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**COMMUNITY SING TO BE
AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH**
The community sing held at the
Methodist church last Sunday afternoon
was a decided success and there
were about a hundred present. The
music was very good and it is planned
to make this one of the entertainment
features of the winter season.
J. M. Lee was elected president of
the permanent organization and L. E.
Rowland, secretary.
The sing will be held at the Baptist
church next Sunday afternoon at 3
o'clock and all music lovers are
invited to be present.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS
Real estate transfers in Highlands County,
and with the county clerk, as reported by
Highlands Security, Abstract & Title Co., Se-
bring.
Trustees of Internal Improvement Fund,
State of Florida, to Particulars Fruit Co.,
SE 1/4, E 1/2 of SW 1/4 and NW 1/4 of SW 1/4
of Sec. 17, Twp. 33 S., R. 33 E., and NW 1/4
of SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 and SW 1/4 of Sec. 17,
Twp. 33 S., R. 33 E., containing
80 acres.
William Hine and wife to Cora C. Canfield,
Lot 14 of 17, inclusive, block 17, Sec. 22, Twp.
33 S., R. 33 E.
Mary P. Parker to Marshall Freeman
Dancy, Lot 7, block 2, Sec. 23 E., Avon Park,
Armorel J. McGoff to Florida Orange
Groves Corporation, NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of SW 1/4
of SW 1/4 of Sec. 4, Twp. 33 S., R. 33 E.
A. M. McAuley and wife to J. W. Watson
and J. H. Dean, Lot 11, block 8, Sec. 22, Twp.
33 S., R. 33 E., containing
160 acres.
Pineburg-Florida Fruit Growers Association
to S. P. Durrance, Groves 115, 116, 254,
257, Sec. 16, Twp. 33 S., R. 24 E.
S. P. Durrance and wife to J. W. Durrance
and Carrie E. Durrance, Groves 218, 221,
222, 223, 224, Twp. 33 S., R. 24 E.
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VENUS

The hum of the grading machine is
sweet music in Venus now.
This cool weather is putting a
golden hus on the oranges.
The grubbing crew is up towards
Hicoria now, and the stump-pulling
crew is following close behind them.
There will be a Halloween enter-
tainment at the school house next
Saturday night. There will be witches
and ghosts galore. Everyone will be
welcome.
The water is getting low in Fish-
eating creek and speckled perch and
rout are biting at anything thrown
into the water. If the seines from
other counties are kept out we will
have the best fishing in Highlands
county.—M. C.

GLENWOOD TERRACE

J. W. Payne, Jr., is spending the
week at Lake St. Clair, superintend-
ing the building he is having done
on his place.
J. T. Bowers returned to his home-
stead after a short absence, visiting
Georgia, North and South Carolinas.
Miss Lillian Stitham spent the
week-end with her sister, Mrs. J. W.
Payne, Jr.
Miss Mary Trammell of Atlanta,
Ga., is spending the winter with her
brother, T. P. Trammell.
W. H. McDuffie and T. P. Trammell
are growing truck on the hammock
"in the bend."
Most every one at Glenwood Terrace
is enjoying this unusual fine weather.
All groves have been worked and fer-
tilized for winter and the gardens are
growing—"Happy."

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Virginia-Carolina Fertilizers.
See G. L. Crews, Agent. 025tf
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Cash With Order
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2 acres in grove, 8 years old,
8 room house, and one acre
not set, but trees to set, and
about 3,000 lemon trees in
nursery \$5,000.00
6-room house with lights and
water, close in \$1,600.00
Story and half bungalow, 2 lots
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veniences, fruit trees on the
lot \$3,000.00
A 6-room house with all con-
veniences \$3,000.00
10-acre grove, half bearing, bal-
ance 3 years old \$12,000.00
20-acre grove, eight years old,
for \$18,000.00
5-acre grove in town, about 6
years old \$5,000.00
6-acre grove, 2 miles from town,
30+ 8 years old \$2,800.00
35 acres good citrus land, five
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"In the fall of 1921, I purchased of my company four hundred (400)
coke heaters, placing them at a distance of approximately five feet from
the trees and forty (40) heaters to the acre. I had no occasion to use them
in the fall of 1921 or spring of 1922, but they proved to be very valuable
insurance to me as I held my fruit on trees until April and sold it for just
twice as much as I could have sold for in the fall or early spring.

"If I had not had the heaters, would not have taken the chance of
holding it so long. In February, 1923, I had occasion to use the heaters
and was well pleased with the results. Raised the temperature in my grove
twelve (12) degrees in a very short time and held this temperature all dur-
ing the night. I consider these coke heaters the very best of insurance
and well worth the investment."

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will protect your investment, save crop, trees, bud and blossom. Send the
coupon in today.

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Skinner Machinery Company,
Dunedin, Florida.
Send information about heater equipment re-
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I have acres in grove. Varieties,

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Hand-finished, ribbed golf sweaters, coat
style and close fitting to make ideal for
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Sizes 36 to 44.

The finest heavy ribbed all wool sweaters.
They are of that soft, fleecy character now
so much in demand. Button front styles
with V. necks, finished throughout.
Rich heathers and lovat shades. 36 to 44.

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Men's knitted golf or sport vests, in gray, green, dark oxford and brown, good wool and
cotton mixture. The very thing for cool autumn days. Sizes 36 to 44.

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Florida Property Is Increasing in Value Every Day

Particularly is this true of property on the Scenic Highlands and in
and adjacent to Avon Park. Our city is growing rapidly, new
buildings being started nearly every day. Of course this adds to
the value of all property, whether in the city or adjacent thereto.

"HILLCREST"

is close to the city limits of Avon Park. Its groves are increasing
in value every day. The trees are growing nicely and show a
healthy appearance, making an investment with the Scenic High-
lands Development Company an attractive one. In fact, one has
but to see the young groves, note the painstaking care being given
the trees, consider the location and then ascertain what grove
properties are selling for all around us, to become convinced that
"HILLCREST" is a gilt-edge proposition.

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Scenic Highlands Development Company

Avon Park, Florida

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In the World of Women

MRS. JENKS HOSTESS TO SCHOOL TEACHERS

Mrs. Ethel Jenks entertained the lady teachers and Mrs. L. E. Rowland at her home Saturday afternoon. Each lady brought a piece of fancy work and the afternoon was pleasantly spent sewing and chatting. Later delicious refreshments of sandwiches, coffee and home-made cookies were served.

Those sharing the afternoon's pleasure were: Misses Lora Hart, Mildred Myers, Joy Parks, Lorene Bryant, Furrow Anderson, Ethel Dickinson, Emma Williams, Madeline H. J. Mumman, Skipper, J. H. Waller, Hinton, L. C. M. Elsenberger, E. Rowland and the hostess, Mrs. Jenks.

SERVES CHICKEN SUPPER
The Nautilus Circle of the Methodist church is serving chicken supper in the new Durance building this evening.

MOTHERS, ATTENTION!

Milk from the same cow regularly for your baby has been a service you have not enjoyed in the past in Highlands county.

This Service Is Yours

Skipper's Anoka Dairy is prepared to furnish mothers with any quantity of pure milk from the same cow every day. Do not drag yourself down during the warm summer months. Let our "registered baby service" save

Your Health and Strength

Anoka Dairy

W. O. SKIPPER, Proprietor

MISSIE MARTIN HOSTESSES AT A SLUMBER PARTY

Miss Letellie Martin and Miss Dixie Martin entertained several of their friends at a slumber party last Thursday night. Music and dancing passed the time until midnight, when an appetizing lunch, consisting of sandwiches, cookies, tea and home-made candy was served.

Those present on this enjoyable occasion were: Misses Nona Mae Crews, Myrtle Connelley, Edna Lee, Christine Reeves, Letellie and Dixie Martin.

T. E. L. CLASS ENTERTAINED
The Men's Bible Class of the Baptist church was host to the T. E. L. class at a banquet given at the West Beach hotel Thursday evening of last week.

Music and singing were other features of the evening's entertainment. A business meeting of the Men's Bible Class was also held at this time and the following officers were elected: J. M. Lee, president; W. H. Hatcher, first vice-president; B. F. Martin, second vice-president; L. C. Hunter, third vice-president; Otto Skipper, secretary; H. G. Crapo, treasurer; C. S. English, reporter; J. V. Chapman, teacher; Rev. T. O. Baldwin, D. R. E. person and L. E. Rowland, directors. Those taking the pleasures of the evening were: Mrs. S. H. Lawhorn, Raleigh Lawhorn, Mrs. W. M. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Langford, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Rowland, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Bond, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Skipper, Mr. and Mrs. B. Martin, Master John Epperson, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Epperson, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Crews, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Epperson, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Epperson, Mr. and Mrs. O. Baldwin, Mrs. Gaines, Mrs. F. P. Morten, Miss Overlook, H. G. Crapo, C. S. English and J. W. Green.

LIVED HERE THIRTY YEARS
Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Sargent, who celebrated their forty-eighth wedding anniversary last week, have lived here thirty years instead of ten years as was inadvertently stated in the Pilot last week.

Watch for Legion Carnival, Nov. 12.

POINSETTIA CIRCLE WILL ENTERTAIN TUESDAY

The Poinsettia Circle of the Methodist church will give a Halloween party Tuesday, Oct. 30, at 8 o'clock, at home of Prof. and Mrs. I. C. M. Elsenberger for the purpose of raising funds. A fine program has been arranged and a large crowd is expected to be present to help with the fun.

MRS. RECK CHARMING HOSTESS

Mrs. Herbert Reck charmingly entertained the Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon at her home on Verona Circle. In the living room, where the card tables were arranged, pretty pink cut flowers were used in decorating, while in the dining room the Halloween colors, orange and black, held sway. The centerpiece was an old witch, and black cats and pumpkins greeted the guests on all sides.

The scores were kept on unique tables in Halloween design and at the conclusion of the game of rubbers of bridge, the guests were invited into the dining room, where pretty place cards, also in Halloween design, marked the places. Delicious refreshments, consisting of creamed chicken on toast, olive and nut salad, pumpkin pie, doughnuts and coffee were served. The favors were miniature pumpkins filled with candies.

Those enjoying Mrs. Reck's gracious hospitality were: Madames H. F. Godwin, C. E. Lanier, Carlos Skipper, Earl Hart, P. L. Rumpsey, E. G. Todd, Mrs. E. H. Hall, A. H. Able and Norton Smith.

'HALLOWEEN' PARTY FOR ALL
The Poinsettia Circle of the Methodist church will give a Halloween party Tuesday evening, Oct. 30, at the home of Prof. and Mrs. I. C. M. Elsenberger. Everybody invited. Come and enjoy yourselves. We expect to have a good program, a grand time, and a splendid evening of pleasure with many surprise features.

Those who have not already purchased tickets may secure them at the door. Tickets are 25c.

PICNIC ON BIG LAKE

A jolly picnic was held on Big Lake Tuesday evening, and all kinds of delicious viands which make up a picnic supper were enjoyed to the utmost. Those participating in this outing were: Mrs. and Mr. D. W. Epperson, Mrs. M. Spink, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Myers, Misses Sadie and Mildred Myers, Mrs. and Mrs. Jesse Bennett and children, Mrs. Lula Blank, Mrs. Olive Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. John Hood, Mrs. Nina Taylor, Mrs. Joe Lander, Misses Ethel and Iris Dickinson, Mary Faber, Emma Williams and Mr. Roy Rutherford.

HAVE JOLLY TIME
A party of young people gathered at the home of Miss Annie Ginn last Friday evening and had a jolly time music and dancing being the main diversion.

Among those present were: Misses Alta Rhen Able, Aline Marsh, Maude McGinnis, Helen Bass, Ellie Harris, Nell Strubel, Rebekah and Annie Ginn, Elizabeth Clark, Ruby Crumley, Myrtle Jack, Mary, Mrs. D. W. Head, Bill Hinton, Al Jamour, Clyde Nanney, Parke Anderson, Melville Bass, C. B. Ginn, Jr. and D. V. Bonser.

W. M. U. PLANS TO GO AHEAD
The general meeting of the W. M. U. was held at the First Baptist church Tuesday, Oct. 23.

A business session was held and arrangements made for more and better work in the club.

WOMAN'S CLUB TO MEET
The regular monthly business meeting of the Avon Park Woman's Club will be held at the library in the Masonic temple on Friday, Nov. 2.

MRS. SMITH ENTERTAINS GUILD
Mrs. Norton Smith entertained the women of the Episcopal Guild on Wednesday afternoon of last week. There were about ten present and a pleasant social time enjoyed. Let us in the afternoon refreshments of sandwiches, doughnuts and coffee were served.

HART'S RETURN HOME
Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Hart and daughter, Miss Lois, returned home Saturday night, after having spent a pleasant summer at their old home in Nebraska. They also visited in Colorado and Los Angeles and Long Beach, Cal. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hart and baby Jane motored to Haines City to meet them.

In Kansas
A Kansas town's city limit welcome to motorists: "Speed Limit 100 Miles an Hour—Pond's Do Your Best."

The Truth, So Help Me—
Jones—"Say, I just bought a new car and I want my wife to learn to drive, too. How long did it take your wife to learn?"
Smith—"Well, let's see. I don't just remember, but I think it will be eight years this December."

Then Father Fainted
Fond Father (to five-year-old son at dinner table): "Bobby, will you have some of these?"
Bobby: "Yes!"
P. (trying to install table etiquette): "Yes—what?"
Bobby: "Yes, we have no bananas!"

Easy Come—Easy Go
They were driving home in their car. The old-fashioned mother and the modern flapper daughter.

"Benny, dear," asked the mother, "is that man on the corner throwing you a kiss?"
"Yes, mother," said the m.f.d., "but I'm throwing it back."

His Promise
Mistress (to cook): "Mary, I saw the milkman kiss you this morning. From now on I will get the milk myself."

Mary—"It won't do you no good, mum. He's promised to me and he says that he won't kiss no one else."

Mother's Note
Up-stage Mrs.—"Who were the three wise men?"
Student—"Stop, Look and Listen."

COMMUNITY SING PROGRAM

Sunday, Oct. 23, at the Baptist church, 3 p. m.
Song by assembly.
Prayer.
Singing, led by W. H. Thompson.
Quartette, led by J. V. Chapman.
Singing, led by J. V. Chapman.
Solo by Baptist choir.
Song by High School Glee Club.
Singing, led by Rev. H. C. Hinton.
Chorus by Baptist choir.
Singing, led by W. H. Thompson.
Benediction.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

W. H. Hinton was a visitor to Orlando Monday.

C. E. Lanier was a business visitor to Sebring Monday.

Mrs. D. C. Herron visited friends in Mulberry last week.

E. P. Merriam was a business visitor to Bartow Tuesday.

E. C. Dusenbury spent Sunday in Kissimmee with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Head have purchased a new Studebaker car.

C. R. Ginn motored to DeSoto City Monday and transacted business.

Mrs. L. E. Whitley visited her sister in Tampa over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Goethe of Sebring were visitors here Sunday.

Mrs. T. H. Lander was a visitor to Sanford and Deland the first part of the week.

R. E. Coates, postmaster of Fort Meade, was transacting business here Saturday.

Bill Hinton and Tom Caldwell attended a football game at Winter Park Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Andrews were visitors to Tampa and Lakeland over Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Palmer and L. C. Palmer motored to Wauchula Sunday and spent the day.

Ed Welch, who is making his home in Punta Gorda, spent part of last week with relatives.

Rev. E. A. Albright of Lake Wales was in Sebring, spending time with friends and renewing acquaintances.

Mrs. J. T. Roberts is working at Kate Brock these weeks, while Mrs. Fred Smith is on her vacation.

Mrs. Basil Bowden and Mrs. Bob Hancock of Sebring were visitors to the Ridge metropolis Monday afternoon.

Capt. and Mrs. W. E. Dunwoody, Mrs. C. F. Ausland and Mrs. Paul Ripberger were visitors to the Park Monday.

Miss Ora Hargraves and Miss Bertha Cameron came over from Lakeland and spent the week-end with their parents here.

Mrs. Geo. F. Taylor left Friday for Winter Park, where she will visit her sister, Miss Martha Marsh, at Rollins College for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Grady of Quincy, Fla., have called on their residence. Mr. Grady is an employee of the Kennedy Construction Company.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Burke of Old Forge, N. Y., have returned to Avon Park for the season. They are prominent winter residents.

Dr. M. R. Mitchell and daughter, Miss Stella Mitchell, have returned from a pleasant vacation spent at their old home in Topeka, Kas.

Mrs. W. A. Smith and daughter, Miss Helen, have returned to Avon Park after having spent a pleasant summer in Illinois and Idaho.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Smith and Miss Dorothy Wilcox motored to Tampa last Tuesday and while there attended the vaudeville show at the Victory Theatre.

Mrs. W. H. Brown and little daughter Frances, mother and sister of Miss Louise Brown, arrived Saturday evening from Atlanta and will make this their home.

Miss Irene Bryson was the guest of Miss Joy Parks Saturday and Sunday. Miss Bryson is from North Carolina, and is spending the winter at Waverly, Fla.

Misses Alta Rhen Able, Rebekah Ginn, Myrtle Jack, Mary, and Lee Crews formed a jolly motor party to Bartow Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Jackson, Mrs. A. C. McCall and Mrs. Chas. Harris went to Haines City Friday to attend the yearly meeting of the district W. M. S. of the Methodist church.

Mr. J. B. Stringfellow and children, Marion and Edward, and Mrs. Fred Smith motored to Alachua Monday and will spend a week or more visiting Mrs. Stringfellow's parents there.

A. P. Henry and sister, Miss Henry, have returned here for the winter season, after having spent the summer in Grimsby, Ontario, Canada. They own a pretty home on Lake Tule.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ginn, Hartwell and Edith Ginn, Miss Edith Harris and Miss Annie Ginn motored to Bartow Sunday afternoon and attended the band concert at the court house square.

Curtis English and Milford Dilley motored to Lakeland Sunday and John and Mrs. English and baby, who are visiting relatives there. The party will return to Avon Park Wednesday or Thursday.

Miss Muriel Wood spent Friday night here the guest of Miss Joy Parks. Miss Wood was en route to Dundee to spend the week-end with her parents. She visited Miss Parks here last summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stowers have returned here after visiting their daughter, where they have been for the past several weeks. Mr. Stowers is installing a sprinkling system for fire protection at the crate mill.

Mrs. W. T. Andrews spent the week-end in Lakeland visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Thompson, who have recently moved there, while Mr. Thompson is to have charge of the Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Epperson and little son, John, went to Haines City Sunday and spent the day with friends, after which they journeyed to Tampa for a couple days' visit and returned to the Park Tuesday evening.

F. T. Hinkins of Sebring was a visitor here Monday.

Fred Barnhill of Pine Level spent several days here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Coy have a new car, a 1924 model Maxwell.

C. P. Tooten of Duane City was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Miss Myrtle Jack spent the week-end in Punta Gorda with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Norton Smith left for Orlando today to attend the Shrine relatives.

C. A. Skipper returned Monday night from a short business trip to Jacksonville.

Miss Marjorie Lacey, Miss Maude McGinnis and Eldred Starkey motored to Sebring Sunday afternoon.

Miss Carolyn Reynolds returned Friday evening from Kingston, Ga., where she has been visiting relatives for a month or more.

H. A. Winter, C. E. Skipper, C. E. Lanier and W. R. Sparks were members of a camping party at Lake Josephine for the week-end.

Mrs. C. E. Lanier and little son, Mrs. C. E. Lanier, spent the week-end in Punta Gorda, Fla., where Mrs. Lanier's mother, Mrs. E. N. Brown, J. G. Denford, who owns a grove in this vicinity, spent part of Tuesday in the Park, while looking after his home. Mr. Denford lives at Fort Meade.

Mrs. J. L. Cloud and little daughter, Mrs. J. L. Cloud, left last Thursday from Eustis, Fla., where they had a pleasant visit of a week with Mrs. T. H. Lander.

Miss Letellie Martin, Miss Dixie Martin, Messrs. Ervin Gaines, George Norman and T. J. McGinnis, Jr., formed a motor party to Sebring Sunday afternoon.

Bill Baldwin is having a house built on his property.

shore of Lake Lotela. I. G. Green is supervising the building of the house.

Mr. A. Phillips of Chicago is spending several weeks here looking after his grove property on J. C. Voth, Jr., is a brother of C. B. Phillips, who spent last winter here.

Joe Lander, who left here several weeks ago for the West Indies, writes from Nueva Janero, Isle of Pines, that it is a fine country and that he is now enjoying a fishing and hunting trip.

H. L. McDaniel of Ocala, Fla., is visiting his brother-in-law, Col. J. M. Lee. Zeke Cook, also of Ocala, accompanied Mr. McDaniel here and are guests at the home of Col. J. M. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Starkey are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Starkey this week. They have been living at Arcadia, but Mr. Starkey has accepted a position with the Stanley Drug Company in Sebring, and they will go there to reside.

Mrs. H. E. Coy returned home Friday evening of last week from Buffalo, N. Y., where she has been spending some time visiting her daughter, Mrs. B. T. McMillan. Mr. and Mrs. Coy spent several months this summer on an extensive tour to points of interest in the west, later going to Buffalo for a visit. Mr. Coy arrived home about two weeks ago.

Mrs. S. P. Durran, Miss Mary Lee Durran and Miss Beasley Palmer motored to Tampa and St. Petersburg and spent Friday and Saturday and on the return trip they spent Sunday in Lakeland with friends.

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MARKETING A BUMPER CITRUS CROP



Barring unforeseen calamities, Florida's citrus production will steadily increase. According to government survey, there are approximately 50,000 acres of oranges and grapefruit still to come into bearing. Hundreds of other young groves are annually increasing their yield. Should another tree never be planted, it is estimated that in ten years the state's fruit crop may total thirty, or even forty, million boxes.

It is therefore reasonable to expect that we shall witness many "bumper" crops, establishing from year to year new production records. Last year Florida had its biggest citrus yield, more than sixteen million boxes. Another larger crop is in prospect for the shipping season now beginning.

Years ago, when Florida's annual crop averaged but a few million boxes, it was a comparatively simple matter to broadcast shipments with a good chance of finding a ready demand and satisfactory prices for fruit. There were plenty of markets for Florida oranges and grapefruit, and less likelihood of the various agencies conflicting in their sales efforts. Market flooding was not so serious a problem.

With larger crops each year, however, the task of successfully merchandising Florida fruit is becoming increasingly difficult. The scope of markets is becoming more limited. Those that have been developed get fruit from a number of selling agencies. Shipments are made from Florida without regard to the volume of

fruit already en route to centers of distribution. When this volume arrives it often floods the markets. Supply exceeds demand, and lower prices invariably result.

If our "bumper" crops are to be sold at prices which will pay producers a fair profit, still other new markets must be developed, consumer consumption increased, and orderly selling must be conducted under the supervision of one large agency, fully acquainted with every phase of the marketing situation.

There is but one organization qualified to handle the marketing of Florida's citrus crops so as to get the best returns possible for the grower. That agency is the Florida Citrus Exchange, a co-operative, non-profit marketing association, owned and controlled by the growers of Florida, and working solely for their best interests.

Full credit for what has been done in developing consumer demand for Florida fruit, and for what has been accomplished in stabilizing markets by consistent, orderly sales policies, must, and is, given the Florida Citrus Exchange, even by those growers who through speculation in their crops try to make more than the other fellow.

Only through co-operative marketing (with all of the growers of the state as selling their fruit together through one organization) can the ever-increasing crops of Florida be sold at a fair profit for the producer.

Six thousand of Florida's citrus growers are now regularly selling their fruit through the Florida Citrus Exchange—and getting the high dollar for their crops. Other producers can do the same by joining the co-operative movement. They can not only get all the profits from the sale of their fruit, but can greatly aid in the upbuilding of their industry.

FLORIDA CITRUS EXCHANGE

AVON PARK HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES ORGANIZE AN ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Thursday evening a meeting of the graduates of the local high school convened at the home of Prof. L. C. M. Ellenberger for the purpose of organizing the 29 graduates into an active alumni association. Fourteen responded to the call: Joe Marks, Ethel Dickinson, Mildred Myers, Herman Dinton, class of '19; Lucius Clark, Loca Hart, Francis Shockey, class of '21; Bertha Cameron, Lola Skipper, Ora Hargrave, Anne Ruth Brantley, Victor Stansbrough, Mildred Dilley, Fred Ley, class of '22.

After electing a temporary chairman, those present proceeded to elect the following officers for the coming year: Miss Loca Hart, president; Fred Ley, vice-president; Francis Shockey, secretary; Miss Ethel Dickinson, assistant secretary; Miss Joy Parks, treasurer.

Points relative to the aims of such an association were briefly discussed, and the body adjourned to meet again Friday evening, Nov. 23, for the adoption of a constitution and by-laws. A lively interest was manifested by those present and it is hoped that all the graduates may feel it incumbent on them to join in making this advance step a marked success.

Watch for Legion Carnival, Nov. 12.

The Servant Question
In India she had Mahmut, a Babu boy, as servant. He had been with her about a month when he asked for leave of absence, in order, he said, to go home to see his wife. Babu boys are educated in the native English schools, and they are particularly proud of their ability to both write and speak the English language. Well, they may be. The following is a sample.

Mahmut had overstayed his leave by two weeks when this letter arrived:

"High priestess of the Sun, Moon and Stars, Mem Sahib—
"My absence is impossible. Some one has removed my wife. By G—! I am annoyed. Less than the dust."
"Mahmut."

Watch for Legion Carnival, Nov. 12.

Hitting the Nail
Rastus (chronic ailer)—"Man, I sure is a sick black man. Don't blame me fo' wailing. I've had troubles and troubles and now it is ma eyes. Honest, Rufus, unless I squints ma eyes just so, ah can't see nothin' at all—I've going blind—and it's awful. Why, Rufus—"

Rufus—"Wal, I do declare, you-all is in a bad way. You ought go hunt up a optimist right away."

Crowded Bottles
Lady—"Look here, Mr. Milkman. There never is any cream on the milk you sell me."
Milkman—"Listen, lady. I want to give you full measure and I guess I fill them bottles so full there ain't no room for the cream."

Easy One, Next!
Teacher—"What is an engineer?"
Willie—"Man who runs an engine."
Teacher—"Correct. And what is a pioneer?"
Willie—"Man that tunes a piano."

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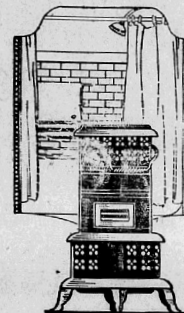
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Etiquette

What's When to do it
By A. Leda
Any questions on etiquette
will be gladly answered in
this column if addressed to
A. Leda, care of this news-
paper.

Dear A. Leda: Should an in-
vitation for a wedding be sent to
friends even if you know they
live too far away to attend?
Miss R. L. Penn.

Yes, this courtesy shows you de-
sire their presence and would like to
have them with you if circumstances
would permit.

Dear A. Leda: What should be
done when a young man calls in
the evening and it is past time
that he went home? A Reader
This shows a decided lack of know-
ing "what's what" on the man's part,
and it puts the hostess in a rather em-
barrassing position. It would be quite
proper to say something to this effect:
"I am sorry but as it is getting rather
late and I have an early morning ap-
pointment, I am afraid I shall have
to say good-night."

Dear A. Leda: If a man takes
a girl to a public dance how many
times is it proper for him to
dance with her? M. D.

Dear Girlie: You have not said if
there would be any others included in
the party. If there are, you shall
give at least one dance to each man
member along. But if you are alone
you may dance with your escort as
often as you like.

Dear A. Leda: Shall a young
man ask a girl to his home to
visit his parents? Should the in-
vitation come from him or from
them? Marion S.

If your friend has invited you to
meet and visit his parents at his
home it shows how highly he regards
you. It is a very nice thing to do
and it is quite proper for you to ac-
cept. The invitation should come
from his mother.

Dear A. Leda: Should one unfold
their napkin immediately they are
seated at a table, or wait until ser-
ved? A Guest: may put their napkin
in their lap as soon as the hostess has
but the prices."

taken here from the table. This is
usually immediately. The "unfolding"
consists in opening the napkin just
once and laying lengthwise across the
lap. Never unfold a napkin entirely.

"Dear A. Leda: If you are a guest
at dinner and spill your glass of
water, what should be done or said?
An apology to the hostess is required.
"I am very sorry to have been so very
clumsy or words to that effect is
sufficient. If there is no maid, take
your partly folded napkin and across
the wet spot and leave it there. If
there is a maid, let her attend to it."

"Dear A. Leda: What is the proper
way to refuse a man a dance when
you have not yet the next taken and
do not wish to take it? A Reader
This: "Thank you, but I do not think
I'll dance this number. I feel a bit
tired." That is all that is necessary."

"Dear A. Leda: What is the cor-
rect way to entertain a young man
when he makes an afternoon call?"
This all depends on the ability of the
hostess. You have often heard the
phrase, "over the tea cups." Well
that means 5 o'clock tea. When that
hour arrives, serve your friend with
some light drink such as tea or lemon-
ade. A few small cakes or crackers
should go with the drink. This gives
a delightful chance to talk and get
acquainted but if this becomes tire-
some, try a little card game that both
know. If your caller prefers to go
out to a croquet game, tennis, or
take a long country walk. Afterwards
bring him in to have a "little tea."
A very pleasant afternoon may be passed
this way.

SERVICES AT CHURCH OF CHRIST
Rev. H. C. Hinton will preach at the
Church of Christ Sunday and the pub-
lic is invited to attend the services.

World Series
"Batter up!" The words rang clear
Upon the Autumn air—
The waffle cook had used up all
The batter he had there.

A Happy Ending
Sunday School Teacher—"Now,
Willie, what was your 'good act' for
the week? Who did you make happy?"
Willie—"My Aunt Carrie. I went
to see her and she was happy when I
left."

Knew All About Them
Old Stage Hand (boastfully)—
"Yeh, I've seen a lotta good actors in
my day. Once I knew an actor who
could read restaurant menu card
and make his audience weep."
Young Comedian—"Oh, I knew how
he did it. He didn't read anything
but the prices."

Read Fast—and Repeat
News Item—A New York candy
manufacturer is now marketing a new
product called "Snow Bananas."
Customers—"Have you any of that
new candy?"
Candy Man (now read fast)—"Yeh,
we have snow bananas."

Considerate Patient
New Dentist (to cowboy patient in
western town)—"Will you have gas?"
Dead-Eye Dick—"Will it hurt much
if I don't?"
Dentist—"Yes, it may hurt."
D. E. D.—"Well, then for your
sake I'll take it."

Willie's Dog Life
Willie had almost finished his read-
ing lesson when he came to a word he
could not pronounce.
"Barque," prompted the teacher.
Willie looked at his classmates and
grinned.

"Barque, Willie!" exclaimed the
teacher, harshly.
Willie, looking up at the teacher,
finally cried out: "Bow-wow-wow!"

At the Ringside
First Bettor—"Believe me, I've seen
this man's name fight before—when
he hits a man he remembers it."
Second Bettor—"Huh, when my
man hits a man he don't."

Watch for Legion Carnival, Nov. 12.
WATER TRANSPORTATION
FOR CITRUS SHIPMENTS
(Continued from Page One)

on the part of the railroads of in-
creasing freight rates on oranges and
grapefruit, and also that when we
have proceeded seriously with the
matter, that in all likelihood freight
rates will be cut voluntarily.

"Needless to state, the choice of
distributing point can be made only
after thorough investigation of the
advantages of the various ports avail-
able. At a glance, either Baltimore
or Philadelphia would appear to be
more central, and to have definite ad-
vantages over the Potomac yards, but
in case this could not be proven,
Washington, itself, could be used with
equal benefit and with no change in
the present system of distribution
from that city. Decision in this mat-
ter must be withheld until further
investigation. These investigations
and statistics with cost sheets would
have to be compiled by the trans-
portation representatives of the Citrus
Exchange, working in conjunction
with some man well versed in the
costs incident to freighting by water."

"The second objection, that the
would be greater percentage of de-
cay in transit, is disproven by the ex-
perience of California fruit growers
who have made experimental ship-
ments from the California coast
through the Panama canal to Europe.
If the Florida growers will provide
steamers adequately equipped to stow
and carry regular packed boxes of
oranges, grapefruit and tangerines, it
will be found that there will be less
loss in transit than occurs at present
when shipments are sent by rail."

"The third objection has been an-
swered at the same time as the first.
In this connection, the distribution
might best be effected through, say,
four seaports. For example, Charleston
could serve Columbia, Charlotte,
Raleigh and other cities in North and
South Carolina. Newport News could
supply Richmond, Washington, Fred-
ericksburg, Norfolk and other cities
in Virginia and West Virginia. Phila-
delphia would serve as the distribut-
ing center for Delaware, Pennsylv-
ania, New Jersey and New York;
while all of New England could best
be reached from Boston."

"If the citrus requirements of the
aforementioned districts are com-
puted, it is believed that the world
take all the fruit which could be

transported during our season with-
out necessity for overloading any one
market and with a definite saving in
transportation costs."

"Assuming Philadelphia as our
point of shipment merely for pur-
poses of comparison; and for easy
figuring, taking the freight rate from
Jacksonville to Philadelphia as one
dollar per box, it will be necessary
for us to have at least twenty cents
on each box carried if we are to show
any benefit to our existence. Conse-
quently, we will assume a freight
charge by water of eighty cents on
each box. The trip to Jacksonville
to Philadelphia will require three
days. Due to the vast amount of
territory served from Philadelphia, we
could land and dispose of from
thirty to fifty carloads in that city,
distributing it as previously described,
as far west as Chicago. Thirty car-
loads at 360 boxes per car represents
10,800 boxes with a gross return of
\$8,640 for one trip. There would also
be other freight carried and passen-
gers which would swell the gross re-
turns. On the return trip at least a
partial load of freight and passengers
could be obtained which would pay
the fixed charges and running ex-
penses. The great saving that may
be effected is that this will mean
a direct saving of \$200 to the small
grower who ships but 1,000 boxes;
and a saving of \$4,000,000 to the state
on a crop of 20,000,000 boxes."

"The above summary of require-
ments is submitted only as a base
upon which to build, as the figures
given are only tentative, and in some
cases hypothetical. They are fur-
nished merely as a guide for approach,
to those interested in the subject, and
who will thus appreciate the pre-
liminary work necessary before this
project can be actually undertaken.
In order for it to be a success, the
steamer or motor ships purchased
will have to be of the special kind that
can meet our requirements. They
must be reasonably cheap, they must
provide proper refrigeration and ven-
tilation. They must allow ease of
loading and efficient stowage of cargo.
Above all, unloading must be expedi-
ous and efficient, and the ships them-
selves must be simple of operation,
so as to require very small crews."

"In concluding this article, I feel
it necessary to reiterate the fact that
the exact rates of costs and profits
are not available to the writer and
consequently they are based entirely
on estimates. But it is to state that
the mere existence of a plan on the
part of the citrus growers of Flori-
da, to operate a steamship line of
this kind, will furnish your traffic
representatives with a greater argu-
ment for reduction of rates as far
as the railroads are concerned, than
all the logical argument and compar-
isons of freight rates which they can
now supply. For this reason, if for
no other reason, the Exchange should
approach the matter seriously, inves-
tigate it and draw up capital require-
ments, ship specifications, and plan
for distribution, and thus be prepared
with a live project, which they can put
before the public, in the event of a
failure to grant the reduction in freight
rates which is now long overdue on
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