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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE
There will be Christian Science meetings at the Masonic Temple each Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

VENUS

The sun was obscured by clouds on the 10th, so we failed to see the eclipse.
Quite a few Venus people were at Sebring last week and this week "a courtship" married men and all. W. E. Hendry and family moved to Moore Haven this week, where Mr. Hendry will have charge of a fishing crew during the winter fishing season.

James T. Cassels returned from Camp McClelland, Ala., last week, after a month spent in camp. He speaks in highest praise of the camp and its officers.

Old Billy Smith, an Indian supposed to be over 90 years old, told the writer last week that there will be a bad storm in the fall, with wind "ojus." Indians are fairly good prophets, but we hope Old Billy is guessing wrong this time.

School opened on the 3rd with 49 enrolled and more to follow. We are expecting to have a banner school this term.

Last Saturday was pay day with the turpentine negroes and money and "shine" seemed to be quite plentiful. Our laws are entirely too "loose" — some people can get by with anything, while others are called down if they even smell the bottle. Miss Justice is blind-folded and weighs out justice to all alike; Mr. Justice is not blind-folded, but squints one eye whenever a friend is involved. — M. C.

COAL NIGHTMARE MAY DRIVE THOUSANDS TO FLORIDA

The present strike in the anthracite coal fields gives opportunity again to emphasize the advantage of living in Florida, where the public is not dependent to any great extent upon the operation of coal mines for their fuel.

Favorable climatic conditions reduce to a minimum the need for artificial heat in the homes and oil burning stoves can be obtained at small cost to supply the heat required. Fuel oil is available at reasonable prices for generating steam in manufacturing industries.

A great many people in northern states are disgruntled with the annual nightmare of whether they will be allotted coal enough at any price to keep their families comfortable, and are looking toward Florida for their future home sites and locations for industries.

The Florida Development Board recommends this as a good point to stress in messages sent out during the annual postcard campaign, Oct. 1 to 6, and in letters during the interim.

Modern, Yes, Modern
Mame—"What kind of eyes do you like in men? Do you like brown, blue, black or gray eyes?"
Sade—"I don't care what color eyes they have—so long as they have greenbacks."

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MANY auto accidents could be avoided. Many catastrophes could be avoided by the proper knowledge or experience. If you haven't had the experience take advantage of ours. We will be glad to assist you.

PHONE 27
STANDARD GARAGE
C.E. MANN

Did It Ever Occur to You

that a poorly lighted street is a liability and that a well lighted one is a big asset. A well lighted and ventilated business house is much more attractive than the one which is not so equipped. Just stroll through the town during the evening and see which streets and business houses are the more attractive and popular.

Our business is to help make your town and business attractive and prosperous

FLORIDA ICE & POWER COMPANY



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HEAR, O ISRAEL:—The Lord our God is one Lord. And thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thine heart, and with all thy mind, and with all thy might.—Deuteronomy 6:4, 5.

Many thanks, Mr. Albritton, for those fill-ins on the Sebring road. Avon Park went over the top in the Japanese relief drive in a hurry.

We hear rumors of cheaper life, and as usual they will arrive in mid-winter.

Folks are talking about the proposal for our Harding memorial bridge and national park.

Railroad officials are predicting a big tourist season. They ought to know—it's up to them.

There may yet be a brown taste somewhere around Tampa newspaper offices "on the morning after" Oct. 2.

The electric chair goes to Raftord and for the first time in years that prison farm will know what an armed guard is.

The Tribune wants to know if Ford might be an "auto-crate president" if elected. Or perhaps an auto-demon president.

One fellow says he now knows Ed Lambright never plowed a field behind a Florida mule—he'd never plow for the land turtle.

Ruth Cole and Irene Fuel visited at Kankakee, Ill., according to that city's paper and the Miami News-Press. "Bet they're invited to spend the winter."

"Many a man likes home ties who hates to wear them," says Phil in the Times-Union. But some of us still have to get the madman to tie that dress up over his toes.

With first-class hotels operated at honest prices, Avon Park is one of the few Florida towns fortunate in not having to throw away an annual row over the free auto camp.

Stories of the prowess of Avon Park anglers as told in the Pilot are creating considerable comment about the state. The Times-Union has used several recently on its editorial page. And that's mighty good publicity for Highlands county.

Having appropriately groomed a vice-presidential candidate—in the person of Pinchot—in the next election, the G. O. P. probably will devote the remainder of the year to grooming Cal for the big job.

The Plant City Courier, having noticed that the new DeSoto City hotel is to give free lodging the days on which the sun falls to shine, is seeking someone to give cigars on days it doesn't rain. But some of us close to Tampa—they suggested cigars.

One reason why there are so few Romeos hopping ballroom railings these days is that pinheads are against a fond Juliette's window at 9:30 in the evening would rattle in vain at empty space. Two hours later, however, might bring a response.

It's strange that "Traffic Trap" Hiers of Hillsborough county hasn't said anything more since Claude Jones, editor of the Arcadia News, came to bat with affidavits to prove his editorial assertions regarding a Hillsborough county speed trapster and his attempt at a bribe. The editor was right this time.

The fellow who said that the decision of Gifford Pinchot granting the coal miners a 10 per cent increase in pay would make him a strong man with the unions in case he is nominated for vice-president by the Republicans, probably forgot that Bill McAdoo practically gave the whole blame country to the unions, and that Bill'll probably be running on the Democratic ticket.

\$1,000,000 A WEEK FOR CHEWING GUM

The people of the United States spend upwards of one million dollars a week for their chewing gum, and the habit is still growing.

The value of the product turned out of the factories of America is a little more than double that of the pre-war year 1914, which was the year the government condescended to notice the chewing gum industry.

The girls of this and other towns, when they sat in the movies and chewed their gum while their favorite star made love in alluring twilight, little dreamed the effect they were having on the prosperity of their country.

Dignified England laughed at her, and her "deplorable chewing gum habit" while the sedate Briton was consciously in the mood of devotion he was unconsciously falling by the wayside. The year 1920 saw the British flapper, really the original of the species, consuming American gum to the tune of \$1,120,000 wholesale value. And so the story runs. France in the same year took \$383,000 worth, and other European countries consumed proportionate quantities. Only the consumption of Germany was small, the total figure being \$260. The amount of the capital invested shows beyond doubt that the habit has come to stay. Perhaps no industry has shown a more remarkable growth.

Certainly no industry presents a more potent argument to prove the telling effect of advertising.

WHY NOT?

A row of palms around the shore line of Lake Verona, is the suggestion that M. E. Covington makes in a letter to the Pilot this week.

Why not? It really seems that a lake-shore boulevard around this pretty body of water is among the impossibilities of today. But certainly an ornament such as a string of palms would be should appear to every eye of those who own property around the lake.

As Mr. Covington points out, the cost would be small for the result would be wonderful and the entire picture—around the roadways at the north and south end of the lake or from any property holder's window—would be wonderfully enhanced.

It is a subject that might well be taken up and put over by any of our civic organizations.

A worthy effort, with wonderful possibilities.

PATH TO PUBLIC GOOD WILL

Progressive American railroads have come to realize that the best way to cultivate the good will of the public and to take insurance against misunderstanding of railroad problems is to talk directly to the public through the advertising columns of the press and especially through the weekly newspapers, which are directly reached by travelers and shippers along the railroads.

They have come to sense the fact that statements made in authoritative, because a public can so easily check up anything that may be misleading, following the progressive lead of the Long Island railroad, this policy has now been adopted by the largest railroad system in the south, the Southern Railway System.

The Southern serves the south, the well known slogan of this great railroad, with 8,300 miles of lines extending into every southern state. The Southern recognizes that its own prosperity is inseparably bound up with that of the south, and its published announcements in the advertising columns of the newspapers, it is expected, will bring the Southern and the communities it serves closely together.

Unquestionably other systems should follow this general plan of talking frankly to the public through the press, for evidence that some roads still cling to the hope of putting special messages before the public by means of publicity. As a fact, there is nothing so beneficial, nothing so honest, as frank, straight advertising, when the good will of the public is sought.

The Long Island and the Southern are to be congratulated for their forward vision.

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE

A thorough study of unemployment insurance in England has just been completed by Leo Wolman for the research committee of the national bureau of economic research. This new paper as part of the complete report of the committee on unemployment and business cycles issued by Secretary Hoover for the conference on unemployment.

The United States has been interested in English experience with this type of social legislation, but the changes in the policies and details of the scheme can't be the profound turbulence and depression of recent years has somewhat confused those who have tried to keep in touch with the situation.

Mr. Wolman's chapter indicates that in spite of many complexities and difficulties, the English scheme has proved successful when first advocated on the ground that the measure was paternalistic and wrong in principle, it now seems that this type of opposition is a minor element in the situation and that it is the particular features of the system that the sharpest criticism is made. Compulsory insurance against unemployment apparently has become a permanent feature of English life, and its form is likely to be changed in the future because of the discussions resulting from the scrutiny of special administrative measures rather than from opposition to government insurance.

Mr. Wolman points out that employees complain of the high cost of administration and condemn what they believe to be an undue laxity in the payment of benefits. The trade unions, on the other hand, find the benefits too small to be satisfactory, and would increase the contribution of the employers—many advocating that the whole cost of the scheme be put on industry. Employment exchanges are shown to be an indispensable and valuable part of the insurance plan, yet criticism is not lacking that the exchanges are not efficient.

The committee on unemployment and business cycles states in its recommendation on this subject:

"To provide reserve funds or savings during periods of prosperity from which the worker may draw during periods of compulsory unemployment is one of the important methods advocated as tending towards relieving the fluctuations of business. Such plans of co-operative provision for relief against unemployment are not primarily designed to decrease the amount of unemployment but to alleviate its evil effects.

"The loss of employment, employ, or both, contributing during periods of employment to a reserve fund under which the worker may draw to help sustain the worker when unemployment in periods of depression and to equalize the loss of his purchasing power and thereby maintain his standard of living. It attacks one of the most vital of our industrial problems."

COLLIER'S VIEW OF FLORIDA CLIMATE

"At its best—no, even at its average, the Florida climate is a thing so wonderful that you sometimes scarcely believe at the end of a month that you have really had thirty such golden days. Lying between two warm seas, as it does, the peninsula is always warmed by salt air. Florida, as it is best known, is a land of spring days of warm, fresh sea winds, almost accomplishes the impossible. It is both a tropical and a temperate once invigorates and calms you. The calmness is accentuated by the invigorating sea breeze."

Wise Cracks From A Wise Cracker

"MOS-LEE KNOWS"

Instead of starting something to see who is boss a better plan is to see who is boss before starting anything.

Old Sol is beginning to lose his punch.

The first step in remodeling some of the pioneer residences should be razing them to the ground.

At least Tippo has a fighting chance with Dempsey, which is more than poor Jiggs has with Maggie.

A 50-pound watermelon has been produced near Avon Park. As Baga Raymond would say, "It wouldn't take many like that to make a dozen."

We know what happens when Greek meets Greek, but when he meets a horla—that's the color of another chance.

A husband weighing 300 pounds has divorced his 287-pound wife. A case where misery no longer loves company.

"Give me a kiss, wife dear. I don't want a kiss since the last one I gave me." And the fight was on.

If prize fights were referred to as box socials, perhaps the ministers and church people would not be so horrified.

THE FORUM

PLANT PALMS AROUND VERONA
Editor Pilot: Would it not be a good idea for the Women's Club or some other civic improvement association to take up the idea of improving the grounds around Lake Verona?

Why not all the property owners around the lake plant out a row of palms or cactuses as the English do? It will take years for them to grow. Why not do it now, next year, and plant several more each year? The last time I was in Avon Park on my lot, but I am willing to take what ever the others I know of. I have seen the palms in Hamburg and New York. Real flying is beginning.

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THIS WEEK

Move Supreme Court Closer.
Two Congressmen, Senator McPherson and Representative Forester from the Air.

By Arthur Brisbane

Learned gentlemen of the Bar Association want the United States Supreme Court removed from Washington "far from the influence of Congress," which means the influence of the Senate, and Congress and all point supreme court judges through their paid servant, the president.

Some citizens think the supreme court is quite far enough away from the influence of the people already, that it would not do any harm to bring it back a little closer.

Two great anniversaries approach: Fifty years ago this week the typewriting machine began its career, saving time, increasing efficiency and, most important of all, introducing into business the good influence of hundreds of thousands of women.

Fifty years ago Americans began the manufacture of Portland cement, which is, to building, what the typewriter is to business. For the last ten years this country made only 36,000 sacks of cement annually. Last year the country used 470,000 sacks, and American plants now possess a capacity of 600,000,000 sacks.

Lloyd George will be here in a few weeks. You will see and hear a real man, when he comes. Without him, to manage England and her allies in the big war, the world would be under Foch, supplying the allies with money and ammunition, William of Hohenzollern, the German emperor, and Kaiser, and on a bigger scale, with a newly captured throne for each of the property owners.

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Pretty garden flowers, attractively arranged, formed the centerpiece and a delectable menu consisting of pickles, fish, fried chicken, creamed potatoes and peas, chicken salad, ice cream, cake and ice cream was served.

Miss Palmer received the good wishes of her friends for many happy days, and following the dinner the guests enjoyed a pleasant motor trip to Sebring. Those in the party were: Misses Beatrice East, Ella Harris, Ruby Crumley, Mary Lee Durrance and the honoree, Miss Palmer.

Take advantage of the special summer rates now offered for the big fall term opening next week at the Tampa Business College. Liberal terms are made and special rates for the summer course. We meet the trains and take students to good boarding places.

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F. A. and Mrs. J. A. Caldwell will regret to learn that Mr. Caldwell is in a Tampa hospital, where he is undergoing an operation on his appendix. It will be fifteen or twenty days before he will be out.

Max Lutz left Tuesday for Nashville, Tenn., where he will spend some time before going to Washington, D. C. as a representative of the citrus growers, to interest northern capitalists in the citrus lands of the

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BROOKS-BOND NUPTIALS SOLEMNIZED LAST SUNDAY

A wedding of much interest was that of Miss Georgia Lee Bond and Preston Brooks, which took place at the First Baptist church Sunday evening, preceding the preaching service. Rev. T. O. Baldwin performed the ceremony.

Miss Nona Mae Crews rendered the nuptial music and as the soft strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March resounded through the church the young couple entered at a rear door and proceeded down the aisle to the altar where the solemn vows were spoken as "The Flower Song" was sweetly played.

The bride, with her girlish beauty, made a charming picture. Her costume was of ivory gray crepe de chine, with hat and accessories to match. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hurd.

Immediately following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Brooks left for a several days tour of the West Coast. Upon their return they will make their home in a cottage on Verona avenue.

SMITH-PABOR
Their many friends will be surprised to learn that Mrs. Bertha S. Smith and C. W. Pabor, both of Avon Park, were quietly married at the Baptist parsonage in Palmetto, Fla., by the pastor, the Rev. Benson, on August 28.

It was the intention of Mr. and Mrs. Pabor not to make their marriage public until the first of the coming year, or until they could complete certain buildings which they now have under course of construction, and for other business reasons, but evidently a little bird divulged their secret, as some few of their friends have been congratulating them already, therefore, they have decided not to be selfish and have made it generally known.

Mr. and Mrs. Pabor have successfully operated as partners in the construction business for the past eight months. They were so successful, in fact, that they have formed a life partnership, and expect to continue in the line of their old endeavor, for better or for worse.

Mrs. Pabor is a lady of unusual business ability, as is shown by her success in the business of contracting, she having been engaged in that business for the past several years, constructing many important and valuable buildings in DeSoto, Hardee and other South Florida counties, and new school buildings in Arcadia and Fort Ogden being among the lot completed by her before forming the partnership with Mr. Pabor.

Mr. Pabor has spent the greater part of his life in Avon Park, where he is well and favorably known.

MISS MAUDE MCGINNIS IS HOSTESS AT THEATER PARTY

Miss Maude McGinnis was the attractive hostess to a number of her friends at a theater party Tuesday evening, which proved one of the most delightful social affairs of the summer.

The guests gathered at the home of Miss Maude and motored to Sebring where the merry party witnessed "The Old Sweetheart of Mine" at the Circle Theater. Following the movie, further entertainment was afforded at a soda dispensary, where sundry delicious fountain concoctions were served. The remainder of this enjoyable evening was spent in dancing at the lovely home of Miss Alice Cox of Sebring.

The guest list included Misses Alta Rhea Able, Reba Ginn, Annie Ginn, Manne Lee Durrance, Edna Lee, Edna Crews, Lucile Able, Dorothy Durrance, Lutrel Martin, Dixie Martin, Ethel Dickerson, Ruby Crumley, Norlice Langdon and Maureen Olin LeGrand, C. R. Ginn, Bill Hilton, Jack Head, Dick Head, Melville Bae, Ridgely Todd, Fred Fodon, Batch Dilley, Fred Lee, Fred Durrance, Ralph Kirkland and Mr. and Mrs. Norman, Palmer Skipper, Lee Crews, Duncan Gardner, Mark Lance, Bill Head, Dick Head, Melville Bae, Horace Garner, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Backlight, Mrs. Ethel Jenks, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. McGinnis and little Miss Almaroe McGinnis.

BRIDGE CLUB AT MRS. HART'S
Mrs. Earl Hart was a gracious hostess on Wednesday afternoon when she entertained members of her bridge club. The room was prettily decorated with golden red and pink vine. The places were arranged for twelve players.

The play lasted an hour or more, and the games were most interesting. Punt was enjoyed throughout the afternoon and at the conclusion of the game refreshments were served. Those present were: Madames T. L. Lander, E. P. Loomis, H. E. Godwin, Herbert Reck, E. G. Todd, W. A. Marshall, Chas. Sherman, C. E. Lant, W. C. Touchton, Chas. Moffett, McKee Elwell, and the hostess.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
The regular Lord's day worship will be held in the Brickell auditorium Sunday night at 7:30.

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MISS EVELYN WEST WEDS NAVAL OFFICER IN CAPITAL

The following account of the wedding of Miss Evelyn West and Lieut. Theodore M. C. Osborne, U. S. A., took place in Washington, D. C., August 30, will be of interest to friends here. Miss West spent the winter here with her father, Henry P. West, and sister, Miss Dorothy West.

The marriage of Miss Evelyn Virginia West, daughter of Henry Parker West, to Lieut. Theodore M. C. Osborne, U. S. A., took place yesterday evening at 8 o'clock in St. Thomas' Episcopal church, the Rev. Dr. C. Ernest Smith officiating. The church was decorated with palms and Easter lilies.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and wore a bridal gown of white crepe-laced satin made on straight lines with a long court train and a bertha of duchesse lace. The tulle veil was held with a coronet of the duchesse lace and orange blossoms. She carried a large bouquet of lilies of the valley. Her sister, Miss Dorothy West, was maid of honor and wore a gown of French blue tulle silk trimmed with silver lace and silver lace. She carried pink roses. The other attendants, Miss Charis West, Mrs. E. Lewis West, George Walter Vail and Miss Helen West, cousin of the bride, wore similar gowns of yellow tulle. Each attendant carried an old-fashioned bouquet.

The flower girl, Miss Jean Cramp-ton, cousin of the bride, was in an old-fashioned gown of white ruffled net with pink ribbons.

Lieut. Louis J. Storck was best man for Lieut. Osborne. He carried pink roses. The other bridesmaids were Lieut. Miles Reher, Lieut. George Waldo, Lieut. Harry Roper, Lieut. J. King, Lieut. Horton, and Lieut. Charles E. Woodruff, all classmates of Lieut. Osborne at the Military Academy, West Point.

The ceremony was followed by a reception at the home of the bride's mother and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Henry West, after which the bridal couple left for a wedding trip to Atlantic City. The bride wore a traveling costume of navy blue crepe-back satin and a gray velvet R. K. Ginn, Jr., and Lee Crews motored to Sebring and returned Sunday afternoon.

Mark W. Lane, prominent real estate dealer, was a business visitor to Sebring Monday morning. Miss Edna Edna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Marshall, returned Tuesday from Orlando, where she visited her sister, Mrs. Marney Crews. Mrs. W. A. Marshall and little daughter Jean and son Olin motored to Wauchula Friday afternoon. George Keller, representative of the Mergenthaler Linotype Company, was a business visitor here last Friday.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

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E. Butterworth of Buffalo, N. Y., was a business visitor here last Thursday.

Mrs. Egbert Klay and little son Harry are visiting relatives in Tampa this week.

Parke Anderson is visiting relatives and school friends in Pittsburgh for a month or more.

P. R. Davis of Tampa transacted business here Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Serial No. 01451
Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office at Gainesville, Fla.,
August 4, 1923.

Notice is hereby given that Eugene Walden, of Sebring, Florida, who, on February 28, 1922, made Homestead Entry No. 017461, for SW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Section 22, Township 23 S., Range 23 E., Tallahassee Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Clerk Circuit Court, at Sebring, Florida, on the 15th day of September, 1923.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Albert Williams, of Sebring, Florida;
C. M. Kieard, of Avon Park, Florida;
Willie McClelland, of Avon Park, Florida;
Nana McClelland, of DeSoto City, Florida.
GEORGE C. CROM, Register.
A12-31-30-57-14

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Approximately 15 acres clearing and grubbing.
Approximately 25,000 cu. yds. excavation.

Each bid must be accompanied with a certified check made payable to the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, in an amount equal to three (3) per cent of the amount of the bid; a bidder's bond will be considered as a guarantee of good faith on the part of the bidder, and shall be forfeited in case of failure to enter into contract upon notification of

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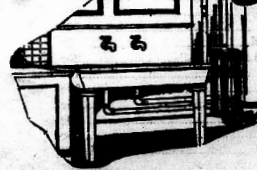
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award of contract.

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PEACOCK & HOOD ENGINEERING CO., County Engineers.

86-13-20

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Approximately 75,000 cu. yds. excavation.

Approximately 36 acres clearing and grubbing.

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Approximately 15,000 cu. yds. excavation.

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1923, for the construction of approximately 50,000 sq. yds. of sheet piling, paying, 20,000 sq. yds. clay base, 30,000 sq. yds. of reconstructed clay base, 5,000 cu. yds. of clay, 60,000 lin. ft. of combined concrete curb and gutters, 10,000 cu. yds. of common excavation, and 4,500 lin. ft. of storm sewer with necessary catch basins and manholes, all as per approved plans and specifications on file in the engineers' office. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check for \$3,000.00, made payable to the Town of Avon Park, Florida. All bids to be directed to the Chairman of the Board of Bond Trustees, Avon Park, Florida.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

Plans and specifications may be obtained from the engineers upon payment of \$10.

"PEACOCK & HOOD ENGINEERING CO., Avon Park, Florida."

A. V. ANDERSON, Chairman, Board of Bond Trustees.

A12-31-30-57-14

TRESPASS NOTICE

We hereby notify the public that our lands described in the following plat and located south of Avon Park, have been placed under the protection of law and are a private hunting preserve.

Persons trespassing within the confines of lands properties for any purpose, whatever, or shooting into this tract will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law, provided the same is done after the 1st day of September, 1923.

We have secured the appointment of R. C. Smith, Sheriff of Highlands County, as game warden for this tract and he will be authorized to remove any and all persons trespassing on the same.

PITTSBURGH-FLORIDA FRUIT GROWERS ASSOCIATION, A12-31-30-57-14

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Every convenience, every step saver and every kitchen comfort known to kitchen cabinet construction is embodied in the lovely snow white Kitchen Cabinets we are able to offer to Highlands county women at

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The table top is genuine porcelain. Patent flour bin makes filling easy and sifts as you take it out. There are utensil racks handily arranged in the commodious lower cupboard, while in the top are the dish shelf and also the cabinet for foods with a special rack for spices, with glass jars for foods and spices. The drawers are well arranged and a metal-lined break and cake box in the lower drawer makes these secure against vermin.

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Covering the Subject

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HIGHLANDS TAXES ONLY \$172,914 IN STATE - COUNTY

LESS THAN \$2.50 A MONTH
A PERSON FOR ALL
IMPROVEMENTS

Highlands county paid only \$172,914 state and county taxes last year, according to a compilation by the state comptroller, which is less than \$2.50 per month per person for all state and county expenses, including the costs of setting up a new government, etc.

Dade county paid \$2,500,000, with Hillsborough, Dade, Polk and Palm Beach paying more than \$1,000,000 each. Hardes leads the DeSoto empire with \$206,000. The table for the state follows:

County	Millage	Amount
Alachua	24	\$ 396,880.10
Baker	21	90,285.54
Bay	45	173,265.45
Brevard	40	121,781.36
Broward	32 1/2	417,438.20
Calhoun	31	110,805.06
Charlotte	28	127,771.90
Citrus	34	135,265.47
Clay	23	111,242.23
Columbia	28	102,739.81
Dade	37	1,731,471.01
DeSoto	36	195,636.17
Dixie	28	116,695.77
Duval	25 1/2	2,535,182.85
Escambia	33 1/2	239,036.04
Flagler	32	109,531.84
Franklin	26	76,244.54
Gadsden	20 1/2	210,814.79
Gladwin	36	187,639.87
Hamilton	33 1-3	113,418.58
Hardee	28	206,538.86
Hernando	32 1/2	100,108.36
Highlands	26 1/2	172,914.98
Hillsborough	27	1,987,234.77
Holmes	27	123,235.07
Jefferson	26 1/2	123,789.12
LaFayette	24	63,151.21
Lake	28	502,079.26
Lee	36	582,112.58
Leon	27 1/2	208,907.78
Levy	19	183,169.24
Liberty	28	48,945.66
Madison	33	167,550.09
Manatee	30	448,124.79
Marion	34 1/2	463,189.81
Monroe	36 1/2	217,034.81
Nassau	23 1/2	140,442.13
Okaloosa	37 1/2	134,363.15
Okeechobee	40 1/2	141,526.48
Orange	33	142,882.27
Oswego	28 1/2	291,108.96
Palm Beach	58	1,463,636.64
Pasco	36	269,696.45
Pinellas	28	715,201.93
Polk	33	1,157,554.90
Putnam	29	118,194.38
St. Johns	38	292,154.47
St. Lucie	31 1/2	372,745.20
Santa Rosa	30 1/2	132,553.65
Sarasota	28 1/2	230,012.55
Seminole	39	300,613.36
Sumter	18 1/2	190,471.78
Suwannee	27	197,419.84
Taylor	32 1/2	215,014.04
Union	25 1/2	74,698.51
Volusia	20 1/2	805,666.51
Walton	25	160,162.21
Washington	29 1/2	99,696.98
Waukulla	24 1/2	44,226.09

DADE COUNTY'S DAIRY PAY ROLL ANNUALLY IS OVER QUARTER MILLION

Although it was said that Florida could not raise good cattle, especially that light skinned breeds would never thrive in the sub-tropics, that stock could not possibly be imported in the summer months and that no suitable feed could be raised in the far south, Dade county, almost at the tip of Florida has a dairy industry which figures up to at least two and one-half million dollars.

Total dairy acreage is conservatively estimated today at 7,699 with land valuations ranging from \$20 to \$1,000 per acre. Scrub stock is so rapidly being cleared out and replaced by registered or pure-bred stock that the average value is given as at least \$100, with many head worth \$300 or more, and there are 3,400 head in all. Buildings, even where no protection against frost has to be provided, are an expensive item and would total

RAINS INJURE FARM CROPS— CITRUS IN FINE CONDITION

There was too much rain, as a rule, in the western, northern and portions of the central divisions of Florida, although it was locally insufficient over small areas during the week ending August 28, according to the weekly weather and crop bulletin of the weather bureau. The insufficiency was marked in the south, and along the East Coast of the Indian river from about Brevard county to Miami. The weather was reported as unfavorable for harvesting corn, hay, and cotton, the first named being badly damaged by insect pests and excessive rains; some cotton bolls rotting, and picking was delayed. The wet weather is also said to be rotting some corn in the fields. Sweet potatoes, cane, peanuts, rice and minor crops made fair to good progress. Citrus fruits are reported in excellent condition, and seed beds and recently planted truck are in good condition.

In the northern division the weather was cloudy with frequent showers, excessive to damaging in some localities, although moderate rain was needed on some uplands. Temperature averaged about the normal. Citrus fruits, peanuts, cane, recently set berry plants and seed beds made fair to good progress.

Moderate temperatures with showers to heavy rains, the latter mostly local, were beneficial on uplands in the central division, but rather unfavorable on some lowlands. The setting of strawberry plants continued; seed beds and previous plantings of truck made fair progress.

Showers and heavy rains in the western division of the state were reported unfavorable for cotton picking; some bolls rotting and weeding and shedding continued to damage plants. Cane and peanuts made fair to good progress. Satsuma oranges holding well; truck and minor crops in fair to good condition.

In the southern division the uplands are being prepared for truck, but high water was unfavorable over much of the Okeechobee district, the report stated. Some peanuts were harvested. Rain was needed in coast districts to the north of Miami.

well over half a million in value and equipment would amount to at least a quarter million more. This would spell a material value for the 64 dairies now in operation in Dade county of well over \$2,000,000.

Showers and heavy rains in the county's dairy industry is estimated at over \$500,000. It is claimed unanimously by the dairymen who participated in dairy week that the limit of expansion is not yet in sight. The higher producing animals are eagerly sought by small and large dairymen alike. It is true that the great tourist population of Miami in winter creates a demand far in excess of present production but the summer surplus, although not yet critically large is the problem that is receiving the greatest attention this summer with interest centering on co-operative means of exporting and manufacturing the surplus.



All Aboard for Study Lands!

Going away to school, or going back, is almost as large an event in daughter's life as her wedding will be. Her mind is all a-whirl with what to wear for her study hours—sweaters and skirts for the sports, pretty frocks for the gaieties and a hundred other things she cannot do without. This store is splendidly equipped with apparel she will like, whether it is boarding school or college that she is to attend.

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A Woman's Success



Few housewives fail to understand that their personal success must of necessity be reflected through the achievements of their husbands.

Ease, comfort, happiness (and even luxuries), which we all aspire to—do not come without striving and in consistent effort.

In our broadest American term—it must be fifty-fifty in effort of husband and wife if the home is to attain material success.

Mrs. Woman—do you want peaceful relax and comfort which money makes possible? Thousands of women have realized such success through applied methods. It can be yours.

With your husband, adjust your home expenses into a budget to a figure below the daily, weekly, monthly and yearly income—banking the difference in an hourly-interest-drawing account at this bank.

Before you realize it—you and your husband will have acquired a reserve fund which will make possible many profitable investments—and ultimately—SUCCESS.

TODAY is the ONLY TIME to START

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SAVINGS COMPANY**

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 Highlands 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 gift-edge proposition.

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Scenic Highlands Development Company
Avon Park, Florida

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Idaho Irish Potatoes
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Fine Peaches	Mustard Greens	Spanish Onions
Cauliflower	Apples	Peppers
Beans	Grapes	Celery
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GAILLEY SELLS MILL AND TIMBER TO CALDWELL, WILL CARRY OUT ORIGINAL PLAN

Sale of the S. B. Gailley mill and 300 acres of exceptionally good timberland to John H. Caldwell, prominent estate factor, was announced this week by Mr. Gailley. The tract lies east of Avon Park and includes some of the best timber in this section. Mr. Gailley estimating it will cut 5,000 feet to the acre.

The mill is a 10,000-foot per day plant. Mr. Gailley has no intention of leaving here, but is contemplating continuing his original plans to build a half dozen small bungalow homes on his property on Lake avenue.

RAMOS BUYS OUT "TOP"

MOYER'S CAFE IN SEBRING
E. D. Ramos, prominent restaurant man of Bartow, has bought out Moyer's Cafe at Sebring and is already busy improving the establishment wherever possible and preparing to maintain the highest standards possible.

Mr. Ramos has been with the Plaza at Bartow and is an experienced man in this business. Clean, sanitary service is going to be his motto in his regime. He plans to make Sebring his home and believes Highlands county is going to "get there."

Mr. Ramos he is not ready to announce his plans yet but that he isn't going to leave the county.

OTT & SON INSTALLING NEW FIXTURES IN STORE

Renovating the front of the store is the order of business at Ott & Son's, where new fixtures are being installed to take care of an enlarged business.

Several new cases were made necessary, according to Mr. Ott, and he figured the late summer about the best time to install them.

FRANK MCGINNIS ILL

Mr. and Mrs. James Moyer are in receipt of a letter from the McGinnis brothers, stating that the older brother, Frank McGinnis, is seriously ill. The Messrs. McGinnis are prominent winter residents and have extensive grove interests north of Avon Park.

TWENTY-SIX BOOKS ARE ADDED TO THE LIBRARY

Twenty-six more books were added to the Avon Park public library by the donation of Mrs. L. H. Parks, the Woman's Club custodian of the library. The books donated by Mrs. Parks are: "The Story of Joseph the Dream," Edith Fell; "Ragged Dick," Alger; "The Young Musician," Alger; "Neilson the Newsboy," Alger; "Paul the Peddler," Alger; "Paul Harvey," De Morgan; "In the Balkans," Porter; "Around the World," Payson; "Three Societies," Trowbridge; "The Hacer Boys," Young; "The Motor Boys on a Bender," Young; "Friend of the Seminoles," Walsh; "Tom Swift," Appleton; "Heydi," Meyer; "Water Wonders," Thompson; "Life and Adventures of Daniel Boone," Hill; "Heros," Mabie; "Tolly of Ladygray Cottage," Dowd; "Stories of Old," Baum; "Betty of Old Mackinac," Fox; "Five Little Peppers," Sidney; Five volumes of Sophie Mac books.

MRS. TODD HOSTESS TO YOUNG PEOPLE

Mrs. E. G. Todd entertained Saturday evening with a lovely party at her home on Lake Lotella, complimenting Miss Henrietta Farrington of Arcadia and Ridgely Todd, who will leave in a few days to resume his studies at the University of Florida.

You should arrange this week to join the big fall opening next week of the Tampa Business College. New classes in all departments will be organized.

Music and dancing passed the time merrily, Dan Andrews of Sebring leading the evening's pleasure with piano and banjo selections in his inimitable manner.

Punch was dispensed throughout the evening and later a delicious ice course was served.

Those present on this enjoyable occasion were: Misses Henrietta Farrington, Ruby Cramer, Beatrice Egan, Elizabeth Clark, Myrtle Jack, Messrs. Ridgely Todd, C. R. Ginn, Jr., Buss Raso, Dan Andrews, Melville Egan, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Reck, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Todd.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR RENT—Lake front furnished five-room bungalow; boat, fishing, garden, strawberries, oranges, grapefruit, limes, etc.; \$350 for six months. House in town, overlooking lake, \$200. E. D. Putney. 9-13-23c

GARDNER or grower—What will you trade for 1,000 Everbearing strawberry plants? Price, Lake Stearns.



A LOAF of our bread is a tempting article of food. You'll be tempted to bite a piece out of it before the butter has a chance to meet it half way. Serve our bread. It's full of food satisfaction. Tell your grocer what he already knows—that he should deliver our bread to your home.

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FOR SALE—Six acre tract, one block from new state road. Address owner, Box 323, Avon Park. 6-145c

FOR SALE—Six fine lots, on hill, east front, good fence, good shade trees, orange and grapefruit trees, 3 to 5 years old. The elevation and view make these lots very desirable for a home. W. H. Woodruff, owner. 6-145c

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We have already put on another wagon to take care of the mill quarters and the outlying sections of the town, particularly west of the railroad.

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CANDIDATES FOR GOVERNOR WILL SPEAK OCT. 18

AT LEAST TWO COMING TO
HIGHLANDS C. OF C.
RALLY DAY

At least two candidates for governor and probably four will be among the speakers at the rally day of the Highlands County Chamber of Commerce in Tuscowilla Park at Sebring, Oct. 18, according to letters received by Acting Secretary, Gilbert Freeman in response to invitation. E. F. Green, of the state road department, has also accepted the invitation to be present. John H. Martin and Frank Jennings, candidates for governor, have accepted and Frank Clark and C. B. Parkhill write they will be here if their engagements permit and that they will endeavor to

P. T. Strieder, general manager of the South Florida Fair, also invited to come, has been in the north, and probably will reply soon.

Additional plans for the rally day will be made up at the meeting of the governors of the chamber Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in the commissioners' rooms at Sebring. This meeting Tuesday was postponed until that time.

President Etheredge named Gilber Freeman, Herbert F.R. Reck and Norton Smith of Avon Park to draft suitable resolutions to the state road department, urging that body to designate the Kissimmee river bridge as State Road No. 8, southeast of Avon Park, as the Harding Memorial Bridge. This resolution is to be submitted Monday for action of the Highway Board.

lands Chamber of Commerce. The Okeechobee Chamber of Commerce is to take similar steps and if the road department agrees, plans are under way for the establishing of an 80-acre park—40 acres at each end of the bridge. This it is planned to tender to the federal government for a national park.

Possibilities of the Associated Boards of Trade of the Scenic Highlands participating in the rally have developed, following the acceptance

Whether a joint program can be arranged will be taken up at the next meeting of the Highlands Chamber of Commerce.

**FLORIDA'S CITRUS CROP
WILL BE BIGGEST EVER
PRODUCED IN THE STATE**

Florida will produce its heaviest crop of citrus fruit next season, according to a forecast made by the bureau of agricultural economics of the United States department of agriculture, incorporated in its state crop report for September, made public Thursday.

The forecast says that the condition of oranges and grapefruit is higher than at this time last year and much higher than usual on Sept. 1. Oranges are 94 per cent of normal, compared with 89 per cent a year ago, and a usual condition of 86 per cent for Sept. 1. The grapefruit crop is 88 per cent of normal, compared with 86 per cent a year ago and a usual condition of 82 per cent. Continuing the forecast says:

Heavy Crop Ahead

"In so far as condition figures pertain to the citrus crop, the outlook is

to production, the 1925-26 season was over-top last season's 16,900,000 boxes by a large percentage and, if weather continues favorable, this will unquestionably occur.

"To the generally favorable condition reported, with its indication of heavy production, must be added fruit from young groves just coming into bearing and this is an item which is practically impossible to round off statistically. For a number of seasons fruit from young groves has been an increasing factor in total production and it will be an important

part of the total crop this season. There are thousands of acres of young groves which will produce their first commercial crop this season and other thousands which will bear fruit for the first time this year and will swell next season's commercial crop.

Last Crop Large

"While all indications point to increased production of the citrus fruit and this increase is expected by growers and others familiar with the development of the industry in Florida it will be well to remember that

"Our estimates of production, the 1923-24 season, with comparative figures for preceding years, will be published late in the present month."

"The September crop report as to the condition of corn, cotton and other staple crops shows a further drop

light yields are certain, and that culture is holding up well. The condition of cowpeas, velvet beans and other cover crops is improving.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
Our regular Lord's day worship will be held in the Brickell auditorium Sunday evening at 7:30.

The little moon, traveling along in a minute, got between the earth and the sun the other day and for seconds the sun's light went out, tirelessly at certain places, to a limited degree elsewhere.

The moon was something like a child walking between you and your reading lamp. The eclipse was photographed by scientists on the earth and from flying machines, but the savages were agitated. We don't believe, as they once did, that a dragon is eating up the sun. And we do think that angry gods are warm to us to behave ourselves.

In the old days they took eclipse so seriously that two armies, about to fight, turned tail and went home in a hurry when the sun began to appear. It was a poor ruler that did have some kind of eclipse when he died.

The Reverend Increase Mather, wrote his interesting essay on "Remarkable Providences" in the Puritan days, found it easy enough to explain an eclipse in Massachusetts. He said it expressed the grief of Nature at the death of President Chauncy of Harvard. Quite a compliment to Harvard.

We know that an eclipse means nothing at all except that the moon gets in front of our sun lamp and shuts out the light for a minute. We have progressed in that way. We don't yet know enough to be murdering each other, as they did in the days of superstition and darkness.

Tuesday was Rosh Hashanah, Jewish New Year, No. 5684.

Other religions and nationalities at other years and other dates, a majority believing that the world was about 6,000 years old, and ought to end soon.

If old Earth told her real age, should learn that many things happened here a thousand million years ago. When it STARTED, we don't know.

Flying machines dropping bombs that cost a few dollars have been demonstrated for the benefit of American people that battleships are obsolete. The old battleship *Virgo* used as a target was sunk in 30 minutes by a flier 10,000 feet up. Many forty million-dollar battleships will this country build to sink amusing targets some day for

Forty million dollars spent on flying ships, with a few more millions in submarines, would make fighting fleets unnecessary and a by any nation foolish.

A while ago, anybody asking government to fix the price of oil would have been called an anar by the moderates, and murderous shevik by real Tories. Now, in Turkey the oil men themselves ask the government to fix a price. If prices get sick, any doctor is welcome.

front page by preventing restoration of the harem in Turkey. It was as difficult to imagine a Turk with many wives as of a Chinese with a pigtail. The pigtail is gone, the harem wives are going. Kemal says that one Turkish wife the new woman type, is as much any one Turk can or ought to own.

Wheat was lower last week. earthquake leaves thousands in of food, but that doesn't help the of wheat. Nations always find n to buy wheat for war, no matter high the price. They do not spe easily merely to relieve human s ing.

**JASPER RIGGINS GETS
SIX MONTHS — LILLI
SINGLETON 5 YE**

Jasper Higgins, charged with carnal intercourse with a married female of previous character, was convicted in court at Sebring last week and sentenced to six months at Raiford. Judge Whitehurst. The lightness of the sentence is said to be due to doubts in the court's mind as to the part the girl played in the escape, which resulted from their leaving.

Lillie Singleton, negress, charged with killing her husband, and convicted of manslaughter, drew years in the state prison.

Joe Maynor, negro, was convicted of aggravated assault and sentenced to six months on the county road.
Irene Glynn and John Douglas, negroes, were certified back to court, tried for fornication, and

TO MAKE ROAD TEST
Experts from the Southern and Pittsburgh laboratories are expected this week to set up a test for the material which has been used.

material by which local engineers be governed in accepting the work. The bond trustees and commissioners decided Friday to safeguard the road program being rushed.

WHERE THE STORK STOP
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hagood are
rejoicing over the arrival of a
son, born Tuesday Sept. 11.
Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lude

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John W. a bouncing baby boy, Sunday, 16.