central part of the state I stopped for some gasoline at a garage and the owner seemed to be in such a jolly, happy humor that I asked him if he was a native of Florida, and if not, where he came from. His reply was that he had been living in Florida three years, having come from northern New York; and he, too, grew so enthusiastic over the joy of living in Florida, through the summer as well as through the winter, that he said that there was only one difficulty ahead, and that was when the people of the country at large came to realize the advantages of Florida they would crowd here in such numbers that the state would become congested.

"It has never been my good fortune to spend a summer in Florida, but unless there are more lars in proportion to population in this state than anywhere else short of that region in which ice factories are unknown, then the summers must be delightfully pleasant. It is true that the summers are long, and outdoors the heat at times is severe, but I think you will find that the thermometer never goes as high in Florida as in Augusta, and that there is most without exception that a delightful breeze which sweeps across this peninsula which just cuts in between the Atlantic ocean and the Gulf of Mexico 500 miles. Hundreds of people from all parts of the United States and even some from Canada have told me that the summers are far more pleasant than the summers in the north.

"Sometime ago a Canadian man told

me that he far preferred the Florida summers to the Canadian ones, and two charming ladies New England people of wealth, who had five or thirty years, told me some time ago that if they had to leave Florida at any time they would prefer to go in the winter than to leave it in the summer, for the summers they regarded as far preferable to New England summers. On the other hand you will occasionally hear a man say that the summers are hot, but if there is one spot in America in which the summers are not sometimes hot—burning hot—I do not know where it is."

Tenafly scarfs match the fringed skirts and are worn with a plain fine wool sweater in one of the colors seen in the scarfs.

ACTRESSES MAKE SUCCESSFUL COOKS

[New York Sun]. One may regret the fact that an unusual number of persons whose business is to furnish amusement have found it difficult to earn a living. On the other hand, some benefit may come to society by the diffusion of the skill presumably possessed by these artists through other areas of life. A general exodus of actresses from the stage to the kitchen might intensify the local color scheme of domestic life. Into dull routine the elements of comedy or tragedy would be introduced. And in some cases music would be added without extra charge. Who would not forgive a burnt steak if it were served with a song? It is our guess that the average of good cooks among actresses would run higher

among those who do nothing else. And if should expect a certain social initiative, in their handwork. Aside from social benefits, there would be a few real ones. On any one of these, who had the privilege of studying behavior, the carriage and the manner of a few of these actresses, and intimate women, some of the most intelligent and successful actresses, in a more fortunate shall return to the stage, shall bring a changed range of vision, a more secure grasp of the elements of the life she seeks to present.

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Avon Park, Florida

STATE BOARD WILL HARD-SURFACE AVON PARK-FROSTPROOF ROAD

Every project along state road No. 5, linking Tampa directly north with the Georgia state line and south with Fort Myers and intermediate Gulf Coast points, as well as necessary portions of state road No. 8, linking Tampa with the East Coast, through Polk, Highlands, Okeechobee and St. Lucie counties, will come out of the state road department, which concluded a ten-hour session Tuesday night at the Tampa Bay Casino, Tampa, at 7 o'clock.

The projects include the immediate granting of all funds due Hillsborough county on state road No. 5, the Riverview and Lutz roads, which, according to estimates of the county authorities, total \$100,000. There is a difference in two sections of the department's figures, due probably to mistakes in auditing, and these will be cleared up by conferences between Hillsborough county and the road department finance officials and the sum due this county made immediately available.

The meeting here lasted through Wednesday. Fully thirty counties were represented at the hearing, the majority being South Florida counties.

The majority of the other projects approved, which included the much-needed eight-mile link in Polk and Highlands counties, between Frostproof and a point just north of Avon Park; thirty-two miles in Levy county; rebuilding eight miles in Hernando county; four and a quarter miles in Manatee county, north of

Bradentown; rebuilding thirty-five miles in Sarasota county south to Venice; twenty-four miles across Charlotte county; furnish engineer for eight miles in Lee county; ten miles in Highlands county to Okeechobee county line on east and west line; eight miles in Okeechobee county and the entire distance in St. Lucie county; will come out of the first funds available. Others are assured aid by the members of the department acting informally. All except the first and the last three projects are on state road No. 5 and the other four are on state road No. 8.

Dr. E. J. Etheridge was asked to explain Highlands county's position and after the doctor had told of the bad mile on the Frostproof road on the Highlands county side, he gave way to Mr. Spencer. The department voted then to build the eight and one-half mile stretch in the two counties from the first funds available, and the chairman indicated he thought the project—linking the East and West Coasts—was the most important in the state and that funds certainly should be found to complete it.

Asked regarding the Kissimmee river bridge, linking the Highlands and Okeechobee county roads, Etheridge stated that plans are being held up pending the decision of the internal improvement board's engineers on a contemplated canal to change the course of the river which might make necessary a new bridge if the one is built immediately.

Dr. Etheridge announced that the contractor for the section of road No.

8 running east and west through Highlands county had completed the canal, plugging the spillbank for the highway and asked that the department have it leveled into a roadbed, which was granted.

He also spoke for Okeechobee's delinquency, which has been compelled to leave, and was told by Mr. Cooke that plans were about complete for immediately giving the Okeechobee section of road No. 8 the asphalt treatment promised.

A BUSY SUMMER IN FLORIDA

(Times-Union)
Looking over the newspapers published in Florida one is struck with the magnificent optimism everywhere prevailing. The winter has passed with hundreds of thousands, perhaps a million, visitors and part-time residents enjoying the delightful weather and other things offered and with the spring passing there is talk of what is to be done during the summer. The building programs announced for many Florida towns and cities are such as would amaze anyone not familiar with conditions here and it must be evident to those thinking over the matter that Florida is planning to grow wonderfully in the near future.

In some of the places where visitors have been the most numerous it is to be expected that some houses are closed and a big resort industry in many places are now silent, although not deserted. The going out of the hundreds of thousands makes a difference, of course, but with the retiring of the guests comes a movement to build, clean up, improve and expand that is most encouraging. In some towns the particular activities of the early summer will center about street paving, additional sewerage, extension of water mains and general improvements. Road issues have been authorized; some have been voted for and sold, and work is going on; other places are getting ready to do the desired work.

In various sections of the state good roads are being constructed where few poor roads have previously existed. During the summer many miles of brick, asphalt and macadam highways will be added to the already excellent advance made in this important movement to make transportation easy and comfortable via the big road.

Boys of all the reports from town, village and city show that many new homes are being constructed and all through the summer months and right into the fall the carpenters, bricklayers, painters and other craftsmen will be busy building homes for newcomers and newlives and others who have weaned with being crammed into quarters not entirely desirable. The "homes" now planned and under way number in the thousands and range in cost from five hundred dollars for a tiny cottage in the suburbs, somewhere, to mansions at or near the famous resorts that will cost a half million perhaps.

Summer activities also will include the construction of a dozen or more new hotels, extensive additions and improvements for other big hotels, new and modern business blocks, office buildings, stores and structures for new industrial enterprises. Florida had a wonderful record last year, showing up prominently among the states that had recovered from the war depression and were going forward in a satisfactory way; this year will probably pile up a bigger list of improvements. The new features will include hundreds of new acres set to citrus groves, hundreds more—maybe thousands—being prepared for truck crops; new ventures along the line of dairying and extensive acreage added to that already being used for cattle ranches. Florida grows every minute and the summer will be the busiest the state has ever known.

Many Motor Vehicles
The United States bureau of public roads reports that the motor vehicle registration for the year 1921 totaled 19,448,622. This represents an increase of more than a million over the 1920 figures, or a number equal to the total number at the beginning of 1917. The greatest increases in registration were in industrial sections, in general showing a smaller amount of increase. Not a state reported a registration less than 1920 figures. The total amount collected as fees of various kinds amounted to \$122,478,644.

Well, Maybe So!
The girls insist with apparent sincerity that they dress for the benefit of the other girls, but we often wonder if they're not more bipartisan than they realize.—Ohio State Journal.

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And guarantee our work
A nice line of VARIETY
GOODS at bargain prices
JORDON'S JEWELRY
& VARIETY STORE
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Strive for Quality
The saying, "What's worth doing is worth doing well," has probably no better counterpart than that, "what ever you grow, grow it the nearest possible to perfection and your labor will be rewarded. Having decided as to your money crops, strive for quality, not alone in the growing, but in the preparation for market. It is a well-known fact that all students in marketing that ordinary goods well graded and properly packed, will find more ready sale and at a better price than better goods not graded and properly packed.

Hitting John D.
England has an automobile run with gas produced in a generator installed in the car. Hard coal, coke and wood charcoal are used as fuel. The gas producer works automatically and a steady stream of gas is produced. No changes need be made in the car.

Why Not Raise Our Own?
The peanut crop of Japan in 1921 was short and none will be available for export to the United States. Peanuts are being imported into Japan from China.

For Member School Board
I hereby announce my candidacy for member of the county school board from District No. 1 (Avon Park), subject to the decision of the democratic caucus in the primary, which will be held Tuesday, June 6, 1922.
BYRON SHOCKLEY.

Automobile Repair Work
I have started an auto shop at the old Durden blacksmith shop on Main street and will appreciate a portion of your auto repair work. Satisfaction guaranteed. W. L. SKIPPER.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

Wanted—To rent a good piano for the summer; no children. See P. G. Murphy, Merwin Place. 22fc

For Sale—Invisible Remington 6 typewriter; in splendid condition; bargain at \$18. B. T. Lockett, box 515, Avon Park, Fla. 22-219d

For Rent—New five-room house with bath; modern throughout; located on Charles street. See H. E. 22-23d

For Sale—Eleven Rhode Island Red hens and rooster; also nine Silver Laced Wyandotte hens and rooster; all young birds, from prize-winning stock; \$2 each. Roswell Cutler. 1f

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LESSON FOR STOCK-
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(Tampa Daily Times)

A story brought to public notice a matter which should be of deep and absorbing interest to every stockman in the state. It was headed "The Cattle Tick," and concerned the insertion of the name of the tick in the report of the senate committee on claims for the payment of a bill of \$24,235.12 for the tick killed in Kansas by fever tick, resulting from infection by a shipment of cattle from Texas, which were turned into a pasture with native cattle. It brings prominently before the stockman the danger coming from the shipment of ticky cattle, and will have the effect of making the federal quarantine more rigid than ever. We are already suffering severely from our folly in opposing the restriction and compulsory dipping. We have been shut out of all foreign markets and confined to our home market, which is inadequate to absorb the supply. Then, too, there is a certain prejudice against eating Florida beef coming from tick infested cattle, even by our own home people, most of whom will gladly pay the difference between Florida and western beef. This may be considered a prejudice, but it has its foundation in fact. It stands to reason that an animal which has been infested from calfhood with a multitude of blood sucking ticks cannot produce fat, juicy, wholesome and healthful beef. Its product will necessarily be lean, tough, stringy and unpalatable, if not unwholesome.

But we boast, not without reason, of being the best cattle state in the entire union. We have all the desiderata in a genial all-the-year climate; a great variety of forage grasses; abundance of water, and the demonstrated ability to raise all the fattening foods necessary. All that we lack is a progressive spirit on the part of our stockmen. A few have shown such a spirit and have produced steers as good as any grown and fattened on the western ranges. But they have not done it by turning their stock on the open range to fight the tick and gain a scanty profit by travel over a wide range of territory. They grow tough and wiry from the exercise, but they do not make good beef. We must improve our stock by improving our breed, and we must eradicate the tick which sucks their blood and makes them lean and rawny. Then we may feel that we have the fattening foods which our own soil will produce, and we shall eventually have the western beef, by producing its equal or superior right here at home. But that cannot be done on the open range, with cattle exposed to the merciless attacks of the tick.

COME OUT IN THE OPEN

We note that Editor Van Horn of the Florida Bull, takes the position that candidates should tell where they stand on matters of interest to the people. This is the same position that the Chief has always advocated a position that is unassailable from the standpoint of honesty. There is no more reason a man should secure an office under false promises than he should by a law to secure goods from our merchants the same way. When a man is elected to an office he is employed to transact the business of the people. He should represent them and their wishes and not his own interests or the interests of any set of friends. If he is sent to make laws, those laws should be for the benefit of the many and not a select few. The reason we have so many poor laws and laws that are no respect is because of this pusy-foot policy. We hear the man who comes out openly and tells the voters just what he believes and what he will do if elected. He is looked upon as depending on to stand for the best interest of the people. He may be wrong but you can rest assured he is not for sale. Better far to vote for him, knowing he does not agree with your ideas on some one issue than to cast a ballot for some fish worm who haggles and sneers around carrying favor with all sides and all people and has no ideas of his own and no reason to act for the office except that he wishes it. When people learn to kick the covers off in politics and make the candidates come out in the open we will have clearer politics in Florida and better men in office.—Winter Haven Chief.

Health authorities say that every child is entitled to a pint and a half of milk a day, if it is to be properly nourished. Fathers and mothers would have less to pay the doctor and the druggist for medical attention and medicines for their children if this nourishing food could be furnished them.—Lakeland Telegram.

LEGAL NOTICE

In the Circuit Court, Twelfth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, in and for Highlands County.

Scenic Highlands Development Company, a corporation, complainant, vs. Oliver M. Crosby and wife, Emma M. Crosby, George Richardson and Unknown, defendants.

To the defendants herein, Oliver M. Crosby and wife, Emma M. Crosby: It appearing affidavit of complainant's solicitors filed in this cause that you are residents of a state other than the state of Florida; that your place of residence is at 333 Jackson Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, that you are over the age of twenty-one years and that there is no person in the state of Florida service of a subpoena upon whom would bind you or either of you and relief being sought against you and each of you in said cause by the complainant.

This is therefore to require you and each of you to be and appear to the said bill of complaint at the office of the clerk of the above styled court on or before the 1st day of May, A. D. 1922, and in default of such appearance you are notified that the allegations in the said bill of complaint will be taken as confessed by you and each of you.

It is further ordered that this order be published in the Highlands County Pilot, a newspaper of general circulation, published in Highlands County, Florida, for a period

of four consecutive weeks next preceding the said appearance day. Given under my hand and seal at Sebring, Florida, this 25th day of March, A. D. 1922.

C. F. SAUNDERS, Clerk Circuit Court, Highlands County, Florida. WHITEHURST & WHITEHURST, Solicitors for Complainant. Mar 31 Apr 7-14-21-28

LEGAL NOTICE

In the Circuit Court, Twelfth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, in and for Highlands County, in Chancery.

Scenic Highlands Development Company, a corporation, complainant, vs. Oliver M. Crosby and wife, Emma M. Crosby, George Richardson and Unknown, defendants. To the above named defendant, George Richardson, if living and if dead, to all parties claiming an interest under the said George Richardson, deceased, or otherwise in the following described property, to-wit: Lot 3, block 1, section 11,

township 33 south, range 28 east, it appearing by sworn bill and affidavit of complainant's solicitors filed in this cause, that they do not know and have been unable to ascertain whether you are dead or alive and if alive you are a resident of a state other than the state of Florida, that your place of residence is unknown, that you are over the age of twenty-one years and that there is no person in the state of Florida service of a subpoena upon whom would bind you and relief being sought against you in said cause.

This is therefore to require you to be and appear to said bill of complaint at the office of the clerk of the above styled court at Sebring, Florida, on or before the 1st day of June, A. D. 1922, and in default of such appearance you are notified that the allegations in the said bill will be taken as confessed by you.

It is further ordered that this order be published in the Highlands County Pilot, a newspaper of general circulation, published in High-

lands County, Florida, for a period of eight consecutive weeks next preceding the said appearance day. Given under my hand and seal at Sebring, Florida, this 25th day of March, A. D. 1922.

C. F. SAUNDERS, Clerk Circuit Court, Highlands County, Florida. WHITEHURST & WHITEHURST, Solicitors for Complainant. Apr 7-14-21-28 May 5-12-19-26 June 2

LEGAL NOTICE

In the Circuit Court, Twelfth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, in and for Highlands County.

Charles S. Donaldson, complainant, vs. United Land Company, a corporation; Atlantic Gulf Coastal Canal and Okeechobee Land Company, a corporation; Florida Development Company, a corporation; Emma B. Fabor, George Spielerman, Charles H. Gross and Lily G. Brown, joined by her husband, George K. Brown and unknown defendants. To the above named defendants, if

living, and if dead to all parties claiming an interest, under the said Emma B. Fabor, George Spielerman, Charles H. Gross and Lily G. Brown, deceased or otherwise in the following described property, to-wit: Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, Block 37, in Section 3, Township 33 South, Range 28 East, less a strip 130 feet wide, being 6 feet on each side of the center line of the Atlantic Coast Line Railway Company, as located and constructed through Lot 7, aforesaid.

It appearing by sworn bill, and affidavit of complainant's solicitors filed in this cause that they do not know and have been unable to ascertain whether you and each of you are dead or alive and if alive you are a resident of a state other than the State of Florida, that your place of residence is unknown, that you are over the age of twenty-one years and that there is no person in the State of Florida service of a subpoena upon whom would bind you or either of

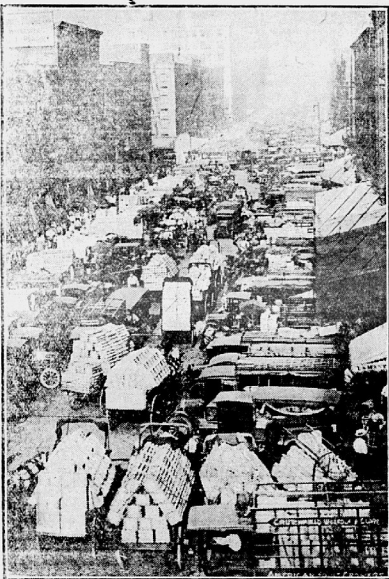
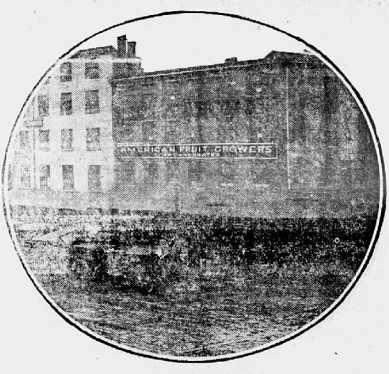
you and relief being sought against you and each of you in said cause.

This is, therefore, to require you and each of you to be and appear to said bill of complaint at the office of the clerk of the above styled court at Sebring, Florida, on or before the 1st day of May, A. D. 1922, and in default of such appearance you are notified that the allegations in the said bill will be taken as confessed by you and each of you.

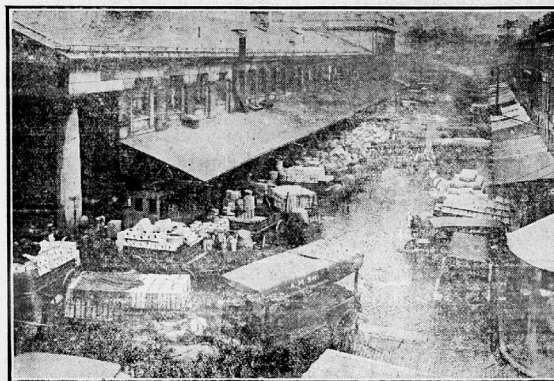
It is further ordered that this order be published in the Highlands County Pilot, a newspaper of general circulation, published in Highlands County, Florida, for a period of eight consecutive weeks next preceding the said appearance day.

Given under my hand and seal at Sebring, Florida, this 6th day of March, A. D. 1922.

C. F. SAUNDERS, Clerk Circuit Court, Highlands County, Florida. WHITEHURST & WHITEHURST, Solicitors for Complainant. Mar 10-17-24-31 Apr 7-14-21-28



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